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

April 28, 1942.
(Date)

Name: Okimoto Henry
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: Box 275 % Horst Ranch
(Street and Number)

Gerber California
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: x

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

Name OKIMOTO (Surname) HENRY (Given)

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

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

Type of Business: None now
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: x

Person Interviewed: Same as above

Address: " "

Telephone Number: None

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Wanted to know if it was all right to sell his 1940 Dodge Sedan to R.S. Watkins, Dodge dealer, Chico. Balance due Anglo Bank of Chico $555 net payoff cancelling insurance and refunding of interest. R. Watkins to pay off bank and give Mr. Okimoto $149 for his equity in an automobile.

Action taken:*

Informed Mr. Okimoto it was all right for him to sell his equity in car if he wished to. He stated he did and was satisfied with price. I then instructed him in regard to completing deal. Deal now completed.

Handled by: Harry E. Pahl
Field Representative - Chico

Directed to file:

*Attach additional pages where necessary

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(1 interviewed) (2 involved)

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

Sac. Supplement 503

May 11, 1942
(Date)

Twentieth Century Vegetable Market

Name: Okimura Shigenobu
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: Route 2, Box 3475
(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:

Liquidation of Vegetable Market (Partnership)

Action taken:*

Eddie Cham buying on inventory. To return business after war.

Case Closed

Handled by: McFarland

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(S-5055)

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Sacramento Office

Name
OKIMURA (Surname)
Shigenobu (Given)
TWENTIETH CENTURY VEGETABLE MARKET

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco Sac. 503
Fiscal Agent of the United States

May 4, 1942
(Date)

Twentieth Century Vegetable Market
(Partnership)

Name: Okimura, Shigenobu
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview: x

Address: Route 2, Box 3475
(Street and Number)

Sacramento, California
(City) (State)

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

Date of last entry into United States: November 16, 1938

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed: Teimei Okimura (brother)

Address: Same

Telephone Number: none

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Vegetable and fruit stand at 1610 L Street - partnership with Seichi Sanbo. Own equipment cooler, five scales, and cash register. Shigenobu Okimura has been in Army since January 12, 1942. Partner Seichi Sanbo has been operating business. Seichi Sanbo is a generally licensed national. Sanbo has opportunity to make arrangements to transfer lease and dispose of fixtures.

Action taken:*

Recommended that he consult an attorney and secure legal advice if necessary. He stated he would see Mr. Henry Taketa.

Sacramento Office

1 Interviewed
8 Represented

Handled by: W.E.Mahoney

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(S-5055)

Directed to File:

Name OKIMURA (Surname) Shigenobu (Given) Twentieth Century Vegetable Market

Rec'd 10/27 28w

Oct. 22, 1942

Dear Mr. Weeks,

Thank y u for the trouble you have gone in my behalf. It has reassured me greatly knowing that you are there to help me.

I am sor y I didn't write sooner, but getting settled has taken longer than I had expected.

Your visit to Mr. Leonardini has cleared everything I can think of at present. I hope that I can count on your aid if there should be a problem which I could not handle.

I have no intention at present of selling the house as we hope we might be able to return there after the war. I hope Mr. Leonardini did not get the impression that I wanted to sell the house.

Thanking you again for looking after my affairs, I remain,

Sincerely yours,

Jiro Okinaga

Blk. 53 Barrack 4 Apt. F
Relocation Branch
McGehee, Arkansas

Answered
Answ. by Routine Advice
No Answer Required
Ready to File
By
Surname
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REFERRED BY MR. EVERSON

TO MR. _____

926 West Willow Street
Stockton, California
October 13, 1942

Mr. Jiro Okinaga
7-123-B
Stockton Assembly Center
Stockton, California

Dear Mr. Okinaga:

In accordance with your request we have called upon the real estate firm of Leonardini and Filippi, agents for the care of your property, consisting of a house and lot situated at 133 East Anderson Street, Stockton, and have made the following arrangements with them so that you will be informed at regular intervals regarding the condition of your account with them.

Mr. Leonardini will prepare and forward your next report and statement of your account as of October 31.
The property is rented at a monthly rate of $45.00, while your monthly installments are $25.00 per month.
Taxes and repairs will be withheld and the balance remaining will be credited to your account, less Mr. Leonardini's regular fees as agent.
We understand that it is Mr. Leonardini's intention to mail a complete statement to you every sixty days.
The agent will also mail you a copy of the list of personal property which is left in care of the tenant.

We have informed the agents that you will keep up the installments on the contract in the event that rental income is not sufficient for this purpose.

Mr. Leonardini would like to have you set a sales figure on this property while the sharp demand for homes continues at the present level.

Very sincerely yours,

L. S. Weeks

Field Representative

Answered
Appd. by Routine Advice
(Copy for Mr. Everson)
Directed to File
By [signature]
Surname
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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

5/7/42
(Date)

Name: Okino James H.
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 1521 S. Eldorado
(Street and Number)
Stockton, California
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: x

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

Name (Surname) OKINO (Given) James H.

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

Operating under Treasury Licence now?: 68A

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

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number: 2-0174

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Has worked with us in helping others adjust their affairs.
His affairs all in shape.
Comes in requesting advice with regard to payment of city taxes on one of his lots, all clear.

Action taken:*

Had him arrange with First National Bank where his account is kept.
Close file.

1 Int. 7 aff.

L. S. Weeks
Handled by: Stockton

*Attach additional pages where necessary
(S-5055)

Directed to file:

926 West Willow Street
Stockton, California
September 8, 1942

Mr. James Okino
4-38-B
Stockton Assembly Center
Stockton, California

Dear Mr. Okino:

Acting upon your verbal request made today, we have telephoned to Mr. Charles Broadhurst, Real Estate Broker, regarding the insurance policy which you desire to have on file with the local First National Bank as security on the loan which the bank is carrying for the purchaser of your home sold by Mr. Broadhurst.

Mr. Broadhurst advises that he first took the policy to San Francisco, where endorsements were made by Balfour-Guthrie Company showing the transfer of the property, and that he then mailed the policy to the First National Bank. The bank could not locate the policy today, therefore we have asked for Mr. Broadhurst's assistance in tracing it and advising you direct .

Very sincerely yours,

L. S. Weeks

L. S. Weeks
Field Representative
Telephone 3-2364

(copy for Mr. Everson)

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

Directed to File
By _____
Surname

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

X 4

5/15/42
(Date)

Name: OKOMOTO GEO
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 4736 - 3rd St
(Street and Number)

S.F. Calif
(City) (State)

Telephone: ✓
Interview:

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

Name OKOMOTO (Surname) George (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: —

Operating under Treasury License now?: —

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

Person Interviewed: Art Eckhorn of Eckhorn Garage

Address: 4741 - 3rd St

Telephone Number: Valencia 6671

Han Son Tahoe and daughter Catherine

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Art Eckhorn reports holding 1-1938 Oldsmobile Sedan and 1-Chevrolet Delivery Car for George Okomoto to be sold for his account at this request. Wants 450= for Oldsmobile and 150= for Chevrolet Delivery. Cars are clear of debt.

Han placed Pink Slips in hands of American Trust Bank 464 Calif St S.F. with Mr. Boyer holding letter of instructions. Find Cars in name of Okomoto & Son

Bank also holds Agency agreement on 2 Flats at 2742 & 2744 Bush St. for renting, Collecting Rents etc.

Action taken:*

Information

Handled by: D.H. Gray

*Attach additional pages where necessary.
(S-5055) 1 Interviewer
2 Representative

Directed to File: SF 68

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

May 27, 1942
(Date)

Name: Okimoto, Shizuto George
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: Box 275 - c/o Horst Ranch
(Street and Number)
Gerber, California
(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 report of April 25, 1942.

(See Chico letter of May 26, 1942).

Mr. Okimoto's case can be closed as he was evacuated with the rest of the Japanese from this area on May 19th. We had no problem of storage of his lathe and welding equipment as anticipated, as he left these with his former employer, the Horst Land Company, in whom he has complete confidence, and gave them a power of attorney to handle his affairs in this locality for the duration.

Action taken:*

Closed

Handled by: Chico

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

Directed to File:

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

April 25, 1942.
(Date)

Name: Okimoto Shizuto George
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview: x

Address: Box 275 - % Horst Ranch
(Street and Number)

Gerber California
(City) (State)

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

Name OKIMOTO (Surname) Shizuko George (Given)

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

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

Type of Business: None now
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: x

Person Interviewed: Same as above

Address: " "

Telephone Number: None

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Has one large 16" Condey Otto lathe and one Hobart 200 amp. Electric arc-welder mounted on 4 wheel trainer, 600 x 16 phneumatic tires. He would like to sell this equipment if he can get $1500 for it. Otherwise wishes to store same.

4/28 referred copy to Gilchrist
Sorry may be not RWB

Action taken:*

Advised him to put add in Sacramento Bee and if he did not get results and could not sell same it could be stored. Kindly place this equipment on the list sent to all Field Representatives.

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

*Attach additional pages where necessary
(S-5055)

(1 person interviewed) (2 involved)

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

(Date)

Name: Okita, Ruth
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: _____
(Street and Number)

San Benito County
(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: _____

BILL OF SALE.

FOR VALUE RECEIVED, I RUTH OKITA, hereby sell, assign, transfer and deliver to Atkins and Fisher one Allis Chalmer Model M Tractor and one Disc. The consideration is $1150.00, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged. I am making this sale voluntarily and I feel that the price I am obtaining is a fair and just price and that said equipment is free and clear of all encumbrances.

Dated: Hollister, California May 5, 1942.

Ruth Okita

Ruth Okita.

STATE OF CALIFORNIA, }
} ss.
COUNTY OF SAN BENITO. }

On this 5th day of May, 1942, before me, John T. Lewis, a Notary Public in and for the County of San Benito, State of California, personally appeared RUTH OKITA, known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that she executed the same.

John T. Lewis

Notary Public in and for said County and State.

My commission expires May 24, 1944.

Atkins (OK)

4/7/42

JOHN T. LEWIS
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW
BANK OF AMERICA BLDG.
HOLLISTER, CALIF.

O Kitsu, John
Minidoka War Reloc. Project
Eden, Idaho

September 17, 1942

MEMORANDUM TO: WAR RELOCATION AUTHORITY,
Division of evacuee property.

SUBJECT: Inquiry from evacuee at Minidoka War Relocation Project.

We are enclosing a copy of a letter written to our Seattle Branch by John Okitsu, now a resident at Minidoka War Relocation Project, Eden, Idaho.

Our Seattle Branch informs us that the tractor in question was placed in the hands of S. B. Hicks Company, 2432 First Avenue South, Seattle, for sale prior to evacuation, and that on the occasion of our last inquiry of that concern Mr. H. W. Piper, its secretary, informed us that the outstanding indebtedness against the tractor had been paid and that it was being held for sale at such time as a fair offer might be received. This information was transmitted to the evacuee who was then resident at the Puyallup Assembly Center.

In view of the fact that the evacuee is now a relocation center resident, he has been informed that his inquiry has been submitted for your consideration.

Assistant Cashier.

Enclosure
HDArmstrong:EM

COPY OF LETTER ADDRESSED TO:

SEATTLE BRANCH
FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF SAN FRANCISCO

HEAD OFFICE

September 16, 1942

Evacuee Property Department

Enclosed in duplicate is a copy of an undated letter addressed to us by John Okitsu, an evacuee at the Minidoka Relocation Project, Eden, Idaho. The letter inquires with respect to a tractor which had been placed in the hands of the S. B. Hicks Company, 2432 First Avenue, South, Seattle, for sale, prior to evacuation.

On the occasion of our last inquiry of Mr. H. W. Piper, Secretary of the S. B. Hicks Company, we were advised that the concern had paid the indebtedness outstanding against the tractor and was holding it for sale at such time as a fair offer were received. This information was transmitted to the evacuee, then residing at the Puyallup Assembly Center.

We have informed the evacuee that we are not handling the affairs of individuals who have removed to relocation projects and that, accordingly, his inquiry is being directed to the War Relocation Authority for consideration.

Enclosure

Assistant Manager

LS 1 B (10-12) 1000 9-37 (979L)

COPY

Block 21 - 9 - C
Minidoka, W.R.A.
Eden, Idaho

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Seattle, Washington

Dear Mr. Amende:

I wish to notify you of my change in address.

Have you had any word from the S. B. Hicks Co. regarding the sale of my tractor?

Have you had any prospects coming to you in regard to buying my tractor?

Hoping to hear from you soon, I remain,

Sincerely,

(Signed) John Okitsu



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

_____ (Date)

Name: OKOMOTO (Surname) (Print) HARUE (Given)

Address: P. O. BOX 183 (Street and Number)

WALNUT GROVE, 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: "DUN & BRADSTREET REPORT"
June 12, 1942, SAC. 659

Action taken:*

Satisfied creditors.

No mention of Power od Attorney

Handled by: _____

*Attach additional pages where necessary

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

6/15/42
(Date)

Name: Okamura (Surname) _____ Roy (Given)

Address: California Hot Springs
(Street and Number)

Tulare County (City) California (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

Date of last entry into United States: Aug. 1938

Operating under Treasury Licence now?:

Type of Business: Grocery, Ft Norwalk, Voluntary evacuation into #2 Area
Partnership: Now Unemployed
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: Same

Address: "

Telephone Number: ✓

Principal property involved and scope of problem: Has 4 new House Trailer Complete for Living Quarters. Cost 960.00 Sell at 600.00
1941 Olds. Coupe Large Model Cost over 1400.00
Car store at Knights Garage California Hot Springs at 3.00 per Mo. for Car.

Action taken:* If not able to sell, would advise selling
If not, Storage seemed reasonable, Suggest that he Check Care of Battery

Handled by: Field Representative

Directed to file: ✓

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(S-5055)

Six family

500 NORTH GARDEN
VISALIA, CALIF

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

Sac. Supplement #421

May 13, 1942
(Date)

Name: Okomoto (Surname) Harue (Miss) (Print) (Given)

Address: P.O. Box 383
(Street and Number)

Walnut Grove (City) California (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:

Tomato acreage of Walnut Grove. Satisfied all creditors.

Action taken:*

letter from Katherine Okamoto says has received letter from Foster and Wood Canning Company stating account cleared.

Handled by: McFarland

*Attach additional pages where necessary.
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Directed to File:

Sacramento Office

Name OKAMOTO (Surname) Harue (Miss) (Given)

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May 11, 1942

War Board.
Federal Reserve Bank,
1330 J. Street.
Sacramento, California

Dear Mr. Richert:

I have received a letter from the Foster & Wood Canning Company of Lodi stating that my account with them is entirely clear.

Thank you very much for talking to them the other day.

Yours very truly,
Katherine Okamoto

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

Supplement to Sac. 421

May 2, 1942
(Date)

Name: Okomoto, Harue (Miss)
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: P. O. Box 383
(Street and Number)

Walnut Grove, California
(City) (State)

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

Name
OKOMOTO (Surname)
Harue (Miss) (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:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Case involved transfer of leasehold and crop. Settlement with holders of land mortgage and crop mortgage.

Action taken:*

Writes, "Mr. Salisbury of Pacific Fruit Exchange and I will be at your office to fix things up" as soon as papers are returned from San Francisco.

Sacramento Office

2 Interviewed
7 Represented

Handled by M.M.McFarland

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FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF SAN FRANCISCO

FISCAL AGENT OF THE UNITED STATES

1006 Fourteenth Street
Sacramento, California
April 30, 1942

Miss Harue

~~Mr. Harne~~ Okomoto
P. O. Box 383
Walnut Grove, California

Re: Sacramento #421

Dear Sir:

Recently 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.

Yours very truly,

A. J. Reid

A. J. Reid
Sacramento Field Representative

MMM:LM

FOR DEFENSE
BUY UNITED STATES SAVINGS BONDS AND STAMPS

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JUN 2 1942
EVACUEE PROPERTY DEPT.

R.O. Box 383,
Walnut Grove, Calif.
May 1st, 1942

Mr. A. J. Reid
1006 - 14th St.
Sacramento
California

Dear Sir:

We, the Pacific Fruit Exchange & I, had expected the papers to arrive from San Francisco on Wednesday or Thursday, but, as yet, we have not received the papers. I'm sure the papers will be here in a day or two; then, Mr. Salisbury of Pacific Fruit Exchange and I will be up there at your office to fix things up.

Yours truly,
Hame Okamoto

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States Sac. 421

April 24, 1942
(Date)

Name: Okomoto Harne
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: P. O. Box 383
(Street and Number)

Walnut Grove California
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: x

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

Name OKOMOTO (Surname) HARNE (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed: Same

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

The sale of her lease on tomato acreage at Walnut Grove through Ed. Salisbury of the Pacific Fruit Exchange, Walnut Grove Branch. ✱R

All that now remains to be done is for the first meeting of the Evacuee and Salisbury to arrive at the value of the work completed to date and the cost of the plants - and then to have the transfer approved by Mrs. M. Land, Mortgagor, on the land, and the Federal Land Bank of Berkeley, holder of the Mortgage, Foster and Wood Cannery Company of Lodi who have a crop mortgage of $500.00, and then, quiet the creditors, who are many.

Action taken:*

Phoned Mr. Ed Salisbury at Walnut Grove, California, who is willing to cooperate.

He will have all of his figures ready late this afternoon. Mr. Salisbury assured me that he would be more than willing to meet the Evacuee half-way and would hurry the papers through as fast as possible - and would talk to the princip l creditors asking them to take it easy.

Mr. Perkins of Foster Woods Cannery will wait until such time as the settlement has been made.

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Directed to file: Howerd R. Cox

(S-3055)

2 Interviewed; 7 Represented - Sacramento Office

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

July 1 - 1942
(Date)

Name: Pacific Fruit Exchange
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone: ✓
Interview:

Address: 82 Second 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: Casey. Mgr.

Address: above

Telephone Number: Douglas 8300.

#1

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Japanese - alien - Client of above Co has 1942 Model Dodge Sedan. Resident chico* & area being evacuated. Thought Japanese could sell to army buyer. provided price mutually satisfactory. Asked for full information

Action taken:*

Advised as to 1942 passenger car disposition - to Army - to dealer - to person holding certificate of eligibility.

Handled by: [signature]

Directed to file: _____

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(S-5055)

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States · Sac.594

May 18, 1942
(Date)

Name: Pacific Fruit Exchange
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: Walnut Grove
(Street and Number)

California
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Name PACIFIC FRUIT EXCHANGE
(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:

Attached is a copy of the letter sent to the Pacific Fruit Exchange at Walnut Grove, and also to the Head Office in San Francisco, concerning the Packing Shed which is to be used for temporary storage at Walnut Grove.

Action taken:*

Handled by: Molter

*Attach additional pages where necessary.

Directed to File: P. D. Molter

(S-5055)

Sacramento Office

1006 Fourteenth Street
Sacramento, California
May 16, 1942.

Pacific Fruit Exchange
Walnut Grove
California

Dear Sirs:

This will confirm arrangements made for use of your packing shed at Walnut Grove. It is understood the Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco will employ the shed for temporary storage of personal effects brought there by the Bank or by evacuees. It is also understood that the Bank will hold you harmless against the risks of personal injury and loss by fire or theft.

Very truly yours,

A. J. Reid
Sacramento Field Representative

MMM:DH

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MAY 19 1942
EVACUEE
PROPERTY
DEPT.

al Reserve Bank of San Francisco
iscal Agent of the United States

(Date)

Telephone:
Interview:

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

Address: RFD Walnut Grove
(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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Directed to file: _____

Reserve Bank of San Francisco
cal Agent of the United States

Sec. 43

April 22, 1942
(Date)

Name: Gwerder, Frank
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: Route 1, Box 162
(Street and Number)

Walnut Grove, California
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: x

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

Name GWERDER (Surname) FRANK (Given)

CLOSED

Date of last entry into United States: ----

Operating under Treasury License now?: ----

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

Person Interviewed: Same

Address: Same

Telephone Number: ---

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Reports that he is offered a 1940 Farmall Tractor with cultivator attached, Model A, Serial #AFAA10762, one 700-gallon water tank, one Ideal Tomato planter, tomato bed, covers, and lumber. Party above name is purchasing equipment from is K. Okomoto, RFD Walnut Grove (Ryer Island) is not a citizen. Says the agreed price is $700.00. Wants to know if he may pay Okomoto for the above equipment without a comeback.

Action taken:*

We advised Mr. Gwerder to be sure Okomoto was not a Blocked National. Suggested that a verification be made at the Bank of Alex Brown, c/o Tony Chargin, Walnut Grove.

Sacramento Office

1 White interviewed

Handled by: M.J.Richert

*Attach additional pages where necessary
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Directed to file: M.J.Richert

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

_____ (Date)

Name: O'Konogi (Surname) Dr (Print) Hugo (Given)

Address: 708 E ST (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:

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

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FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF SAN FRANCISCO

FISCAL AGENT OF THE UNITED STATES

319 Patterson Building, Fresno, California

July 16, 1942

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

Dear Sir:

Concerning Dr. OKonogi stationed at Pinedale, California, and my letter of July 6, and also your reply of the 16th concerning same, I have the following to report:

I personally called on Dr. OKonogi at Pinedale and went into the matter quite carefully with him, and advised him that in my opinion it might be in order to pay the $135.00, thus clearing up this obligation.

He then asked me if this could be done in monthly payments, and I expressed the opinion that it would be in order for him to take this up direct with the Electrical Products Corporation. This he agreed to do, and I believe the matter will be settled satisfactory.

Yours very truly,

L. J. Allen
Field Representative

LJA:MJM

Answered
Ansd. by Routine Advice
No Answer Required
Directed to File
By
Surname

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REFERRED BY MR. H. D. ARMSTRONG
TO MR. [illegible]
JUL 13 1942

July 13, 1942

Mr. L. J. Allen, Field Representative,
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco,
Evacuee Property Department,
319 Patterson Building,
Fresno, California.

Dear Sir:

Reference is made to your letter dated July 10, 1942 relating to a claim of the Electrical Products Corporation against Dr. O'Konogi.

In view of the limited financial data with respect to Dr. O'Konogi's present circumstances, we are somewhat hesitant about again approaching the Electrical Products Corporation for the purpose of attempting to work out some settlement of the $315.00 claim which they have offered to settle on the basis of a payment of $135.00.

Our records include a report submitted by you under date of April 9, 1942 containing a statement that Dr. O'Konogi owned a sanitarium comprising 24 rooms with a value of $45,000.00 free of any encumbrance. While a subsequent report dated May 9 from Mr. Towne advised that Dr. O'Konogi submitted a lease on those premises (which we hold in our files) from Robert Asa Akiyama as lessor to Emmanuel Diel for a negligible rental, raising some question as to the original ownership of the property, you will readily understand that there are some indications from the material available to us that Dr. O'Konogi may own substantial assets and may, therefore, be in a position to effect a reasonable settlement with his creditors, including the Electrical Products Corporation.

It is our thought that Dr. O'Konogi may wish to communicate direct with the Electrical Products Corporation in connection with their claim. However, if he should desire that we extend any further assistance we should be provided with more detailed data as to the assets of Dr. O'Konogi and his liabilities as well as information relating to his present income in order to approach the problem intelligently.

Please communicate with Dr. O'Konogi promptly and advise us as to the results of your interview.

Yours very truly,

Assistant Cashier.

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FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF SAN FRANCISCO

FISCAL AGENT OF THE UNITED STATES

319 Patterson Building, Fresno, California

July 10, 1942

REFERRED BY MR. H.D. ARMSTRONG
TO MR. Tyler
JUL 11 1942

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

Dear Sir:

I called on Dr. O'Konogi in reference to a settlement with the Electrical Products Corporation, 950 30th Street, Oakland, California.

Dr. O'Konogi is hard pressed for money due to the fact that he had a large hospital and had contacted obligations which in due course of time would have been liquidated. However, under the circumstances, Dr. O'Konogi's income has ceased, and he does owe other obligations in addition to this.

I believe the fact that he was evacuated and that continued use of the sign was impossible, would be sufficient cause to cancel the contract on his part as continued use of the sign would be contrivention of the orders of the War Department.

It may be that the Electrical Products Corporation would bring a suit to collect this money, and under these circumstances the doctor would be compelled to answer either personally, or through an attorney. It is possible that the case would not be tried, for the reason that the defendent has a right to appear in court at the time of the trial and of course it would be impossible for the doctor to be away from the Assembly Center to attend the trial for more than eight hours, and that attendance must be in the custody of the Deputy Sheriff and a man from the Civil Guard of the Assembly Center.

These are only theory, and I should be glad to have your reaction to the above statements that I may further contact the doctor for a final disposition on his part.

Yours very truly,

L. J. Allen
Field Representative

7-11 Answered
_____ Answd. by Routine Advice
_____ No Answer Required
Directed to file
By: M.M. Tyler
Signature

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ZEON **ELECTRICAL PRODUCTS CORPORATION**
Electrical Advertising
950 - 30TH STREET OAKLAND TELEPHONE HUMBOLDT 9300

July 9, 1942

Mr. J. C. Tyler
Federal Reserve Bank
San Francisco, California

Subject: Okonogi Sanitarium
Fresno, California

Dear Sir:

This is with further reference to the contract covering an installation that we have at the subject location.

In our former letter we offered to accept the sum of $135 and give our customer a complete release from his contract. That $135 amount represents the balance of our unamortized investment against the installation, the balance of our contract representing service; overhead, and carrying charges having been eliminated.

Yours very truly,

ELECTRICAL PRODUCTS CORPORATION

J. E. Fauth

J. E. Fauth

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Answered
Ansd. by Routine Advice
No Answer Required
Directed to File
By
Signature

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ZEON
ELECTRICAL PRODUCTS CORPORATION
Electrical Advertising
950 - 30TH STREET OAKLAND TELEPHONE HUMBOLDT 9300

July 8, 1942

Mr. J. C. Tyler
Federal Reserve Bank
San Francisco, California

Subject: Okonogi Sanitarium
Fresno, California

Dear Sir:

This is to confirm the information given you by phone today relative to our contract with the subject account on a Neon sign installed there last October. Our contract was for 36 months at $11.25 a month, and has been paid up to and including June of this year.

The unmatured balance as of July 1st is $315, and we have indicated that we would accept the sum of $135 in cash for cancellation of the contract, and give our customer a release from further obligations.

We would appreciate it if you would pass this information on to Okonogi so that the matter can be settled while he is still in this State.

Yours very truly,

ELECTRICAL PRODUCTS CORPORATION

J. E. Fauth

J. E. Fauth

Answered
Answ. by Routine Advice
No Answer Received
Directed to File
By Bonden
Surname
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July 8, 1942

Mr. L. J. Allen, Field Representative,
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco,
Evacuee Property Department,
Room 319 - T. W. Patterson Building,
Fresno, California.

Dear Sir:

Reference is made to your letter of July 6th enclosing a letter from Dr. O'Konogi in which he requests our aid in the settlement of an existing contract with the Electric Products Corporation, 950 - 30th Street, Oakland, California.

We discussed the subject with Mr. Fauth, Manager of the Oakland office of the Electric Products Corporation, who advised us that the O'Konogi Hospital contract became effective November 1, 1941 and provided for monthly payments of $11.25 for a thirty-six months period. All monthly payments up to and including June 1942 have been made promptly. There is a remaining balance due on the contract for the full unexpired period of $315.00. Mr. Fauth authorized us to advise Dr. O'Konogi that they would cancel the contract upon receipt of $135.00, which it was stated represented the return to them only of their remaining investment in the electric sign, earlier in use at the hospital in Fresno.

Will you please communicate this information promptly to Dr. O'Konogi and advise us of action taken by him so that we may complete our records?

Yours very truly,

Assistant Cashier.

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DIRECTED BY MAIL DEPT.
TO MR. [illegible]

FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF SAN FRANCISCO

FISCAL AGENT OF THE UNITED STATES

319 Patterson Building, Fresno, California

REFERRED BY MR. HARDY
TO MR. Tyler
JUL 8 1942

July 6, 1942

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

Gentlemen:

We are enclosing a letter received from Dr. O'Konogi, and I thought it might be in order for your office to call the Electric Products Corporation on the telephone and ask them if they would be willing to grant a concession.

Upon the receipt of your reply, I shall contact the Doctor and inform him of the decision of the Electric Products Corporation.

Yours very truly,

L. J. Allen

L. J. Allen
Field Representative

LJA:MJM
Enc.

7-8-42 Answered
Answ. by Routine Advice
No Answer Required

FOR VICTORY BUY UNITED STATES WAR BONDS AND STAMPS

Directed to File
Tyler
Signature

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PINEDALE WCCA ASSEMBLY CENTER
Pinedale, California
July 3, 1942

Mr. L. J. Allen
Federal Reserve Bank
Fresno, California

Dear Mr. Allen:

Kindly advise if it is possible to cancel a contract we have with Electric Products Corporation, 950 30th Street, Oakland, California, for the use of a display sign we have at our hospital on Mono and E Streets, Fresno, California.

Since the hospital (Okonogi Hospital) has been closed following the evacuation order, we have not used nor no longer need the display sign.

We will soon be sent to a relocation center and I am anxious that this matter be taken care of in the proper manner.

Very sincerely yours,

H. O'KONOGI, M.D.
Medical Officer in Charge

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

May 6, 1942
(Date)

Name: Okonogi Doctor Hugo
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 705 "E" Street
(Street and Number)

Fresno California
(City) (State)

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

Name OKONOGI, (Surname) Dr. Hugho (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: Born in ~~United~~ United States

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed: Doctor Hugo Okonogi

Address: 705 "E" Street-Fresno California

Telephone Number: 2-1510

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Refer to our report dated 4/9/42

Doctor Okonogi came into our office this morning with a copy of the lease given by Robert Asa Akiyama the owner of the building in which his hospital is located to Emanuel Diel who is to reside on the premises with his wife and children and take care of the building & lawns and any of the outbuildings belonging to the premises. It is also understood that Mr Diel is to use only such rooms and quarters as may be necessary for the deeds of his family for dwelling purposes and that he is to pay all gas, electricity, garbage and other services and utilities that may be required by him and his family. The lessor to pay for the water used in and about the premises. No rental will be charged for the use of the premises.

Action taken:*

Copy of the lease dated May 4, 1942 attached herewith.

CASE CLOSED.

Handled by: Townes

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Directed to file:

(S-3055) 2146 Inyo Street, Fresno California

THIS LEASE made the 4th day of May, 1942, by and between ROBERT ASA AKIYAMA, hereinafter called the Lessor and EMANUEL DIEL, hereinafter called the Lessee,

W I T N E S S E T H:

That in consideration of the performance of the covenants herein agreed to be performed by the Lessee in the manner designated, the Lessor does hereby lease unto the Lessee the premises known as 708 E Street, Fresno, California for the term commencing from the date of evacuation or removal of the Lessor from the City of Fresno, California, to the 31st day of December, 1942 and to continue thereafter from month to month until thirty days notice of termination is given in writing by one party to the other after December 31, 1942.

The Lessee does hereby promise to reside on said premises with his wife and children and to take care of said building and the lawn surrounding same as well as any outbuildings belonging to the premises.

It is understood that Lessee shall use only such rooms and quarters as may be necessary for the needs of his family for dwelling purposes only and he shall pay for all gas, electricity, garbage and other services or utilities that may be required by him and his said family, the Lessor paying for water that may be used in and about said premises.

It is understood and agreed that no rental is being charged for the use and occupancy of the premises by Lessee who agrees to perform services in keeping up the premises and the lawn, and keep watch to see that no theft or damage is done to the premises and contents. The Lessor shall reserve to himself, the use of certain rooms for the purpose of storing personal property belonging to the Lessor and to the sanitarium heretofore operated at said premises and may lock up other rooms and said rooms shall not be used by Lessee and shall be exempt from said lease.

The Lessor shall not be called upon to make any improvements or repairs to the said premises, the Lessee agreeing to keep the premises in good order at his own cost and expense, suffering no strip or waste thereof; but the Lessor, his agent, or employee may enter to view or make improvements or repairs at the Lessor's option.

The Lessee further agrees not to use or keep on the premises any article which the insurance companies may deem extra-harzardous, or which increases the rate of insurance. The Lessee promises not to assign this lease, or let, or underlet the whole or any part of said premises or make or suffer to be made any alterations therein without the written consent of the Lessor.

And should default be made by the Lessee in the performance of the covenants herein contained said Lessor, his agent or attorney, may re-enter and take possession of said premises, remove all persons therefrom, and at his option terminate this lease.

WITNESS our hands this 4th day of May, 1942.

Robert Asa Akiyama

X Robert Asa Akiyama

Emanuel Diel

X Emmanuel Diel

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

4/9/42
(Date)

Name: Okonogi. Dr. Hugo.
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 708. E. St.
(Street and Number)

Fresno Calif
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: —

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

Name Okonogi. (Surname) Dr. Hugo. (Given)

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

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed: Dr. Hugo Okonogi.

Address: 708 E. St. Fresno

Telephone Number: 21510.

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Dr. Okonogi is the owner of a Sanitarium worth $45000 located at the above adress it is a 24 room, building. fireproof and in excellent condition. the property is also clear of encumbrances. and fully equipped.

He wanted to know what the best method would be of disposing of this property. and if he could not make satisfactory arrangements. he authorized me to state that he would turn this over to the army, or civil authorities, free of charge, is occasion is required.

Action taken:*

Advised him, to sell, rent or lease if possible if not. it would pay him to employ a keeper to care for building and yard. and keep down fire hazards.

Handled by: J Allen

Directed to file: ✓

*Attach additional pages where necessary

(S-5055) 2146 Fresno St. Fresno.

