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U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
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No.

733

SUBJECT:

14-204

IN RE: CHIN WING

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## EXHIBIT 35

FILE NO. Chicago file 733

COVERING CHIN LOY

RELATIONSHIP OF SUBJECT OF EXHIBIT TO APPLICANT: None - CHIN LOY was member of SANG YUEN Co., Chicago, where applicant claims to have lived.  
INTRODUCED AT PAGE 21 OF B. S. I. TRANSCRIPT

## REFERENCE TO PARTICULAR STATEMENTS CONSIDERED:

Identification of photograph of CHIN LOY affixed to affidavit dated March 2, 1909.

Testimony of CHIN KONG FONG of April 18, 1910 (page 1) to effect that SANG YUEN Co. moved from 307 So. Clark St. to 360 So. Clark St., Chicago, in 1909, 7th month.

Statement of CHIN LOY to the effect that SANG YUEN Co. was located in basement at 307 So. Clark St., Chicago on March 6, 1909.

In re.  
CHIN LOY,  
of  
"SANG YUEN",  
Chinese Merchants,  
No. 307 South Clark street,  
Chicago, Illinois, U.S.A.

AGE:-Forty Five Years.  
HEIGHT:-5 Feet, 7-1/2 Inches.  
Small Mole Right of Right Eye.

APPLICATION FOR RE-ADMISSION.



The United States of America. )  
Northern District of Illinois. ) Sct:  
Eastern Division. )

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, Citizens of the United States and residents of the City of Chicago and vicinity, in the division and district aforesaid, Do Hereby Certify that we have been well acquainted with the above-named CHIN LOY for upwards of one year last past; and we do further certify as follows, namely:-

For upwards of one year last past the said CHIN LOY has been a merchant and member of the firm of "SANG YUEN", Chinese Merchants trading and doing business at No. 307 Clark street, Chicago, Illinois, Dealers in Teas, Silks and general Chinese and Japanese merchandise; and during the said year of our acquaintance with him the said Chin Loy has not been a huckster, peddler, laundryman or laborer of any kind.

During the said year of our acquaintance with him, the said CHIN LOY has been engaged in buying and selling merchandise at the said fixed place of business under the said trade-name and style of the said firm of which he is a member; and during the said year of our acquaintance with him, the said CHIN LOY has not been engaged in the performance of manual labor, skilled or unskilled, of any kind, except such as has been necessary in the conduct of his said business as such merchant as aforesaid.

We Do Further Certify that the foregoing photograph, hereto affixed, is a true and correct likeness of the said Chin Loy; and that the foregoing Description is a true description of him.

We have been credibly informed, and believe, that the said CHIN LOY has a financial interest of Five Hundred Dollars (\$500.00) and upwards in the stock, business and assets of the said firm of which

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he is a member; and, from our frequent visits to the said place of business and our general acquaintance with the various members of the said concern, we have become well satisfied that the said CHIN LOY is actively engaged in the business of said firm, exercises a voice in the management, business and affairs thereof, enjoys his proper share in the profits thereof, and is a bona fide member of said "Sang Yuen" Co.

Dated at Chicago, Illinois, March 2, 1909.

H. C. Dana

(Address) 159 La Salle St, Chicago, Ill.

Charles D. Wright

(Address) 98 Jackson St, Chicago, Ill.

State of Illinois.)

County of Cook. ) ss.

City of Chicago.)

H. C. Dana

Chicago, in said County and State, being first duly sworn according to law, deposes and says as follows, to-wit:-

I am a citizen of the United States, and a resident of the City of Chicago in the County of Cook and State of Illinois, where I follow the occupation of a Insurance Agent.

I am one of the signers of the foregoing and annexed certificate; and the statements therein made are true and correct, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Subscribed and sworn to, this  
6th day of March, A. D., 1909,  
before me.

H. C. Dana

Frank A. Fouts

Notary Public, Cook Co., Ill's.

State of Illinois.)

County of Cook. ) ss.

City of Chicago.)

Charles D. Wright

Chicago in said County and State, being first duly sworn according to law, deposes and says as follows, to-wit:-

I am a citizen of the United States, and a resident of the City of Chicago in the County of Cook and State of Illinois, where I follow the occupation of a Notary Public.

I am one of the signers of the foregoing and annexed certificate; and the statements therein made are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Subscribed and sworn to, this  
6th day of March, A. D., 1909, before me.

Charles D. Wright

Frank A. Fouts

Notary Public, Cook Co., Ill's.

