

WWII Evacuation +  
Relocation (19)

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

4/16/42

Name: DALE APTS.  
(Print)

(Date)  
Telephone: ☒  
Interview: ☒

Address: 710 S. E. UNION AV.  
(Street and Number)  
CITY  
(City) (State)

Adult: ☒  
Minor: ☐  
Male: ☐  
Female: ☒  
Citizenship: ☐

Date of last entry into United States: \_\_\_\_\_

Operating under Treasury License now?: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Person Interviewed: CHIKA MRS. OKI  
Address: #16217  
Telephone Number: EA. 9828

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Sold for 800<sup>00</sup> Cash-

Closed

As reported by telephone by prop. owner.

Action taken:\*

Handled by: [Signature]

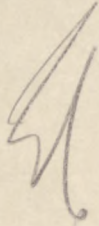
\*Attach additional pages where necessary.

Dale Apts.



M r. Davis (SeeBisceglia Bros.)





Portland, Oregon  
June 30, 1942

Dear Mr. Crouch:

I think we moved everything out of 317 S. W. 6th that should be moved. Near the water fountain is a roll of paper, and a pair of scissors that belong to the Bank. Mr. Risberg took the stapler last night. There are a few things by the door that Mr. Leonetti is to pick up in a day or so with his car.

The typewriter is to be taken by the Farm Security as I notified them today. All the rest is rubbish. Terribly sorry the office is so dirty. I hate to leave it this way but we have had no janitor service this week.

I called the Telephone Company and requested them to disconnect the telephone -- Beacon 2786. Will you please follow-up on this?

Thanks for everything.

Very truly yours,

Phelma Davis



REFERRED BY MR. DAVIS  
TO MR. Crouch

# FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF SAN FRANCISCO

FISCAL AGENT OF THE UNITED STATES

October 15, 1942

MEMORANDUM TO: WAR RELOCATION AUTHORITY

SUBJECT: Inquiry re property formerly  
occupied by Japanese.

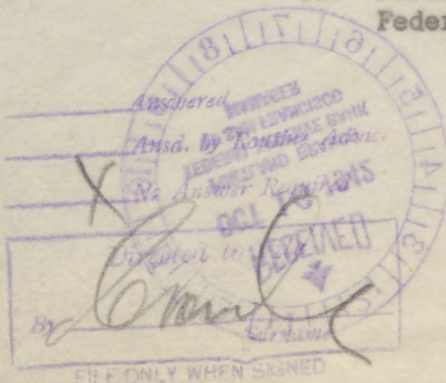
We are enclosing a letter from Mr. Dainy Day, Fisher, Oregon, dated October 8, 1942 inquiring as to the availability of farm land formerly occupied by Japanese for truck garden purposes.

It is our thought that with your somewhat close relationship with the Farm Security Administration, you may have information that would be helpful to Mr. Day and are, therefore, referring the enclosure to you for consideration. Mr. Day has been informed that his letter has been transmitted to you.

Enclosure

*[Signature]*  
Assistant Cashier.

cc: Portland Branch,  
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco.





REFERRED BY MR. DAVIS

TO MR. Connelley

# FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF SAN FRANCISCO

FISCAL AGENT OF THE UNITED STATES

October 15, 1942

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MEMORANDUM TO: WAR INFORMATION AUTHORITY

SUBJECT: Inquiry re property formerly occupied by Japanese.

We are enclosing a letter from Mr. Daisy Day, Fisher, Oregon, dated October 8, 1942 inquiring as to the availability of farm land formerly occupied by Japanese for truck garden purposes.

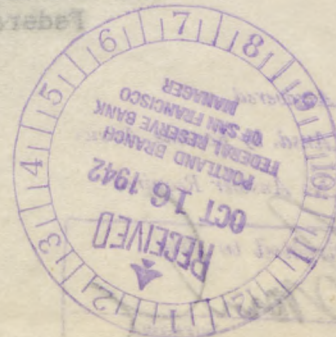
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*[Handwritten signature]*

Assistant Cashier

Enclosure

cc: Portland Branch,  
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco.



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

Dayton Hotel

3/28/42  
(Date)

Name: DAYTON HOTEL  
(Print)

Telephone:  
Interview: ☒

Address: 830 SW. 1<sup>st</sup> AVE  
(Street and Number)

Adult: ☒

Minor: ☐

Male: ☒

Female: ☐

Citizenship: U. Born.

CITY  
(City) (State)

Date of last entry into United States: \_\_\_\_\_

Operating under Treasury License now?: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Person Interviewed: KORU M. GAKI

Address: Room #15232

Telephone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Sold hotel by TICE.