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

April 15, 1942
(Date)

Name: Okozoki M.
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 24 S. Main St.
(Street and Number)

Lodi Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

Name OKOZOKI (Surname) M. (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person Interviewed: M. Okozoki

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

1. It is alright to store furniture privately?
2. What am I going to do with my remaining merchandise?

Action taken:* - advised
1. Yes
2. Advised him to sell all except Japanese can goods and to store those privately

Handled by: B Stechter

Directed to file: _____

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

Closed
3-26-42
(Date)

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

Address: Rt 1 Box 319 Lucia Ave
(Street and Number)

Mt View Calif
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

Name OKSOMURE (Surname) ROY (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: Citizen

Operating under Treasury License now?: —

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

Person Interviewed: above

Address: same

Telephone Number: —

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Mr Oksamura has a small berry ranch at Mt View and wanted someone to rent it for the duration of the war

Action taken:* He was referred to the San Jose Field Agent of the Farm Security Administration whose duty it is to help him find a suitable operator.

Handled by Richard Elam

Directed to file: X

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Closed

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

4/21/42
(Date)

Name: Oku Kennett
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone: ✓
Interview:

Address: 521 Hemlock St
(Street and Number)

SF
(City) (State)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name OKU (Surname) KENNETT (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: Fillmore 1775

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:* Closing report
Has stored everything of value at Mt. Vieco

Handled by: R. Williams

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Reserve Bank of San Francisco
...cal Agent of the United States

MARCH 29/42
(Date)

Name: OKU (Surname) KENNETT (Given)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Address: 521 HEMLOCK ST.
(Street and Number)

SAN FRANCISCO, CALIF.
(City) (State)

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

Name OKU (Surname) KENNETT (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: BORN HERE.

Operating under Treasury License now?: NO

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

Person Interviewed: SAME.

Address: SAME

Telephone Number: FILLMORE 1775

Principal property involved and scope of problem: STORAGE OF PERSONAL PROPERTY.

Mr. Oku asked if he could move his personal belongings to-day (Sunday, March 29th) to a house in Mountain View where his belongings will be cared for by an Occidental White man and a Filipino.

Action taken:* Mr. Oku was told he could move all the belongings to-day and he was especially cautioned regarding contrabrand articles and particularly Cameras. We read paragraph 6, Proclamation No 3 to him and he said he thoroughly understood same to the letter. He was taken to Mr. Nishimoto for his permit to move.

Handled by: Fred Mirsky

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4 PERSONS INCLUDING INTERVIEWER

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

Closed

4/20/42
(Date)

Name: OKU Kemmett
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone: ✓
Interview:

Address: 521 Hemlock St
(Street and Number)

S.F.
(City) (State)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name (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:

Action taken:*

Unable to make the proper contact at Ft Scott. We telephoned to Mr. Cook, Andover 2000, Division Supt. of Safeway Stores. He will give us names of several wholesalers who will purchase the rice from OKU and his friends. Passed the information along to OKU who will make the necessary inquiry.

Handled by: [signature]

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...eserve Bank of San Francisco
...cal Agent of the United States

4/3/42
(Date)

Telephone: ✓
Interview:

Name: OKU (Surname) (Print) Kemmett (Given)

Address: 521 Hemlock St (Street and Number)

San Francisco (City) Calif (State)

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

Name Oku (Surname) Kemmett (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: 6.8.9

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

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

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number: FI 1775

Principal property involved and scope of problem:
Subject Sale of Rice –

I have three Hundred to Five Hundred pounds of rice and want to dispose of it to the Government, who will I get in touch with

8.50 per 100

Action taken:*
Procurement Division Ft Scott

Handled by: Mager

Directed to file:

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(S-5055) No Interviewed!
No Involved.

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

Oku, Masao

(Date)

Name: Geneva & Sunny dale Nurseries
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview:

Address: Box 112
(Street and Number)

Mt. View, 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

Geneva & Sunny dale Nurseries

Gandel Nursery

Action taken:*

Handled by:

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Directed to file:

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

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June 13th 1942
(Date)

Name: OKU (Surname) MINORU (Print) (Given)

Address: RT. 1, BOX 534 A
(Street and Number)

LINDSAY (City) CALIF (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

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: "

Telephone Number: 3475 LINDSAY

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Policy # 15,233,720 = in the names of FATHER MASANOJO OKU : AMOUNT $1000.00 = PREMIUM $54.15 = NEW YORK LIFE INS. CO. = PREMIUM DUE 4-15-42 = COMPANY HAS OFFERED TO REINSTATE POLICY - AND PREMIUM CAN BE PAID BY NOTES FOR 3 YEARS.

THIS IS COMPLICATED, AS FATHER IS IN DETENTION CAMP - AT SHARP PARK, SAN MATEO COUNTY.

QUESTION = WHAT TO DO - CONTINUE POLICY OR TAKE CASH VALUE ?

Action taken:*

SENT OKU TO N. YORK LIFE AGENT - AFTER CHECKING OVER THE DATA AVAILABLE.

AGENT ADVISES - CONTINUE POLICY.

OR

LATER

4 PERSONS
MOTHER
2 SISTERS
(FATHER IN DET. CAMP.)

Handled by:

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Directed to file:
500 NORTH GARDEN
VISALIA, CALIF.

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

4/9/42 (Date)

Name: OKU (Surname) MINONU (Print) (Given)

Address: _____ (Street and Number)

_____ (City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name OKU (Surname) MINONU (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person Interviewed: Manager Security First Nat'l Bank

Address: Lindsay

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Referring to report dated April 6th of Minonu Oku, regarding pink slip in Safety Deposit Box.

Action taken:* Called at the manager of Security First National Bank. After discussing the situation he agreed to allow the mother Masae Oku access to the box. Telephoned the Oku family to this effect.

Handled by: _____
Field Representative

Directed to file: _____

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Visalia

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

4/6/42
(Date)

Name: Oku (Surname) Minoru (Print) (Given)

Address: P.O. Box 611 (Street and Number)

Lindsay (City) Calif (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

Name Oku (Surname) Minoru (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: 1937

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed: Minoru Oku

Address: P.O. Box 611 Lindsay Calif

Telephone Number: Lindsay 3475

Principal property involved and scope of problem: One Pickup (International) and one Farm Tractor in fathers name (P. M. Oku. Who is now in custody. Letters are exchanged & title At fathers request said wishes to have transfer of title to his name. Property is used in farming 20 acres owned by them. All in Zone 2.
Pink slips are in S. D. Box under names P. M. Oku (father) and Macae Oku. (mother) at Security First National Bank Lindsay Branch. Bank is in Zone 1

Answered Phone Call

Action taken:* assuming that the bank had knowledge of the fathers arrest. The S. D. Box wanted to be blocked. Called the Bank manager, asking if they wanted recognize Power of attorney from Mrs Oku. Said he wanted do this if I wanted and him an OK to release the box from any criticism. Believing this action should be given by the Foreign Funds Control Department, I told Mr. Oku he wanted have to wait until I received instructions from

Handled by: [illegible]
Field Representative

*Attach additional pages where necessary
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Directed to file:
Visalia

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

Lodi Case
4/14/42
(Date)

Name: Okubo (Surname) Frank (Print) (Given)

Address: Rt. 2 Box 344-D
(Street and Number)

Lodi. California
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: *
*

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

Date of last entry into United States: 1927

Operating under Treasury License now?: 68-A

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

Person Interviewed: Wife

Address: no

Telephone Number: no

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Seeking advise about turning their 1937 Plymouth sedan into the hands of a friend to use during their absence. . Car is not insured.

Action taken:*
Advised against lending the car without insurance against damage and law suits due to injury. They advise that they will sell the car.

Handled by: L.S. Weeks

*Attach additional pages where necessary
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1 Int. 2 affected

Directed to file: Stockton

Name: OKUBO (Surname) Frank (Given)

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

Supplement Sac. 371

June 3, 1942
(Date)

Name: Okubo, Genijiro
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 1217½ Fourth Street
(Street and Number)

Sacramento, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: Japan

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 April 20, 1942, and May 29, 1942.

See Sacramento list of June 1, 1942.

Case Closed.

Action taken:*

Handled by: Sacramento

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

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

Supplement Sec. 371

May 22, 1942
(Date)

Name: Okubo (Surname) Genjiro (Print) (Given)

Address: 1217½ Fourth Street
(Street and Number)

Sacramento (City) California (State)

Telephone: x
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: Japan

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. Mills of the Sumitomo Bank.

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See our problem case of 4/20. Okubo has a savings account of $585.00 at the Sumitomo Bank. He would like to make a loan on this amount at another bank.

Action taken:*

Called Mr. Mills. Because Okubo does not have a passport no loan on his account will be considered ~~for awhile~~.

Case Closed.

Handled by: Schmitt

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Directed to file:

(S-5055)

Sacramento Office

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States Sac. 371

April 20, 1942
(Date)

Name: Okubo, Genjiro
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 1217½ Fourth Street
(Street and Number)

Sacramento, California
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: x

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

Name
OKUBO (Surname)
GENJIRO (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: November 1906

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

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

Person Interviewed: Same

Address: Same

Telephone Number: none

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

$585.00 savings account in Sumitomo Bank of California. Destitute and no work since November 1941. Wants to know about borrowing money against his claim.

Action taken:*

Advised Okubo that a loan could be made by making application to American Trust Company or Capital National Bank. Explained that his claim would be assigned to one of these banks as collateral for the loan. He expressed a desire to see The Capital National Bank and said he would advise us the outcome of his attempt to borrow money against his claim

Sacramento Office

/ Interviewed
/ Represented

Handled by: W.E.Mahoney

*Attach additional pages where necessary

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

1-27-42
(Date)

Name: Okubo (Surname) Mine (Print) (Given)

Address: 2010 Berkeley Way
(Street and Number)

Berkeley (City) California (State)

Telephone:
Interview: x

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

Name OKUBO (Surname) MINE (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: Born here

Operating under Treasury License now?: —

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

Person Interviewed: Same

Address: "

Telephone Number: Berkeley 2895-W

Principal property involved and scope of problem: Applicant states:

Miss Okubo is an artist and a graduate of the University of California. She studied two years at the Sorbonne in Paris and did the murals at Fort Ord. She is now engaged in mosaic art, a project for the Oakland Post Office. There is a possibility that she may get the Carneige Foundation scholarship in Pittsburgh. She wondered whether she could leave the Assembly Center when the scholarship is granted.

Action taken:* After talking with the Provost Marshal's representative, your representative suggested that the applicant take a letter of recommendation from Dean Deutsch of the University of California to Assembly Center. When the time of departure for Pittsburgh arrives, she can show the letter to Assembly Center Director together with the confirmation of her scholarship. In all probability the Director will then grant a permit for her to travel.

Handled by: CARPENTER

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(S-5055) 1 person interviewed
1 person involved

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

5/19/42
(Date)

Name: Okubo Tsunagi
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: Camp 7, Mandeville Island
(Street and Number)

Stockton, California
(City) (States)

Telephone: x
Interview:

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

Name: OKUBO (Surname) Tsunagi (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: 4/21/20

Operating under Treasury License now?: 68A
Standard Investment Co.

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: x
See report 4/6

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Interviewer advises that Subject paid off contract in full and has stored automobile with employer, Zuckerman Farms on Mandeville Island, a delta ranch near Stockton.

Action taken:*

Close file.

1 int. 4 aff.

Handled by: L. S. Weeks
Stockton

*Attach additional pages where necessary.
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Directed to File:

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

5/1/42
(Date)

Name: Okubo Joe
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: CAmp #7 Mandeville Island
(Street and Number)

Stockton, California
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: x

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

Date of last entry into United States: April 1920

Operating under Treasury License now?: 68A

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

Person Interviewed: Same

Address:

Telephone Number: 16F12

See report 4/6

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Desired information as to whether he could go join his mother and be evacuated from there.

Action taken:*

Sent him to Miss DeWitt who said that would be all right.

1 Int. 4 aff.

Handled by Mr. Jones Stockton

*Attach additional pages where necessary.

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Name (Surname) OKUBO (Given) Joe

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

April 6-1942
(Date)

Name: OKUBO (Surname) TSUNAGI (Print) (Given)

Address: Camp #7 Mandeville Island
(Street and Number)
Stockton California
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

Date of last entry into United States: 4/21/1920

Operating under Treasury License now?: 68A.

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

Person Interviewed: Kunuji Okubo

Address: same -

Telephone Number: 16F1 ✓

Principal property involved and scope of problem:
Employee of Rosedale Brakeman Farms.
Owns 1940 Plymouth Sedan - owes balance of $459.04
to Standard Investment Co @ $18.69 Mo. Next due 4/19/42.
asked about taking money with them.

Action taken:* Standard Inv. Co. is fine firm. Sent subject to them for advice as to present worth of car and asked him to report back to me on both storage plans or resale for his account.
Told them to Bank money or take traveling checks @ 75¢ for 100. and be free from theft or loss.

Handled by: Stockton

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Name OKUBO (Surname) TSUNAGI (Given)

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

(Date)

Name: Okuda, Jack
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview:

Address: _____
(Street and Number)

Tule Lake, Calif.
(City) (State)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury license now?: _____

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

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Directed to file: _____

(S-5055)

August 1, 1942

MEMORANDUM TO: WAR RELOCATION AUTHORITY

SUBJECT: Property of evacuee stored with this bank, at Sacramento warehouse.

We are enclosing a letter received from Jack Okada inquiring with respect to the forwarding of certain goods to him at Tule Lake, California.

We are enclosing a copy of our reply letter which indicates that the matter has been submitted to your office for consideration.

Assistant Cashier.

HDArmstrong:ER

Enclosures

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

Lincoln 2 - 22

June 25, 1942
(Date)

Name: Okuda, Takamasa
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: Route 1, Box 46A
(Street and Number)

Newdastle, California
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: x

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

Name
(Surname)
(Given)

Date of last entry into United States: August 1906

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:

Leased ranch in name of Hatsuye Okuda, his daughter, from Manuel J. Silva, on a 60-40 basis for a three-year period beginning November 10, 1941. The Pacific Fruit Company, contracting for the crop, advances $75.00 per month for living expenses, also labor costs, these advances to be deducted from his share. Earnings for previous year was $300.00. On June 13, the Fruit Company advised him they were cancelling his lease and to determine number of hours worked from November 10 to June 10, taking price of 40¢ per hour which he paid for labor as the basis. This amounted to $1100.00 after the advances were deducted. The Fruit Company then decided not to cancel lease but to continue with the contract as agreed.

Okuda has had considerable family expense and has no reserve with which to purchase the necessities in preparation for evacuation. The Fruit Company will

Action taken:* arrange to advance him $300.00 for the purchase of such necessities, this amount approximately equivalent to his net earnings of last year.

Advised him that inasmuch as no cancellation of contract was made by lessor, no action was justified by him.

2 Interviewed
6 Represented

Lincoln-Sacramento Office

Handled by: P.D.Molter

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

_____
(Date)

Name: Okuda Tatsuko
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 1736 Post 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: Hotels

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

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

April 14 1942
(Date)

Name: Okuda (Surname) Tomiko (Print) (Given)

Address: Rt 1 Box 221
(Street and Number)

Fowler (City) California (State)

Telephone:
Interview: x

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

Name OKUDA (Surname) TOMIKO (Given)

CLOSED

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed: Tomiko Okuda

Address: Rt 1 Box 221 - Fowler California

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Refer back to our interview March 30, 1942.

Miss Okuda came in to let us know that instead of leasing the 40 acre ranch she owns in the restricted district at this time to Mr Martin Bue that she had made arrangements with Mr Bue to operate the land for her until such time as she should be required to move out of the unrestricted district in which she now lives. At this time she will give Mr Bue power of attorney to lease same on a share basis for her .

Action taken:*

Miss Okuda is entirely satisfied with the arrangements she has made and we approve.

Handled by: Townes

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Directed to file:

(S-5055) 2146 Inyo Street - Fresno California

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

3/20/42
(Date)

Name: Okuda. Tomiko.
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Address: Route 1 - Box 221 Fo
(Street and Number)

Fowler Cal.
(City) (State)

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

Name Okuda. (Surname) Tomiko. (Given)

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

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed: Tomiko Okuda
Address: Route 1 Box 221. Fowler
Telephone Number: none.

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Miss. Tomiko Okuda, living at above address, owns two ranches of 40 acres each, and leases 40 acres.

80 acre tract —
16 ac Thompsons
3 ac Malagas.
3 " Rebrer.
25 " Muscats.
33 " Peaches & Plums.
mortgaged to Federal Land Bank.
$10,000
Value. 50,000.

40 acres leased -
15 ac. Thompsons
10 " muscats.
8 " cotton.
6 " Orchard.

Pays $900 per year
lease from N.L. Stickles
174 College Ave. Fresno.
phone 29103.

She desires to lease all property to Martin Bue.

~~Action taken~~:* Route 1 - Box 484 Selma who will lease on a basis of paying F.L.B. on the mortgage take proper care of crops and market same for fifty per cent of the net amount. Martin Bue paying all necessary expenses of producing same. she wanted to know if this was an equitable deal.

Action Taken

I advised her that I felt that this was a fair deal. and she expressed herself that this was so
Nex amt received 1941 crop $3000.00

Handled by: L.J. Allen

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(S-5055) 2146 Imp St. Fresno. Cal.

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

July 10, 1942
(Date)

Name: Okumoto M
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: Rt. 1, Box 64
(Street and Number)

Parlier California
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: x

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

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed: Same

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Operates garage in Parlier. Mr. Hondo brought his Ford in for repairs. The bill amounted to $110.00. Still owes $90 on purchase price of car. Car valued at $150. Mr. Hondo has no money now. Mr. Hondo lives in Reedley.

What can he do to get his money before evacuation?

Action taken:*

Asked him to bring Mr. Hondo in. Mr. Hondo came. Mr. Hondo stated he had an interest in 80 acre melon crop but only verbal agreement. The grower away from early morning until about 9:00 p.m. Asked Hondo if he could make an appointment today so both men could meet grower tomorrow to get assignment of $110 of Hondo's interest in crop to Okumoto. Said he would. Told Okumoto to see me if not adjusted satisfactorily.

3 in family

Handled by: Arch R. Jack

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Directed to file:

(S-3055) 1716 11th Street Reedley, California

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

Sac. 502

May 4, 1942
(Date)

Name: Okumura, Toyosake & Fumi
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 415 P Street
(Street and Number)

Sacramento, California
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: x

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

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

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

Person Interviewed: Both above

Address: Same

Telephone Number: --

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Have funds in Sumitomo Bank. Want cash now.

Action taken:*

Explained how they could assign to another bank and borrow. They will do that.

Sacramento Office

2 Interviewed
7 Concerned

Handled by: R.W.Schmitt

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Misc
OKUMURA (Surname)
Tomosuke & Fumi (Given)

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

April 14th 1942
(Date)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

Address: 2205 K ST
(Street and Number)

BAKERSFIELD CALIF
(City) (State)

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

Name OKUNA (Surname) K. (Given)

CLOSED

Date of last entry into United States: 1907

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

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

Person Interviewed: Same

Address: "

Telephone Number: 22945

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

1929 FORD MODEL "A"

OFFER $40.00

Action taken:* He is entirely satisfied.
Told him to sell

1 Person

Handled by: [signature]

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BAKERSFIELD, CALIF.

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

5/19/42
(Date)

Name: Okuna Mary Yinoda
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: H. Stricker Ranch
(Street and Number)
Stockton, California
(City) (State)

Telephone: x
Interview:

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

Name OKUNA (Surname) Mary Yinoda (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: ?

Operating under Treasury License now?: 68A

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

Person Interviewed: Hubert H. Briggs
Attorney

Address:

Telephone Number:

See reports 4/8, 5/1

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

This deal has been completed and has been cleared into American Trust Company through Mr. Briggs.
Subject is at Turlock Assembly Center and in communication with attorney. It does not appear that any complications may arise.

Action taken:*

Close file.

1 int. (5 aff.

Handled by: L. S. Weeks
Stockton

*Attach additional pages where necessary.
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Directed to File:

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

5/1/42
(Date)

Name: Okuno Mary Yinoda
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: H. Stricker Ranch
(Street and Number)

Stockton, California
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: x

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

Name
OKUNO (Surname)
Mary Yinoda (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: ?

Operating under Treasury License now?: 68A

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

Person Interviewed: Attorney, Hubert H, Briggs

Address: 904 Bk. of America Bldg., Stockton

Telephone Number:

See report 4/8

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Wanted points cleared up in 4/8 report, about trusteeship, etc.

Action taken:*

Gave him advice

1 Int. 5 aff.

Mr. Jones
Handled by: Stockton

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

April 8 1942
(Date)

Name: OKUNA MARY YINODA
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: H. Stricker Ranch
(Street and Number)
Stockton California
(City) (State)

Telephone: ✓
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: US Japanese

Name OKUNO (Surname) MARY YINODA (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: Not given

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed: Attorney Hubert H. Briggs

Address: 904 Bk of Am Bldg - Stockton

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:
Briggs is A-1 Attorney. Subject is client 20 years standing. Advises me has closed up 125 acre tomatoe land deal. He acting as escrow holder, terms 500.00 Nov and 2000.00 5/1/42. If 2000.00 not paid, 500.00 is forfeited. Briggs and American trust Co as trustee. Her name on special account at Bank. Under terms of deal she gets her money or is free to set up another trustee.

1 Problem: asked as to authority to make deal.

Action taken:* Quoted amended license 68A except as to blocked accounts requiring special license. Furnished sample Power of Attorney form for
1 use of client.

1945 APR 6 AM 10 20

H. Weeks

Handled by: Stockton

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

_____ (Date)

Name: O KUNO T. (Print)

Address: Webster 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:

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

3-24-42 Closed
(Date)

Name: Messer. D M
(Print)

Address: 1495 Monterey Blvd
(Street and Number)
San Francisco, Calif
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

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

Name: MESSER (Surname) D.M. (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed: above

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem: Mr Messer call on behalf of his clementin, T. O'Kung, who lives on Webster Street. Mr + Mrs O'Kung have lived in the U S for over twenty years + have two sons who are in school.

Mr Messer wanted to know if it is proper for the people to invest their savings in U S Defense Bonds.

Action taken:* Informed Mr Messer that such an investment is permissable

Handled by: Newhall

* Attach additional pages where necessary

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

4/28/42
(Date)

Name: OKURA FRANK
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: % 20 EAST WEBER ST
(Street and Number)

STOCKTON, CALIF.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male: ✓
Female:
Citizenship: Citizen

Name
OKURA (Surname)
Frank (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:

(1) Have furniture unpaid Bal. of 50.00 {Corren & Sons Stockton
Cost in Jany 1942 - 108.00 1 Payment past
due 10.00 <4/20/42 due>

(2) Ring bought in Jany 1942 - Cost 108.00 Paid 50.00
Bal due 58.00 = Next payment due 5/10/42 -
Pesce & Co. Stockton

Action taken:*

advised to see both parties at once & report to us on Thurs day. Must arrange an agreement before going away -

4/30 - Okura called & stated he paid Bal. in full on Ring & a 10.00 payment on Furniture - will continue payment. OK. to Furn. Co.

Handled by: M. W. Lucas

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Directed to file:

Stockton

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

4/23/42
(Date)

Name: Okuye Kiyishi
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: Rte 1 Box 330
(Street and Number)

Livingston California
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: x

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

Name OKUYE (Surname) Kiyishi (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:

Requested information on the storing of personal property. His farm and other matters have all been placed in readiness for evacuation.

Action taken:* Outlined procedure for the handling of household goods and explained as much as possible the procedure of the processing of ~~all~~ evacuees in the last week.

Aliens 2 Cit.5 Tot.7
Handled by Harold Johnson
Merced

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

_____ (Date)

Telephone:
Interview:

Name: Oldham Mel George
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: P. O. Box 1135
(Street and Number)

Ajo Arizona
(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: _____

Directed to file: _____

*Attach additional pages where necessary

(S-5055)

April 11, 1942.

Mr. George Oldham.
P. O. Box ~~1155~~,
Ajo, Arizona.

Dear Sir:

Acknowledging receipt of your letter dated April 7, 1942, in which you indicate an interest in acquiring a 40 acre farm with home thereon, we desire to clarify your understanding of our position with reference to evacuees.

We are making every effort to aid such evacuees in the settlement of their problems and disposal of their properties, preferably by private negotiation. In this effort various types of property have come to our attention, including farm properties, in which you indicate an interest. Lists have been compiled and are available for examination at all of our field offices, the most convenient, we believe, for your purposes, being located at 202 West Jefferson Street, Phoenix, Arizona. We suggest you communicate with or contact this office at your prompt convenience, also interviewing the representative, if available, of the Farm Security Administration.

We are forwarding two copies of your inquiry and our reply thereto to our Los Angeles Branch, one of which we have suggested be sent to their Phoenix field office so that they may be advised of your interest.

Yours very truly,

Assistant Cashier

cc: Los Angeles Branch

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Federal Reserve Bank

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

ajo arizona
april 7. 1942

REFERRED BY MR. SCHESSLER
H. D. Armstrong

Dear Sir:

I am writing you in regard to the places that have been taken from the evacuees, & I would like very much to get a place about 40 acres with a house.

If I could help the war by raising food, I would like very much to do so. I dont have very much money to start with But I am more than willing to do any thing to get a place. If I could get even a job as fore man for running a place. as I have had quite a bit of experience at farming.

If you could sugest any thing. I'd be very greatful to you.

I remain yours Truly

George Oldham

P.O. Box 1132

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4-11-42 Answered

Acad. by Routine Advice

No Answer Required

Directed to File

By Armstrong

Surname

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

April 15, 1942
(Date)

Name: Oliver A. J. (Mrs.)
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview: x

Address: Rt. 1, Box 49
(Street and Number)

Los Gatos California
(City) (State)

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

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. Oliver wishes to rent or buy a four room house in Richmond or San Leandro.

Action taken:*

I showed Mrs. Oliver our list of properties that were available and informed her that her name would be placed on our list and that she would be notified when such properties were available.

Handled by: Hendricks

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(S-5055) 1 involved
1 interviewed
1 contacted

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Oakland

Name OLIVER (Surname) A. J. (Mrs.) (Given)

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

April 4, 1942
(Date)

Name: Oliver Anthony
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: Rt. 1 - Box 49
(Street and Number)

Los Gatos California
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Name
OLIVER (Surname)
ANTHONY (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:

Mr. Oliver wishes to rent a farm in Alameda County.

Action taken:*

Advised Mr. Oliver that we would place his name in our files and would keep him posted on such properties. Also referred him to our Hayward office.

Handled by:

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(S-5055) 1 involved
1 involved interviewed
1 contacted

Directed to file:
Oakland

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

_____ (Date)

Name: Omachi, Joseph I
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 228 S. Eldorado
(Street and Number)

Stockton, 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: _____

July 14, 1942

Mr. Joseph I. Omachi
Attorney at Law
C - 130 - 4
W.C.C.A. Assembly Center
Turlock, California.

Subject: F. S. Omachi,
Family No. (47)24545

Dear Sir:

On July 6th you forwarded a signed authorization for the sale of your brother's car to the Army.

Today we received a letter from your brother informing us that the ownership certificate for his car was not in his possession but that he was making arrangements to obtain it. This effort of his has been supplemented by our action to secure an application for duplicate ownership certificate in the event that your brother cannot produce the original certificate. This procedure is in accordance with the requirements necessary to transfer the car.

In the second paragraph of his letter, however; he has made a statement which more or less puzzles us in view of the fact that the conversion letter which we have received and the ownership certificate which we are attempting to obtain would normally complete our papers. He states the following:

> "If transfer could be made possible without it, (Ownership certificate), please give the credit or the ownership of the car to Dean Chism of Lincoln, California".

We shall appreciate having you give this latter paragraph your consideration and since you are familiar with your brother's affairs, we hope you may be able to interpret the meaning of its intent. In the meantime, we shall continue our efforts to complete our papers on this case but will withold disposing of the car to the Army until we hear from you.

Yours very truly,

Assistant Cashier

GMTiaffay:rew

cc: Albert J. Reid,
Sacramento, Calif.

May 13, 1942

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

Dear Sir:

Reference is made to your inquiry in connection with the case of Joseph Omachi.

You will find enclosed a copy of a memorandum to us from our Foreign Funds Control Department, which satisfactorily covers this type of problem.

Yours very truly,

Assistant Cashier.

Enclosure

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

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5/5-42
(Date)

see letter 5/5/42 attached

Name: OMACHI JOSEPH I
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview:

Address: _____
(Street and Number)

Turlock
(City) (State)

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male: ✓
Female:
Citizenship: am -

Name: Omachi (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person Interviewed: Mr. Omachi

Address: 9 - 130 - 4

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Mr. Omachi is an attorney from Stockton and is asking this information for former clients.

Under license the licensee had to make subject reports as to Income & Expenditures. The question is now that licensees are in camps is it still necessary for them to make reports?

Another questions is How is it possible to get accounts (bank) unfrozen that were frozen too late for evacuees to make such application before being evacuated?

Action taken

Told Mr Omachi I would submit questions to S.F. Office for interpretation

Handled by: W. Gurlough

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...ral Reserve Bank of San Francisco
...cal Agent of the United States

5/5/42
(Date)

Telephone:
Interview: X

Name: Omachi Joseph I.
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 228 S. Eldorado
(Street and Number)
Stockton, California
(City) (State)

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

Name: OMACHI (Surname) Joseph I. (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: ?

Operating under Treasury Licence now?: 68A

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

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number: 2-8518

Principal property involved and scope of problem:
A Japanese attorney who has been of much assistance. Now transferred to Turlock center. Has worked with this office in several residence, business, and hotel cases.

Action taken:*
Close file.

RECEIVED MAY 6 1942 EVACUEE PROPERTY DEPT.

1 Int. 4 aff.

Handled by: L.S. Wade

Directed to file:

*Attach additional pages where necessary

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MEMORANDUM

TO: MR. H. D. ARMSTRONG

FROM: MR. SCHESSLER

RE: Reports required by Treasury Licenses

In all cases where reports are required by Treasury Department licenses, we have been making systematic checks to make sure that the reports are filed promptly. If a power of attorney is given by the licensee, the appropriate reports may be filed by the attorney in fact, or by the licensee.

Instances have been called to our attention where the licensee has evacuated and is unable to give all the details required by the license, due to the fact that they no longer have access to their books of account. We have advised such individuals that it will be necessary for them to file the report, giving the required information to the best of their ability and to make any necessary corrections at such time as the records are again available.

In making reports required by specific or by general licenses, care should be taken to use the form prescribed and to give all details requested. If no specific form is named in the license, then Form TFER-1 (Revised) should be used.

Re: Release of blocked accounts

Individuals who feel that their accounts have been blocked in error, may file an application on Form TFE-1 (Revised) and their request will be given careful consideration. The application should give the names of all parties having an interest direct or indirect, in the blocked account, the name of the bank and the name of the account in which the funds are deposited, the approximate balance as of the date the application is filed, nationality of all parties concerned and the date of their last entry into the United States, also the circumstances under which the account was blocked, together with all other pertinent information.

The above information is furnished as requested by you in our telephone conversation this morning.

(signed) R. S. Schessler
Assistant Department Head

May 12, 1942

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

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April 11/42
(Date)

Name: OMACHI JOSEPH I
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 228 So. Eldorado
(Street and Number)

Stockton California
(City) (State)

Telephone: ✓
Interview:

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

Name OMACHI (Surname) JOSEPH I. (Given)

Complete

Date of last entry into United States: Not Given

Operating under Treasury License now?: 68A

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

Person Interviewed: Same

Address:

Telephone Number: 2-8518

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Local Japanese attorney.
Has been of much assistance in present program. very Cooperative -

Requests our assistance in getting him adjusted in some Capacity at Stockton Center when evacuated -

Action taken:*

Gave name and special memo to Munson of local employment office -

Handled by: L. Sweeney Stockton

Directed to file: 4

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

(Date)

Name: OMACHI T P S MR
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: Amalgamated Sugar Co
(Street and Number)
TWIN FALLS, IDAHO
(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: Tanaka, Yukio

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

X

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Directed to file: _____

July 14, 1942

Department of Motor Vehicles
Division of Registrations
Sacramento, California.

Subject: Family No. (47) 24545

Gentlemen:

Please advise us who the legal owner is of the following described motor vehicle:

Make		Engine No.	Serial No.
Buick "6" Sedan	1929	2401423	2279806

registered owner P. S. Cunchi, R.F.D. Box 229, Loomis, California.

Since this is evacuee property, we shall appreciate an early reply.

Yours very truly,

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Assistant Cashier

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July 13, 1942

Standard Investment Company
534 No. Eldorado Street
Stockton, California.

Subject: T. S. Omachi,
Family No. (47) 24545

Gentlemen:

We wrote to you on July 8th asking your assistance in the above case by requesting that you sign an application for duplicate ownership certificate.

If by some chance this letter and application never reached your office, please let us know so that we can forward you another copy. Since we are trying to transfer this car to the Army, it is quite necessary that we present the ownership certificate or duplicate thereof, which in this case is requested inasmuch as the original was lost.

Due to the fact that this is Japanese evacuee property, we are quite anxious to dispose of the matter and shall appreciate an early reply.

Yours very truly,

Assistant Cashier

CMTiaffay:rew

July 8, 1942

Standard Investment Company
534 North El Dorado Street
Stockton, California

Subject: T. S. Omachi,
Family No. (47) 24545

Gentlemen:

On May 23rd you advised us that the above subject fully satisfied his obligation to you on March 29, 1941.

Although Mr. Omachi originally turned his car over to us for storage, he now has decided that he wishes to sell his car to the Army. The ownership certificate, which is quite necessary for this transaction, evidently has been lost, and due to the fact that you appear on the 1942 registration card as the legal owner, we shall appreciate having you endorse the enclosed application for duplicate ownership certificate.