"SANG YUEN",  
Merchants,  
No.307 So.Clark st.,  
Chicago,Illinois,U.S.A.

APPLICATION FOR ENDORSEMENT  
OF ACCOMPANYING AFFIDAVITS  
UNDER RULE 25, REGULATIONS  
OF FEBRUARY 26, 1907.

AGE:-Forty Five Years.

HEIGHT:-5 Feet, 7-1/2 Inches.

Small Mole Right of Right Eye.

The United States of America. )  
Northern District of Illinois. ) Sct: Chicago, Ill., February 27, 1909.  
Eastern Division. )

CHIN LOY, of Chicago, in said division and district, being first duly sworn according to law, deposes and says as follows, to-wit:-

I am a native and subject of China, 45 years of age, have resided in the United States the last 28 years, and in said city of Chicago the last 2 years. I am a Merchant, and reside at No.307 South Clark street, Chicago aforesaid.

I first landed in San Francisco, California; and resided there eight years, being employed as clerk by various merchants. Then for upwards of seventeen years I resided in Boston, Massachusetts, where I was employed - First, for four years, as a Clerk; and the remainder of the time I was a member of the firm of "Wing On Tank Co.", Merchants, of No.38 Harrison street avenue.

In the 22d K.S., I made a visit to China, leaving the United States at Port Townsend. I returned into the United States at Richford, Vermont, in or about the fourth month of the 23d K.S., provided with a "Merchant's paper", which was retained there; and since then, for protection, I have carried a Merchant's "Remain paper"; which was prepared and executed in Boston.

In or about the tenth month of the 32d K.S., I sold out my interest in said "Wing On Tank Co." and in or about the fourth month of the 33d K.S. I removed to Chicago, Illinois, where, together with one Chin Kong Fung and several others, I organized the firm of "Sang Yuen Co.", Dealers in Teas, Silks, and general Chinese and Japanese merchandise, at No.307 Clark street (Basement), Chicago aforesaid. I have been a member of said "Sang Yuen Co.", continuously, since the organization thereof in the 33d K.S., and my share and interest therein is worth reasonably and at the least Five Hundred Dollars (\$500.00); and during my said residence in Chicago, that is to say, since the fourth month of the 33d K.S., I have not been engaged or interested in the performance of manual labor, skilled or unskilled of any kind, except such as has been necessary in the conduct of my said business as such merchant.

I am about to make a visit to China, with the intention of returning to resume my present residence, occupation and status in the United States; and in that behalf present, herewith, the affidavits of two credible witnesses other than Chinese, tending to show my right to return to, and remain in the United States, and pray endorsement of the same as provided by appropriate Regulation.

Subscribed and sworn to, this  
6th day of March, A.D., 1909, before me,

*Mark A. Foote*  
Notary Public, Cook Co., Ill's.

To

LORENZO T. PLUMMER, ESQ.,  
Chinese Inspector in Charge,  
Chicago, Illinois.

Department of Commerce and Labor

IMMIGRATION SERVICE

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER

SEATTLE, WASH.

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Inspector in Charge,  
CHICAGO, ILLINOIS.

July 18, 1910.

Huu.  
No. 25,829.

Inspector in Charge,  
U.S. Immigration Service,  
Chicago, Ill.

S i r:

Referring to your file No. 733, I have to report that Chin Loy, <sup>the</sup> Chinese referred to therein as a merchant, member of the Sang Yuen Co., 360 South Clark St., arrived at this port July 17, 1910, on the S.S. "Princess Victoria", and that he has been landed today.

Respectfully,

*Ellis J. Müller*  
Commissioner.

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*JMS*

Immigration Commission  
No. 233.

Immigration Service  
Office of Inspector in Charge  
Chicago, Ill.

Dr. P. L. Prentis,

Inspector in Charge,

Chicago, Ill.

Sir:-

In the matter of CHIN LOY, alleged member of the Sang Yuen Co., 360 So. Clark St., applying for an ad interim investigation, I beg to report that I have examined the manager of this firm who testifies that Chin Loy is still the owner of an interest in the firm; that the business is still in existence and that applicant performed no manual labor during the year before his departure. I have visited the store in question and find that the firm carries a considerable stock of Chinese groceries, probably several thousand dollars in value; and that no business of a non-mercantile character is conducted in connection with the store.

It does not appear that any change has taken place in the status of applicant since his departure.

Respectfully,

(Signed) Howard Eby  
Chinese Inspector.

Inc.