Final Control station report show that  
hotel sold for \$2500.00.

Action taken:\*



Handled by: \_\_\_\_\_

[Signature]

\*Attach additional pages where necessary.



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

3/21/42  
(Date)

Kaoru Migaki

DAYTON HOTEL

Name: Migaki, Kaoru  
(Print)

Telephone:  
Interview:

Address: 830 S.W. 1st Ave  
(Street and Number)

Adult: ☒

Minor: ☐

Male: ☒

Female: ☐

Citizenship: American  
Japanese

(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:

Hotel of 73 rooms. Wants to sell.  
Know Jim Rice.

Sold

Action taken:\*

Handled by: H.J.N.

\*Attach additional pages where necessary.



Kaoru Migaki (See Dayton Hotel)



Portland Branch  
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco  
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Name: Devlin Apts  
(Print)

Address: 1851 S.W. 1st Ave  
(Street and Number)

City (City) (State)

4/16/42  
(Date)  
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: AT 4955

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

*Mr. + Mrs. Frank Parker have leased  
this property from the Japanese owner.  
Kurata. This information from an unsolicited  
phone call by us. The lease was made without  
reference to us and before any contact with this office.  
Closed*

Action taken:\*

*OK & V.*

Handled by: [Signature]

\*Attach additional pages where necessary.

Devlin Apts.



Civil Control Station - Wood River - shown.

Three Japanese sisters are the owners of this property - Two of them Charlotte Kurata & Sue Sayoiz own the building and the third sister, Mary Kurata owns the furnishings. They have subleased to Mr. & Mrs. Frank Parkins. The legal details were handled for them by E.R. Harvey, Porter Bldg. Portland. Total rental \$1500 per month. Bldg. contains about 50 rentable rooms. It is a frame bldg. with a value of from \$5000 - to \$7000 - without furnishings. The sisters say they are well satisfied with the arrangements.

Charlotte Kurata - family # 16353 - Went to assembly center at Pinedale, Calif.

slh.



Portland Branch  
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Fiscal Agent of the United States

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William Ding

Name: Ding, William  
(Print)

(Date)  
Telephone:  
Interview:

Address: 101 N. W. 3rd Ave  
(Street and Number)

Adult:  
Minor:  
Male:  
Female:  
Citizenship: Chinese

(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:

*Japanese Grocer owes him  
about \$92.00*

Action taken: \* *suggested to make  
effort to collect & if no results  
I would call them.*

Handled by: H. J. K.

\*Attach additional pages where necessary.



Portland Branch  
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Fiscal Agent of the United States

Name: Johnny Doi  
(Print)

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Street and Number)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(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:

*Has gone to Eastern Oregon sugar beet fields*

*Address*

*FSA Camp  
Nyssa Oregon*

Action taken:\*

Handled by: Roz

\*Attach additional pages where necessary.



If this man comes  
in again advise

Mr. Saul at N.Y. Weintraub  
at 8851 as they hold an  
\$17 check of his for  
\$375 dated 4/28/42.

slc



Portland Branch  
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco  
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Name: Johnny Doi  
(Print)

Address: Rt. Box 9  
(Street and Number)

Gresham, Oregon  
(City) (State)

5/5/42  
(Date)

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: Mr. Saul

Address: N.S. Weinstein

Telephone Number: At. 8851

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Mr. Saul of N.S. Weinstein called with a check on 2-4-4 signed by Johnny Doi for \$3.75 dated 4/8/42 which had been returned N.S.F.

Action taken:\*

He was advised to get in touch with Doi for the check collection. The Gresham area has not yet been vacated.

Handled by: A.E. Schuman

\*Attach additional pages where necessary.

Johnny Doi, &



Portland Branch  
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CIVIL CONTROL STATION

4/30/42

Name: Johnny Doi  
(Print)

(Date)  
Telephone:  
Interview:

Address: Gresham Ore  
(Street and Number)

Adult:  
Minor:  
Male:  
Female:  
Citizenship: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
(City) (State)

Date of last entry into United States: \_\_\_\_\_

Operating under Treasury License now?: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Person Interviewed: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

*did not receive bill of sale  
or papers showing he had  
paid in full for refrigerator*

Action taken:\*

*called Gen'l Elec. contract  
co. They said papers had been  
sent to Duruya Co on Jan. 2nd  
They promised to  
send letter to Hoi*

Handled by: H. J. N.

\*Attach additional pages where necessary.