As soon as you have executed the enclosed form kindly return the same to this office.

Yours very truly,

Assistant Cashier

Enclosure

G.Tiffay:rew

June 29, 1942

P. S. Omachi,
% The Amalgamated Sugar Company
Twin Falls, Idaho

Dear Sir:

On June 23rd we wrote to you enclosing our form of conversion letter whereby your car could be sold to the Army. In this letter we set forth certain instructions and also explained to you the advantages if you decided to execute this form.

Inasmuch as we are quite anxious to know definitely whether or not you wish to keep your car in open storage or take advantage of the proposition offered to you, we will appreciate a reply by return mail.

A return envelope is enclosed for your convenience and we hope to hear from you shortly.

Yours very truly,

Assistant Cashier

GeoM. Tiaffay:rew

cc Albert J. Reid,
Field Representative

June 23, 1942

Mr. F. S. Omoshi,
% The Amalgamated Sugar Co.,
Twin Falls, Idaho

Dear Sir:

On June 15th we forwarded the enclosed form letters to our representative in Sacramento, requesting that he present them to you for your consideration.

On June 19th our Mr. A. J. Reid of Sacramento returned the forms advising us that you are now in Twin Falls, Idaho and are employed by the Amalgamated Sugar Company. The letters are being sent to you directly for your consideration.

After reading this form letter you will obviously understand that its purpose is to give you opportunity to sell your car to the Army whereas you originally turned it over to us for storage under Alternative No. 1 on our WCCA Form PAB 3 and 4. You also probably realize that it is highly undesirable to have your car kept in open storage and it might be more economical in the long run to sell the car at the price offered.

At your earliest convenience, therefore, will you please give this matter your consideration and if you desire to sell the car, please execute the original letter and return it to us together with your ownership certificate endorsed on the reverse side on line 1.

Yours very truly,

R. E. Evans

Assistant Cashier.

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cc: Albert J. Reid, Field Representative,
1008- 14th Street, Sacramento, Cal.

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

_____ (Date)

Telephone:
Interview:

Name: OMATA (Surname) (Print) JIRO (Given)

Address: _____ (Street and Number)

Hanford (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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Nucleus
Building and Loan Association

ESTABLISHED 1889
FIRST AND SANTA CLARA STREETS
SAN JOSE, CALIF.

April 2nd, 1942

REFERRED BY MR. H. D. ARMSTRONG
TO MR. _____
APR - 9 1942

Federal Reserve Bank
Evacuee Property Dept.
500 No. Garden Street
Visalia, California

Gentlemen:

RE: Our Loan No. 4425 - JIRO OMATA

We enclose herewith a copy of assignment of income which has been executed and delivered to us. We would appreciate very much your acknowledging receipt of this copy of assignment, together with a letter of approval.

The property involved consists of a dwelling house in the town of Hanford and it is contemplated that our agent in Hanford, Mr. G. K. Spike, will take care of the property, keep it rented and account for the income.

Mr. Spike is a responsible person, a member of the City Council in Hanford, and a person in whom we would not hesitate to impose this responsibility.

Very truly yours,

Leslie Miller

Secretary-Manager

JHM:CAP
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Copy filed in Interview Reports

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ASSIGNMENT OF INCOME

WHEREAS, JIRO OMATA and KIKUKO OMATA, husband and wife, hereinafter called assignor, did on the 15th day of April, 1940, transfer the following described property situate in the City of Hanford, County of Kings, State of California, described as follows, to-wit:

> Lot 17 and 18 and 19 in Block 253 of HOBLER-BATEMENT ADDITION to the City of Hanford, according to Map thereof recorded in Book 1 at page 40 of Licensed Surveyor Plats in the office of the County Recorder.

in trust to J. LESTER MILLER and MELVIN H. JOHNSON, as trustees under that certain deed of trust dated the 15th day of April, 1940, between JIRO OMATA and KIKUKO OMATA, husband and wife, as trustors, and NUCLEUS BUILDING AND LOAN ASSOCIATION, as beneficiary, which deed of trust was recorded on the 17th day of April, 1940, in Volume 227 of Official Records, at page 294, in the office of the County Recorder of the County of Kings, State of California, to secure the payment of a promissory note in the principal amount of $2,500.00, executed in favor of NUCLEUS BUILDING AND LOAN ASSOCIATION on the 15th day of April, 1940, and a promissory note in the principal amount of $250.00 executed in favor of NUCLEUS BUILDING AND LOAN ASSOCIATION, on the 15th day of July, 1940; said NUCLEUS BUILDING AND LOAN ASSOCIATION being hereinafter called assignee;

AND WHEREAS, in addition to the said real estate security, the said conveyance in trust includes the rents, issues and profits of said property;

AND WHEREAS, to better secure the said note the said assignor desires to place the said assignee in possession of said property and to assign the said rents, issues and profits of the property hereinabove described to said assignee as additional security for the payment of said note;

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of the premises and in consideration of the said note and other amounts advanced by said assignee, the undersigned assignor, the trustors under said deed of trust, does hereby assign, transfer and set over unto said assignee, its successors and assigns, all of the rents, issues, profits, tolls, royalties, or other income now due or which may become due or to which said assignor shall become entitled, arising or issuing from the real property hereinabove described, from any tenant, sub-tenant, or any person, firm or corporation in possession of said property or that may be or become liable to said assignor for the payment thereof, together with any and all rights which the assignors may have against said tenant, sub-tenant, firm or corporation and the assignee or the trustees under said deed of trust, or either of them, or their agent, are hereby authorized at their option to enter upon and take possession of said premises and collect any and all rents and income of said property.

In order to enforce and procure the payment to said assignee of such income the said assignee or the said trustees, as trustees of an expressed trust, may institute and maintain any appropriate action at law or in equity for the collection of such rents, profits or income, in which action plaintiff shall be entitled to the appointment of a receiver with the usual powers to protect and preserve the rights of said assignee and trustees in and to said real property and in and to said rents, issues, profits and other income, and may likewise institute and maintain any appropriate action at law or in equity for the enforcement of any of the terms or provisions of any lease thereon, and in that behalf may serve any notice required by law upon any tenant or occupant of said premises, and the assignee or trustees, or either of them, may exercise any rights of the assignor to terminate any tenancy or occupancy of said real property, and may evict any person wrongfully in possession or occupancy thereof and may let or lease the said property in whole or in part and deliver possession thereof; and should any such action be taken or brought by said trustees or assignee, whether or not such action has progressed to judgment,

they shall be entitled to receive from said assignor and this agreement and the said deed of trust shall be security for the payment of all costs and expenses incurred by said trustees or assignee in the prosecution of said action, including reasonable attorneys' fees.

Any waiver of the right to collect or receive any such rents or income shall not be deemed a waiver or surrender of the right to receive other or subsequent rents or income.

All such rents and income so collected may be applied by said trustees or assignee to the payment of any sums secured by said deed of trust, or may be held by said trustees or assignee as a part of said trust estate and any excess moneys so collected and not required for payment of sums due hereunder may be so retained, or at the option of said trustees, or assignee, may be returned to the said assignor, or the persons legally entitled thereto without any liability to said trustees or said assignee, provided, however, that from the said collections and after application of said funds as above stated, there shall be paid therefrom any and all reasonable costs of maintenance of the buildings, improvements and apartments situate on said real property, including water, gas electric energy, oil, janitor service and any and all taxes thereon and shall make such repairs to said property as said trustees or assignee may deem necessary and to use said funds, or any part thereof, or additional funds if necessary in their judgment for that purpose, and such additional funds advanced shall be immediately repayable from the undersigned to said assignee and shall be secured by said deed of trust, and shall bear interest at the rate fixed in said original note. Said trustees, or assignee, shall have no duty to invest any money at any time held hereunder, nor shall they be liable for payment of any interest thereon, and they shall be liable only for the exercise of reasonable diligence in the prosecution of any action taken by them for the collection of any of such sums, and in taking such action, trustees, or assignee, shall be fully protected in relying upon any and all information relative thereto furnished by the said assignor.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, said assignor has executed these presents this 27th day of March, 1942.

JIRO OMATA
KIKUKO OMATA

Subscribed and sworn to before me
this 27th day of March 1942.

G. K. SPIKE
Notary Public in and for the County
of Kings, State of California

(SEAL)

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

4/16 - 42
(Date)

Name: Omata, Market
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 333 - 335 E. 7th St
(Street and Number)

Hanford, Calif
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

Name OMATA'S (Surname) Market (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: Department of State

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business: Bus. & Market
Partnership: ✓
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: Jiro Omata

Address: 333-335 East 7th St

Telephone Number: 80

Principal property involved and scope of problem: Omata Building $20,000 Equipment $8000.00 Mtg $22000.00 Stock now reduced to about $4000.00 Omata ajacent Building $45000.00 With Theater and 4 rentals, one unoccupied, Theater & 3 shops rental 305.00 per month, also mortgaged to Anglo California Bank, 12,500.00 also has theater in Corcoran, Calif insured for 15000.00 and theater in Sanger, Calif Value about 10,000 Sydney Sharp holds mortgage of $4000.00 on these two. All Property is owned by he and brother Minoru Omata who is located in Sanger Calif. Anglo California Bank is to act as agent on all properties. Ned Contacted them before and told them I would call again. asked me to go over, and check agents agreement. Found agreement very fair to the Japanese. 5% Charge for all settlements with a minimum of 75.00 a year. They will look after taxes, insurance, and repairs Corcoran and Sanger Theaters leased, agreements papers will be completed by the 20th

Action taken:*

Handled by: [illegible]
Field Representative

Directed to file: Visalia

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

5/9/42
(Date)

Name: Omi Eugene
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview:

Address: _____
(Street and Number)

_____
(City) (State)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Family No 1830

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person Interviewed: None

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Name Omi (Surname) Eugene (Given)

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

No interview. Attached document presented for our files.

Ruth Hirano - registered with Omi family as "sister"

Action taken:*

None

Handled by: [signature]

Directed to File: _____

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LAW OFFICES OF
F. M. BRACK
MODESTO, CALIFORNIA

May 9, 1942

War Time Civil Control Administration
Modesto
California

Gentlemen:

In Re: Ruth Hirano

I enclose herewith copy of Bill of Sale and Agreement whereby Mrs. Hirano, a person of Japanese ancestry is agreeing to sell her Ford Cabriolet to Mr. Goldsberry.

Respectfully yours,

F. M. Brack

FMB:FS

Encl. I

Omb. Expense Dept.
1830
Paid Hiraoo (Sick)

BILL OF SALE AND AGREEMENT

For and in consideration of the sum of $100.00, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, the undersigned RUTH HIRANO hereby sells, assigns, transfers and sets over to VERNON E. GOLDSBERRY, Route 1, Box 1193, Modesto, California, one 1930 Model Ford Cabriolet, 1941 California License No. 59J388, 1942 Cover Plate No. 1,016,256.

The seller further agrees to clear the title to the said automobile with the California Motor Vehicle Department, with all possible speed, and to escrow said $100.00 with F. M. BRACK, Attorney at Law, Modesto, California, until said title is so cleared.

It is understood that the seller shall have a maximum of six months from date within which to clear said title, and that if not so cleared, buyer shall have the option of the return of said $100.00, cancelling this agreement, and returning said automobile in as good condition as the same now is, reasonable wear thereof and damage by the elements excepted.

A copy of this agreement shall be delivered to the Wartime Civil Control Administration.

Dated May 8, 1942.

Ruth Hirano
Ruth Hirano, Seller

Vernon E. Goldsberry
Vernon E. Goldsberry, Buyer

Receipt of the abovementioned $100.00 for escrow admitted May 8, 1942.

F. M. Brack
F. M. Brack.

F. M. BRACK
ATTORNEY AT LAW
MODESTO, CALIFORNIA

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

3-21-42
(Date)

Name: Omoto (Surname) Henry (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Address: P.O. Bx 597 (Street and Number)
Hollister (City) Cal (State)

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

Name Omoto (Surname) Henry (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: Born Cal.

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

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

Person Interviewed: H. Omoto
Address: Hollister
Telephone Number: —

Principal property involved and scope of problem:
Pres. Japanese American Citizens League of San Benito Co. General Discussion. Accompanied by Geo. K. Nishita & Leonard Ueki both Farmers of San Juan - native U.S. Landowners & tenants who claim they are selling out satisfactorily.

Action taken:* Please advise. If buyers do not want farm equipment or need it, can sellers remove same to new location or sell elsewhere; several tractors & trucks involved.

Handled by: Van Likerhoff
Salinas

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Questions re disposal of farm equipment should be referred to the Field Agent of the Farm Security Administration located in the U.S. Employment Service Office. Generally speaking, farm equipment which is needed on the property evacuated may not be disposed of; equipment which is not needed may be disposed of, but only after final clearance in [illegible] has been given by the Field Agent, Farm Security Administration.

[illegible] 30 - 9 - 42

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

_____ (Date)

Telephone:
Interview:

Name: Omi (Surname) Kazuo (Given)

Address: 2070 Bush Street (Street and Number)

S.F. (City) (State)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

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Investigative Unit
210 Sansome Street
San Francisco, California

May 19, 1942

Federal Reserve Bank
Foreign Funds Control
400 Sansome Street
San Francisco, California

Re: Kazuo Omi
2070 Bush Street
San Francisco, California

Gentlemen:

Pursuant to a request by Mr. Everson, an attempt was made to deliver a key to the premises vacated by the above captioned evacuee. It was found that the owner is a Japanese, known as Robert Ishii, 611 W. Main Street, Santa Maria, California.

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Inasmuch as the premises at 2070 Bush Street, San Francisco are now unoccupied the key was returned to Mr. Dooley of the Evacuee Property Department, 500 California Street, San Francisco, who will attempt to locate the owner Mr. Ishii by mail.

Very truly yours,

RAE V. VAIER
Supervising Agent (Acting)

JIM/ar
cc: Mr. Dooley

RECEIVED MAY
EVACUEE PROPERTY DEPT.

Fiscal Agent of the United States

4/22/42
(Date)

Telephone:
Interview:

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

Address: 2070 Bush St
(Street and Number)

S.F.
(City) (State)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: ✓

Name OMI, (Surname) GEORGE (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed: William Lee (Chinese)

Address: same

Telephone Number: Graystone 2380

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

Business & equipment has been sold to Wm & Mary Lee (Chinese) Does not know regarding a/c's payable $180 & amount due American Trust Co. Will investigate and advise us

Apr 22/42 Mr Gray confirmed payments had been made on all open accounts & conditional sales contract to Amer Trust Co & Patch Co

Handled by: [illegible]

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

4/1/41
(Date)

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

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Address: 2070 Bush St
(Street and Number)

San Francisco, Calif
(City) (State)

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

Name Omi (Surname) George (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: above

Address:

Telephone Number: Grayston 2380
Patek & Co Mkt 6710 Omi

4F3

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Principal property involved and scope of problem: Has cleaning store at 2035 Polk. Fixtures & equipment worth $800, owes $200 on equipment to American Trust Co + Patek Co. Accounts payable $150. Wants to dispose of place.

Action taken:* Told him to continue efforts to sell + to contact Bank + wholesaler to see if either will accept power of attorney. + if unsuccessful to again contact us on his report to this office

Handled by: Kewhill

Directed to file:

*Attach additional pages where necessary
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1701 Van Ness

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

March 18-1942
(Date)

Name: OMI
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 1934 Lawton St
(Street and Number)

SF Calif
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male: ✓
Female:
Citizenship: Jap

Name OMI (Surname) (1934 Lawton St.) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: 1928

Operating under Treasury Licence now?: Don't know

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

Person Interviewed: Mathew Tobriner

Address: Russ Bldg

Telephone Number: Doug 4326

Principal property involved and scope of problem.

above Jap has wife + one child and owns a cleaning business at above address and lives in rear of store. Total rent is $50.00/mo and was paid promptly until December. Since war started the Jap has refused to pay. Jap owns equipment and furniture, but may have installment liens thereon. The real estate agt has tried to collect rent but gets no satisfaction.

Mr. Tobriner's father, Dr Tobriner, presented this case to Bk due to sons absence in this legal practice. Value of equipment is $500 or more including furnishings. Dr Tobriner wants the Bank's advice to carry out the policy of the U.S. Govt.

Action taken:*

Advised Dr Tobriner to personally discuss matter with OMI and try to reach amicable agreement, and call back to the office afterward, if unsatisfied.

Handled by: Wells

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Directed to file:

November 3, 1942

Mr. Takuro Oni
12E, 8, D
Granada War Relocation Project
Amache Branch
Lamar, Colorado

Dear Sir:

Reference is made to your letter dated October 22, 1942 addressed to Mr. Harold Johnson, our former field representative at Merced, which has been received by this office. In view of the fact that our previous field offices have been closed and our representatives withdrawn, all correspondence relating to evacuee's property problems which came before this bank are now handled in our principal offices.

Your letter mentions a survey of life insurance matters undertaken by this bank at the Merced Assembly Center. For your information, no formal survey of the character you mention was undertaken by or on behalf of this bank, although our Merced representative handled innumerable individual problems of evacuees resident there in assisting them in obtaining information from their insurance companies and in reinstating policies where lapses had occurred due to non-payment of premiums.

No "moratorium" exists with respect to the contract obligations of evacuees whether in their insurance matters or otherwise, which will readily account for the fact that you have received a premium notice in accordance with the terms of your insurance contract.

We would suggest that if you are confronted with a problem relating to insurance, that you communicate directly with the insurance company involved, stating the facts and obtaining the benefits of its advice as to what steps you may take in your own interest.

Very truly yours,

Assistant Cashier

H D ARMSTRONG:tkrf

COPY

12E, 8, D,
Amache, Branch
Lamar, Colorado
Oct. 22, 1942

Mr. Harold Johnson
Federal Reserve Bank
San Francisco, Calif.

Dear Mr. Johnson:

At Merced Assembly Center a Life Insurance survey of all Policy holders was taken for the purpose of requesting Insurance Companies to extend premium payments until after the duration of war. Yet just recently I received a notice of my payment due. We understand that this matter was in the charge of Federal Reserve Bank.

Kindly advise me what to do, I wish to keep the policy in force, but it is difficult for me to make payments during these prevailing conditions.

Thank you for your kind attention, I am

Yours respectfully,

TAKUMO OMI /s/

Policy number 501205
Premium date due Oct. 28th, 1942 Semi-ann.

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

_____ (Date)

Name: Omori C (Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 5923 Geary Blvd (Street and Number)

S.F. (City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Mail (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: Uptown Cleaners

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

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

May 6/42
(Date)

Name: OMORI (Surname) CHIKAYOSHI (Print) (Given)

Address: 1392 O'FARRELL ST. (Street and Number)
SAN FRANCISCO, CALIF (City) (State)

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

Date of last entry into United States: 1922

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

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

Person Interviewed: SAME
Address: SAME
Telephone Number: WEST 4337

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Mr. Omori stated that he had about 10 small bills due him from various customers when he closed his cleaning business a month ago. He had tried to collect and had been put off with various excuses.

Premises vacant

Action taken:* This office phoned 5 of the persons whose bills were the largest and they promised to pay Mr. Omori if he would call at their homes and he said he would and it could be taken that the matter is now closed.

Handled by: Fred Mund

Directed to file:

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Name OMORI (Surname) CHIKAYOSHI (Given)

Closed

Hereby agree to sell to Hisako Omori all structures being a dwelling, garage, and flumes situated on land in Santa Clara County heretofore leased by her from said J. P. Beiler, said sale to be consummated at her option upon her return to said Santa Clara County after the evacuation of persons of Japanese leneage, and for the sum of five ($5.00) dollars to be paid upon her taking possession of such structures.

April 14, 1942

/s/ J. P. Beiler

/s/ Mrs. J. P. Beiler

For the sum of one ($1.00) dollar to me in hand and paid, receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, I sell and transfer to J. P. Beiler all my right, title, and interest in and to the structures by me owned and now situate on land in Santa Clara County heretofore held by me under lease from said J. P. Beiler dated August, 1939, said structures being a dwelling now occupied by me, a garage, and flumes.

April 14, 1942

/s/ Hisako Omori

HISAKO OMORI

Fire Ins. policy
31349
Reviewed by (O.F.C.)
found OK 5/7/42

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

_____ (Date)

Name: Omori Richard
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: Rt. 2 - Box 1033
(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:

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

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FORM 14

COPY

April 3, 1942

Richard Omori
Rt. 2 Box 1033
San Jose, California

In re: 20-461623

Dear Sir:

Confirming our conversation of April 2nd, at your request your 1941 Buick Deluxe Sedanet has been stored in a public garage. We will continue to accept regular monthly payments on this contract on their due date or will accept the net payoff on the account.

Very truly yours,

P. L. Rooney

C.I.T. CORPORATION
P. L. Rooney, Branch Office Manager

PLR:bi

cc: Mr. Campbell
c/o Federal Reserve Board
393 South Second Street
San Jose, California

Gross balance $848.64
Motor #44598534
Serial #24273985

December 4, 1942

John T. Lewis, Esquire
Attorney-at-Law
Hollister, California

Re: James Omoto

Dear Sir:

Reference is made to your letter dated December 2, 1942 inquiring on behalf of Mr. Rex Mefford as to the propriety of acquiring a tractor owned by an American citizen Japanese.

So far as Foreign Funds Control regulations of the Treasury Department are concerned, they do not affect transactions with American citizen Japanese who would be in the same position as other American citizens in disposing of their property.

From the tenor of your letter we assume that mutually satisfactory arrangements have already been made between the Japanese and the prospective purchaser on a private basis and that you are merely requesting information as to the Foreign Funds Control feature.

Should you desire other data or assistance we believe it would be in order for you to address the Wartime Civil Control Administration, Whitcomb Hotel Building, San Francisco, which has jurisdiction over the problems of Japanese evacuees residing in War Relocation Projects.

Very truly yours,

Assistant Cashier

TELEPHONE HOLLISTER 6

DIRECTED BY MAIL DEPT.
TO MR. EVERSON

JOHN T. LEWIS
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW
HOLLISTER : CALIFORNIA

REFERRED BY MR. EVERSON
TO MR. Armstrong

December 2, 1942.

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
San Francisco, California.

Re: REX MEFFORD.

Dear Sir:

Rex Mefford called at my office and requested me to write to you to find out if it was alright for him to purchase the 30 Caterpillar Tractor owned by a Japanese by the name of James Omoto. The tractor is in Hollister, San Benito County, California and the Japanese is in Poston, Arizona. He is an American born Japanese.

Yours sincerely,

John T. Lewis

JOHN T. LEWIS

JTL:ML

12-4-42
Answered
Anad. by Routine Advice
No Answer Required
Directed to File
By Armstrong
Surname
FILE ONLY WHEN SIGNED

926 West Willow Street
Stockton, California
October 16, 1942

Miss Chieko Omura
7-124-E
Stockton Assembly Center
Stockton, California

Dear Miss Omura:

This letter will be reforwarded to you at Rivers, Arizona, and, we hope, will reassure you on the subject which you referred to the writer yesterday.

We have been in touch with Mrs. Nettie Severn, 1119 South Center Street, Stockton, in whose care you left your new General Electric refrigerator. This unit is in fine condition and is receiving good care. Mrs. Severn will keep in touch with you.

Very sincerely yours,

(COPY FOR MR. EVERSON)

L. S. Meeks

Field Representative

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

(Date)

Name: Omura (Surname) (Print) James H (Given)

Telephone:
Interview:

Address: 1023 - 19th St (Street and Number)

Denver, Colo. (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: Current Life

Action taken:*

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June 19, 1942

filed Current Life

Mr. James M. Omura,
Editor and Publisher,
Current Life,
1023 - 19th Street,
Denver, Colorado

Dear Sir:

Receipt is acknowledged of your letter of May 27, 1942, wherein you request our attention to the case of Current Life and to the printer, Mr. Oscar Wise, who has been handling your work for you.

For your information, the Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco, acting as Fiscal Agent of the United States, has had a definite part in the evacuation program on the Pacific coast. This part has consisted primarily of assisting evacuees in their property problems in one way or another, but has been confined to property problems alone. In other words, we have given every assistance possible in the disposition of automobiles, home furnishings and inventories, as well as business properties.

During the program, we have helped make arrangements for the sale of various properties, or assisting the evacuee in selecting an attorney in fact who could carry on this operation under a power of attorney; storage of evacuees' furniture and inventory and in handling his automobile either for storage, at the expense of the United States Government, or accepting it for sale to the Army.

The situation discussed by you does not disclose a problem of the type in the solution of which we can be of assistance, unless perhaps there is such a problem in connection with the magazine paper, the engravings and the metals which have not been returned to you.

If you will write us, explaining in what manner you believe we can be of assistance to you, within the scope of our activity, we shall be pleased to give your request our early attention. If, however, your problem is a legal dispute between yourselves and your printer, we might suggest that you employ legal counsel.

Yours very truly,

Everson

Assistant Cashier.

Everson/jm

Federal Reserve Bank of [redacted] Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

[redacted] June 15th 1942
(Date)

Name: OMURA M
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: Rt. 1 - Box 972
(Street and Number)

Post Office: EXETER CALIF
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: LINDSAY

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: No

Date of last entry into United States: 1938

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

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

Person Interviewed: [redacted]

Address:

Telephone Number: No

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

1942 FORD V 8 PICKUP
5 - 6.00 6 PLY OVERSIZE TIRES
$600.00 DUE PORTERVILLE
HE WANTS $200.00 FOR EQUITY

Action taken:*

Try to pull car

3 PERSONS
WIFE
SON

Handled by: [redacted]

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500 NORTH GARDEN
VISALIA CALIF

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

7-14-42
~~6/18/42~~
(Date)

Name: Omura S
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview:

Address: 44-3
(Street and Number)

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male: ✓
Female:

Tanforan Assembly Center
(City) (State)

Citizenship: Japanese.

Date of last entry into United States: 1921

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Signed Forms FRB 3 & 4 covering 1926 Buick 6 Panel Delivery Serial No. 1725632, Eng. No. 1777425 Holds receipt dated 5/6/42 signed by Fred F Byron Jr. Chose Option #2. Has heard Nothing further.

Action taken:*

Check #24 - Mr Price say it has not cleared yet. Mailed about 5/29/42 10.00
MS
6/23/42 Letter not recd by Omura
7/14/42 Duplicate chk. delivered. Weinstock

Handled by: Tanforan

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Case Closed.

Directed to file:

July 16, 1942

Mr. S. Onura
WCCA Assembly Center - Tanforan Family No. (28) 20288
San Bruno, California

Dear Sir:

When our representative, Mr. Robert Weinstock, delivered to you your check in the amount of $10.00 on July 13th, you unnecessarily turned in your copies of WCCA Forms FMS-3 and 4.

These forms are returned to you and we suggest you keep them with your records as evidence of the disposition of your car for sale to the Army.

Yours very truly,

Assistant Cashier

Enclosures

GT:Tiffay/eln

July 13, 1942

Mr. S. Ozawa
W.C.C.A. Assembly Center
Tanforan Race Track
San Bruno, California

Family No. 28-20288

Dear Sir:

Enclosed is our Officers' Check #117 in the amount of $10.00 issued in lieu of check #24 dated 5/29/42 on which we have stopped payment.

This check is issued based on your statement that the previous check, #24, was lost or mislaid. However, if paid check should come into your hands at any time in the future we assume that you will promptly return it to us.

As this payment completes the transaction of selling your car to the Army we would appreciate it if you will sign the enclosed copy of this letter and return it to us for our files.

Yours very truly,

Assistant Cashier

Enclosures

JWDooley:ep

July 3, 1942

Mr. S. Omura
Barracks 44, Apt. 3
W.C.C.A. Assembly Center
Tanforan Race Tracks
San Bruno, California

Family No. 28-20956

Dear Sir:

Our field representative, Mr. Robert Weinstock, at Tanforan Assembly Center informs us that our check number 24 in the amount of $10.00 dated May 29, 1942 has been lost or mislaid.

Enclosed is our "Guaranty" form properly filled out for your signature on the line pencil marked "X". You will notice that in addition to your signature the signatures of two witnesses are required. Also on the lines above your signature please fill in the date the form is executed.

After you have returned the "Guaranty" to us we will stop payment on the subject check and re-issue our Officers' Check in the amount of $10.00 in payment of your car sold to the army.

Yours very truly,

Assistant Cashier

Enclosure

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

Sac. 541

May 11, 1942
(Date)

Name: Omura Shigji
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: Roote 8, Box 235
(Street and Number)

Sacramento California
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: x

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

Name OMURA (Surname) Shigji (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:

1937 Pontiac Six Sedan.

Action taken:*

Says if doesn't sell, will store with Federal Reserve Bank.

Handled by McFarland

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Sacramento Office

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

5/19/42
(Date)

Name: Omura (Surname) Sozo (Print) Chieko (Given)

Address: 1132 S. Center St.
(Street and Number)
Stockton, California
(City) (State)

Telephone: X
Interview:

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

Name OMURA (Surname) Sozo Chieko (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: Nov. 3, 1920

Operating under Treasury License now?: 68A

Type of Business: Sattui Co. & Thompson-Hoff Co.
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: x

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

See report 4/15

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Refrigerator was paid in full and stored privately and insurance accomplished by Thompson-Hoff Co.
We have no record of what became of the 1936 Chev. Sedan which we had priced for Subject at $330, writing a classified ad as a suggestion.

Action taken:*

Close file.

RECEIVED MAY 20 EVACUEE PROPERTY DEPT.

1 int. 9 aff.

L. S. Weeks
Handled by: Stockton

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

OMURA SOZO-Father April 15/42
(Date)

Name: OMURA CHIEKO-Daughter
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Address: 1132 South Center St.
(Street and Number)
Stockton - California
(City) (State)

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

Date of last entry into United States: Nov. 3-1920

Operating under Treasury License now?: 68 A.

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

Person Interviewed: Sozo, Father

Address: —

Telephone Number: —

Name OMURA (Surname) Sozo Chieko (Given) FATHER DAUGHTER

Principal property involved and scope of problem:
Employed on islands by Zuckerman Co.
Concerned about G.E. refrigerator under
Contract of purchase with Sattui, 524 E. Wch
2-4713 — Price 164.95 all that is owing, 39.75
Wanted guidance on insurance
owns 1936 Chevrolet Sedan, Clear. worth retail 330.00

Action taken:*
sent Thompson-Hoff (A-1) to see her on insurance.
Wrote out Classified ad for her to sell Car.
Sattui has approved transfer and Care of refrigerator,
getting receipt in duplicate for subject and
himself as seller.

Handled by: Stockton

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THIS SIDE OF CARD IS FOR ADDRESS

Mr. Lawton J. Allen,

3464 Ventura Ave

Fresno, CALIFORNIA

Sept 1st, 1942

Dear Lawton J. We are all here, 2500 miles or better from Cal which is appreciated for its sunshine, flowers and abundance of everything - the natives here won't believe us when we tell them about it. The weather is much cooler now but still have thunder, lightning and storms. Regard to all.

Jan

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

June 26, 1942
(Date)

Name: O'Neal, Ferman, C
(Print)

Address: Hammer Field
(Street and Number)

Fresno (City) California (State)

Telephone:
Interview: x

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

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed: Ferman C O'Neal

Address: Hammer Field-Fresno California

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Mr O'Neal came into our office to inquire as to what automobiles we might have on hand for sale.

Action taken:*

I took Mr O'Neal over to our warehouse on " P" Street to look at the cars and he decided on a Ford V8 belonging to Toro Abo. I then took him out to the Fresno Assembly Center where Mr Abo agreed to sell the car to him for $50.00. He is to bring the money into our office Wednesday July 1st and is desirous of picking up the car at that time.

Handled by: Townes

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319 Patterson Building-Fresno

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

Colorado

March 16, 1942
(Date)

Name: Dr. J. R. O'Neill
(Print)

Address: St. Mary's Hospital
(Street and Number)

SF (City) Calif (State)

Telephone: ✓
Interview:

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

Name O'NEILL (Surname) DR. J. R. (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: —

Operating under Treasury License now?: —

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

Person Interviewed: SAME

Address: "

Telephone Number: BUSINESS: SKYLINE 2112 RESIDENCE: FILLMORE 6368

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

With reference to personal interview of March 12, 1942 with Mr. H. A. O'Neill relative to the lease of 14 acres raspberries to Japanese family named Tashimoto which the O'Neills wished to cancel, Dr. O'Neill now states that by a cash settlement of the full amount asked by the Japanese, the lease in question has been cancelled and the return of the property effected. Dr. O'Neill inquires whether this arrangement is satisfactory to us.

Action taken:*

Suggested that for his own protection Dr. O'Neill should have executed a proper "Cancellation of Lease" duly signed by both parties as at the moment, as he says, all he has is a cancelled check.

Handled by: Jackson

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

March 12 1942
(Date)

Name: Dr J.R O'Neill
(Print)

Address: St. Mary's Hospital
(Street and Number)

S. F. Calif
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male: ✓
Female:
Citizenship: Am.

Name O'NEILL (Surname) DR. J. R. (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: —

Operating under Treasury License now?: —

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

Person Interviewed: E. A O'Neill

Address: P.O. Box 77 Soquel, Calif.

Telephone Number: —

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

14 acres in raspberries leased on a 3 year lease, option additional 3 years, to a Japanese family named Tashimoto. The father and mother are aliens. The 5 children are American citizens. The property is leased in the name of the eldest son and has this year to run to complete the first term. Rental is $35.00 per acre per year which has been paid up to July 1942. Applicant states that by terms of lease lessee is prohibited from selling the lease or sub-leasing. He states now that he wants to notify them all the lease. Lessor is not agreeable to this and wishes to cancel the lease and obtain return of the property.