Respectfully approved and forwarded to Commissioner of Immigration, Seattle, Wash., reference being made to his letter of April 11th, No. OII-C, and returning herewith all papers.

(Signed) P. L. Prentis

Inspector in Charge.

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522, Commercial National Bk., Bldg. CHICAGO

April 18, 1910.

Case of	:	Howard D. Ebey, Examining Inspector.
CHIN LOY,	:	Edward B. Kan, Interpreter.
Merchant returning.	:	W. B. Calkins, Stenographer.

Witness, CHIN KONG FONG, sworn by Inspector Ebey, testified:

Q What is your name? A. Chin Kong Fong. Chin Lung is my boyhood name. Chin Kong Fong is my marriage name.

Q What is your occupation? A. Merchant, Chinese grocery.

Q Are you manager of the Sang Yuen Co.? A. Yes.

X Q What street and number? A. 360 So. Clark St. We used to be at 307 So. Clark St. We moved to 360 last year, 7th month.

Q What was the name of the firm at 307? A. Same name, Sang Yuen Co.

Q The firm formerly had a different name, didn't it? A. Yes, it used to be Kim Kee.

Q When did the name change from Kim Kee to Sang Yuen? A. In K.S. 33, the 9th month.

Q You recognize this photograph? (Showing photograph of applicant) A. It is the photograph of Chin Loy.

Q Is he a member of your firm? A. Yes.

Q How long has he belonged to the firm? A. Ever since I bought Kim Kee up until the time he went to China.

Q What date was it that you bought out Kim Kee? A. I came back in K.S. 33, on the 8th month. On the 9th month, I bought them out.

Q Did Chin Loy join your firm in the 9th month? A. Yes.

Q He says in his testimony in the 10th month? A. I bought Kim Kee out in the 9th month. We opened up for business on the 10th month.

Q What was his interest in the firm? A. \$500.00.

Q Did he pay that \$500.00 in cash? A. Yes.

Q When did he start to work in the store? A. Ever since we started the store again in K.S. 33, the 10th month.

Q Then he has worked in the store ever since he has owned an interest in the store? A. Yes.

Q Did he do any work outside of the store? A. No.

Q Where did he work before he bought his interest in the store?

A. Worked in a laundry.

Q Didn't he work in a laundry up to the time that he went to China?

A. No, ever since he joined my store. He never worked in a laundry.

Q What did he do in the store? A. Book keeping.

Q How many bookkeepers did you have at that time? A. Just one.

Q What other members worked in the firm while he was here? A. Chin Jim, Chin Fook, Chin Loy and myself.

Q Who took the place of Chin Loy as bookkeeper when he went to China? A. I got somebody outside for about three months. Then Kung Ning took his place. At the time of Chin Loy's departure for China, Kung Ning had no interest in the store. He joined after Chin Loy's departure.

Q Is Chin Fook working in the store now? A. Yes.

Q Well, did he join the firm after Chin Loy went to China? A. He is there at the present time.

Q How long did he work in the store before Chin Loy went to China? A. Ever since the store was opened. He was assistant bookkeeper while Chin Loy was here.

Q When Chin Loy was examined, he was asked, "What has Chin Fook been doing? A. He has been working in a laundry." What have you to say to that? A. He used to work in a laundry.

Q When? A. That was before the store was opened.

Q At his previous examination, they asked him, "When you go to China he will take your place in the store?" He answered, "Yes". "But prior to this, he has been engaged in the laundry business?" Answer, "Yes". A. Yes, he was working a laundry while Chin Loy was here.

Q He didn't start to work in the store until after Chin Loy went to China? A. He worked in the store three months before Chin Loy went to China.

Q Where did Chin Loy work in a laundry before he went into the store? A. On No. Clark St. I do not know the name of the laundry or what number.

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## Testimony of witness, CHIN KONG FONG, continued:

Q How long did he work there? A. I do not know how long he had been working in a laundry. At the time, I went to China, Chin Loy was not here.

Q How long have you known Chin Loy in Chicago? A. Over twenty years. I knew him in China.

Q How long have you known Chin Loy to live in Chicago? A. I knew him in China. When I went to China, he was not in Chicago. When I came back from China he was in Chicago.

Q When did you come back from China? A. K.S. 33, 8th month.

Q Chin Loy was asked this question on his previous examination, "Have you done nothing else in Chicago except work in the store?" Answer, "Visited around here. Then I went in this business." A. Oh, I know he worked in some laundry on Clark St. before he went into business with me.