*showing part in full*

Johnny Doi



Portland Branch  
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco  
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4/11/42

Name: Doi, Johnnie  
(Print)

(Date)  
Telephone:  
Interview:

Address: Rt. 1 Box 92  
(Street and Number)

Adult:  
Minor:  
Male:

Gresham, Ore  
(City) (State)

Female:

Citizenship: Amer  
Japanese

Date of last entry into United States: \_\_\_\_\_

Operating under Treasury License now?: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Person Interviewed: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

1936 Pontiac - 6 - 4 dr Sedan.  
New tires or old tires. Heater.  
About 56000 miles. Price \$275.00  
with new tires & \$225.00 with old.  
Studio couch & overstuffed chair  
end table & desk for sale.

Action taken:\*

Entered on our list.

Handled by: H. J. J.

\*Attach additional pages where necessary.

Johnny Doi



GREAT NORTHERN RAILWAY COMPANY

AGRICULTURAL DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT

REFERRED BY MR. DAVIS  
TO MR. *Max Eastman*  
REFERRED BY MR. DAVIS  
TO MR. *Crouch*

E. N. DUNCAN,  
AGRICULTURAL DEVELOPMENT AGENT.

SPOKANE, WASH.

February 9, 1943

Mr. Crouch  
Federal Reserve Bank  
Porter Building  
6th and Stark Streets  
Portland, Oregon

Dear Mr. Crouch:

Recently we have been interested in working with some of the organizations in regard to a farm machinery and equipment utilization program.

We are wondering if your organization handled the disposition of the machinery owned by the Japanese truck farmers in Western Oregon and, if so, would appreciate very much if you could give us the present status of any machinery which might be stored at the present time. If any machinery is for sale or lease we are interested in getting it located in the Wenatchee-Okanogan Valley or the Spokane Valley east of the city of Spokane.

Any information you can give us along this line will be greatly appreciated.

Very truly yours,

*E. N. Duncan*

E. N. DUNCAN  
Agricultural Development Agent

*7/11/43*  
*Answered*

*Answered by Routine Advice*

*No Answer Required*

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E. M. DUNCAN,  
AGRICULTURAL DEVELOPMENT AGENT

GREAT NORTHERN RAILWAY COMPANY

AGRICULTURAL DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT

SPOKANE, WASH.

February 9, 1943

Mr. Cronch  
Federal Reserve Bank  
Porter Building  
5th and Stark Streets  
Portland, Oregon

Dear Mr. Cronch:

Recently we have been interested in some of the organizations in regard to machinery and equipment utilization program. We are wondering if your organization has any disposition of the machinery owned by the truck farmers in Western Oregon and, if so, we are very much interested in the possibility of any very much if you could give us the details. If machinery which might be stored at a time. If any machinery is for sale or lease we are interested in getting it located in the Wenatchee-Okanogan Valley or the Spokane Valley east of the city of Spokane.

Any information you can give us along this line will be greatly appreciated.

Very truly yours,

E. M. DUNCAN  
Agricultural Development Agent

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FEB 10 1943  
FEDERAL RESERVE BANK  
PORTER BUILDING  
5TH AND STARK STS  
PORTLAND, OREGON



February 11, 1943

Mr. E. N. Duncan  
Agricultural Development Agent  
Great Northern Railway Company  
Spokane, Washington

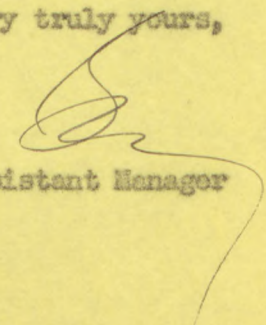
Dear Mr. Duncan:

This will refer to your letter of February 9, 1943. None of the Japanese in this territory stored any farm machinery with us nor was any left with us for sale. As you perhaps know, the Farm Security Agency assisted Japanese evacuees in disposing of problems involving acreage and farms. This also included farm machinery in most cases.

We understand, however, that since that date all problems in connection with Japanese evacuees' properties have been taken over by the War Relocation Authority. The northwest representative for this agency is C. W. Linville, 5566 Stuart Building, Seattle, Washington.

We have heard that Mr. Linville has recently completed a survey of Japanese farm machinery and it is possible that some information may be obtained by writing him.

Very truly yours,



Assistant Manager



EC:DB



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

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Name: Mr. J. E. Dyer  
(Print)

4-16-42  
(Date)  
Telephone:  
Interview: ☒

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Street and Number)

Adult: ☒  
Minor: \_\_\_\_\_  
Male: ☒  
Female: \_\_\_\_\_  
Citizenship: Amer.

\_\_\_\_\_  
(City) (State)

Date of last entry into United States: \_\_\_\_\_

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Person Interviewed: AL30VE

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:\*

Handled by: CNC by [signature]

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