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Action taken:*

Applicant advised to contact the Farm Advisor in his district and to make an amicable arrangement with the tenants otherwise the lease might be brought back by himself for an equitable cash settlement.

Handled by: Jackson

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...e Bank of San Francisco
...gent of the United States

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4-13-42
(Date)

Name: Ouchida Hitoshi
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview:

Address: P.O. Box 111
(Street and Number)

Florin Calif.
(City) (State)

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

Name OUCHIDA (Surname) HITOSHI (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: March 1934

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 $104.00 Savings Acct in Sumitomo Bank.
Has 3 houses #701 #703 #705 - O-St Sacto.
Has a party in mind who will act as agent. Mrs Clara Osada.

Action taken:* Advise Sumitomo Bank any change Address
Advised to give Mrs Osada power of Attorney to act as agent in renting & collections - making payments to Capital Natl Bank account of owner.

Handled by: [signature]

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

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Supplement 4-21-42
(Date)

Name: Onohida Hitoshi
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Address: P.O. Box 111
(Street and Number)

Florin Calif.
(City) (State)

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

Name ONOHIDA (Surname) HITOSHI (Given)

Closed

Date of last entry into United States: March 1934

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:

(1) Savings % Sumitomo Bank

(2) Property (3) houses.

Action taken:*

(1) Assigned asst in Sumitomo Bank to Capital Nat'l Bank Sacramento.

(2) Signed limited Power of Attorney to Mrs Clara Osada, (caucasian) who will act as agent, during absence.

Case Closed

Handled by: PDM

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Sacramento Office

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

(Date)

Name: Onishi, Hiroshi
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: North Beach
(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 Banks

Bank of America North Beach Branch

Action taken:*

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

_____ (Date)

Name: Onishi, J. (Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: Family # 24554 (Street and Number)

Walerga, Calif (City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name (Surname) (Given) (Date)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury license now?: _____

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

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See: Tanaka, Yuki

Action taken:*

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

(Date)

Name: Onishi Masako
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 925 G. Street
(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:

See: Laundries
Fujii

Action taken:*

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

4/23/42
(Date)

Name: Onishi Masato
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 662 - 90th St
(Street and Number)

Oakland
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Name ONISHI (Surname) MASATO (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed: Wm Steyn, Omaha

Address:

Telephone Number: Highgate 6602

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

Property has been sealed and placed in trust with B/American

Handled by:

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

(Date)

Name: MASATO ONISHI
(Print)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Address: 682-30th St
(Street and Number)

Oakland
(City) (State)

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

Name ONISHI, MASATO
(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: Both husband + Wife Citizens

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed: Mrs Shizu Onishi
Address: same wife
Telephone Number: Hi 6802

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

How to pay Home Loan Corp, Pacific Bldg, Room 801. installments on their home at above address, also taxes etc. + if they could rent same etc

Advised them to lease to some responsible party have their bank real estate Dept collect rental make payment to Home Loan + also pay taxes and put balance to their account so they could draw against same.

(?)

Action taken:*

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

April 11, 1942
(Date)

Name: Onishi Masada
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 682 - 30th Street
(Street and Number)

Oakland Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: x

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

Name ONISHI (Surname) MASADA (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: Oct. 5, 1905

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

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

Person Interviewed: same

Address: same

Telephone Number: none

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Ohishi owns the house at 682 - 30th Street, Oakland, on which he owes a loan balance of $2000 to the Central Bank, Oakland. He asked advice regarding disposition of his property, stating that he wished to rent his house but did not wish to sell it.

Action taken:*

Advised Ohishi to offer his house for rent through real estate brokers and to consult the Central Bank about power of attorney.

Handled by:

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Oakland

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

June 20, 1942
(Date)

Name: Onishi Okiko
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Address: P.O. Box 235
(Street and Number)
Orange Cove, California
(City) (State)

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

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person Interviewed: Same

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Wished to sell automobile and furniture

Action taken:*

Added both to our list.

Handled by: Arch R. Jack

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

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

June 2, 1942
(Date)

Name: Onitsuka, Kinto
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 113 Lake St.,
(Street and Number)

Salinas, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult: X
Minor: X
Male: X
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:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Refers to report of April 15, 1942, and also Memos of May 1st. and May 27th. See Salinas letter of May 27, 1942.
Given L. E. Wyatt of the Salinas National Bank, Power of Attorney on his property at 113 Lake Street through his guardian, Noboru Sugimoto. This is apparently illegal but will probably work out all right as everybody appeared satisfied and there probably will be no legal objection raised.

Action taken:*

Handled by: Salinas

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Reserve Bank of San Francisco
cal Agent of the United States

4-15-42
(Date)

Telephone:
Interview: x

Name: ONITSUKA KINTO
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 113 Lake Street
(Street and Number)

Salinas Calif.
(City) (State)

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

Name ONITSUKA (Surname) Kinto (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: 1941 Born in Calif. 1929

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

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

Person Interviewed: above

Address: as above

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem: Owns property at 113 Lake 39' frontage, general merchandise store in the front and house in the back where the family lives. This boy's guardian appears with him, Noboru Sugimoto a native of the H. I. who came to Calif. in 1932 and who last returned from Japan in 1939, a distant cousin of the minor who owns the property. This property should rent for from $25 to $40 or $50 a mo. At present they have no tenant in view and have made no arrangements for the care of the property. Suzuko Hirabayashi appeared with these people, a friend of the family acting as interpreter.

Action taken:* It was explained to these people that they must leave their property in good hands to look after it. Sent them to their bank and they expected to have either Mr. Wyatt or Mr. Pedroni of the Salinas ~~Valley~~ National Bank to look after the property and given P. of A. Failing that, they would give P. of A. to their lawyer.

Handled by: Van Löbenstein
Salinas
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(S-5055) 3 persons interviewed
6 persons affected

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

(Date)

Name: Onizuka Fumiko + Kiyo
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview:

Address: _____
(Street and Number)

Salinas
(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 Abe, Masuy.

Action taken:*

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

(Date)

Name: ONIZUKA DR. K.
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 4-58-C 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: KURACHI, SAJURO

Action taken:*

Handled by:

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

June 25 1942
(Date)

Name: Omizuka, Masaka
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 1910 Fillmore
(Street and Number)

S.F.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury license now?: _____

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

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

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April 25, 1942

Mr. Masaka Onizuka,
1910 Fillmore 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.

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

4/20/42 (X)
(Date)

Name: Onizuka Masaka
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 1910 Fillmore St
(Street and Number)

SF
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Name
ONIZUKA (Surname)
Masaka (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number: Disconnected.

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*
Letter necessary. Telephone disconnected.
Letter sent 4/25/42

Handled by: R. Williams

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

3/26/42
(Date)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Name: Onizuko Masaka
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 1910 Fillmore St
(Street and Number)

San Francisco Calif
(City) (State)

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

Name ONIZUKO (Surname) MASAKA (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: 68a

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number: Walnut 7968 "Disconnected"

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

This involves a Beauty Shop at the above address The owner has been unable to sell it at her price of $900.00 she has had several offers but has not accepted any of them she states a good portion of her price represents decoration & good will and that her Equipment is not new Does not want to store the equipment o/c storage Charges & depreciation.

Action taken:*

She will try and contact the person that made her the best offer and try and effect a sale.

Handled by: Mage

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

June 2, 1942.
(Date)

Name: Onizuka, Tinichi
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 106 So. Humbolt
(Street and Number)
San Mateo, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

(Surname)

(Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Refers to reports of March 20, 1942, April 6, 1942, and April 15, 1942.
Referred F.F.C.

Action taken:*

Handled by: San Mateo

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

Apr. 15 1942
(Date)

Name: ONIZUKA JINICHI
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Address: 106 So Humbolt
(Street and Number)

San Mateo, Calif.
(City) (State)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name ONITSUKA (Surname) Jinichi (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person Interviewed: Subjects' Attorney

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

1- See my report of Apr. 6 regarding this case.
2- Subjects' attorney called at the office to-day to obtain information with respect to the procedure to follow relative to unblocking property.
3- Suggested he have his client go to San Francisco and discuss his problem with the Foreign Fund Control Board - Federal Reserve Bank.

Action taken:*

Handled by: Storey

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

Apr. 6 1942
(Date)

Name: ONIZUKA JINICHI
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 106 So Humbolt
(Street and Number)
San Mateo, Calif
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

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

Name ONIZUKA (Surname) JINICHI (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: 1920

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

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

Person Interviewed: Jinichi Onizuka (4)
Address: 106 So Humbolt
Telephone Number: San Mateo 7412 J

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

1- Married (2) boys - 1-19 years old
1-14 " "
The boy 14 is in Japan.

2- Owns his home clear - Home is in name of his boys.

3- Insurance on home is in name of his boys which expired on Mar-14-1942

4- Local insurance agent advised subject it would be necessary for him to obtain Power of Attorney from boys before he could insure.

Action taken:*

5- Suggest he have insurance agent contact me as apparently subject was not clear on several points. He promised to do this

Handled by: Stacy

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(S-5055) (1) Interviewed

San Mateo, Calif.

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

March 20 1942
(Date)

Name: ONIZUKA JINICHI
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 106 So Humbolt
(Street and Number)

San Mateo Calif
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

Name ONIZUKA (Surname) JINICHI (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person Interviewed: Jinichi Onizuka

Address: 106 So Humbolt

Telephone Number: San Mateo 7412-J

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

1 Subject is a gardner. Has home he is anxious to lease or sell.

2- Description - 5 Rooms and bath
Gas for cooking
No provision for heating
Price $2,500.00
Will rent or lease for $25.00 per mo.

Action taken:*

3- Contacted one of the local real estate firms by telephone, described the house etc. Rep. of real estate co. informed me that they have a number of prospects who are interested in just such a property and would contact owner.

Handled by: Stony

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San Mateo, California

(S-5055)

Sa report Apr 6/42

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

May 25, 1942
(Date)

Name: Ono (Surname) Ayako (Given)

Address: 1354 Grant Ave (Street and Number)

San Francisco (City) Calif (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

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

Date of last entry into United States: -

Operating under Treasury License now?: -

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

Person Interviewed: Mr Alfred Hennessy

Address: 369 Pine St.

Telephone Number: Yukon 0243

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Verified that Mr Hennessy had represented Miss Ono in the sale of her equipment in the restaurant now known as the 'Island Restaurant' at 676 Kearny St. A Mr Benny Lee and y.p. Clay signed a contract of sale with Miss Ono for $1200.00 with monthly payments of $50.00. They also assumed all the liabilities connected with the restaurant, including the transfer of the equipment contracts. The latter transfer was acknowledged by creditors. As Miss Ono's attorney, Mr Hennessy will continue to look out for her interest.

Action taken:*

Case closed

Note:
Miss Ono's present address is
B 16, apt 18, Ave 6.
Santa Anita, Arcadia, Calif.

Handled by: [signature]

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April 25, 1942

Mr. Ayako Ono,
1354 Grant Avenue,
San Francisco, California.

Dear Sir:

You recently called at this office for assistance in connection with your property problem 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.

Encls.

RWBorden:gc

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

4/20/42
(Date)

Name: Ono Ayako
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 1356 Grant Ave.
(Street and Number)

L.A.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Name
Ono (Surname)
Ayako (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: Sutter 0655

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*
Letter necessary Telephone removed.
Letter sent 4/25/42.

Handled by: [illegible]

*Attach additional pages where necessary
(S-5055)

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

MARCH 28/42
(Date)

Name: ONO EDAKO MRS.
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 656 KEARNEY ST.
(Street and Number)

SAN FRANCISCO, CALIF
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

Name ONO (Surname) EDAKO (MRS.) (Given)

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Date of last entry into United States: APRIL 1918

Operating under Treasury License now?: No.

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

Person Interviewed: SAME

Address: SAME

Telephone Number: —

Principal property involved and scope of problem: DISPOSAL OF RESTAURANT

Mrs. Ono stated she had invested $900 cash in opening restaurant at 656 Kearny St. and had assumed a $700 indebtedness for equipment. She has a 5 year lease with $80 deposit representing last 2 months of lease. Her wish is to dispose of restaurant to best advantage, even prepared to clear out with only $800

Action taken:*

As Madison & Burke are her regular real estate agents, we advised her to appoint them and confer Power of Attorney on them to work to her best advantage

Handled by: Fred Mirsky

Directed to file: ✓

*Attach additional pages where necessary
(S-5055)

(4 Persons inc. interviewed)

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

3/20/42
(Date)

Name: Ono Ayako
(Print)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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Address: 1354 Grant Ave
(Street and Number)

San Francisco California
(City) (State)

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

Name ONO (Surname) AYAKO (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: Born in Sacramento.

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number: Sutter 0655

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Miss Ono has a Restaurant at 656 Kearney St. Her Fixtures & Equipment cost $1800.00 owes a balance of $700.00 on which she pays $10.00 per month her rent for the building is $40 per month. She wanted to know if we knew of any one that would buy the Restaurant.

Action taken:*

She will get in touch with the Hookman Hotel Supply Co. & various Real Estate firms.

Handled by: Magee

* Attach additional pages where necessary

Answers 5 people all adults

✓

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

Sac 145 Closed

Miss Toshiko

April 2 1942
(Date)

Name: Ono + Chugoro
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview:

Address: R 7 D. #1 - Box 436
(Street and Number)

Loomis Calif
(City) (State)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: USA
War Veteran

Name: Ono (Surname) Chugoro (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: 1922.

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

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

Person Interviewed: both

Address: Same

Telephone Number: —

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Wants to deliver strawberry crop to stores
Has arrange to release lease on property to owners.
Also inquires about Life insurance may not be able to keep up payments on endowment policy

Action taken:*

Satisfactorily explained

Case Closed

Handled by: AWS.

*Attach additional pages where necessary
(S-5055)

Directed to file: Sacramento

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

April 7, 1942
(Date)

Telephone:
Interview: X

Name: Ono (Surname) (Print) G. (Given)

Address: Route 4, Box 207 A (Street and Number)

Watsonville (City) California (State)

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

Name Ono (Surname) G. (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: September 21, 1915

Operating under Treasury License now?: None

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

Person Interviewed: G. Ono

Address: Rt. 4, Box 207 A

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

2½ acres Seed Peas	$125.00
House 6 Acres cultivated land ready for Tomatoes	150.00

Action taken:*

G. Ono got a note from the owner of the land for $275.00 payable in six months.

F. W. Rippert

Handled by: Watsonville

Directed to file:

*Attach additional pages where necessary

(5-5055) Interview 1 no. in family 6

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

May 6th 1942 X
(Date)

Name: ONO GEORGE
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview:

Address: RT. 5 Box 205
(Street and Number)

BAKERSFIELD CALIF
(City) (State)

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

Name ONO (Surname) George (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person Interviewed: Same

Address: "

Telephone Number: No

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See Report 4-25-42

Sold 1937 Dodge Delux Sedan $350.00 Cash

To
FRANK HILL
c/o METTLER FARMS - 524 - 21st ST.
BAKERSFIELD

Satisfactory to Ono

Action taken:*

Case Closed

RECEIVED MAY 4 1942 EVACUEE PROPERTY DEPT.

1 Person

Handled by: [signature]

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BAKERSFIELD, CALIF.

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

April 25th 1942
(Date)

Name: ONO (Surname) (Print) GEORGE (Given)

Address: Rt 5 Box 205
(Street and Number)

BAKERSFIELD (City) CALIF (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male: ✓
Female:
Citizenship: —

Name ONO (Surname) GEORGE (Given)

CLOSED

Date of last entry into United States: —

Operating under Treasury License now?: —

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

Person Interviewed: Walter Mortenson

Address: 1514 - 20th St Bak.

Telephone Number: 55746

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Walter Mortenson called me this morning. He has authorization to Pay $20.20 to ONO
Ins Company specified he must determine Japanese had right to receive check.

Action taken:*

I told Walter - Ono licensed under Order 68A and to give him the check

OK Case Closed

1 person Thanks

Handled by: [signature]

Directed to file:

*Attach additional pages where necessary
(S-5055)

BAKERSFIELD, CALIF.

April 24, 1942.

Mr. Glen L. Johnson, Field Representative,
Evacuee Property Department,
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco,
1300 - 17th Street,
Bakersfield, California.

Dear Sir:

Copied herewith is a communication from our Los Angeles office, which appears to have satisfactorily disposed of the case of George Ono:

> "We communicated today with Mr. Spiers of the Employers Casualty Company, 810 South Spring Street, Los Angeles. Their rebate check covering George Ono's policy #602437 has been withheld because the agents, Coit & Mortenson, had not advised the Employers Casualty Company of Mr. Ono's status insofar as being a blocked national was concerned.
>
> "After explanation that Coit & Mortenson had informed our representative of Mr. Ono's right to the rebate, Mr. Spiers advised us that a letter was being dispatched today to Coit & Mortenson with a check in payment of refund on policy premium. Mr. Ono should now have no trouble obtaining the money."

Yours very truly,

Assistant Cashier.

Borden:avb

Reserve Bank of San Francisco COPY

LOS ANGELES BRANCH

OFFICIAL COPY IN GENERAL FILE

Date April 23, 1942

To: Head Office

Subject: Evacuee Property Department

Reference: Your letter of April 21, 1942
George Ono, Rt. 5, Box 205, Bakersfield, Calif.

We communicated today with Mr. Spiers of the Employers Casualty Company, 810 South Spring Street, Los Angeles. Their rebate check covering George Ono's policy, #602637 has been withheld because the agents, Coit & Mortenson, had not advised the Employers Casualty Company of Mr. Ono's status insofar as being a blocked national was concerned.

After explanation that Coit & Mortenson had informed our representative of Mr. Ono's right to the rebate, Mr. Spiers advised us that a letter was being dispatched today to Coit & Mortenson with a check in payment of refund on policy premium. Mr. Ono should now have no trouble obtaining the money.

/s/ Fred C. Bold
Assistant Manager

Directed to file

by Borden

FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF SAN FRANCISCO

FISCAL AGENT OF THE UNITED STATES
1300 17th St.,
Bakersfield, California.

April 17th 1942.

Federal Reserve Bank, of San Francisco,
400 Sansome Street,
San Francisco, California.

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

Gentlemen:-

Refererence is made to your letter of April 14th asking for information relative to George Cno's Insurance Policy.

Policy # 602637, Employers' Casualty Co., effective date, Sept. 29th, 1941, Premium $26.10, was cancelled December 16th, 1941. Upon receipt of cancellation Notice, Coit and Mortenson, local Agents, secured Policy from Ono, and on Dec. 18th, by letter directed the Company to send the return premium direct to George Ono, at his address as shown by the Policy.

Mr. Mortenson welcomes action by the Federal Reserve Bank to force payment.

Very truly yours,

Glen L. Johnson
Field Representative.

JLC

referred to F.B.I. 4/21/42

Interview file for report

FOR DEFENSE
BUY UNITED STATES SAVINGS BONDS AND STAMPS

Answered
Ansd. by Routine Advice
No Answer Required
Directed to File
By
Surname

FILE ONLY WHEN SIGNED

April 14, 1942

Tuesday for
4/20

Mr. Glen L. Johnson, Field Representative,
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco,
1300 - 17th Street,
Bakersfield, California.

Dear Sir:

Relative to your interview report dated April 11, concerning one George Ono, we would like to determine the amount of premium paid, together with unexpired period of time which might be applied against this premium.

We suggest that you step into the offices of Coit & Mortenson, Bakersfield, and discuss this situation with them, as it is possible that they intend to make some voluntary retribution for the unused premium.

Upon your further advices, we shall be happy to refer this case to our Los Angeles office if it seems proper to take such action.

Yours very truly,

Borden

Borden:JM

Assistant Cashier.

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

April 11th 1942
(Date)

Name: ONO (Surname) (Print) GEORGE (Given)

Address: RT 5 Box 205
(Street and Number)

BAKERSFIELD (City) CALIF (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male: ✓
Female:
Citizenship: (DO NOT KNOW)

Name ONO (Surname) GEORGE (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: DO NOT KNOW. HAVE NOT TALKED WITH ONO

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed: Walter E Shaw

Address: 2311 Quincy

Telephone Number: 22462

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Mr Shaw reported that George Ono had been informed the insurance and he insists equipment had been cancelled. He turned in his policy # 602637 EMPLOYEES CASUALTY Co. 810 S SPRING ST. LOS ANGELES = TO COIT AND MORTENSON-AGENTS - 1514-20th ST Bakersfield with a request that the return premium be paid him

This has not been done - and according to Shaw. he has been unable to secure any satisfactory

Action taken:* reply

Mr BORDEN These are the facts as reported to me, and request that you advise me Please Call this room 13

(Previous DO NOT KNOW)

*Attach additional pages where necessary
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Handled by: [signature]

Directed to file: X

BAKERSFIELD, CALIF.

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

MEMO

CLOSED in memorandum dated 4/17/42
from Salinas Field Office.
See Item # 4, page 1.

_____
(Date)

Name: ONO, George
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: Lake & California Sts.
(Street and Number)

Salinas Calif
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name ONO (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:

Action taken:*

Has given Mr. Herbert Baltz, Salinas, P. of A. to sell his equipment, etc, for him.

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

4-13-42
(Date)

Name: ONO GEORGE
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview: x

Address: Lake & Calif. Streets
(Street and Number)

Salinas Calif.
(City) (State)

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

Name ONO (Surname) GEORGE (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: 1937 Born in Calif. 1911

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

Type of Business: service sta. Person Interviewed: G. Ono
Partnership:
Proprietorship: Address: as above
Corporation:
Individual: x Telephone Number: 6186

Principal property involved and scope of problem: Has leased from the Union Oil Co. a service station at the corner of Lake & Calif. The Oil Co. leased from Shingai who has been in here. Ono's lease is on a gallonage basis. He owns some small equipment and tools and various accessories which he wants to sell. The Oil Co. will take back his inventory of supplies that he is unable to sell. He has given Herbert Baltz P. of A. to handle his stuff and dispose of it in case he does not make a sale before leaving.

Action taken:* Baltz says he will look after Ono's interests if he is unable to close this stuff out before moving day. This is Herbert Baltz of the Salinas Valley Realty Co.

Handled by: van Lieben Sels
Salinas
Directed to file:

*Attach additional pages where necessary
(S-5055) 1 person interviewed
1 " affected

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

(Date)

Name: Ono, K
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: _____
(Street and Number)

Florin, 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: Ito, Yestu.

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: Ono (Surname) (Print) Kiyoshi (Given)

Address: 400 4th Ave (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: Hotels
Hoover Hotel

Action taken:*

Handled by:

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Directed to file:

(S-5055)

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

(Date)

Name: ONO Kiyoshi
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: _____
(Street and Number)

La
(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: _____

March 26, 1942

C. Meikle-Plumbing,
3526 Temple Street,
Los Angeles, California.

Dear Sirs:

We are enclosing a letter from Kiyoshi Ono, dated March 17, 1942, which was apparently misdirected to this bank in the mail.

We are forwarding the enclosure with the thought that you may wish to get in touch with Mr. Ono, whose address is unknown to us but perhaps is known to you.

It is possible that Mr. Ono is somewhat confused as to his position with respect to the refrigerator he mentions and we believe you might wish to determine what the situation is and particularly whether Mr. Ono has some equity in the equipment which perhaps deserves protection.

We are endeavoring to assist evacuees in making equitable disposition of their property holdings and we would appreciate your giving this matter your consideration.

Yours very truly,

R. Everson

Assistant Cashier.

Armstrong/jm
cc: Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Los Angeles, California.

HRA

checked with F.P. Control (Schessler) 3-26-42 - was advised no file on the name. HRA. S

COPY

Los Angeles, California
March 17, 1942

G. Meikle-Plumbing
3526 Temple Street,
Los Angeles, Calif.

Re: Contract 1523-54-35921
Kiyoshi Ono - purchaser

Gentlemen:

Due to the fact that the United States Government has recently taken all my property into custody and in all probability I will soon be interned, I have no further use for the refrigerator which I purchased from you and on which there is an unpaid balance of $66.69 due the Electric Home and Farm Authority.

It is requested that you obtain possession of the refrigerator and repurchase the contract, thereby relieving me of any further responsibility.

Sincerely yours,

(Signed) Kiyoshi Ono

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

June 12, 1942
(Date)

Name: Ono Koshiro
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 258 E 3rd St.
(Street and Number)

Chico Calif
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: x

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

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: Year 1899

Operating under Treasury License now?: - No

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

Person Interviewed: Same as above

Address:

Telephone Number: 453

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

As reported on May 26th, Mr. Ono and his wife had requested permissionto go to the Merced Assembly Center and permission has now been received.

They had some furniture and merchandise that they wished to dispose of - a small grocery store.

Action taken:*

Store was bought by Lloyd Mulkey, Chico, for $790. Mrs. Bee Compton, from whom he was renting the store and living quarters, purchased his furniture for the sum of $200.00. I believe these prices were very fair and Mr. Ono was very pleased with same. This deal is now completely closed and they will leave for Merced by Greyhound bus Sunday morning.

Handled by: Harry E Pahl
Field Representative - Chico

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Directed to file:

(1 person interviewed) (3 involved)

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

May 26, 1942
(Date)

Name: Ono (Surname) (Print) Koshiro (Given)

Telephone:
Interview: x

Address: 258 E 3rd Ave (Street and Number)

Chico (City) Calif (State)

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

Date of last entry into United States: Year 1899

Operating under Treasury License now?: -

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

Person Interviewed: Same as above

Address: "

Telephone Number: 453

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Mr. Ono and his wife wish to go to Merced Assembly center to join their friends who were evacuated from this area.

They live in unrestricted area and were not affected by Order #76. When their friends all left they felt lonesome and alone and now wish permit to join them.

Action taken:*

Referred them to Provost Marshall for permit through Paul Little, local manager W.C.C.A. office.

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

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(1 person interviewed) (3 involves)

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

April 20, 1942
(Date)

Name: Ono N.
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: Route 1, Box 371
(Street and Number)
Watsonville, California
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: X

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

Name Ono (Surname) N. (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: July 10, 1915

Operating under Treasury License now?: None

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

Person Interviewed: N. Ono

Address: Rt. 1, Box 371, Watsonville, Calif.

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

1--Chevrolet 6 Sport Sedan 1938 Model

Action taken:*

Sold to Robert W. Smith for $430.00 Watsonville, California
Price agreeable to the seller

Handled by: Watsonville

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Directed to file:

(S-5055) Interview 1 Number in family reported April 14, 1942

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

April 14 1942
(Date)

Name: Ono M
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: Route 1, Box 371
(Street and Number)

Watsonville, California
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: X

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

Name Ono M CLOSED
(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: July 10, 1916 entered the United States.

Operating under Treasury License now?: None

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

Person Interviewed: M. Ono

Address: Rt. 1, Box 371, Watsonville,

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Household Furniture

Action taken:*

Have furniture stored with an American Friend

Handled by: Watsonville.

*Attach additional pages where necessary
(S-5055) Interview 1 no in family 2

Directed to file:

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

May 28, 1942
(Date)

Name: Ono Nasako
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: Rt. 2, Box 266
(Street and Number)

Sebastopol, California
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: Yes

Name ONO (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:

Refers to report of April 1, 1942.

(See Santa Rosa letter of May 26, 1942)

Trucks reported sold.

Action taken:*

Handled by: **Santa Rosa**

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

Directed to File: _____

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

April 1, 1942
(Date)

Name: Ono (Surname) (Print) Nasako (Given)

Telephone:
Interview: Y

Address: Rt. 2, Box 266
(Street and Number)

Sebastopol, California
(City) (State)

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

Name Ono (Surname) Nasako (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:

Trucks.

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Regarding storage of two trucks and giving some responsible person authority to sell same if not sold before being evacuated.

Action taken:*

Advised to obtain license for trucks. See if storage can be arranged with neighbors and find, if possible, responsible person who can be given power to handle selling of same.

Handled by: RWK

*Attach additional pages where necessary
(S-5055) 1 person interviewed
3 persons represented

Directed to file:
Field Representative
Santa Rosa

(LETTERHEAD OF)

HOOK & HOOK

Hunn Building

San Francisco

(Attorneys)

October 27, 1942

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco

Sansome & Sacramento Streets

Attention Mr. Borden:

Re: MERCURY LAUNDRY

Gentlemen:

As a matter of record please be advised that from proceeds of sale of machinery, etc, at MERCURY LAUNDRY 527-529 Turk Street, San Francisco, I have paid all of the vage claims to the following persons in the following amounts:

K. Kajimura	$52.30
K. Kitashima	116.30
K. Nakamura	49.90
G. Maruyama	95.90
S. Ono	96.70
S. Utsunomiya	96.70
T. Yamamoto	96.50

These payments were made by my transmitting check s to these persons, all of whom are Japanese and now located at HEART MOUNTAIN, WYOMING except T. YAMAMOTO who is at the GILA RIVER RELOCATION CENTER, ARIZONA.

This letter is written so that you may have a record of the foregoing. I assume I do not need any approval or other authorization or consent from you on this matter.

Very truly yours,

DANIEL W. HOOK

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

_____
(Date)

Name: ONO, SAM
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 1553 Geary 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:

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Directed to file: _____

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April 25, 1942.

Mr. Sam Ono,
1533 Geary Street,
San Francisco, Calif.

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 problems.

Yours very truly,

(SIGNED) R. E. EVERSON

Assistant Cashier

RWBorden:ECF

Enclosure

Letter sent 4/25/42 [illegible]

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

4/21/42
(Date)

Name: Ono (Surname) (Print) Sam (Given)

Telephone:
Interview:

Address: 1533 Geary St
(Street and Number)

SF
(City) (State)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name ONO (Surname) Sam (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: ?

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*
Letter necessary No telephone.

Handled by: [illegible]

Directed to file: _____

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

3/12/42
(Date)

Name: Sam Ono
(Print)

Address: 1533 Grant St
(Street and Number)

SF Cal
(City) (State)

Telephone: ✓
Interview:

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

Name ONO SAM (Given)
(Surname)

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:

Mfg equip. used for making Ice Cake

Action taken:*

advised he could more without special lic.

Handled by:

Evans

* Attach additional pages where necessary

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

_____ (Date)

Name: Ono Sharokin
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: Concentration Camp
(Street and Number)

Santa Fe N.M.
(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: AIZAWA KANEMITSU

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

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

Report # 2

5/23/42
(Date)

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Name: ONO SHNICHI
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Address: 2105 Pine St
(Street and Number)

S.F. Calif
(City) (State)

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

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: ✓

Operating under Treasury License now?: ✓

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

Person Interviewed: Same

Address: ✓

Telephone Number: West 2920

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Prior to leaving from Bush Street Control Center gave Agency agreement to Trevor & Co, 71 Sutter St. Phone Sutter 6483, to handle property by Renting, collecting of Rents, pay taxes etc during evacuation

Action taken:*

Case closed

Handled by: DH Geary

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

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

4/20/42
(Date)

Name: Ono Shnichi
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone: ✓
Interview:

Address: 2105 Pine St.
(Street and Number)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

S.F.
(City) (State)

Name ONO, (Surname) SHNICHI (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: West 2920

Closed

~~Principal property involved and scope of problem:~~

Continued from below

Ono telephoned that Silberberg would temporarily waive payment. Suggested that he obtain this concession in writing. Moreover that he consult with the B/America in an effort to consolidate the two loans. He will do this ✗ advise us as to the result.

Apr 22/42 B/America declined to consolidate loans and Silberberg refused to give a written waive of the default notice in connection with his deed of trust. He did promise verbally to forgo any action for 6 months in the presence of Mr Gray and the writer.

Mothers life insurance contract cancelled

Apr 23/42 Has given a written authorization to Trevor & Co which empowers them to act as his agents. "Case closed

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agent

Action taken:*

No action taken regarding attorney in fact. Will advise us when this is accomplished also will ascertain whether mothers life insurance interest has been protected. Suggested that he call in person.

Over telephone:

See above

Handled by: R. Williams

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

4/3/42
(Date)

Name: ONO SHNICHI
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Address: 2105 Pine St
(Street and Number)

S.F. Calif
(City) (State)

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male: ✓
Female:
Citizenship: American
22 yrs old

Name Ono (Surname) Shnichi (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: Jan 1938

Operating under Treasury License now?: no

Type of Business:
2-A Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
6-A Individual: ✓

Person Interviewed: Same

Address: Same

Telephone Number: West 2920

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Has home and Furniture at above address. Father dead
Has Mother and 3 Brothers
Owns Home Purchase value $8500.00 with Deed of Trust to
1 Private Individual B Silberberg Balance due 720.00 with monthly payments of 10.00 and 6% Interest. Holder of Deed of Trust very cooperative and willing to defer interest until relocation and able to pay.
2 Has Federal Housing Loan through Bank of America of 603.65 obtained 6/5/41 for Roofing, painting and other repairs Balance 419.18 unsecured with monthly payments of $16.77 on Principal + Interest, Pymts made to April 2, 1942
Wants to know what to do with property while Evacuated and if F.H.A. Loan can on default of payments place Property in jeopardy.

Action taken:*

Advised to give Power of Attorney or appoint Agent to attend to Renting and making of payments

Handled by: Gray
7-1701 Van Ness Ave

Directed to file:

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

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

March 12th 42
(Date)

Name: Shuichi Ono
(Print)

Address: 2105 Pine Street
(Street and Number)

San Francisco Cal
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

Name ONO (Surname) SHUICHI (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: Citizen

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed: Shuichi Ono

Address: 2105 Pine Street

Telephone Number: West 2920

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

1 Mortgage on home at above address Bal due $730 on $3500.00 investment. Does not want to sell.

2 Mother has policy with Sun life Assurance Co. Funds being low afraid Policy will lapse.

Action taken:* 1 Will now consult real estate loo and perhaps appoint one as agent to take care & rent home.

2 Will consult about with Sun Life Ass. Co and if cannot come to some agreement will take up with lawyer.

Handled by: John Laughlin

* Attach additional pages where necessary

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

April 10, 1942
(Date)

Name: ONO, Yono
(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. 5 T-31-S R-29-E

Substitute Operator: GEORGE H. PETERS.

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

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

_____ (Date)

Name: Ono, Teiichi (Print)

Address: _____ (Street and Number)

Tanforan, 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: Sakai, George M.

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

* Attach additional pages where necessary

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

(Ju-Ju's Grocery)

June 12, 1942
(Date)

Name: ONODA, Ayako
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 1501 E Street
(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:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See DUN & BRADSTREET, INC - SAC 659

Action taken:* Ayako (wife) has power of attorney from husband, Yoshio. Business liquidated.

Handled by: Sacramento

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

Supplement to Sac. 51

May 30, 1942
(Date)

Telephone:
Interview:

Name: Onoda (Surname) (Print) Ayoko (Given)

Address: 1501 E Street
(Street and Number)

Sacramento, 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:

Refers to reports of March 28 and April 18

See Sacramento list of May 28

Supplements 3/28, 4/12 and 4/18
Follow-up letter 5/2 received no reply. Assume closed

Action taken:*

Handled by: Sacramento

*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 to Sac. 51

April 18, 1942
(Date)

Name: Onoda Ayoko
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 1501 E Street
(Street and Number)

Sacramento California
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

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

Name ONODA (Surname) AYOKO (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:

Sale of Grocery Store
" Auto

Her attorney, Merle Schreck, will prepare papers.

Wants to convert automobile into cash.

Action taken:*

Told her to consult her bank, The Bank of America at 8th And J. Sts. Re: Terms and conditions of paper to be acceptable to them for discount.

Handled by: McFarland

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Sacramento Office

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

SAC Dup #5

SUPPLEMENT — April 17-1942
(Date)

File: ONODA AYOKO 3/28/42

Name: YOSHIMURA (Surname) (Print) MATSUTARO (Given)

Telephone: 39464
Interview: MJR

Address: 1501 E Street
(Street and Number)

SACramento (City) Cal (State)

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

Name YOSHIMURA (Surname) MATSUTARO (Given)

Closed

Date of last entry into United States: 1928

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

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

Person Interviewed: FRANK TOSHIO YOSHIMURA

Address: Same

Telephone Number: 39464

Principal property involved and scope of problem: Want to know if we can take above household belonging in storage now

Action taken:*

We advised him FRB will take charge only when evacuation takes place, We read and discussed form FRB #2 (Instructions to owner) These People are able to take care of their own problem

Interviewed — 8 in family

Handled by: MJR

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

Sac. 51

March 28, 1942
(Date)

Name: Onoda, Ayoko
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview: X

Address: 1501 E Street
(Street and Number)

Sacramento, California
(City) (State)

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

ONODA

Name Onoda, Ayoko
(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: Same

Telephone Number: 3-9464

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Grocery Store:
1501 E Street, Sacramento

Value equipment	$1600.00
Merchandize	700.00

Liabilities:

Due First National Bank of Fairfield (Secured by rents from a dwelling in Suisun Valley, owned by her sister)	$ 170.00
Burnice Fritz, Roseville, California (Secured by Chattel Mortgage on equipment)	$ 270.00
Due M. Yoshimura	$ 400.00

Ayoko Onoda
This store is leased by, and in the name of, [redacted]ko, for five years.
Lease expires 1/23/46. From Burnice Fritz, Lessor.
Bill of Sale to Ayoko Onoda dated 2/10/41.
Husband Yoshio Onoda is interned at Bismarck, North Dakota.
This case was originally handled by Mr. H. F. Slade, Ass't. Cashier, by correspondance from above party of the 10th inst. acknowledged by Mr. Slade on the [redacted] 16th inst. subsequent [redacted] letter to Mr. Slade, March 17th [redacted] inst. acknowledged by Mr. Slade on the 21st inst.
Ac[redacted]* Problem is: While the husband, Yoshio Onoda, only had a city municipal license to operate a grocery, the lease and bill of sale of equipment and merchandize was actually in the name of the wife, Ayoko. A power of attorney from the husband has been given to his wife, dated March 17, 1942, and acknowledged by a Notary Public in Burleigh County, North Dakota. I have read all these papers above referred to and they are temporarily in our possession in Sacramento.
The question is: Can wife sell property now? We understand she has a buyer. We would like an immediate reply to this problem.

Answered by fone 3/30. Borden

1 Interviewed
2 Persons affected

Sacramento Office
Handled by:

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

Supplement Sac. 378

June 3, 1942
(Date)

Name: Onoda, Francis Aiko
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: In care of Yoshimura P.O. Box 294
(Street and Number)

Vacaville, 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:

Refers to reports of April 20, 1942 and May 25, 1942.

See Sacramento list of June 1, 1942

Car sold to Mrs. Olivera.

Case closed.

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

Supplement Sac. 378

May 25, 1942
(Date)

Name: Onoda (Surname) Francis Aiko (Given)

Telephone:
Interview:

Address: In care of Yoshimura P.O. Box 294
(Street and Number)

Vacaville (City) California (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:

Wished to sell 1941 Master Deluxe Chevrolet sport sedan.

Action taken:*

Sold to a Mrs. Olivera.

Case Closed.

Handled by: Reid

*Attach additional pages where necessary

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Sacramento-Office

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

Sac. 378

April 20, 1942
(Date)

Name: Onoda, Francis Aiko
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: c/o Yoshimura P.O.Box 294
(Street and Number)

Vacaville, California
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: x

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

Name ONODA (Surname) FRANCIS AIKO (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: All her life in U.S.A.

Operating under Treasury License now?: ---

Type of Business: Was State employee
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: x

Person Interviewed: Same

Address: Same

Telephone Number: c/o Nishioka Grocery Store

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Came to Sacramento to try to sell her 1941 Master Deluxe Chevrolet sport sedan, 5-passenger, spare tire. Wants $975.00. Gone 14,000 miles.

Action taken:*

We phoned Fernandez Trucking Company, Davis Highway. Miss Fernandez will go to see car at 1501 E Street. Miss Onoda promises to let us know when she sells her car.

Sacramento Office

1 Interviewed
6 In Family.

Handled by: M.J.Richert

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Directed to file: M.J.Richert

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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 # 15, page 2.~~
(Date)

Name: ONOYE Gladys & Sada
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 231 Harvest
(Street and Number)

Salinas
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*
Have given their power of attorney to Atty. Paul Pioda to look after their property, a residence.

Handled by: _____

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Directed to file: _____

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Name ONOYE (Surname) GLADYS & SADA (Given)

Closed

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

Closed 27

3-25-42
(Date)

Name: ONOYE Gladys Sada
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Address: 231 Harvest
(Street and Number)

Salinas
(City) (State)

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

Name ONOYE (Surname) G. & S. (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: 1916 Gladys } Born Cal.
1907 Sada }

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

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

Person Interviewed: G. & S. ONOYE

Address: 231 Harvest

Telephone Number: 8869

Principal property involved and scope of problem: These two & one brother & 1 sister own 7 Room new home where family of 8 live - formerly all worked - now lost jobs. Cost ± $6500 plus furniture owe Bk of A ± $5000.00 - payments $45.00 p. mo. F.H.A. Expect to move when told & find work in new location. Own car. Want to keep home & return.

Action taken:* Phoned Bank & Attorney. Paul Pioda, attorney will take power of attorney & rent house furnished & apply to payments at Bank - estimated $60-75 p. mo. If this can be done will be very satisfactory to all.

2 persons interviewed
8 " affected

Handled by: van Liben Sels
Salinas

Directed to file:

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

April 25, 1942
(Date)

Name: Onstott — Mrs. Elizabeth
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: California State Department of Motor Vehicles
(Street and Number)

Marysville Branch, California
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: x

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

Name ONSTOTT (Surname) MRS. ELIZABETH (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:

A Japanese is selling automobile for which he has not received pink slip yet. The motor vehicle department is furnishing a special form of Power of Attorney signed by Japanese authorizing receivor to sign pink slip for Japanese seller.

Question: Can Post-master accept from Japanese "authorization" to let buyer receive from Postoffice the pink slip addressed to Japanese.

Answer: It is satisfactory for Post-master to accept authorization from Japanese.

Action taken:*

Area #1

INTERVIEW # 115

1 interviewed

K. T. Gregg
Marysville

Handled by: _____

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

(Date)

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

Address: 1738 Post 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: KINMON Press

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

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

April 13-1942
(Date)

Name: OPTIMIST CLUB
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Address: _____
(Street and Number)

Stockton California
(City) (State)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: —

Name OPTIMIST CLUB (Surname) CLUB (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: —

Operating under Treasury License now?: —

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

Person Interviewed: President Charles A Davis

Address: 834 West Acacia St

Telephone Number: 9-9419

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Invited me to address Club 4/16/42 Noon as guest speaker on subject of present activity.

Action taken:* Expressed appreciation. Explained that I am not well enough informed to warrant public address and that all such public activities should hinge from headquarters. We hear no good speaker.

L. S. Wells

Handled by: STOCKTON

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1 Mt.

Wells

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

Sac. 338

April 16, 1942
(Date)

Name: Oranston Brothers
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 483 Second Street
(Street and Number)

Woodland California
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: X

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

Name ORANSTON BROTHERS
(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: American White

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed: Charles Renner (Mgr. Imp. Dept.)

Address:

Telephone Number: Woodland 1203

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Have offer of sale of farm implements from Alien Japanese who lease land.
Following Japanese - M. Hondo Davis and K. Ito
Davis has tractors, plows etc. Mr. Renner wants to know if they may buy said equipment.

Action taken:*

Advised it was satisfactory to buy.

2 Interviewed

Handled by: Richert

*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: H B Orchard Co
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

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: Hatamiya, Senichi

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

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

(Date)

Name: Orchard Supply Co.,
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: _____
(Street and Number)

Yolo, 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: Nakano, K.

Action taken:*

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

_____ (Date)

Telephone:
Interview:

Name: Oregon (Surname) (Print) News (Given)

Address: 133 - N. W. - 3rd Ave (Street and Number)

Portland, Ore. (City) (State)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name (Surname) (Given) (Citizen)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

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: OYAMA, IZUMI

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: ORIDA C.B.
(Print)

Address: 2056 Bush St
(Street and Number)

SAN FRANCISCO CALIF
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

Name: ORIDA (Surname) C.B. (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: None.

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed: HIROSHI WATANABE AR

Address: (SAME) HUSBAND)

Telephone Number: FI 2043

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Watanabe's wife has 2 time accounts in San Francisco Yokohama Specie Bank Ltd in her Maiden name — Miss C. B Orida — They or she would like to get money. Have been to Bank and filed necessary papers.

Action taken:*

Told Mr. Watanabe Bank was in receipt of legislation and that they would be informed when funds would be available for them.

Handled by: Flint

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

(Date)

Name: Oriental Cleaning & Dyeing Works
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 609 Pacific Ave.
(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: Taketoshi, H

Action taken:*

Handled by:

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

_____ (Date)

Name: Oriental Plants + Seed Co
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: _____ (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: KAJIOKA, Albert J.

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

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

4-12-42
(Date)

Name: ORLANDO JOSEPH
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: #4 Montgomery ST
(Street and Number)

San Francisco Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Ferale:
Citizenship: American

Name ORLANDO (Surname) JOSEPH (Given)

CLOSED

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed: abown

Address: "

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Property interests in Management of farms.

Action taken:*

Introduced him to Colonel Baker of Farm Security Administration for proper handling.

Handled by: Tyler

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

Closed

April 1, 1942
(Date)

Name: Orme, Niles M.
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 1624 Franklin
(Street and Number)

Oakland, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: X

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Name ORME, Niles M.
(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: Te 0137

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Mr. Orme is manager of the S. S. White Dental Mfg., located at the above address and asked for information about dental equipment sold to evacuees and on which a balance was still due.

Action taken:*

I explained to Mr. Orme that the obligations of the evacuees were not affected by evacuation.

Handled by: Hendricks

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(S-5055) 1 involved
1 interviewed
1 contacted

Directed to file: Oakland

Supplement to Sac. 301

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

June 3, 1942.
(Date)

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

Address: R.F.D. Box 101
(Street and Number)
Suisun, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult: x
Minor:
Male: x
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:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Refers to reports of April 14, 1942 and May 29, 1942.

See Sacramento list of June 1, 1942.

Case closed.

Action taken:*

Handled by: Sacramento

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco Supplement to Sec. 301
Fiscal Agent of the United States

May 29, 1942
(Date)

Name: Osada, Joe T.
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: R. F. D. Box 101
(Street and Number)

Suisun, California
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

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

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: Never out.

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

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

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See our problem case 4/14/42.

Answered, and closed problems for Federal Reserve Bank.

Crop contract turned over to F.S.A. who secured prospective tenant in John Elmer Peterson with loan arrangements now pending.

Action taken:*

Case closed in Federal Reserve Bank.

1 Interviewed
8 Represented

Sacramento Office

Handled by: R.M.Schmitt

Directed to file:

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

Sac. 301

April 14, 1942
(Date)

Name: Osada (Surname) Joe T. (Print) (Given)

Address: R. F. D. Box 101
(Street and Number)

Suisun (City) California (State)

Telephone:
Interview: X

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

Name: OSADA (Surname) Joe T. (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: Never

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

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

Person Interviewed: Above

Address: Same

Telephone Number: 81 R - F 3 Suisun

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Re: 1941 Ford Sedan
A. Value - about $750.00 - no incumbrances
Also asks about Fred Uchislea - R. F. D. Box 23 Suisun Re; crop contract with Mr. W. Buhrmeister on crop of
B. Pears and Tomatoes
Has done the work up to date - wants to know how to close up.

C. Also inquires about storage and use of Japanese school for same.
D. Also inquires for J.A.C.L.of Suisun on same subject.

Action taken:*

A. Has a buyer already to take over-
B. Will inform Fred U. and Mr. W. Buhrmeister to get together and to make some sort of closing deal .
C. Referred to the fact that Mr. Reid had made a trip to Suisun yesterday to answer these question for these people

1 Interviewed
8 Represented

Handled by: [illegible]

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Sacramento Office

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

Say. 219

Apr 9 - 1942
(Date)

Name: Osai Geo. Toshio
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Address: P.O Box 455
(Street and Number)

Winters Calif
(City) (State)

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

Name OSAR (Surname) GEO. TOSHIO (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: never

Operating under Treasury License now?: No -

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

Person Interviewed: same

Address: same

Telephone Number: None -

Principal property involved and scope of problem: Hold a note signed by R H Matsumoto (a property owner Winters Calif for $550.00 plus 4% interest from Jan 1939 - Note due Jan 1942 - Wants to know what he can do about collecting same - The Matsumoto do not give him any satisfactory reply -
Also about Insurance (Life)
Also about Automobile - (Also about Safe Deposit Box)

Action taken:* Instructed him as to his rights and he will consult his attorney as to what action is advisable
Also called Bank of America and they have released restriction on Safe Deposit Box.

Handled by: RWP

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Directed to file: Sacramento

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Federal Reserve Bank of [redacted] Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

87)

6/19/42
(Date)

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

Address: Route 1 Box 169 (Street and Number)

Orosi (City) California (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: None

Operating under Treasury Licence now?: Voluntary Evacuation from L.A.

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

Person Interviewed: Same

Address: "

Telephone Number: ✓

Principal property involved and scope of problem: To sell
1938 Chrysler Spc. Model C.18 overDrive new Tires (47000)

Action taken:* Gave him Blue Book value, and advised him to sell, if little above this figure,

We would refer prospects to him.

Handled by: [redacted]
Field Representative.

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500 NORTH GARDEN
VISALIA, CALIF.

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

April 21, 1942
(Date)

Telephone:
Interview: X

Name: OSAKADA ENO
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

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

Address: Rt. 2, Box 231
(Street and Number)

Mt. View California
(City) (State)

Name OSAKADA (Surname) ENO (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: 1920

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

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

Person Interviewed: Dan Ono

Address: Same

Telephone Number: None

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Chevrolet Six - Engine No. 1758-130
Sport Sedan Model 1938 - fully paid for.
Asks for approval of sale.

Action taken:*

He has arranged sale for $375.00 O.K.

Handled by: San Jose
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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

APRIL 21, 1942
(Date)

Name: OSAKADA ENO
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: Rt. 2 Box 231
(Street and Number)

Mountain View Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: x

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

Name OSAKADA (Surname) ENO (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: 1920

Operating under Treasury License now?: No.

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

Person Interviewed: DAN ONO

Address: Same

Telephone Number: None

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Chevrolet Six - Engine No. 1758-130

Sport Sedan Model 1938 - fully paid for.

Asks for approval of sale.

Action taken:*

He has arranged sale for $375.00 O.K.

Handled by: SAN JOSE

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

4/6/42.
(Date)

Name: Osaki. (Surname) (Print) Ayao. (Given) (Henry)

Address: Route 4. Box 144. (Street and Number)
Fresno (City) Cal. (State)

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

Name Osaki. (Surname) Ayao. (Given) (Henry)

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

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed: Ayao. Osaka.
Address: Route 4 Box 144 Fresno.
Telephone Number: 19.J.3.

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Stated that a representative of the C.I.T. Co. called at his home and stated to him that I had said to the C.I.T. Co that they could take this mans store.

Osaki wishes to keep the store and offered the regular payment on his contract which they refused asking for balance in full.

Action taken:*

I stated to Osaki that as I had given no such instructions and my advice now was to keep the store until I had received a ruling on this from the S.F. office as I had phoned on Saturday regarding this problem.

Handled by: [signature]

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(S-5055) 2146 Kings St. Fresno Cal.

Mr. Armstrong.

I informed people making inquiry to hold their property untill they hear from me.

This is the type question I phoned you about Saturday and also wired to day.

Although I know the banks and finance Cos. do not want a lot of property to dispose of later.

Gallen.

Answered by [illegible]

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

_____ (Date)

Name: Osaki Michiyuki
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 1009 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: Hotels

Elite Rooms

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

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

_____ (Date)

Telephone:
Interview:

Name: Osaki Tadashi
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 631 T St
(Street and Number)

Sacto
(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:

P. of A. to Antz & Cook

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

Directed to file: _____

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

(Date)

Name: Osawa Harry K
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 311 E. 11th St { in Japan now.
(Street and Number)

Hanford, 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 Masai, Harry K

Action taken:*

Handled by:

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

(Date)

Name: Osawa, (Mrs.) E. (Taka)
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: _____
(Street and Number)

Seattle, 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: _____

Directed to file: _____

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23-5-D
Minidoka War Relocation
Eden, Idaho
September 7, 1942

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Seattle Branch
Seattle, Washington

Attention of Ronald T. Symms, Assistant Manager

Gentlemen:

Re: Box in storage Family No. 0050

I have a box in storage at your Seattle, Washington, warehouse. This box is two feet by sixteen inches; tied with a brown rope.

I would appreciate it very much if you would send me this box as soon as possible as I will be needing it.

Thank you very much.

Sincerely yours,

(Signed) Taka Osawa

Mrs. E. (Taka) Osawa

See Seattle Branch Sept 9, 1942 also, W.R.A. Sept. 11, 19[illegible]

September 11, 1942

MEMORANDUM TO: WAR RELOCATION AUTHORITY

SUBJECT: Property of evacuee held in storage.

We are enclosing a copy of a letter dated September 7, 1942 from Mrs. K. (Taka) Osawa addressed to our Seattle Branch, requesting the forwarding of certain goods held in storage in the Seattle warehouse.

The evacuee has been informed that her inquiry has been submitted to your office for consideration.

Assistant Cashier.

Enclosure
HDArmstrong:EM

cc: Seattle Branch,
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco.

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

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April 3, 1942.
(Date)

Name: Osborne Leslie
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 902 Kentucky Street
(Street and Number)

Gridley California
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: x

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

Name Osborne (Surname) Leslie (Given)

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

Operating under Treasury License now?: - -

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

Person Interviewed: Same as above

Address: " "

Telephone Number: 333

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Taking over property farmed by Henry and Harry Tominaga - 53 acres known as the Patrick Gardens , 2½ miles south of Chico, 99-E Highway - West side (restricted area)

Made satisfactory deal with Tominaga for their equity in crops and their equipment.

Came in with Mrs. A.M.Compton to have our help in making new lease on above.

Mrs. Compton had no lease with Henry and Harry Tominaga. They were renting on monthly basis paying cash rent every week.

Action taken:*

Mr. Walter Anderson and myself made up lease for three years to satisfaction of both parties. All signed and Mr. Osborne is taking over at once.

Harry Tominaga and some of his family will work by day for Osborne until they are evacuated.

Handled by: Harry E. Pahl
Field Representative - Chico
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(2 persons interviewed) (4 involved)

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

4/7/42
(Date)

Name: Oshi (Surname) (Print) Masami (Given)

Address: 2110 Vine Street (Street and Number)

Berkeley (City) California (State)

Telephone:
Interview: x

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

Name OSHI (Surname) MASAMI (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: Born here

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed: Above

Address: Above

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem: Applicant states:

Owns equipment for shoe repairing, considerable of the equipment being almost new. All is paid for. Wants to know whether it would be better to rent equipment or to store it with the possibility that he could send for it later.

Action taken:* Suggested that applicant consider advisability of renting equipment with the idea that he might in the future return to a good business and with the satisfaction of having completed a permanent arrangement rather than the uncertainty of acquiring equipment after evacuation. Suggested he contact his landlord, who would probably be interested in helping secure someone to lease his business in order to continue having a tenant in the premises.

Applicant stated he would report as to outcome of suggestion.

Handled by: Mason Case
Mason Case
Field Representative-Berkeley

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1 person interviewed
6 persons involved

Directed to file:
Thornwall 1389

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

MAY-18-1942
(Date)

Name: OSHIDA A. MRS
FORMER (Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 1630 Parker St
(Street and Number)

BERKELEY (CAL
(City) (State)

— NOW AT TANFORAN RACE TRACK. SAN BRUNO — CALIF
WCCA. ASSEMBLY CENTER

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female: /
Citizenship:

Name OSHIDA (Surname) MRS. A. (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: NOT KNOWN

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed: MRS. J. L. WASKO

Address: 1630 PARKER

Telephone Number: THORNWALL 3908

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

MRS. WASKO RENTS ROOMS of MRS. A. OSHIDA. WANTED to CHECK and see IF We had NAME of ATTORNEY HANDLING OSHIDA affairs. MRS WASKO SAID MRS. A. OSHIDA WAS TRAINED at MISSOULA - MONTANA —

Action taken:*

We Have no case Record of A. OSHIDA IN OUR FILES. Suggested to Mrs. Wasko to write Mrs A. OSHIDA AT W.R.A.C ASSEMBLY CENTER. TANFORAN Race Track SAN BRUNO - CALIF.

Handled by:

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Directed to file:

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

4-9-42
(Date)

Name: Oshida (Surname) H. Hironi (Given)

Address: 473 Santa Rosa Avenue (Street and Number)

Sebastopol (City) Calif. (State)

Telephone:
Interview: X

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

Name OSHIDA (Surname) H. HIRONI (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: Born here

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

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

Person Interviewed: I. Russell Kelly

Address: Sebastopol, Calif.

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Reported completion of lease covering certain property located at 473 Santa Rosa Avenue, Sebastopol at fair terms and agreements.

Action taken:*

Lease read approved, as fair to Japanese evacuee.

Handled by: RWK

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Field Representative
Santa Rosa

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

June 17, 1942
(Date)

Name: OSHIKA Naoichi
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: c/o American Poultry Company, Not Inc
(Street and Number)
430 L 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 DUN & BRADSTREET, INC - SAC 659

See AMERICAN POULTRY CO, NOT INC
HOWARD M. IMAZEKI
YOSHIO SHIBATA
CHUICHIRO SUGIMURA

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 17, 1942
(Date)

Name: Oshika, Toshika
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 2200-2202½ Fourth Street
(Street and Number)

Sacramento, California
(City) (State)

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

Name OSHITA (Surname) TOSHIKA (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:

Advised by Church Council has been given Power of Attorney.

Action taken:*

This is for cross-reference.

SEE CHURCHES - Sacramento Church Council

Sacramento Office
Handled by: M. McFarlan

no interview
1 family represented

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

May 27, 1942
(Date)

Telephone: ✓
Interview:

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

Address: _____
(Street and Number)

_____
(City) (State)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name Oshikubo George
(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:

Geo. Norris, real estate broker, 1616 Market St., Oakland, manges Oshikubo's house at 854-33rd St., under a written agreement.

The Edwards Dental Supply Co. re-possessed the dental equipment in Oshikubo's office and have closed his account.

The Lurie Co. terminated Oshikubo's lease.

Action taken:*

Handled by: Hendricks

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San Francisco

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

March 30, 1942.
(Date)

Name: Oshikubo (Surname) George (Given)

Telephone:
Interview: x

Address: 854 - 33rd Street (Street and Number)

Oakland (City) Calif. (State)

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

Name OSHIKUBO (Surname) GEORGE (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: Jan. 8, 1911 (birth date)

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

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

Person Interviewed: as above

Address: as above

Telephone Number: DI 8680W

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Oshikubo owns the home at the above address which he values at $3500 and which is clear of encumbrance, and he also operates a dental office in the Bank of Commerce building, Oakland. The dental equipment in his office is valued by him at $1600 and he owes a balance of $900 to the Edwards Dental Supply Company, Wakefield Building, Oakland. He has a lease on his office which terminates in June, 1944, and on which he has already paid the last two months rent. He wishes to recover the two months advance rental which he has paid and to make some equitable disposition of his dental equipment.

Action taken:*

Advised Oshikubo to consult the Edwards Dental Supply Company regarding the dental equipment, the Lurie Company, owners of the Bank of Commerce Building about his lease and lease rental money, and also to consult with the Bank of America, Piedmont branch, regarding power of attorney. Advised Oshikubo that evacuation does not release him from the temms of his lease.

Also advised Mr. Oshikubo to place his house in the hands of real estate brokers for rent and for sale.

Handled by: Hendricks

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1 contacted
1 interviewed

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Oakland

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

4/23/42
(Date)

Telephone:
Interview: x

Name: Oshima Eichi
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: Camp 15 Bouldin Island
(Street and Number)

Stockton, California
(City) (State)

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

Name (Surname) OSHIMA (Given) Eichi

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

Operating under Treasury Licence now?: 68A

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

Person Interviewed: Same

Address:

Telephone Number: No

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Owns 1939 Chev. Sedan, clear.

Action taken:*

Instructed as to two kinds of storage, as to how to arrive at reasonable retail price and wrote suggested ad in Stockton Record: "Cash, no trade"

L. S. Weeks
Handled by: Stockton

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

_____ (Date)

Name: Oshima, Fred
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 5035 Wall Avenue
(Street and Number)

Richmond, 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 Nurseries

Contra Costa Nursery Co.,

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

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OSHIMA, Fred (Operated CONTRA COSTA NURSERY)
110-3
WCCA Assembly Center
Tanforan, San Bruno, California

9/29/42 - Leaving Tanforan October 6, 1942.

Covered by compensation insurance with New Amsterdam Insurance Company. Broker is Kyoshin - sha, Mr. Nakabayashi, manager, now interned. Attorney for Oshima is Guy Calden. Employee Thomas T. Akagi injured in Industrial Accident April 3, 1942. Now at Livermore Sanitorium and is bringing suit against Oshima.

Amsterdam denies liability on ground premiums were not paid.

Oshima claims he holds receipts and cancelled checks in storage either at Richmond or San Lorenzo. Wants permit (applied for three weeks ago) to find necessary papers.

Suggested he arrange to have his attorney go to premises and search for papers. Case closed.

ROBERT WEINSTOCK
(Tanforan)

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

_____ (Date)

Telephone:
Interview:

Name: Oshima, Fred
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 1st Natl. Bank Bldg.
(Street and Number)

Richmond, 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: Calfee, Tsar N.

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

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

June 1, 1942
(Date)

Name: Oshima, Mrs. Fusoe
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 428 S. Eldorado
(Street and Number)

Stockton, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

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

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Refers to report of March 29, and 5-11 1942.

See Stockton letter of May 28, 1942.

This was closed definitely by our report of May 11, these people being exceptionally thorough and systematic in their arrangements.

Action taken:*

Closed.

Handled by: Stockton

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

5/11/42
(Date)

Name: Oshima (Kanichi & Mrs. Fusoe)
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 428 S. Eldorado
(Street and Number)

Stockton, California
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: x

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

Name
OSHIMA (Surname)
(KANICHI & MRS. FUSOE) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: 1937

Operating under Treasury License now?: 68A

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

Person Interviewed: Mrs. Oshima

Address:

Telephone Number: No

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Has rented business to Charles Lenero at $40 per month, collecting $225 covering 5 months agreed rental paid in advance. Next rental payment due Nov. 1, 1942. Name of business known K. O. Fish Market, located at 311 S. Eldorado St., which was rented property, Subject owning fixtures worth $2500. Dealer, Lenero, has option to buy fixtures and has given a complete inventory receipt for property prepared by lawyer, Omachi.
Renting home at $35 per month furnished, all moneys to be deposited to their credit in San Joaquin Building & Loan Co.
Life Insurance matters all in order.
Have been advised by Harold Noble, S. J. B. & L. Co.

Report rec'd 3-27-42

Action taken:*
Close file.

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Handled by: L. S. Weeks
Stockton

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

March 29 - 1942
(Date)

Name: OSHIMA MRS FUSOE
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone: ✓
Interview: 1

Address: 428 So. Eldorado
(Street and Number)
Stockton California
(City) (State)

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

Name OSHIMA (Surname) MRS. FUSOE (Given)

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

Operating under Treasury License now?: 68A

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

Person Interviewed: Harold Noble
Address: Priadt San Joaquin Bldg and Loan
Telephone Number: Stockton - 2-3815

Principal property involved and scope of problem:
Mrs. Oshima owns 2 pieces Stockton property - Husband is alien. 2 minor children. Preparing to arrange her affairs, she calls upon Mr. Noble.

Problem: He inquires about possibility of making trust agreement through Building and Loan.

Action taken:*
Requested that he consult attorney Oscar Parkinson as to legality of action and to make another call here to review complete deal.

H. Neeks

Handled by: STOCKTON

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Fiscal Agent of the United States

Closed

Mar. 24, 1942
(Date)

Name: Oshima (Surname) Katsutoro (Given)
(Print)

Telephone:
Interview: x

Address: 7 Rever Court
(Street and Number)

Watsonville, Calif.
(City) (State)

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

Name Oshima (Surname) Katsutoro (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: April 1904

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed: Katsutoro Oshima

Address: 7 River Crt.

Telephone Number: Watsonville

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Household goods stored

Wife
Child 20
" 17

Action taken:*

Will leave for Denver, Colorado at once.

G. W. Ruppert
Field Representative
Watsonville, California

Handled by:

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

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April 20, 1942
(Date)

Name: Oshima, Masao
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: P. O. Box 573
(Street and Number)

Isleton, California
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: x

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

Name OSHIMA (Surname) MASAO (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: March 5, 1941

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

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

Person Interviewed: Same

Address: Same

Telephone Number: None

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

1. Has account at Bank of America, Isleton - account blocked - has been unable to withdraw more than $100.00 from account. Has six in family and needs about $150.00 per month, also wants to arrange to pay life insurance premium due in May to New York Life Insurance Company.

2. Mrs. Naniko Nagao, who has account at Bank of America, Isleton, has owed him $2087.00 wages but cannot pay him because her account is also blocked.

Action taken:*

1. Phoned Mr. Chisamore, Manager Bank of America, Isleton, who agreed to give Mr. Oshima his requirements under General License No. 11.

2. Interviewed Mrs. Naniko Nagao who stated she had filed an application but that her application had been denied for a license to pay Mr. Oshima. Since it did not appear that the application had been properly made, I suggested that Mr. Oshima have his attorney, Mr. Taketa, draw a new application for the required license. This was agreed to.

Handled by: W.E.Mahoney WEM.

Sacramento Office

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2 Interviewed
13 Represented

FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF SAN FRANCISCO

FISCAL AGENT OF THE UNITED STATES

1006 Fourteenth Street
Sacramento, California
April 21, 1942

Sac. A-4

Mr. Oshima Masao
P. O. Box 573
Isleton, California

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 report, on the reverse side of this note, the progress that you have made.

Very truly yours,

A. J. Reid
M. M. McClure

A. J. Reid
Sacramento Field Representative

MMM: DH





April 23, 1942
Isleton, Calif.

Mr. A. J. Reid
Sacramento Field Representative
1006 Fourteenth Street
Sacramento, California

Dear Sir:

At your assistance, the manager of Bank of America of Isleton has arranged so that I could draw out one hundred and fifty dollars ($150.) per month now. I asked him about my insurance premium which I have to pay on May 27th. He said that there is plenty of time yet, so if I would come to the bank when it is due, he would see that if he could arrange it for me.

After I left your office last Saturday, Mrs. N. Nagao and went to Henry Isleton's office. I asked him if he could arrange it so that the bank could transfer my money in Mrs. Nagao's account to my account. He sent a letter to the Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco for me, but as yet there is no answer from there.

At this time, I would like to thank you for your valuable assistance to me and I have greatly appreciated it.

Very truly yours,
M. Oshima

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

(Date)

Name: Oshima, Mike
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 2107 Allston Way
(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: Laundries: Fulton Laundry

Action taken:*

Handled by:

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

August 13, 1942
(Date)

Name: Oshima Miye
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 1026 - 22nd 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 as Oliphant Adv. Satisfactory agreement reached.

Action taken:*

Handled by: R.W.Borden

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Closed as Oliphant
adv. satisfactory agreement
reached

A.V.T.

COPY

1300 17th Street
Bakersfield, California

May 28, 1942

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
400 Sansome Street
San Francisco, California

Attention: Mr. Herbert Armstrong

Gentlemen:

Yesterday I drove to Delano to check the loading of a restaurant stove from the Arita Cafe. This was the only article for government storage in Delano. It also was the last article to be picked up. All personal property consigned to our care is now located in the Fresno warehouse.

All told, we sent up two heavily loaded vans and two truck loads.

While in Delano I picked up the personal baggage belonging to YOSHIO OSHIMA who is held in the County Hospital as a mental case.

Very truly yours,

GLEN L. JOHNSON /s/
Field Representative

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

(Date)

Name: Oshima Yuhei
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: P.O. Box 997
(Street and Number)

San Lorenzo 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

Contra Costa Nursery Co.

Action taken:*

Handled by:

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

CLOSED IN memorandum dated 4/13/42
from Hayward Field Office
(Date)

Name: OSHIMA Yuhei
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: _____
(Street and Number)

_____
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name
OSHIMA (Surname)
YUHEI (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:* Attorney Gilmore, San Leandro, just phoned. This deal just signed and closed 4/13/42.

Leased to E.O. Burge, PO Box 13 San Lorenzo
5 yrs from 5/15/42

C.A.GIBSON
Field Representative.

Handled by: _____

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

April 10 1942.
(Date)

Name: Oshima Yuhei
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: PO box 987
(Street and Number)

San Lorenzo Cal.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult: x (61 yrs)
Minor:
Male: x
Female:
Citizenship: Japan

Name OSHIMA (Surname) YUHEI (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: 1906.

Operating under Treasury Licence now?:

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

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number: Sweetwood 4589.

Principal property involved and scope of problem:
Interviewee is President of Contra Costa Nursery Company (corporation) all capital stock owned by Japanese citizens of USA. Corporation owns, among other things, a 13 3/4 acre tract on Hesperian Blvd; San Lorenzo Cal, containing nursery stock and about 10-3/4 acres of bare ground, 1 6-room house, 3 bed rooms. 1 6-room house also 3 bedrooms, neither has bath rooms; barn, electric prumping plant, etc. Property encumbered with Deed of Trust, dated sometime in 1930, securing promissory note in the principal sum of $18625:00 at 7% in favor of T.R.Coelho, beneficiary, of East 14th st San Lorenzo Cal. Present unpaid balance of note $7140:00, payable in annual instalments of $1000:00 each plus interest. Purchase money mortgage.
PROBLEM:- Oshima wanted to know what could be done in his absence to protect his property from foreclosure proceedings.

Action taken:* Suggested he see his beneficiary; try to get interest reduced to 4% for duartion and make some arrangement regarding principal payments during his absence. This he did and darned if Coleho didn't come down to 4% and is having his attorney draw up an agreement delaying all principal payments to January 12 1944. All parties have complete confidence in one another, so this is settled to satisfaction of all.

Handled by: Gibson
Hayward.

Directed to file:

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1 Japanese involved.

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

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Clear

March 29, 1942
(Date)

Name: Oshita (Surname) Ben (Given) (Print)

Address: 537 Cleveland Street
(Street and Number)

Woodland (City) California (State)

Telephone:
Interview: X

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

Name OSHITA (Surname) BEN (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: None

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Personal property - very small encumberances
Just worried what to do
Can liquidate in short time
May have to later be referred to Social Welfare Department

Action taken:*

Advised to do so.

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I Interviewed
7 In family

Handled by: RWP

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Sacramento Office

PORTLAND BRANCH
FEDERAL RESERVEBANK OF SAN FRANCISCO
EVACUEE PROPERTY DEPARTMENT

October 14, 1942

Takichi Oshita
War Relocation Authority Center
Block 14, Bar. 19, Apt. B
Heart Mountain, Wyoming

Dear Mr. Oshita:

This will refer to your recent letter addressed to the Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco, San Francisco, California, in which you state that a letter from the Federal Reserve Bank, dated September 22, 1942, enclosing a check for $75 and addressed to you at the WCCA Center, North Portland, Oregon, has not been received.

The files of our head office have been searched as well as the files at this branch and we do not find a record of any correspondence with you, but perhaps if you will send us the original letter from the Federal Reserve Bank to which you refer, we will be able to determine what office handled the transaction and therefore furnish you with additional information.

Please address any further communication to Portland Branch since your letter has been referred to us.

Very truly yours,

Managing Director

October 12, 1942

PORTLAND

Evacuee Property Department

We are enclosing a communication from Taiichi Oshita of Heart Mountain War Relocation Project, as well as a letter from the North Portland Post Office.

We believe these communications should have gone to your office.

Enclosures
HDArmstrong:EM

Assistant Cashier.

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

(Date)

Name: OSHITA (Surname) (Print) FRANK T TAKITA (Given)

Address: _____ (Street and Number)

CASTROVILLE (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: Public File "S"
"Silva"
For letter.

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

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Directed to file: _____

Field Oshita, T. - F

September 8, 1942

MEMORANDUM TO: WAR RELOCATION AUTHORITY

SUBJECT: Division of Evacuee Property

We are enclosing for your information a copy of a letter from this bank to Mr. Robert Silva, Castroville, California, dated August 26, 1942; a copy of his reply dated September 2, 1942, and a copy of our reply of even date.

As you will note, this gentleman desires to visit certain evacuees presently in the War Relocation Project at Poston, Arizona.

A. P. Brown

Assistant Cashier

Enclosures

R W BORDEN:krf

September 6, 1942

Mr. Robert Silva
Castroville
California

Dear Sir:

Reference is made to your letter of September 2, 1942 relating to your expressed desire to obtain a permit to visit evacuees at Poston, Arizona.

We have referred a copy of your letter, together with a copy of our reply, to the War Relocation Authority, Hotel Whitcomb Building, San Francisco, California, who properly have jurisdiction in this matter.

Very truly yours,

Assistant Cashier

cc: War Relocation Authority
Hotel Whitcomb Building
San Francisco, California

REFERRED BY MR. EVERS
TO MR. Bowden
W R a
REFERRED BY MR. H. O. ARMSTRONG
TO MR.

Castroville, California
September 2, 1942

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

Dear Mr. Everson:

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I should like to have your permission to visit these people at your very earliest convenience.

Very truly yours,

Robert Silva
Castroville
Calif.

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Encl. by Routine Advice
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Castroville, California
September 2, 1942

Mr. R. [illegible]. Everson
Assistant Cashier
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
San Francisco, California

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ROBERT SILVA /s/

Castroville
Calif.

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August 26, 1942

Mr. Robert Silva
Castroville
California

Dear Sir:

Mr. van LobenSels has called to our attention your desire to contact several individuals for whom you are handling property which was left in your care at the time of the recent evacuation.

As you probably know, Poston is a War Relocation area. The War Relocation Authority, which is located on the third floor of the Whitcomb Hotel in San Francisco has set up an Evacuee Property Division for the sole purpose of handling property of evacuees who are located at War Relocation Projects.

We suggest, therefore, that you get in touch with that department in order that they might make any arrangements necessary for you to visit the camp or for such assistance as they might be able to render you.

Yours very truly,

EVERSON /s/

Assistant Cashier

DIRECTED BY MAG. DEPT.
TO MR. EVERSON
REFERRED BY MR. EVERSON

FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF SAN FRANCISCO

FISCAL AGENT OF THE UNITED STATES

125 Monterey Street
Salinas, California
June 23, 1942

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
400 Sansome Street
San Francisco, California

Attn: Evacuee Property Department

Gentlemen: Re: Frank and Takuta Oshita

On the 20th of this month, Bob Silva who has the power of attorney for the above was in and claimed that they had given the State a quit- claim deed for a right of way at the instigation of a man named Huggles, a right of way agent, without consulting him, Silva. He had been conducting the negotiations and also acting for these evacuees.

I advised him to go out and see the evacuees. He went out there and found out that it was true but that the quit- claim deed had not been notarized out there.

Silva, at my suggestion, had ascertained that a proposed survey and plotting of the improvements would cost around $150 so that it was not deemed advisable to incur that expense. It would also take a quiet title suit to get the title in shape.

Silva came back and reported that the boys were sorry they had signed the quit- claim deed and thought they had been high pressured into it through the claim that it was a military road. He wanted me to go talk to the boys which I promised to do. That afternoon I talked to the boys at the camp and suggested that they follow the advice of Silva and their lawyer White, whom they have selected themselves and who seem to be good representatives.

The boys were very anxious for me to meet Silva at Castroville on their place and take a look around so on the 22nd, I went there and looked the whole situation over. The new road runs on a street, which of course will have to be widened through the unincorporated limits of Castroville, pass Silva's house, then pass some vacant property, then pass the Oshita brothers' house and ranch just before it goes on an overpass across the railroad tracks. There has been some damage done to the garage since the road was started as it is askew due to a recent collison. One corner is either in the right of way or very close to it.

Silva and I went over the route together to see what had been done in other places and it developed that the State has been very generous with many people along this new line, moving their houses, painting them, fixing concrete foundations, arranging for their irrigation systems and new approach roads, etc., in many places and there would seem to be no reason why these evacuees should not receive fair treatment. It is stated no agreement has been reached about compensation to be paid.

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Silva had a letter from the boys which had arrived the morning I was there with him, stating they wanted to leave things up to him and their lawyer from now on, that they would not take any action at all and would refer people to him and to the lawyer White, and also that they wanted me to see the State right of way people on their account.

This matter is now in the hands of Silva who has the power of attorney and White who is their attorney, both of Castroville, and it would appear that is a good place to leave it. These men know the local situation, have the confidence of the evacuees, and apparently are competent. However, when I see Clint Slusher, the head of the Right of Way Department in this section for the California Highway Commission, I will discuss the matter with him and see if he thinks these people have been fairly treated.

Mr. Silva also told me that the boys wanted him to sell their Ford V-8 pickup truck for them and this would seem to be a good idea.

Yours very truly

J. F. van Loben Sels
Field Representative,
Salinas

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125 Monterey Street
Salinas, California
June 3, 1942

Oshita, Frank K. & Takuta

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

Attn: Evacuee Property Department

Gentlemen: Re: Frank K. & Takuta Oshita

Bob Silva from Castroville, who has the power of attorney for these boys, called on me yesterday and I took him out to the Camp to see these evacuees so they could further discuss their problems.

It is quite evident that they want Silva to represent them and they appeared satisfied with his efforts. They told him to get their place surveyed near Castroville which the new highway is going to cross and get the buildings, pump and well, and tank spotted so they could see what the place was going to look like after the strip was taken.

They claimed they had a crop of onions planted on the land which is taken and they should be paid for that. They stated they had not made any settlement with the State's representative but merely signed a paper permitting the State to take the property with the understanding that the price of the property taken and the damages would be agreed upon and settled for later.

This is somewhat in variance from what I understood them to say last May 28th when I was out there but is borne out by Silva's statements of what the right of way man told him. They told Silva that if he needed legal advice to get it, preferably through some friend of theirs named White.

I told these boys I had seen their lawyer Mr. Warth and also talked to Judge Jorgensen of our Superior Court about their guardianship and Warth promised to try and attend to the matter this week. The Judge seemed to think that he would agree to the termination of the guardianship if that was what the boys really wanted and if it seemed to be to their best interests. I told them They would have their lawyer bring the matter before him with the proper documents.

Yours truly

J. F. van Loben Sels

J. F. van Loben Sels
Salinas

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4-1-42
(Date)

Name: OSHITA and Frank K. TAKUTA
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Address: Castroville Height St
(Street and Number)

Castroville Cal
(City) (State)

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

Name OSHITA and FRANK TAKUTA
(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: 1928 Born Cal 1921

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

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

Person Interviewed: T. OSHITA

Address: above - brothers

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem: 5½ A improved owned by brothers. Will lease for vegetables. nothing definite. Real & personal property all clear except 1 pickup on contract.

Action taken:* Sent him to his lawyer Sidney L. Church who prepared P. of A. for Robert Silva, ~~Bracuee's~~ friend, of Castroville, who has instructions to will act. Both brothers & Silva satisfied.

van Löben Sels

Handled by: Salinas

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6 " affected

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125 Monterey Street
Salinas, California
May 28, 1942

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

Attn: Evacuee Property Department

Gentlemen: Re: Frank K. & Takuta Oshita Report of 4/1/42

Yesterday, Mr. A. Barton Ruggles, Right of Way Agent, District 4, Division of Highways for the State of California, asked me to go out to the Rodeo Grounds with him so he could meet the 2 Oshita brothers, Frank K. and Takuta, and speak to them about a needed right of way for the new military road near Castroville for the State of California.

It seems that previous to the evacuation an agreement had been reached on price, the time of taking, terms, etc., but that unfortunately, the title is in such a shape that the state cannot accept the deed as it now stands.

These 2 boys appeared before us at different times as shown by their folder and finally left the power of attorney with Robert Silva of Castroville to look after their affairs.

After some talk it was decided that they would let Silva make the arrangements for them and secure legal advice, if necessary, for them and himself.

While there they also brought up the fact that they were now over 21 and did not need a guardian any further and wanted me to help them get rid of their guardian and the expense involved. These arrangements were made heretofore through Attorney A. E. Warth and there certainly did not appear to be any reason why they should continue with this expense or indirect method of doing business.

I telephoned to Mr. Warth and he states that this guardianship was handled by a former law partner of his, Mr. Baker, now head of the California Railroad Commission. The guardian is in custody.

Mr. Warth was anxious enough to help these boys terminate the guardianship but stated it might be difficult to do because, so far as he knew, the guardian had never kept an accounting and certainly they were not in a position to get an accounting brought down to date from him to present to court. Under the circumstances it would seem to me the court might be willing to waive an accounting if the boys so expressed their desire. Mr. Warth said he would see what he could do with the judge and let me know in a day or 2.

Yours very truly,

J. F. Van Loben Sels
Field Representative,
Salinas

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4/25/42
(Date)

Name: Oshita Joichi
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 1851 E. Jefferson
(Street and Number)

Stockton, California
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: x

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

Name OSHITA (Surname) JOICHI (Given)

CLOSED

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

Operating under Treasury Licence now?: 68A

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

Person Interviewed: Same

Address:

Telephone Number: No

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Has arranged all of his farm affairs satisfactorilyw with WCCA.
Owns small home at 1847 E. Jefferson St. which he is leaving in charge of Mexican friend, Francisco Acosta, rent free, as caretaker.
Owns 1939 Ford Sedan. Leaving this on his property on Linden Road in charge of Bob Baker after removing battery, oil and water, demothing cushions, and removing tires and storing them in Stockton.
Says all of his arrangements will now be completed and on satisfactory basis.

Action taken:*

Close file.

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L. S. Weeks
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Supplement to Sec. 14

April 15, 1942
(Date)

Name: Oshita (Surname) (Print) Sakaye and Mrs. (Given) Takeko

Telephone:
Interview:

Address: 2006 Sixth Street
(Street and Number)

Sacramento. (City) California (State)

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

Name (Surname) OSHITA (Given) SAKAYE

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

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

Person Interviewed: Same

Address: Same

Telephone Number: 2-3442

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Real property and equipment for maternity hospital at above address, value about $8000.00. Deed of Trust to client of Artz & Cook, realtors.

Action taken:* SEE ALSO, ARTZ & COOK

Artz & Cook reports today they have accepted Power of Attorney on above.

Case closed.

Sacramento Office

Handled by: R. W. Schmitt

1 interviewed
3 in family

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(mother) + Mrs Takeko

Apr 2 - 1942
(Date)

Name: Oshita (Surname) (Print) Sakaye (Given)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Address: 2006 - 6th St
(Street and Number)

Sacramento (City) Calif (State)

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male: ✓
Female:
Citizenship: USA
mother alien 1925 - Japan

Name OSHITA (Surname) SAKAYE (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: born here -

Operating under Treasury License now?: no

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

Person Interviewed: above

Address: same

Telephone Number: 23442

4 - Hotel Hospital mach & equip

Principal property involved and scope of problem: Has real property and equipment for maternity hospital above address value about $8000.00
Artz & Cook real attys Sacramento represent people who hold D of T. bal due about $1500.00
Mr Cook suggested Oshita give Cook power of attorney to handle property when evacuated -
These people also do their banking with Bank of America 8th & Jst Sacto
Also enquire about auto on sales contract.

Action taken:*
I have refered them to Bank of America for further advice.

Handled by: RWS

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Fiscal Agent of the United States

4-20-42
(Date)

Name: OSHITA SHO
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: Rt. 2 Bx 182
(Street and Number)

Salinas Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: x

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

Name OSHITA (Surname) SHO (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: S. Oshita

Address: as above

Telephone Number: none

Principal property involved and scope of problem: This boy and his family have a lease from Driscoll (the strawberry contracter) on the Grover Tholcke place for about 6.2 acres of berries. They have made a satisfactory arrangement with the F.S.A. agent to turn over their lease to Driscoll. They want to store their personal belongings and household goods for the duration near the place where they expect to return.

Action taken:* Edward Balestra, a neighboring rancher, has a cabin which this family and 1 other berry grower want to put their stuff in with his permission. Suggested they get a written permit from Balestra to use his building for the duration and pay him a nominal sum and leave a copy of the agreement with us. Their car is paid for under brother's name, R. Oshita, and they are intending to store that with the Studebaker dealer in Watsonville.

Handled by: Van Fleet

Directed to file: Salinas

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(S-5055) 1 person interviewed
8 persons affected

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

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May 24, 1942
(Date)

Name: Osthimma Miss Lily
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone: ✓
Interview:

Address: 721 Bush St. Apt 3
(Street and Number)

S. F.
(City) (State)

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male: ✓
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: Mr Young

Address: Schroth Bldg - 240 Stockton St.

Telephone Number: SU. 3224

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Mr Young verified our conversation with Miss Weir to the extent that he has a power of attorney from Miss Osthimma and is diligently trying to liquidate her assets. It was further learned that Mr Young is landlord of building where the beauty shop is and that he and Miss Weir are trying to rent and sell at one and the same time. They consider the shop worth 1500 although Osthimma is willing to take 350.00 for her equipment. In the event that they are unsuccessful in selling the equipment Mr Young will provide storage in her behalf.

Action taken:*

Case closed

Handled by: [signature]

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April 25, 1942

Miss Lily Gattine,
340 Stockton Street, #309,
San Francisco, California.

Dear Madam:

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

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

Yours very truly,

(SIGNED) R. E. EVERSON

Assistant Cashier.

Enclosure.

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

4/30/42
(Date)

Name: Osttima Lily Miss
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone: ✓
Interview:

Address: _____
(Street and Number)

_____
(City) (State)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name
OSTTIMA (Surname)
LILY (MISS) (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: Sutter 5538

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*
According to Miss Pay Weir, who is conducting the business for Miss Osttima, the equipment is still for sale. Miss Ottsima has moved to Chicago. Equipment worth $1200 offered at $500.00. Miss Weir promised to give us Miss Ottsima's addressed when she learns it.
Letter sent 4/25/42

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

3/23/42
(Date)

Name: Oshima (Surname) (Print) Lily - Miss (Given)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Address: 721 Bush St. Apt 3.
(Street and Number)

San Francisco (City) Calif (State)

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

Name OSHIMA (Surname) MISS LILY (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: Sutter ~~4737~~ 5538 - Home Doug-8356

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Miss Oshima has a business, known as "Miss Lily Hairdresser", located at 340 Stockton St Room 309. The Equipment is worth about $500.00 & Rental is on monthly basis. She wanted to know if she should try and sell now or continue her business until ordered to evacuate.

Action taken:*

Suggested she sell as quickly as possible. Believe you will find it more profitable and less confusing, selling now rather than wait until you are notified to evacuate

Fay Weir

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
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(Date)

Name: Oshiwa
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 207 Allston Way
(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 Perkes, Chas. A

Action taken:*

Handled by:

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

(Date)

Name: Ostrom, Irving P.
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview:

Address: _____
(Street and Number)

Fiddle Town Calif
(City) (State)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury license now?: _____

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

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See: Banks
Bank of Alex Brown
Walnut Grove, Calif.

Action taken:*

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

(Date)

Name: Ostrum, Mr.
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview:

Address: Patterson Ranch
(Street and Number)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Courtland, 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: Tagami, Toshiyuki

Action taken:*

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August 20, 1942

Mr. N. E. Eddy
c/o Electric Service
Courtland, California

Filed Field Interview Reports - Tagami, Toshiyuki

Dear Sir:

Reference is made to your letter dated August 18, 1942 outlining the background of a dispute between yourself and an evacuee, Toshiyuki Tagami.

We have reviewed our files in connection with the case and find that they substantially conform to the facts as outlined by you in your letter.

According to our records, on June 6, 1942, Mr. Ostrum, who, we understand, is a son of the landowner of Patterson Ranch, admitted liability. Accordingly, on June 8, 1942, our Sacramento representative addressed a letter to you indicating that Mr. Ostrum would make mutually satisfactory arrangements for disposition of the account, amounting to $23.80. Attention was called, however, to the fact that over a year had elapsed since the original sale to Tagami.

The Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco has interested itself in the property affairs of evacuees in order that equitable and mutually satisfactory arrangements would be negotiated in all property disputes.

In the problem arising between yourself and Tagami, we feel that settlement can best be arranged through your own efforts. In view of Mr. Ostrum's position, representing the landowner's interests, it is suggested that you make a further effort to obtain his cooperation through correspondence and personal contact. Additionally, you are at liberty to correspond with Tagami in an effort to obtain his understanding of where the responsibility lies. In view of the fact that he is now permanently located in a Relocation Project, all such matters pertaining to his affairs now fall within the jurisdiction of the War Relocation Authority.

For your information the official address is Tule Lake War Relocation Project, Post Office Box 813, Tule Lake, California.

It is evident from careful examination of the facts surrounding this case that there is a basic misunderstanding between Mr. Ostrum and yourself. Therefore it is suggested that you take the steps outlined earlier in order to reach a satisfactory conclusion of this problem.

Very truly yours,

R W Borden

Assistant Cashier

R W BORDEN:kcf

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

June 16, 1942
(Date)

Name: OSUGA , PETER T.
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 417 P. 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:* Miss M. Cowan to manage Church Properties to be stored in "Economy Cleaners" No mention of Power of Attorney.

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

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June 3, 1942.
(Date)

Name: Osuga, Peter T.
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 417 P. Street-- Business 419 P. Street
(Street and Number)

Sacramento, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

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

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 April 15, 1942.
See Sacramento list of June 1, 1942.
Private storage problem.

Action taken:*

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States Sac. 307

April 15, 1942
(Date)

Telephone: Bus. 2-3913
Interview: Res. 2-5357

Name: Osuga Peter T.
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 417 P. Street - Business 419 P. Street
(Street and Number)

Sacramento California
(City) (State)

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

Name OSUGA (Surname) PETER T. (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: February 9, 1940

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

Type of Business: Cleaning & Dying
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: X

Person Interviewed: Same

Address: Same

Telephone Number: See Above

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Above adjoining properties belong to his niece "Grace Osuga" - U.S. citizen 23 years of age and now located in Japan. Peter Osuga has made definite arrangements with a Miss M. Cowan - located in the above neighborhood to manage the above properties. House is rented for $35.00 per month. Cleaning and Dying place will be boarded up and floor space will be used for family storage of household and personal effects belonging to members of Peter Osuga's "Christian Church Associates at no cost to them". Says he will insure property - leave all machinery intact, and post notice "not responsible for goods stored" also get O.K. from Building and Fire inspectors of this city - Tenants next door (417 P. Street) will assist Miss Cowan (Manager) in the care of stored effects belonging to said church members.
Says that rent will take care of taxes etc.

Action taken:*

We are encouraging the continuation of this transaction

1 Interview; 5 In family - Storage for almost 20 families - 100 Japanese

Handled by: M. Reichert

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(S-5055) Sacramento Office

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

_____ (Date)

Name: OSUGI, KUMATARO
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 11 CALIFORNIA ST.,
(Street and Number)
SALINAS, 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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FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF SAN FRANCISCO

FISCAL AGENT OF THE UNITED STATES

125 Monterey Street
Salinas, California
May 15, 1942

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

Attn: Evacuee Property Department

Gentlemen:

Reference is made to Kumataro Osugi's file #23, starting 3-24-42.

This man was in several times towards the end of March and the beginning of April discussing arrangements for the care of his property and finally brought in the enclosed letter to Herbert Baltz of the Salinas Valley Realty Co., Inc., 10 East Gabilan, phone 7663, which he had notarized and left a copy with us. We are enclosing copy of same for you.

Osugi owns, clear, on the East side of California Street between Lake and Market Streets opposite the Y. M. B. A. Building and the Buddhist Church, a lot about 50' x 130' with a corrugated iron building on it, 45' x 75', with a very good iron roof and cement floor. He has boarded up the doors and windows except the front door on which there is a padlock and Herbert Baltz has a key to the padlock. The living quarters in the back are also boarded up and it is reported they are full of furniture.

Pursuant to my telephone conversation with the bank, I took Mr. Baltz to the place and we opened the door and looked in. There are 28 cars and 1 pickup truck stored in the premises. They are all blocked up and have been drained. They are packed about as close as it is possible to get them.

There are also stored along the walls 1 boat and furniture and other private belongings from several families.

These cars are reportedly all the property of Japanese evacuees and are supposed to be all paid for although we did not investigate to determine this. The cars vary from expensive machines less than a year old to cars 4 or 5 years old, but they nearly all seem to be in good condition and with good rubber.

Osugi is a native of Japan. The property stands in the name of his wife. Mr. Baltz reports that he does not have the insurance on the buildings although it is his understanding

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that the improvements are insured and he thinks the cars are. His instructions from Osugi are to leave everything as is, unless instructed in writing to do otherwise.

Mr. A. V. Rianda, Jr., 221 Main, phone 4144, real estate dealer reports that he has in his charge 6 cars including 1 pickup and 1 small truck left with him by Japanese evacuees which are stored in various buildings on different places which he has charge of, with instructions to care for them and not to do anything with them unless instructed. In most cases, he does not have the pink slip but he does have the power of attorney. These cars are all stored very close to Salinas but not in town.

Tom Bunn of Bunn and Yuki, owners of the Salinas Valley Vegetable Exchange, Packing Sheds and business and large ranch operators as discussed in our letter to you of April 20th, have 5 cars, 2 trailers and 1 pickup truck stored on the Vierra Ranch which is about at the end of Portugese Lane where it runs into Cooper Road. This ranch is owned by Bunn and Yuki and these are all Japanese evacuees' cars left with them for storage in a large barn without any instructions except to leave them there.

These are the only concentrations that I know of at this time. If you want a more particular investigation made, I will do it.

It should be noted here that Bunn and Yuki, the latter now being in camp, own and operate a very large fleet of large and small trucks, pickups, automobiles and all kinds of tractors and most of this equipment is frequently concentrated at their packing shed on Highway 101 just South of the city limits.

Mr. Bunn called me up today and was buying a pickup from M. Okano, a Japanese alien, for $150 and wanted us to ratify the transaction which we told him was all right with us if it was agreeable to the Japanese and if he had the pink slip properly endorsed and could get the registeration transferred to himself, which he said he could attend to.

Report made 5-16-42

Yours truly

Jas. F. van Loben Sels

J. F. van Loben Sels
Field Representative,
Salinas

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Answered
Annd. by Routine Mail
✓ No Answer Required

VLS/jh
enclosure

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By Norden
Surname

FILE ONLY WHEN SIGNED

Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 13, 1942
(Date)

Name: Osugi Kumataro
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 11 California St.,
(Street and Number)

Salinas, California
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: written report

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Name OSUGI (Surname) KUMATARO (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed: Written report from
Address: Mr. van Loben Sels, Salinas
April 10, 1942
Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Mr. van Loben Sels sent us a group statement of 20 cases, including the following, - digest only - some may have been included in earlier reports.

Mr. Osugi requests information as to how to dispose of his property.

Action taken:* Mr. Osugi has made satisfactory arrangements with the Monterey Co. Trust & Savings Bank and Mr. R. L. Hughes, Vice-President and Herbert Baltz of Salinas Valley Realty Co., Inc., who have taken his power of attorney and will care for property according to his instructions.

Case closed.

Handled by: van Loben Sels

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Directed to file: Wide gen. letter 4-10-42

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COPY

Salinas, California
April 13th, 1942

Mr. Herbert Baltz
Salinas Valley Realty Co.
10 East Gabilan Street
Salinas, California

Dear Mr. Baltz:

This will be your authority to watch over my property at 11 California Street during my evacuation.

This property consists of an Auto Repair and Storage Garage with living quarters in the rear. All equipment and several automobiles will be left in the garage. The living quarters will be left furnished. I intend to lock this property up when I leave and would like to have you inspect it from time to time.

I will forward to you before I leave, an inventory of all equipment left in the garage as well as an inventory of furniture left in the living quarters.

Yours very truly

K. OSUGI /s/
K. Osugi

Salinas 4-13-42

I hereby agree to use my best efforts in the management of the above property.

Herbert Baltz /s/
10 E. Gabilan St.
Salinas, Cal.

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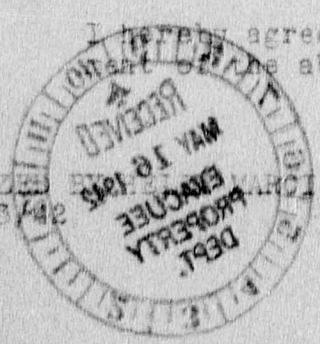
ON 4/13/42



Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

(COPY FROM MEMORANDUM DATED 4/10/42, SALINAS FIELD OFFICE)

Case #23 4/10/42 (Date)

Name: Osugi (Surname) (Print) Kumataro (Given)

Address: 11 California Street, (Street and Number)

Salinas (City) California (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:*

Has reported having made satisfactory arrangements with with Monterey Co. Trust & Savings Bank and Mr. R. L. Hughes, Vice-Pres. and Herbert Baltz of Salinas Valley Realty Co., Inc. who have taken his P. Of A. and will care for property according to his instructions.

Handled by: J.F. van Loben Sels
Field Representative
Directed to file: ~~Salinas~~

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Name Osugi (Surname) Kumataro (Given)

Reserve Bank of San Francisco
l Agent of the United States

23

3-25-42
(Date)

Name: Osugi (Surname) (Print) Kumataro (Given)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Address: 11 California st
(Street and Number)
Salinas (City) Cal (State)

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

Name Osugi (Surname) K (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: 7-32 First 1916

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

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

Person Interviewed: K Osugi
Address: 11 Calif. Salinas
Telephone Number: 7251

Principal property involved and scope of problem: Owns Lot 50'x130' with improvements. Corr. Iron garage & repair shop & service station with wife - MITSUKO - a native American - title in her name. All clear - no debts. Wishes to dispose of stock, take down & store pumps in own Bldg, lock same up for duration, leave & get a job - has one in mind. Wanted F.R.B. to become custodian.

Action taken:* Advised him to see his bank & ask them to assume responsibility either thru Trust Dept. or power of Atty. Phoned his bank. Told him to return if he was not satisfied after seeing Bank. His regular attorney has left town.

1 person interviewed
4 " represented

Handled by: [illegible] Salinas

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

5/5 -
(Date)

Name: OSUMI (Surname) JAMESABURO (Print) (Given) 7756

Address: _____ (Street and Number)

_____ (City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

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

Name OSUMI (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person Interviewed: Mr Osumi

Address: Block A - 3 - 2

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Mr Osumi has a check on Matsuo Okazaki (Tehungchee Co) Farmers & Merchants Bank (90-644) Lodi dated April 10, 1942 which he neglected to cash before being evacuated. He is now in need of funds and wants check cashed. Has been referred to me by camp officials. What provision is or should be made for cashing this and similar checks?

Action taken:*

Told Mr Osumi I would contact him on receipt of definite information on how to handle problem

Handled by: W Gedlough

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Phone 5/11 asked Garlough
obtain more facts re Osmin
Status & told him have Osmin
arrange by correspondence for
banking connection

RWB.

November 7, 1942

MEMORANDUM TO: WAR RELOCATION AUTHORITY

SUBJECT: Division of Evacuee Property - Possible Theft of Evacuee's Goods Stored Privately.

We have received the enclosed communication dated November 5, 1942 from Mr. Audrey E. Baldwin of Stockton, reporting that a store room of a Japanese family named Ota may have been unlawfully entered during the past week.

We are also enclosing a copy of our today's reply to Mr. Baldwin, informing him that the matter has been submitted to your office for consideration and any appropriate action.

Assistant Cashier

Enclosures
[illegible]:krf

November 7, 1942

Mr. Audrey R. Baldwin
R. F. D. No. 6, Box 245
Stockton, California

Dear Sir:

We have received your letter dated November 5, 1942 reporting on the fact that a storage room containing furniture of a Japanese family was broken into.

Inasmuch as the Japanese involved undoubtedly now are resident in a relocation area we are calling your letter to the attention of the War Relocation Authority with headquarters in the Whitcomb Hotel Building, San Francisco, for its information and such action as may be appropriate.

You may receive a communication from that agency, which has jurisdiction over the problems of evacuees who are in relocation areas.

Very truly yours,

Assistant Cashier

cc: War Relocation Authority
Whitcomb Hotel Building
San Francisco, California

HDArmstrong:krf

COPY

Stockton, Calif.
Nov. 5, 1942

Dear Sir:

I have the care of a Japanese farm by the name of OTA about a mile from French Camp. Their furniture was stored in one room. The other five room was rented to a Mr. Pierce. Some time last week the room was broken into through the lower half of the window. I did not go into the room, I just looked in so I dont know if anything was taken. I boarded the window up.

I thot you could tell me what should be done.

I am

Yours truly,

MR. AUDREY E. BALDWIN /s/
R F D No. 6, Box 245
Stockton, Calif.

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

June 24, 1942
(Date)

Name: Ota Mrs Chiyo
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview:

Address: Rt 1 Box 287B
(Street and Number)

Dinuba, Calif
(City) (State)

Changed from old address

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

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person Interviewed: Same

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Refer original report 6/10/42

Mrs Ota called in answer to a note from me.

Action taken:*

Got the white & pink slip for her Ford from Mr Paul and delivered them to her. Got her receipt for the same

Closed

2 In family

Handled by: [illegible]

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(S-5055) 1916 - 11th St Reedley Cal.

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

June 10, 1942
(Date)

Name: Ota Mrs Chiyo
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview:

Address: Route 1 Box 488
(Street and Number)

Reedley, California
(City) (State)

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

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person Interviewed: Same

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

This woman was a voluntary evacuee from the Long Beach area. She has a car which was mortgaged to the Bank of America in that City. After coming here she sold her car to Ben Paul an Armenian living in this district. As a part of the deal she took and old Ford car. Also in the deal the mortgage was transferred from the Long Beach bank to the Reedley Branch of the Bank of America - the mortgage now standing in the name of Ben Paul

~~Action taken~~ Mrs Ota's complaint is that Paul did not complete the deal by giving the pink slip, for the Ford, to her

Action taken

I went to the local bank and explained the situation asking the manager to get Paul to deliver the pink slip to Mrs Ota. He promised to write -

Handled by: [signature]

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Directed to file: [signature]

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

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

July 7, 1942
(Date)

Name: Ota Joe
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 328- 1st
(Street and Number)

Marysville, California
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: X

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

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: 1915

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

6/15/42 one chair sold.

7/6/42 Arrangements [redacted] store balance of the equipment with Federal Reserve Bank.

[redacted] W 3:12

INTERVIEW # 84 Closed

Handled by: K.T. Gregg

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

4/2/42
(Date)

Name: Ota Mitsu-Taro
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 1874 B
(Street and Number)

(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: —

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

Name: OTA (Surname) MITSUTARO (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: 1916.

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

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

Person Interviewed: Dan OTa

Address: Same

Telephone Number: Fillmore 4317

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Interest. ownership in South Manchurian Rail Road Stock

My father owns $300 worth of South Manchurian Rail Road Co Stock, we declared this in our statement to the Foreign Funds Control. Will we get in trouble with the F.B.I. if we keep it.

Action taken:*

No, you have done all that is required of you. If it had been necessary for you to dispose of the stock you would have been instructed as to when & how by the Foreign Funds Control

Handled by: Wagner

*Attach additional pages where necessary
(S-5055) No Involved 4
No Interviewed 1

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

_____ (Date)

Name: Ota O. M. Family No. 4171 Telephone:
(Surname) (Print) (Given) Interview:

Address: Barrack C Unit 11 Adult:
(Street and Number) Minor:
Male:
Female:
Avenue Long Street Citizenship: _____
(City) (State)
Santa Anita, Calif.

Date of last entry into United States: _____

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)

Name (Surname) (Given)

Copy

San Diego, Cal., July 25, 1942

Mr. FRED C. BOLD,

707 S. Spring Street,

Los Angeles, Cal.

Dear Mr:-I am sending to you herewith copy of Mr. O. M. Ota's request to me regarding his trunk. I have interviewed the ACE STORAGE CO., the official repository of the U. S. Government, and the Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco, for instruction and further procedure, and have in turn been duly referred to you, to authorize the Ace Storage Co., of San Diego to release said trunk to Mr. Ota at Santa Anita, pursuant to the ultimate receipt of Mr. Yamada's belongings by him at Camp Livingston, La.

I have been working on this problem for about three months, first trying to locate the property, and by whom it was stored and where, and sincerely hope you can help bring it to a satisfactory conclusion.

The ACE STORAGE CO., asks to be notified, if and when such release is made for Mr. Ota and Mr. Yamada.

I also enclose a communication from Mr. Yamada.

I am pleased to remain,

Very truly yours,

(Signed) Rev. Harris D. Russell

Rev. HARRIS D. RUSSELL,

431 13th Street, San Diego, Cal.

P. S. Mr. Kircher has heretofore been of assistance and council in this and similar matters, relative to Japanese friends who have written to me to act for them. HDR.

Copy

July 15, 1942

Dear Mr. Rummell,

Received your letter concerning the trunk of mine at 410 Market Street. In it, I have a few personal papers of Mr. Yamada but nothing else. Please have the trunk sent to me C. O. D., as I have heard rumors that we will be sent inlands soon. Have written to Yamada, concerning his few papers. Where and what he wants done with it. Most of Mr. Yamada's possession was left in trust with an old friend of his named Kuwahara. There were a few worn out clothes of his, which were not even worth packing, so left that behind. So kindly please send the trunk to me, as soon as possible.

Sincerely yours

(Signed) O. M. Ota Family No. 4171
Bar. 1 - C Unit 11
Avenue Long Street
Santa Anita, California

Evacuee located at Santa Anita Assembly Center, Arcadia, Calif.
Property stored in warehouse at 410 Market Street, San Diego, California.

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

_____ (Date)

Name: Ota T
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview:

Address: _____
(Street and Number)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Colusa
(City) (State)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

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Name
Ota (Surname)
T (Given)

REFERRED BY MR. H.D. ARMSTRONG
TO MR. Everson
MAY 25 1942

FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF SAN FRANCISCO

FISCAL AGENT OF THE UNITED STATES

321 C Street
Marysville, California

REFERRED BY MR. H.D. ARMSTRONG
TO MR. Gregg
MAY 25 1942

May 23, 1942

Mr. R. E. Everson
Evacuee Property Department
500 California Street
San Francisco, California

Dear Mr. Everson:

Your letter of May 21, asked for a fuller explanation of the case of T. Ota, a Colusa barber.

My first call on April 15, necessitated the assistance of an interperter. Mr. and Mrs. Ota are quite old people; Mrs. Ota claiming to be under the care of a doctor. The son who is a mental case seems to be satisfactory as a barber, but never says anything. As best I could I tried to explain that they should prepare themselves for evacuation. Shortly after this I took to Colusa with me, Miss Whitehead of the Welfare Department of the W.C.C.A. She recognized the special situation so we secured as interpreter the head of the J.A.C.L. in Colusa. Much time was spent thinking of different ways of solving the problem of evacuation and closing up the barber shop and the partitioned room where there was a small liquor stock. We learned that a son in Los Angeles was capable of helping these parents, but his efforts to leave Los Angeles and come to Colusa were in vain. The other son, living in Marysville, was not too different than the son in Colusa, and was of no help.

The final conclusion by the Ota's themselven was that since they had ample money, they preferred to continue paying their landlady, Mrs. Joe Errisy, the rent and leave the property as it was. They may have had in mind that the son should be returned and allowed to barber again and the small rental would be considered partly storage, and partly insurance so that at some time the son could return to Colusa and barber. Also, they probably did not wish to uproot themselves too completely. Furthermore, the son in Los Angeles, who is reputed to be very intelligent can possibly assist them more later. I rather insisted that they give Mrs. Errisy power of attorney so she could carry out any further instructions.

I quite agree with you that this all seems too indefinate, but since the old folks have money and positively insisted in proceeding as they did I did not think it my duty to assume further responsibility in the matter.

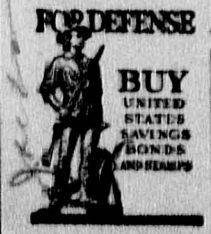
As I said in my report, I asked for the help of the local liquor agent, Mr. McCoy, in disposing of the liquor stock. Mr. Lee Dake, who was with me in my last call at Colusa, may know some of the problems of this case.

Very truly yours,

Kenyon T. Gregg

Kenyon T. Gregg

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



321 C Street
Marysville, Calif.
May 23, 1942

Mr. Kenyon T. Gregg
Federal Reserve Bank Representative
Wartime Civil Control Administration
Marysville, California

Re: T. Ota

Dear Mr. Gregg:

Following is a report of my contact with the Ota family whose business and social problems concerned us both:

Mr. and Mrs. Ota are old and frail, in poor health, and Mrs. Ota, who does most of the talking for the family, is quite excitable. Unlike most elderly Japanese people, they have no one on whom they rely for help in taking care of their affairs or for leadership. The son at home, except for his work in the barber shop has retired almost completely from the world, and is more of a hindrance than help to his parents.

We tried to get permission for the family to move out of Area 1 to a son in Marysville who would help look after them, but who was unwilling to enter the area and be evacuated with them. Permission was denied by the Provost Marshal of the Western Defense Command on the basis that, because of the senility and mental unbalance, the family might become prey to possible violence or other difficulties. The more we saw of this son, however, the less disappointed we were that the family were not allowed to join him, as he seemed to have little interest in his parents or their affairs.

Another son, James Ota, of 697½ Euclid Ave., Los Angeles, to whom we wrote, tried to get permission to join his parents for evacuation. He phoned them to discuss their business affairs. However, the WCCA office in Los Angeles reported to us that business and social reasons had prevented his joining the family, and after talking to them, he had decided they could manage without his assistance. James told this worker that if he were unable to join his family before evacuation, he would try to make arrangements to be united with them in an Assembly Center. We hope this plan can be worked out as we understand from neighbors

that James is an exceptionally intelligent and up-and-coming person. He may also be able to influence his parents to dispose of their business through the arrangements made with Mrs. Irrisy, as they themselves were very reluctant to give it up entirely.

Very sincerely,

Wartime Civil Control Administration

(Miss) Evelyn Whitehead
Public Assistance Worker



May 21, 1942

Mr. Kenyon T. Gregg, Field Representative
321 C Street
Marysville, California

Dear Sir:

We have reviewed the case of T. Ota, a Colusa barber.

Frankly, we are unable to conclude that this case has been equitably closed. From the very brief facts included, it is difficult to understand why you urged the Ota family to pay rent several months in advance and further to allow the landlady to sell or store the equipment.

We would be pleased to have you enlighten us in detail with a full review of this case.

Very truly yours,

R.M.[illegible]:GW.

Assistant Cashier

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

May 19, 1942
(Date)

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

Telephone:
Interview:

Address: _____
(Street and Number)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Colusa
(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:

Have small stock of liquor. They say license will soon be revoked and wholesalers will take liquor back. Wish to plan with Mrs. Joe Errisy. Mrs. Errisy will accept rent for 10 months and they will store their equipment. Called Mr. McCoy, liquor agent and insisted that the liquor stock is disposed of.

May 7. Mr. McCoy thought Superior Liquor Co. was to come any time and remove stock.

May 16. Power of Attorney given Mrs. Errisy to rent or sell.

Closed.

Action taken:*

Area #1

Handled by: K. T. Gregg
Marysville

Directed to file: _____

*Attach additional pages where necessary
(S-5055)

COPIED FROM FIELD OFFICE MEMO -- MARYSVILLE DISTRICT

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

May 8, 1942
(Date)

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

Address: Colusa California
(Street and Number)

(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Name OTA (Surname) T. (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business: Barber-shop
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Re: T. Ota

These old people are a problem because of age, and one son who is not normal mentally. We have encouraged their paying rent eight months in advance. They have given Mrs. Errisy, their landlady, the keys to the business and she will try to sell barber-shop. The liquor stock in adjacent storeroom will be moved Monday, so Mr. McCoy, the liquor agent assures me. Personal packing about done. Have arranged for two bachelors to personally help these old people in actual evacuation.

Action taken:*

Area #1

Handled by:

*Attach additional pages where necessary
(S-5055)

Directed to file:

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

May 8, 1942
(Date)

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

Telephone:
Interview:

Address: 635 Main
(Street and Number)

Colusa, Calif.
(City) (State)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: Alien

Name OTA (Surname) T. (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: 15 Years

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 Marysville Memo of May 8, 1942)

Ota, T.. These old people are a problem because of age, and one son who is not normal mentally. We have encouraged their paying rent eight months in advance. They have given Mrs. Errisy, their landlady the keys to business and she will try to sell barber-shop. The liquor stock in adjacent store room will be moved Monday, so Mr. McCoy, the liquor agent assures me. Personal packing about done. Have arranged for two batchelors to personally help these old people in actual evacuation.

Action taken:*

Rec'd 5/21
Wright Field Rep
Marysville

Area #1

Handled by: Marysville

Directed to File:

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

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

April 17, 1942
(Date)

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

Address: 635 - Main
(Street and Number)

Colusa California
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: x

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

Name OTA (Surname) T. (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: 15 yrs.

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Barber Shop. Rents for $15.00 to Mrs. Joe Ersey. Owes no money and reputed to be well fixed financially. Plan to store with Japanese School.
Son, age 40, of questionable mentality.
Old folks near senility.

Action taken:* Some health problem. Referred to Miss Whitehead.

3 represented (father, mother, son)

Area #1

INTERVIEW # 96.

Handled by: K. T. Gregg
Marysville

*Attach additional pages where necessary
(S-5055)

Directed to file:

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

July 6, 1942
(Date)

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

Address: _____
(Street and Number)

Marysville, 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:

Marysville Weekly report of July 3, 1942

Evacuation will automatically close

Action taken:*

Handled by: Marysville

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

Directed to File: _____

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

June 15 1942
(Date)

Name: OTA, JOE
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 328 - 1st
(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:

Marysville Memo of June 11, 1942 states:
"Will store in safe"

Action taken:*

Handled by: Marysville

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

Directed to File:

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

April 15, 1942
(Date)

Name: Ota Joe
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 328 - 1st
(Street and Number)

Marysville, California
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: X

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

Name OTA (Surname) JOE (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: 1915

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Mr. Ota has a barber shop. Worth about $200.00. Wishes to retain equipment with hope that he could send for it and have it in final camp.

Area 2

Action taken:*

Told him Mr. Sheridan of Yuba City can handle private storage.

Area #2 still operating - no problem

INTERVIEW # 84

1 person interviewed

Handled by: K. T. Gregg
~~Marysville~~

*Attach additional pages where necessary
(S-5055)

Directed to file: _____

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

June 4, 1942
(Date)

Name: Ota, Yasuka
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: P. O. Box 147
(Street and Number)

Coyote, California
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

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

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Refers to report of April 6, 1942.

After consideration Yasuka decided to place Mr. Dayton of the Castle Seed Co. in charge of the distribution of plants. 5/27/42

Action taken:*

Handled by: San Jose

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

Directed to File:

(Surname) (Given) Name

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

April 6, 1942.
(Date)

Name: OTA (Surname) Yasuka (Print) (Given)

Address: P. O. Box 147
(Street and Number)

Coyote (City) California (State)

Telephone:
Interview: x

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

Name: OTA (Surname) Yasuka (Given)

Joseph Oliva, also interviewed.

Date of last entry into United States: born here

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

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

Person Interviewed: Same

Address: "

Telephone Number: Ballard 104-J-1

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Yasuka is the eldest in her family, her father being dead. She is carrying on the business of raising tomato plants which her father developed and has conducted for years.

The Ota family has a record of never failing in their deliveries. This year their contracts aggregate 500,000 plants to be used all over the valley by tomato growers.

After consideration Yasuka decided to place Mr. Dayton of the Castle Rock Co in charge of the distribution of plants.

5/27/42

Action taken:*

After discussion, it was decided to have her attorney, Mr. Peckham, draw a power of attorney for Joseph Oliva, (Ballard 8497) a large farmer, friend and neighbor, to conduct the business and fill all contracts.

2 interviewed - 7 dependents.

H. E. Templeman

Handled by: San Jose

Directed to file: _____

*Attach additional pages where necessary

(S-5055)

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

May 25, 1942
(Date)

Name: Otani Bros.
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: Rt. 1, Box 326
(Street and Number)

Petaluma, California
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

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

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:

Re: Amount due Otani Bros. from Bandar and Polansky of 1175 Market Street, San Francisco.

Check in the amount of $50.00 received from Bandar and Polansky this date payable to Otani Bros.

Action taken:*

Letter written to George Otani at Merced Assembly Center requesting instructions as to disposition of check. Letter attached.

Handled by: RWK

*Attach additional pages where necessary
(8-5055)

Directed to file:
Field Representative
Santa Rosa

503-3rd. Street, Santa Rosa, California

May 25, 1942

George Otani
Ward F
Merced Assembly Center
Merced, California

Dear Sir:

I have received a check in the amount of $50.00 from Mandar and Polansky of 1175 Market Street, San Francisco.

Please advise me if you wish to have the check sent to you and what your proper address is, or if you wish to have same deposited to your account, and if so, in what bank.

Yours very truly,

Ross W Knight

Ross W. Knight
Field Representative
Santa Rosa, California

RWK:arw

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

April 28, 1942.
(Date)

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

Address: Rt. 1 Box 326
(Street and Number)

Petaluma (City) California (State)

Telephone:
Interview: x

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

Name OTANI (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:

Re: Japanese Buddist Temple (Enmanji). xR

The office of Secretary-Treasure of the temple was transferred from name of George Nakano, who is now interned, to George Otani.

Mr. Otani has received a bill in the amount of approximately $45.00. The temple funds are frozen in the Sonoma County Bank of Sebastopol.

Action taken:*

Mr. Otani wishes to know if this amount may be released in that the bill may be paid before evacuation.

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Handled by: [signature]

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

Directed to file: _____
Field Representative
Santa Rosa

talked Knight phone 4/29 Otani returning with complete data & will post file TFE-1 [initials]

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

April 28, 1942.
(Date)

X7

Name: Otani Bros.
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview: x

Address: Rt. 1 Box 326
(Street and Number)

Petaluma California
(City) (State)

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

Name OTANI BROS.
(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: Petaluma 68F5

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Re: Bill.

Amount due for eggs purchased on open account from Otani Bros. by Levy Crystal Palace Market, 8th & Market Sts., San Francisco on March 23rd $14.85 and March 25th $19.95, with 45 cents as a previous balance due.

Action taken:*

Letter written April 28th to Levy asking that amount be paid. ~~Copy attached.~~

Filed Santa Rosa

Handled by: RWK

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

Directed to file: _____
Field Representative
Santa Rosa.

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

April 24, 1942.
(Date)

Name: Otani Hiroshi Harry
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: Rt. 1 Box 822
(Street and Number)

Petaluma California
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: x

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

Name OTANI (Surname) HIROSHI HARRY (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:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Re: Poultry Farm.

Reported to this office that new tennant of Property is J. Andresen, with Power of Attorney given Mr. Bean of Petaluma.

Action taken:*

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APR 25 1942
EVACUEE
PROPERTY
UNIT

Handled by:

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

Directed to file:
Field Representative
Santa Rosa.

503 Third Street
Santa Rosa, California
April 28, 1942.

Levy Crystal Palace Market
8th & Market Sts.
San Francisco, California

Gentlemen:

Your letter sent to the Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco received in this office. The accounting enclosed in the letter corresponds to Mr. Otani's books.

There were, however, delivered on March 23rd and March 25th, eggs in the amount of $34.80. We note there was also a balance of 45 cents due the Otani's, as of your records.

We would appreciate if you would mail a check covering these amounts either direct to the Otani Bros. Petaluma, California, or to this office.

We attached the duplicate sales slips covering these transactions.

Very truly yours,

RWK

Field Representative
Santa Rosa

RWK/ef
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APR 29 1942
EVACUEE PROPERTY DEPT.

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

April 16, 1942
(Date)

Name: Otani Bros.
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: Rt. 1, Box 326
(Street and Number)

Petaluma, California
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: Yes

Name OTANI (Surname) BROS. (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:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Re: Letters were written to Bandar and Polansky, Mr. Frankel, and Mr. Levey, at the request of Otani Bros. with view of settlement of above account.

Action taken:*

Handled by: RWK

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

Directed to file:

Field Representative
Santa Rosa

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

March 27, 1942
(Date)

Name: Otani (Surname) Harold (Given)

Telephone:
Interview: x

Address: Rt. 1, Box 622
(Street and Number)

Petaluma, California
(City) (State)

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

Name OTANI (Surname) HAROLD (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: Born here, resided since

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

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

Person Interviewed: Same as above

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Ten acres (Mortgaged to the Bank of America, Petaluma Branch)

Four-room dwelling house

Four Chicken houses; barn, pump house and pump.

Inquired as to offering the above property for sale or if unable to effect sale could the property be leased and now best to handle the matter.

Action taken:*

Ascertained the above person had transacted business with Mrs. Ethel Clothier of Cotati and had faith in her judgement and ability. Advised Mr. Otani place property in the hands of Mrs. Clothier, giving her limited power of attorney if so desired to handle property and any assets.

Handled by: RWS

*Attach additional pages where necessary

(S-5055) 1 person interviewed
1 person interested

Directed to file:
Field Representative
Santa Rosa

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

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July 7th 1942
(Date)

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

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Address: 402 A = E. CENTER ST
(Street and Number)

VISALIA CALIFORNIA
(City) (State)

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

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: Never Out

Operating under Treasury license now?: No

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

Person Interviewed: Same

Address: "

Telephone Number: 1864

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

1941 = DELUX DE SOTO
4 DR SEDAN
5 GOOD TIRES
RADIO - SEAT COVERS

NO OTHER PROBLEMS

Action taken:*

HAS NOT SET PRICE.
WILL CALL US WHEN HE DECIDES

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J. PERSON

Handled by: [signature]

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Directed to file:

(S-5055)

500 NORTH GARDEN
VISALIA, CALIF.

REFERRED BY MR. DAVIS
TO MR. Drouah

October 26, 1942

Portland Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Fnacisco
P. O. Box 3456
Portland, Oregon

Attn: Evacuee Storage Division

Gentlemen:

We would appreciate in knowing whether you could ship to us a sewing machine which we have stored with the Oregon Transfer Company, Warehouse #5, 733 N. W. Everett Street, Portland, Oregon.

The storage tag number is 37 or 38 but it should be distinguishable since it is a large box like affair. Our family number is 19830.

Kindly tell us as soon as possible if it is possible to have it shipped here.

Yours truly,

K. Otani

K. Otani
W.R.A.
Building 1617, Apt. C
Tule Lake, Calif.

Answer
Reply by Routine Mail
No Answer Required
Approved for File

COPY

November 2, 1942

MEMORANDUM TO: WAR RELOCATION AUTHORITY

SUBJECT: Forwarding of goods of evacuees in storage.

We are enclosing two copies of letters received from Evacuees, K. OTANI, located at Tule Lake War Relocation Project, and Roy Hirai, c/o L. Goulet, Nyssa, Oregon, in which they request the forwarding of certain personal proprerty stored with this bank.

The evacuees have been informed of the reference to you of their inquiries. We previously submitted an inquiry to you from Roy Hirai on September 11, 1942.

EVERSON /s/

Assistant Cashier

Enclosures
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PORTLAND BRANCH
FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF SAN FRANCISCO

Evacuee Property Department

October 30, 1942

K. Otani
War Relocation Authority
Building 1617, Apt. C
Tule Lake, California

Dear Mr. Otani:

Your inquiry of October 26, 1942 has been turned over to the San Francisco Office of the War Relocation Authority, since this agency is now handling property problems. No doubt you will hear from the new agency in the near future.

Very truly yours,

Managing Director



Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco

COPY

PORTLAND BRANCH

TO: HEAD OFFICE

DATE October 30, 1942

SUBJECT: Evacuee Property Department
(K. Otani)

Attached is an inquiry received from the subject and a copy of our reply thereto.

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(Signed) D. L. Davis

Managing Director

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

_____
(Date)

Name: OTANI MANZO
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 170 - 11th Ave
(Street and Number)

Seattle, 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: _____

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Directed to file: _____

(S-5055)

March 16, 1942

Manzo Otani
dba Star Apartments,
170 - 11th Avenue,
Seattle, 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.

Gillin/jm

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

(Date)

Name: OTANI NOBORU
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: _____
(Street and Number)

_____
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Family No. 13711-B

Date of last entry into United States: _____

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)

Name (Surname) (Given)

OTANI, Noboru
160-6
WCCA Assembly Center
Tanforan, San Bruno, California

7/2/42 - Sold 1930 DeSoto 8 to Army. Have white and pink slips been received from San Francisco Motor Vehicle Department ? Payment has not been received.

7/3/42 - Slips received. Payment will be made shortly. Check will be issued about July 23, 1942.

7/29/42 - Paid.

WEINSTOCK
(Tanforan)

July 3, 1942

Mr. Noburo Otani,
W.C.C.A. Assembly Center,
Tanforan Race Track,
San Bruno, California.

Subject: Family No. (19) 137118

Dear Sir:

Our field representative, Mr. Robert Weinstock, has informed us that you are anxious to know when your car would be sold to the Army.

For your information, we wish to state that your file has just been put into order by the receipt of the registration and ownership certificates from Sacramento, California.

In a very short time, therefore, the Army will pick up your car with various others and a check will then be remitted to you.

Yours very truly,

Assistant Cashier

G.Tiaffay:rew

June 11, 1942

Family No. 19-13711-B

Department of Motor Vehicles
Division of Registration
Sacramento, California

Dear Sirs:

We have in storage at Tanforan Assembly Center the following described automobile in the name of Noburu Otani:

DeSoto 30-8 Sedan
Serial No. L136HS
Engine No. CF14524B
License No. 61 H 954

Mr. Otani advises us that he sent the registration and ownership certificates to Sacramento about April 15, 1942, requesting at that time that the new certificates be mailed to him at 1825 Fairview, Berkeley. On May 1, however, Mr. Otan was evacuated and left no change of address with the post office.

He now informs us that he wishes the certificates mailed to the Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco, which request he claims he made to you in writing around May 5.

It is necessary to have these certificates in connection with the disposition of evacuee property and we would therefore appreciate your early reply.

Very truly yours,

Assistant Cashier

G.M.Tiaffey
EB

May 22, 1942

Mr. Hoborn Otani,
S.W.C.C.A. Assembly Center,
Tanforan Race Track,
San Bruno, California. Family No. 13711-B

Dear Sir:

With reference to the DeSoto Sedan which you turned over to this bank for sale to the United States Army, we find that we have not yet received the white registration certificate and the pink ownership certificate.

If these certificates have come into your possession, will you please endorse the white certificate on the back and the pink ownership certificate on lines 1 and 2 on the back thereof, forwarding both certificates to us in the enclosed return envelope at your earliest convenience?

Yours very truly,

Assistant Cashier.

Enclosure

WSMurray
KLN

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

June 18, 1942
(Date)

Name: OTANI, T (Treasurer)
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: California Berry Exchange
2630 5th Street
(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:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See DUN & BRADSTREET, INC - SAC 659

See California Berry Exchange
S. Sakuma, Vice President
Y. Kiino, Secretary-Treasurer

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 340

Apr 16 1942
(Date)

Name: Otani (Surname) William M (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Address: Rt 2 Box 114 (Street and Number)
Woodland (City) Calif (State)

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

Name OTANI (Surname) WILLIAM M. (Given)

Closed

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person Interviewed: _____
Address: Same
Telephone Number: ✓

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Mr & Mrs. Otani were in to report that they had a caretaker for their 5 room home, for the duration of the war - Also have a farm that they are leaving, have made arrangements for the lessor to take over in their absence - called in to report these activities.

Action taken:*

Handled by: Allender

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

_____ (Date)

Name: Oto (Surname) (Print) Harnyc (Given)

Telephone:
Interview:

Address: _____ (Street and Number)

Fresno (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: _____

(S-5055)

April 21, 1942

Mr. Samuel F. Hollins.
Attorney-at-Law,
Fresno, California.

Dear Sir:

Acknowledgment is made of the copy of the instrument between Haruye Oto and O. F. Shirah, drawn by yourself.

The Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco is not undertaking to examine or approve all legal transactions between parties affected by evacuation. However, if such parties, either the evacuees or those to whom evacuees' interests have been assigned, come to us for advice, we are happy to express an impartial opinion.

We are pleased to have received a copy of the aforementioned lease and based on the assumption that both parties are mutually agreed as to its terms, we shall not find it necessary to pursue this transaction further unless unforeseen problems develop.

Thanking you for your cooperation, we are

Very truly yours,

Assistant Cashier.

RWBorden
ELN

SAMUEL F. HOLLINS
Attorney at Law
Fresno, California

REFERRED BY MR. H.D. ARMSTRONG
TO MR. [illegible]
APR 20 1942

April 16, 1942

Federal Reserve Bank,
San Francisco, California.

Gentlemen:

I am enclosing herewith copy of lease drawn from an American born Japanese to an American, which I understand regulations require it be filed with you.

Please acknowledge receipt and confirm my understanding.

Yours very truly,

SAMUEL F. HOLLINS (Signed)

SFH/mz

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

Direct to File
By _____
Surname

FILE ONLY WHEN SIGNED

DUPLICATE ORIGINAL

THIS INDENTURE made this 13th day of April, 1942,

W I T N E S S E T H:

That HARUYE UOTA OTO, of the County of Fresno, State of California, hereinafter called the Lessor, does hereby lease, demise and let unto O. F. SHIRAH, of the same county and state, hereinafter called the Lessee, the following described real property situate in the County of Fresno, State of California, to wit:

The Southwest quarter of the Southwest Quarter of Section 10, Township 16 South, Range 20 East, M.D.B. & m.

To have and to hold for the period of thirty-one months and seventeen days, to wit, from the 13th day of April, 1942, to the 1st day of December, 1944, yielding and paying as rent therefor, the rent of $2400.00 lawful money of the United States of America; and the Lessee promises to pay said rent in such lawful money of the United States of America as follows, to wit:

$400.00, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged;

$400.00, within ~~ten~~ seventeen days from date hereof;

$800.00, on December 1, 1942; and

$800.00, on December 1, 1943.

Lessee agrees to quit and deliver up said premises to the Lessor, or his agent or attorney, peaceably and quietly at the end of the term, in as good order and condition as the same now are, or may be put into, reasonable use and wear thereof and damages by the elements excepted; and Lessee agrees not to make or suffer any waste thereon nor to lease or underlet the premises without the written permit of the Lessor thereto in writing having been first obtained.

The Lessor may enter to view and make improvements on

the ranch and the Lessor may expel the Lessee if the Lessee shall fail to pay the rent as aforesaid, or make or suffer any waste thereon.

Should default be made in the payment of any portion of the rent when due and for three days thereafter, said Lessor, his agent or attorney, may re-enter and take possession and at his option terminate this lease.

It is understood that said ranch is now improved to Thompson grape vines and plum trees and the Lessee agrees at the proper times to prune, cultivate and irrigate said trees and vines, according to the usual practice of farming same in the community in which said land is located, to the end that the trees and vines are kept in a healthy growing condition.

The Lessee agrees that no vines or trees shall be pulled out unless the same die or are so badly diseased that good farming practice require they be pulled out.

The Lessor agrees that the Lessee shall have the use of the farming implements, equipment and tools, a list of which is attached hereto and by express reference made a part hereof, and the Lessee agrees to keep the said farming equipment and implements in a good state of repair, usual wear and tear excepted.

It is agreed that the cash rental for the second and third years of the term shall be paid to the Lessor through the Kerman National Farm Loan Association.

The Lessee agrees to keep all the property in a good state of repair, including the two pumping plants located upon said property, at his own cost and expense.

In consideration of the foregoing lease, it is further agreed by and between the parties hereto that the lessee shall have the option to purchase said premises upon the following terms and conditions:

To pay to said lessor the sum of Sixty Five Hundred Dollars ($6500.00) minus the balance due the Federal Land Bank; if this option is exercised within one year from date of this lease then the lessee is to be credited with the amount of the first year's cash rental, towit: $800.00, less the amount the lessor has paid for state, county and irrigation taxes, insurance premiums on the buildings, if any, and interest only, on the Federal Land Bank loan from the date of the lease to the date of exercising the option.

If the option is exercised during either the second or third year, the purchase price is not to be $6500.00, but is to be the amount to be fixed by appraisers, and the valuation shall be submitted for appraisement by a committee of three disinterested persons, one selected by each party hereto and the third by the two thus selected; and the decision of such committee shall be accepted by both parties.

If this option is exercised within the second year of this lease then the lessee is to be credited with none of the first year's rent, but with $400.00 of the second year's rent if he has paid it, minus state, county and irrigation taxes and insurance premiums on the buildings, if any, and interest only on the Federal Land Bank loan from the date of the lease to the date of the exercising of the option, which the lessor has paid.

If this option is exercised within the third year of this lease then the lessee is to be credited with none of the first and second years' rent, but with $200.00 of the third years' rent if he has paid it, minus the state, county and irrigation taxes and insurance premiums on the buildings, if any, and interest only, on the Federal Land Bank loan from the date of the lease to the date of the exercising of the option, which the lessor has paid.

In the event the option herein granted is exercised,

then one-half of the oil and mineral rights are to be reserved to the lessor.

In case the option herein contained is exercised, the lessor's equity above the Federal Land Bank Loan, is to be paid in cash.

In case the lessor is unavailable to collect the rent herein agreed to be paid, it is agreed that the same may be paid to the Secretary of the Kerman National Farm Loan Association for the account of the lessor.

The word "lessor" wherever it occurs in this lease, shall include his heirs and assigns; and the word "lessee" herein shall include his executors, administrators, and assigns.

WITNESS the names of said lessor and lessee hereunto signed, the day and year first above written.

Haruye Uota Oto
Lessor

O. F. Shirah
Lessee

STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
County of Fresno } ss.

On this 16 day of April in the year one thousand nine hundred and forty two before me, Samuel F. Hollins a Notary Public in and for said County and State residing therein, duly commissioned and sworn, personally appeared HARUYE UOTA OTO and O. F. SHIRAH

known to me to be the person.... described in, whose names are subscribed to and who executed the within instrument, and acknowledged that they executed the same.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal at my office in said County, the day and year in this Certificate first above written.

Samuel F. Hollins
Notary Public in and for said County and State.

ACKMT. GENERAL
H. S. Crocker Co.—PRINTED IN FRESNO

EXHIBIT "A"

1 Vineyard truck

500 trays

1 single plow

100 picking boxes

1 revolving harrow

1 brush rake

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

Supplement Sac. 317

May 8, 1942
(Date)

Name: Oto (Surname) Shizuko (Print) (Given)

Address: 6200 S. Street
(Street and Number)

Sacramento (City) California (State)

Telephone:
Interview: x

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

Name Oto (Surname) Shizuko (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:

Storage of household goods.

Action taken:*

Miss Oto reports everything taken care of.

Case Closed

Handled by McFarland

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Directed to file: _____

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Sacramento Office

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

Sac. Supplement 144

May 5, 1942
(Date)

Name: Oto (Surname) (Print) Yoshio (Given)

Address: 6200 S. Street (Street and Number)

Sacramento (City) California (State)

Telephone:
Interview: x

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

Name: OTO (Surname) Yoshio (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:

Still have growing vegetable crops of about
1½ acres onions
1½ " lettuce
¼ " peas
some cabbage

Rent paid up to June
Rental $175.00 - about 10 acres.

Action taken:*

Tractor and impliments sold to C. Breuner and settlement completed.
Referred to F. S. A. to dispose of growing crop.

Handled by: Schmitt

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Sacramento Office

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

Sac. 317

April 15, 1942
(Date)

Name: Oto Shizuko
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 6200 S. Street
(Street and Number)

Sacramento California
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: X

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

Name OTO (Surname) SHIZUKO (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: Born - Sacramento 1919 - Visited Japan in 1924

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

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

Person Interviewed: Same

Address: Same

Telephone Number: No - Neighbor's

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Want to know about storage of household goods.

Action taken:*

Reviewed storage question with above Miss Oto
Supplied her with a W. C. C. A. For - F. R. B. - 2

Interviewed
Represented

Sacramento Office

Handled by: M. Richert

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

Supplement to Sac. 144

May 11, 1942
(Date)

Name: Oto, Yoshio
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 6200 S Street
(Street and Number)

Sacramento, California
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: x

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

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: 1926

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

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

Person Interviewed: Same

Address: Same

Telephone Number: ---

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See our problem cases dated April 2, April 27, and May 5.

Action taken:*

We finally have found him a man to buy lease and crop. The new tenant has had a loan approved through F.S.A. and when money, $350.00, arrives here, we have arranged to have same deposited to his account, Bank of America, 6th & K Streets.

Sacramento Office

1 Interviewed
9 in Family

Handled by: R.M.Schmitt

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

Supplement to Sac. 144

April 27, 1942
(Date)

Name: Oto, Yoshio
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 6200 S Street
(Street and Number)

Sacramento, California
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: x

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

Name OTO (Surname) YOSHIO (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: 1926

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

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

Person Interviewed: Same

Address: Same

Telephone Number: none

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Refer to our problem of April 2, 1942.

Has a prospective buyer and tenant.
Waiting for satisfactory check-up on
credit rating.

Action taken:*

I called International Harvester agent who will assist in arranging a deal that will be acceptable to both parties.

1 Interviewed
9 Represented

Sacramento Office

Handled by: R. H. Schmitt

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco Sac 144
Fiscal Agent of the United States

4/2/42
(Date)

Name: Oto (Surname) (Print) Yoshio (Given)

Address: 6200 - S. St (Street and Number)

Sacramento (City) Calif (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

Name OTO (Surname) YOSHIO (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: 1926

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

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

Person Interviewed: above

Address: same

Telephone Number: —

Principal property involved and scope of problem: Have 10 acres truck garden $175.00 annual cash rent. payments semi annualy Also some equipment with contract of sale to International Har Co. Also some House Hold goods on contract sale

Wants to sell out - or sublet
1 Will continue to operate - until further developements
Wants to sell some personal property
2 Has also a Stall at Free Market

Action taken:*
advised to continue operations
and try to dispose of property as a unit.

Handled by: BWS

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(S-5055) 1 Int - 9 in family.

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

(Date)

Name: OTSUBO SHOTARO (Print) <WHITE HOTEL>

Address: 307 S. CENTER (Street and Number)

STOCKTON, 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 Hotels

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

* Attach additional pages where necessary

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

_____ (Date)

Name: Otsuji, Ted Tadayoshi
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview:

Address: Box 36
(Street and Number)

Concord 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: Laundries
Home Laundry

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

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

_____ (Date)

Name: OTSUKA (Surname) _____ (Print) FRANK (Given)

Address: Spring Valley (Street and Number) 8

_____ (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: _____

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C
O
P
Y

WM. W. D. SEYMOUR

Attorney at Law

Commonwealth Building
San Diego, California

June 24, 1942

Federal Reserve Bank
San Francisco, California

Gentlemen:

Will you be kind enough to call this to the attention of the one who has charge of looking after the property interests of the evacuated Japanese.

I am writing you concerning the interests of one, Frank Otsuka, who, for years before his recent evacuation was farming land in Spring Valley, San Diego County, California, owned by Mrs. Harrison Allbright. When Otsuka was taken to the concentration camp, he made arrangements with Harrison Allbright, Jr., son of the owner of the land, to have the crops harvested and marketed by a Thomas Garcia. The money was to be paid to Mr. Allbright, who was to pay Mr. Garcia one-third of the proceeds after deducting the necessary costs, and was to deposit the balance in the Bank of America in San Diego to Mr. Otsuka's credit.

I am informed by Mr. Allbright that Mr. Garcia is harvesting and selling these crops and refuses to account for the proceeds. The value of the crops is estimated at between $1,500 and $2,000 Dollars.

Both Mr. Allbright and I have taken the matter up with Mr. Trank of the U. S. Farm Security Bureau, but have been unable to get any action. Mr. Allbright feels that inasmuch as any action he took would be chiefly for the protection of Mr. Otsuka's interests, that he should not be compelled to the time and expense of civil litigation and that it is up to the Federal Government to see that Mr. Otsuka's interests are protected.

Will you be kind enough to see what you can do about this matter, and let me know at an early date.

Yours very truly,

(s) W. W. D. SEYMOUR

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

May 28, 1942
(Date)

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

Address: 2234 Monroe Road
(Street and Number)

Santa Rosa, California
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: Yes

Name OTSUKA (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:

Refers to report of March 23, 1942.

(See Santa Rosa letter of May 26, 1942)

Apple drying equipment reported sold.

Action taken:*

Handled by: Santa Rosa

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

April 14, 1942
(Date)

Telephone:
Interview: x

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

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

Address: 2234 Monroe Road
(Street and Number)

Santa Rosa, California
(City) (State)

Date of last entry into United States: 1919

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed: George Otsuka

Address: Same

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Re: Automobile and furniture.

Mr. Otsuka owns a 1942 Chevrolet and wanted information regarding government storage of the automobile, trailer, and furniture.

Action taken:*

Explained about the storage or sale of the automobile by the government and advised that proper care be taken of the furniture and that it be stored temporarily in Nippon Hall, Sebastopol.

Handled by:

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(S-5055) 1.person interviewed

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Field Representative
Santa Rosa

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

Closed

April 2, 1942
(Date)

Telephone:
Interview: X

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

Address: 2234 Monroe Road
(Street and Number)

Santa Rosa, California
(City) (State)

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

Name Otsuka (Surname) George (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: 371J S. R.

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Sold truck. Wanted to know how to solve problem of moving belongings. He has ten sacks of rice. Wanted to know if some of them could be taken in evacuation.

Action taken:*

Advised the rice be sold, personal belonging be taken, and furniture be crated to be stored by government and shipped to owner when located.

Handled by: R [illegible]

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(S-5055) 1 person interviewed
5 persons represented

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Field Representative
Santa Rosa

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

March 23, 1942
(Date)

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

Address: 2234 Monroe Road
(Street and Number)

Santa Rosa Calif
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: x

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

Name OTSUKA (Surname) GEORGE (Given)

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

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: x
Apple drying equipment

Person Interviewed. same as above

Address:

Telephone Number

Principal property involved and scope of problem

G.E. ½ H.P. electric motor, blower & shield

3 Rival hand peelers

80- 32 inch square trays

1 Fairbanks Scale

300± Apple sacks

Method of selling & price

Action taken:*

Discussed approximate value of above property, and Offers received.

Advised further conference between owner & prospective buyers and to report to this office if unable to effect satisfactory sale.

Handled by: RWK

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(S-5055) 4 persons

Directed to file:

Field Representative
Santa Rosa

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

_____ (Date)

Name: Otsuka, Nawee
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 132 E. Lafayette St
(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
— Otsuka, Nawee

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

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

Supplement to
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May 30, 1942
(Date)

Name: Otsuni George Tehiro
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: c/o Stewart Ranch
(Street and Number)

Suisin, 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:

Refer to Report of March 23

See Sacramento list of May 28

Referred to F.S.A. Leased to Wilford A. Holly of Napa. Closed.

Action taken:*

Handled by: Sacramento

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

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3/23/42
(Date)

Name: George Ichiro OTSUJI
(Print)

Address: c/o Stewart Ranch
(Street and Number)

Suisun Cal
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

Name OTSUJI (Surname) GEORGE ICHIRO (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:
Farming problem; has 58 acres of land. purchased for $7500.00
has a D/T of $6500.00held byCapital Co. California Land .payments $650.00 per yr and int.
payment due 11/1/42
Grows mostly fruit,(Prunes Apricots ans Pears,
Crop mtge on budget basis and has been informed no further advances unless party found
some one to assume liabilties, in case of evacuation.They then will furnish funds

(Believe this to be a fruit Co.)

Action taken:* Refer to Federal Reserve Bank

Handled by: [signature]

* Attach additional pages where necessary

Allen

How many Rep? ✓

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

Name: OTT, F. C.
(Print)

Address: 350 Jessie St
(Street and Number)

San Francisco
(City) (State)

MARCH 12 1942
(Date)

Telephone: ✓
Interview:

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male: ✓
Female:
Citizenship: Am.

Name OTT, F. C.
(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: —

Operating under Treasury License now?: —

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

Person Interviewed: the above.

Address:

Telephone Number: Sutter 0499

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Applicant requests list of Japanese properties for rent or lease.

Action taken:*

Applicant informed that there are no such lists available and that if he wishes to rent or lease property he should consult the various realty companies, etc.

Handled by: Jackson

* Attach additional pages where necessary

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

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Closed

3/[illegible]
(Date)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Name: OTTAVIANO MICHAEL
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 905 - 2nd St
(Street and Number)

Soil Calif
(City) (State)

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male: ✓
Female:
Citizenship: Italian
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Name OTTAVIANO (Surname) MICHAEL (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: 1909

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

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

Person Interviewed: [illegible]

Address: [illegible]

Telephone Number: None

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Baggage Business.

Worried about disposing of property.

Action taken:*

Advised him his rights

No problem

Handled by: [illegible]

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

June 18th 1942
(Date)

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

Address: RT. 1 Box 169 C
(Street and Number)

LINDSAY CALIFORNIA
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: LINDSAY

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

(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: 1930

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:

THESE JAPANESE HAVE SOLD PART OF THEIR FURNITURE TOO CHEAPLY, ALSO PLANNED ON STORING BALANCE IN AN UNPROTECTED SHED.=

#1 Zone THE LINDSAY BANK (BANK OF AMERICA) IS OUT OF BOUNDS, MAKING IT DIFFICULT FOR THEM TO COMPLETE THEIR FINANCIAL ARRANGEMENTS.

Action taken:*

EXPLAINED STORAGE FACILITIES - OK
SUGGESTED CHECKING WITH VISALIA BRANCH B. OF A.
WHO CAN COMPLETE ARRANGEMENTS FOR THE LINDSAY BRANCH

Persons
Husband
Son
Daughter
Mother-in-Law
Father "
Uncle

Handled by: [signature]

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500 NORTH GARDEN
VISALIA, CALIF.

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

5/9/42
(Date)

Name: OUCHIDA (Surname) CHIYOTA (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Address: 13 East Washington St (Street and Number)
Stockton (City) California (State)

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

Date of last entry into United States: May. 1938

Operating under Treasury License now?: 68A

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

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number: 3-2902

See Report 4/8

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Has sold his business under satisfactory terms, even to recovery of 40.00 deposit on lease, with assistance of A-1 Attorney Jeffery -

Is well pleased -

Action taken:*

Close file.

L. S. Weeks
Handled by: Stockton

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Name
OUCHIDA (Surname)
Chiyota (Given)

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

April 8-1942
(Date)

Name: OUCHIDA CHIYOTA
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 13 East Washington St.
(Street and Number)

Stockton California
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

Name OUCHIDA (Surname) CHIYOTA (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: May - 1938

Operating under Treasury License now?: 68A

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

Person Interviewed: Same

Address:

Telephone Number: 3-2902

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Owns a Cleaning establishment, lease expires 1944 @ 40.00 per month - Has deposit placed with Agent Granucci of 40.00 for last month of lease. Equipment Pressing Machine, Sewing Machine, Show Case value 300.00, all clear - Patronage dropped away.

Problem: Willing to sell out at low price 200.00 available operators now would be confined to Chinese or Filipinos. Attorney Jeffery will try to get back his 40.00 deposit - Is advertising business in "Stockton Record".

Action taken:*

Phoned attorney Jeffery to try to get refund if equitable. Told him to phone all cleaning houses to try to sell equipment.

1943 Feb 10 PM 10 28

L. S. Weeks

Handled by: Stockton

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

Supplement Sec. 112

April 28, 1942
(Date)

Name: Ouchida Harold Y.
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: P.O. Box 111
(Street and Number)

Florin California
(City) (State)

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

Name OUCHIDA (Surname) HAROLD Y. (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:

Management of farm property.

Action taken:*

Writes "have appointed Mr. J.W.S. Butler, my lawyer, as 'Attorney in fact' ".

Case Closed

Handled by McFarland

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Sacramento Office

FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF SAN FRANCISCO

FISCAL AGENT OF THE UNITED STATES
1006 Fourteenth Street
Sacramento, California
April 18, 1942

Mr. Herold Y. Ouchida
Box 111
Florin, California

Re: Sacramento #112

Dear Sir:

Some time ago you called at this office for assistance in solving problems precipitated by evacuation plans. Have you completed satisfactory arrangements? You may reply on the reverse side of this letter.

Very truly yours

A. J. REID
Sacramento Field Representative

AJR:MBM:MBP

RECEIVED JUN 1 1942 EVACUEE PROPERTY DEPT.



April 26,1942

Mr. A. J. Reid
Federal Reserve Bank Of San Francisco
Sacramento, California.

Dear Mr. Reid:

Replying to your letter on reverse side please be advised that in few days I have a prospect calling me to talk over lease on my ranch. However, in the meantime I have appointed Mr.J.W.S.Butler,my lawyer as Power Of Attorney.

As to our strawberry business we have made all arrangements through our Attorney Mr.J.W.S. Butler and Safeway Stores,Inc. Mr. Phelps in your office is familiar with this plan and he has approved our set up.

I take this opportunity in expressing my sincere appreciation to you and your office for giving us all help without which all J apanese in our district would have been lost. I am

Very sincerely yours,

Harold Y Ouchida

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

Sac. 112 Recorded 4/4/42

April 1, 1942
(Date)

Name: Ouchida (Surname) (Print) Harold Y. (Given)

Telephone:
Interview: X

Address: P. O. Box 111
(Street and Number)

Florin (City) California (State)

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

Name OUCHIDA (Surname) HAROLD Y. (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:

Mr. Ouchida came down from Florin upon a request of the Northern California Farms Company seeking information in regard to Consent to Operate Ranch.

Action taken:*

Another case of Form Mig. 346

Handled by: [signature]

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Sacramento Office

BANK OF AMERICA

Elk Grove Branch

Elk Grove, California
March 17, 1942

Mr. Yasuji Ouchida
P.O.Box 141
Florin, California

Dear Mr. Ouchida:

Will you and your wife please call at the Bank at your earliest convenience to sign a "Consent to Lease or Operate Farm Property" which is now necessary for us to have in connection with your real estate loan.

Your attention in this matter will be appreciated.

Yours very truly,

(Signed) A.H.Schauer, Manager

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

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June 16, 1942
(Date)

(Northern California Farms Company)

Name: OUCHIDA, Y
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: Florin
(Street and Number)

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 DUN & BRADSTREET, INC - SAC 659

Action taken:*

Power of attorney granted to J. W. S. Butler and Safeway Stores.

Handled by: Sacramento

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

(Date)

Name: Oyne, Gungichi,
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 22 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: Hotels

Hicuchimaya Hotel

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: Onye Fred (Print)

Address: 116 E. Elm St (Street and Number)

Lodi (City) Calif. (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

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Fred M. Ouyen
Block 3-32-B
Walerga assemb. Center
Sacramento, Calif

SACRAMENTO
JUN 9
1942

THIS SIDE OF CARD IS FOR ADDRESS

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DEPT.



Mr. L. S. Weeks
U. S. Employment Service
Stockton, Calif

San Joaquin
&
Channel St.
(please forward)

Walerga assembly center
May 9, 1942

Mr. J. Weeks
Stockton, Calif

Dear Mr. Weeks —

Just a line to say hello and to ask how are you? I trust you are fine as well as your family. We want to thank you very much for all the kind and thoughtful advice you rendered me during evacuation. I meant to write sooner telling you what I did to my store but I somehow didn't. At any rate I sold my stock to the Southside pharmacy. (Mr. Al Nitz) who is by the way a fine fellow. The store is in storage. As you know I came to Salida April 25, and then we came to camp Walerga on May 14th. We are leaving for Tulelake Calif. on the 16th. and I will write from there. Well, will close now and hope to hear from you. Take care of yourself. Thanks again

Sincerely, Fred M. Tsukamoto

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

Lodi Case

5/12/42
(Date)

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

Address: 116 E. Elm St.
(Street and Number)

Lodi, California
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview x

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

Name OUYE (Surname) Fred (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:

Address:

Telephone Number: Lodi 1198

See reports 3/24, 4/15, 4/15, 4/21

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Has completed all arrangements and moved to Sacramento.
Stock was sold on satisfactory basis.

Action taken:*

Close file.

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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

Lodi Case

4/21/42
(Date)

Telephone: X
Interview:

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

Address: 116 E. Elm St.
(Street and Number)

Steek Lodi, California
(City) (State)

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

Name
ONYA (Surname)
FRED (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: Lodi 1198

See report 3/24

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Has arranged most of his affairs but is nervous about part of his drug store stock.
Had deal on with George Brignolo of San Leandro who promised to buy stock.

Action taken:*

Trying to reach Brignolo to get definite expression of intention.
Subject will continue independent efforts in the meantime.
Subject very nervous over delay. Trying to assist him.

WLC

1 Int. 6 aff.

L. S. Weeks
Handled by Stockton

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

April 17, 1942
(Date)

Name: Ouye (Surname) (Print) FRED (Given)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Address: 116 East ELM (Street and Number)
Lodi (City) Calif. (State)

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

Name OUYE (Surname) FRED (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

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

Person Interviewed: Fred Ouye
Address: above
Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

1. Wanted to be advised about disposition of his drug store -
2. Wanted to know if he could return his lights (FLORSECENT)

Action taken:* 1. We advised him to sell what he could of his merchandise and store the balance
2. No., He had signed a note which was a personal note and not a conditional sales contract.

Handled by: [signature] Stachler

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Wills

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

March 24 - 1942
(Date)

Name: OUYE (Surname) FRED (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Address: 116 East Elm St
(Street and Number)

Lodi (City) California (State)

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

Name OUYE (Surname) FRED (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: Continuous

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

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

Person Interviewed: Same

Address:

Telephone Number: Lodi 1198

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Operates general drug and prescription business. Lease 20 Mo. 2500.00 stock. owes 500.00. Acct. with Farmers & Merchants Bank. Is fully accredited druggist, age 31.

Problem: Stock, if stored, would deteriorate. How to dispose of it? Would ship if he knew where to go to good reception. Would be glad to work for army or for Camp in his capacity. Will have to care for six people.

Action taken:*

He will call on his local druggists for their approval and good will on necessary Clearance sale of stock.
Fixtures may be stored in church.
Is to report results.

Handled by: L. S. Weeks Stockton

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

(Date)

Name: Ouye, Fred
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 601 P 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 Licence now?: _____

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

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See Shimada, Paul

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

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

(Date)

Name: OUYE MR. GEORGE R.
(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:

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

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

314 First National Building
Stockton, California
July 17, 1942

Mr. George R. Ouye
2-32-A
Stockton Assembly Center
Stockton, California

Dear Mr. Ouye:

With reference to the difficulty you have had in cashing the check of Mr. Weston Hardy, in amount of $542.99, payment of which check was stopped on two occasions at Stockton Savings and Loan Bank due to uncertainty of Mr. Hardy's instructions to the Bank relative to other checks which he had issued at the same time.

In compliance with your request we have presented the above check to the Bank a third time, and are enclosing herewith Cashier's Check No. A45322 of Stockton Savings and Loan Bank payable to you in amount of $542.99.

We trust that this will dispose of the matter to your entire satisfaction.

Very sincerely yours,

L. S. Weeks

Field Representative
Telephone 24126

(Copy for Mr. Everson)

Answered
Ackd. by Routine Advice
No Answer Required
Directed to File
By
Surname
FILE ONLY WHEN SIGNED

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

June 16, 1942
(Date)

Name: Ouye, Harold
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: Nippon Drug Co
(Street and Number)
1501 E Street
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:*

Business Liquidated

Handled by:

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

Supplement to Sac. # 37 - The Harold Drug Store.

April 4, 1942
(Date)

Name: Ouye (Surname) Harold (Print) (Given)

Address: _____ (Street and Number)

_____ (City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: S

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name OUYE (Surname) HAROLD (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:

The Coco Cola Company wants to repossess a cooler - original cost $140 - balance due $49.00. At present it is in the possession of Mr. Harold Ouye - see Sac. #37 - Harold Drug Store.

He wishes to continue to operate his business for some time by permits

Action taken:*

I called Mr. Delay, Manager of the Coco Cola Company and discussed this matter with him. He has stipulated his intention to make some sort of equitable agreement with Mr. Ouye. Mr. Ouye has agreed to see him immediately.

Interviewed
Represented

Handled by: RMD

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Sacramento Office

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

(Date)
Telephone:
Interview:

Name: OWEN REV. WM I
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: _____
(Street and Number)

VISALIA, 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: Churches

VISALIA METHODIST Church

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: OXFORD TAILORING COMPANY (GOERGE H. KASHIWADA)
(Print)

Telephone:
Interview:

Address: 1218½ 4th Street
(Street and Number)

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

_____ (Date)

Name: OYAMA (Surname) (Print) IZUMI (Given)

Address: 133 N.W. 2nd Ave (Street and Number)

Portland (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: _____

(S-5055)

March 16, 1942

Izumi Oyama,
C/S/A Oregon News,
133 Northwest 3rd Avenue,
Portland, Oregon.

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.

GILLEN:pp

Oyama, June

23-9-D

Minidoka W.R.A. Project

Eden, Idaho.

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23-9-D
Minidoka WRA Center
Eden, Idaho
Sept. 10, 1942

Mr. Ronald T. Symms, Asst. Mgr.,
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Seattle Branch
Seattle, Washington

Dear Sir:

- -

- -

We are again sending in request for two cartons belonging to Mrs. K. (Thuye) Komatsubara; and also for Mrs. Seki Oyama's sewing machine, washing machine, and another carton. Their family number in accordance to your previous letters stands as No. 0049 and No. 0043 respectively.

Now that we are permanently relocated here in Minidoka WRS Center, we will be greatly in need of these machines and miscellaneous.

Hoping this will reach your prompt attention, we remain

Very truly yours,

(Signed) Miss June Oyama



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

June 16, 1942
(Date)

Name: Oyama, Usizo
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 1414 - 4th St. Apt.
(Street and Number)

Saer
(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:*

Stored Photographic equipment
with F.R.B.

Handled by:

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

Sacto Dupp #315

May 6
(Date)

Name: OYAMO USIZO
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Address: 1414 - 4th St Apt Sheet
(Street and Number)

(City) (State)

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

Date of last entry into United States: Served in Sacramento past 14 yrs

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business: Retired Photo Studio Nurse
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: ✓

Person Interviewed: Same

Address: Same

Telephone Number: —

Principal property involved and scope of problem: Reported to this office on Mr McFarland's follow up letter - has decided to store with FRB. as he might send for the equipment when he has relocated.

Action taken:*

Case Closed

Handled by: MJR

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Name
OYAMO (Surname)
Usizo (Given)

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

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April 15, 1942
(Date)

Name: Cyamo Usizo
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 1414 Apt A - Fourth Street
(Street and Number)

Sacramento California
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult: X
Minor:
Male: X
Female:
Citizenship: No

Name CYAMO (Surname) USIZO (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: Lived in Sacramento for past 14 years

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed:

Address: Above

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Enquired about storage af fixtures he retained after closing his studio - Photography-
Dec. 31, 1942
Boxes will take about 6 square feet.
Sold his house hold furniture and now lives in a furnished apt.

Action taken:*

Reviewed storage question with above Cyamo - advised him to see a Christian friend of his about some additional space - has offered him some time ago.

Well

1 Interviewed
5 In family

Handled by: M J Ruhert

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Sacramento Office

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

Closed

May. 16, 1942
(Date)

Name: Oye, H. K.
(Print)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Address: Concentration Camp
(Street and Number)

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

Name OYE (Surname) H. K. (Given)

Montana
(City) (State)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person Interviewed: J. B. McKeown

Address: 1020 Union St. S. F.

Telephone Number: Prosp. 7865

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Catering business at 1325 Ocean Ave. San Francisco owned by H. K. Oye, now in the concentration camp in Montana. His daughter, Megyka Netoma, is employed as a house maid by J. B. McKeown, 1020 Union St. San Francisco.

How may Oye's catering business and equipment be disposed of. Mr. McKeown is willing to assist in any manner.

Action taken:* I advised Mr. McKeown to have H. K. Oye give power of attorney to either a bank or individual in San Francisco.

Handled by: _____
Hendricks

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

_____ (Date)

Telephone:
Interview:

Name: OYE MRS MASANO + MRST
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: Rt 3 Box 830
(Street and Number)

Stockton, Calif
(City) (State)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name Oye Mrs M + Mrs T
(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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R. 3. Box 880
Stockton, Calif.
May 12. 1942

Mr. P. L. Schmidt
% Federal Farm Bank
1330 "J" St.
Sacramento, Calif

Dear Sir:—

I recived the regular tomato bonus for the year of nineteen hundred and forty-two, from Flotill Products.

During the whole tomato season I sent the product in M. & T. Oyer's name. This is a verbal agreement with Mr. C.C. Clark and Mr. John Flavins, of a fifty cents per tonnage above the orignal agreement. The total amount to seventy-nine ~~dollers~~ and eighty cents.

I would appreciate very much if you will take

This up in consideration

Sincerely yours.

Jm. and T. Oye

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+ Letter Incoming FRB.

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

5/8/42
(Date)

Name: Oye Mrs. Masako & Mrs. T.
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview: x

Address: Rt. 3 Box 830
(Street and Number)

Stockton, California
(City) (State)

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

Date of last entry into United States: ?

Operating under Treasury License now?: 68A

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

Person Interviewed: Same

Address:

Telephone Number: No

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Referring back to report of April 18, turned in as closed, Subject brings up the question of $79.75 still due from Flotill Products Co. covering 50¢ per ton additional original buying price, exclusive of bonus, as promised verbally by Flotill, and verified by buyers, C. C. Clark and John Flavius.

Action taken:*

Referred her to Mr. R. W. Schmidt at Sacramento Office, wrote him, and instructed her to follow through with detailed written claim. The other case, now closed, was first referred to this Office by Mr. Schmidt.
Close file.

EVACUEE PROPERTY DEPT.

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L. S. Weeks
Handled by: Stockton

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Name OYE (Surname) Mrs. Masako & Mrs. T. (Given)

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

4/18/42
(Date)

Name: Oye Masako
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: Rt. 3 Box 830
(Street and Number)

Stockton, California
(City) (State)
(Fairchild Lane)

Telephone:
Interview: x

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

Name OYE (Surname) MASAKO (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: Not known

Operating under Treasury License now?: 68A

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

Person Interviewed: Same

Address:

Telephone Number: None

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Received request from Mr. Mahoney and from Mr. R. W. Schmidt in Sacramento to request Subject to be in Sacramento at Ext. #1 State Capitol Building at 10:30 A.M., Thursday, April 23, 1942 with all data pertaining to last season's tomatoe crop dealings with Flotill Products Company.

Action taken:*

Made this personal call and left written memorandum covering above instructions, also instructions for picking up permits for trip by people needed in giving evidence before Department of Mortgages in Sacramento.

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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

(Date)

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

Address: Fairchild's Lane
(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: Flotill Products Co.

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

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

June 4, 1942.
(Date)

Telephone:
Interview:

Name: Ozawa, Masso
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: Rt. 1, Box 305
(Street and Number)

Cupertino, Calif.
(City) (State)

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

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Refers to reports of March 16, and April 14, 1942.

FSA

Action taken:*

Handled by: San Jose

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

April 14, 1942
(Date)

Name: OZAWA Masao
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: Route 1, Box 305
(Street and Number)

Cupertino, California
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: x

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

Name OZAWA (Surname) Masao (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: Born here - returned 1922

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

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

Person Interviewed: Same

Address: Same

Telephone Number: Santa Clara 5J2

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

25.359 acres of land

Prunes and Apricots

Problem: Clause guaranteeing water to thirty (30) or more customers in Transfer of Title causes a cloud on title and prevents sale.

Action taken:*

Took the matter up with Farm Security Manager - advised taking the matter to Title Insurance Company, San Jose.

1 interview

Handled by: SAN JOSE

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

Mar 16 '42
(Date)

Name: M. OZAWA
(Print)

Address: Sunnyvale Rd Rt 1 Box 305
(Street and Number)

43 Carpenteria Calif
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male: ✓
Female:
Citizenship: American
29 yrs old

Name: OZAWA (Surname) M. (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: 1922

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

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

Person Interviewed: Same

Address: ~

Telephone Number: Santa Clara 5 J 2

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Has 25.35 acres Prunes & Apricot ranch. Purchased 1933 for $20,000.00. Deed of Trust to Mrs Mary Robson, St Clair Hotel, placed through James Clayton & Co, San Jose, 1½ yrs to run. Banks with Bank of America at Sunnyvale Calif.
Relatives - Father and mother Japanese aliens, 1 Brother 20 yrs 1 Brother 27 yrs, 1 Sister 21 yrs american Born. all living on Ranch which has gross return 3 000 = 6 000 = annually.
wants to know if can Sell or lease while evacuated

Action taken:*

Advised giving Power of attorney to some reliable person or Institution or appointing Reliable Real Estate firm or Bank as agent to look after property to be leased while evacuated.

Handled by: Gray

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For and in consideration of SIX HUNDRED AND FIFTY DOLLARS

($650) ~~Cash in hand paid~~, I, MASAO OZAWA

Rt. 1 Box 305 Cupertino California

agree to sell, transfer, and deliver physical possession of

one (1) Dodge 6 1939 4-door Sedan Eng. No. DH1-25362

TO H. C. CARTER

OF 374 Henry Ave.

San Jose California.

One hundred dollars paid as a deposit - balance when car is delivered.

Masao Ozawa

Wed May 27th
6 PM

H C Carter

DATED: May 22, 1942

WITNESS: D Hamphill

O. F. [illegible]
Field Representative
Federal Reserve Bank of
San Francisco

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

7/7/42
(Date)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Name: Ozawa Meguru
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: Route 1 Box 364
(Street and Number)

Yuba California
(City) (State)

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

Date of last entry into United States: 1927

Operating under Treasury license now?:

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

Person Interviewed: Same

Address: "

Telephone Number: ✓

Principal property involved and scope of problem: Information Regarding amount of Luggage Allowed Evacuees. May have trunks to store.

Action taken:* Explained Luggage set-up and Storage plan.

5 in family

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Handled by: [illegible]
Field Representative

Directed to file:

500 NORTH GARDEN
VISALIA, CALIF.

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

June 13, 1942
(Date)

Name: Ozawa (Surname) S (Given)

Telephone:
Interview x

Address: _____ (Street and Number)

Adult x
Minor:
Male x
Female:

Gridley (City) Calif. (State)

Citizenship: No

Date of last entry into United States: About 1906

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

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

Person Interviewed: Same as above

Address: "

Telephone Number: No

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Has 1936 Oldsmobile on contract with the Bank of America, purchased thru Tucker Chevrolet Company, Gridley. Balance $193.08.

He wishes to dispose of this car before evacuation. Tucker Chevrolet Company offered him wholesale Blue Book price of $250.00, which would leave him $56.92 for his equity.

Action taken:*

Advised him to advertise same in the newspaper and try to get the maximum price this way. Told him that the price offered by Tucker was not unreasonable as the car is now only in fair condition, and if he has to take this figure I do not believe he will be suffering an unreasonable loss considering the use he had had out of the car.

Handled by: Harry E Pahl
Field Representative - Chico

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(1 interviewed) (3 involved)

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
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(Date)

Name: Ozawa, Y. (Home Drug Co.)
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 907 F Street,
(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:

See: Nakagawa, Yoshiko

Action taken:*

Handled by:

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