Q Well, how many bookkeepers did you have in your store? A. One.

Q Who was that bookkeeper when Chin Loy was here? A. Chin Loy was bookkeeper at that time.

Q Did he keep all the books? A. Yes.

Q Didn't you keep any of the books? A. I took care of the cash. He took care of the books.

Q Did you have what was called an inside and outside bookkeeper? A. Yes. The outside bookkeeper puts down the sales and everything that comes in during the day, and whatever cash they take in during the day they turn over to me. That is the inside bookkeeper.

Q How many members in the firm? A. At the time Chin Loy went to China, we only had eleven. We have twenty-one now.

Q You testified at that time that you had twelve? A. Yes, we had twelve. I forgot.

Q Well doesn't anyone outside of the firm own an interest in your store? A. No.

Q Did some firm own an interest in it at the time Chin Loy went to China? A. No.

Q You testified before that a firm in Hong Kong had an interest in your store? A. Yes, the firm in Hong Kong named Mon Sang Lung. When you asked how many had interests in the firm, I thought you meant here in Chicago.

Q How much interest does that firm own? A. Two thousand, Mexican. They ship the goods from Hong Kong here for their stock.

Q Does that firm still own an interest in your store? A. Yes.

Q You didn't tell me that the other day when I was examining you the other day with reference to bringing in your wife and boy? A. No, I didn't tell you that.

Q Well, is that firm listed among the partners whose names you have on file in this office? A. Just field the names of the partners that are herein Chicago. Didn't report any outside names.

Q What is the combined capital of the firm? A. About thirteen thousand dollars.

Q Does that include the two thousand dollar investment of the Hong Kong firm? A. No.

Q Then if it is fourteen thousand dollars including that? A. Yes. At the time that Chin Loy went to China, we only had eight thousand dollars capital, and Chin Loy don't know anything about the last incorporation.

Q Did Chin Loy receive wages when he worked in the store? A. Yes.

Q How much? A. \$40.00 a month.

Q Do you books show where he received \$40.00 a month when he was engaged in your store? A. Yes.

Q Did he receive any profits? A. No.

Q Has he received anything since he has been in China? A. Last year, we divided five dollars on each hundred, but I didn't send it back to him.

Q Has he that amount still coming to him? A. Yes.

Q Do the books show that too? A. Yes.

Q Does he still retain his interest in the firm? A. Yes.

Q Is the firm still engaged in business? A. Yes.

Witness signed his name in English and Chinese.

(Signed) Chin Kong Fong, Witness.

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No. 733.

March 19th, 1909.

Mr. L. T. Plummer,  
Chinese Inspector in Charge,  
Chicago, Ill.

Sir:-

I have made a pre-investigation in the case of CHIN LOY who claims to be a merchant and one of the partners in the firm of Sang Yuen, 307 So. Clark St., this city.

I have taken the testimony of applicant Chin Loy together with that of the manager of the concern, Chin Koon Fong, and I attach a transcript of the testimony taken hereto. There is nothing in the testimony that will tend to disprove applicant's claim that he is one of the members of this concern.

I have visited the store and find Sang Yuen & Co. located at 307 So. Clark St. in the basement, and that they are conducting a general merchandize store, handling Chinese groceries, etc. I should judge that the amount of stock that they have on hand is worth three to four thousand dollars, if not more. The testimony of the two white witnesses is also attached, having been taken by yourself. Their statement and their acquaintance with the applicant makes him a bona fide merchant.

Respectfully,

H. E. TIPPETT

Chinese Inspector.

522, Commercial Nat'l. Bk. Bldg. CHICAGO

March 15th, 1909.

Case of : H. E. Tippett, Examining Inspector.  
 CHIN LOY, : Charley Kee, Interpreter.  
 Merchant departing. : W. B. Calkins, Stenographer.

Applicant, CHIN LOY, sworn by Inspector Tippett, testified:

Q What is your name? A. Chin Loy.

Q How many names have you? A. Two names.

Q What is your other name? A. Chin Ling Hoy, my marriage name.

Q How old are you? A. Forty-five.

Q What is your occupation? A. Merchant.

Q What firm are you connected with? A. Sang Yuen, 307 So. Clark St., basement.

Q How long have you been one of the partners in this concern?

A. K.S. 33, 10th month, 10th day, I started.

Q You are one of the organizers of the concern, are you?

A. Yes.

Q How many partners are there in the firm? A. Twelve.

Q What is the capital of the firm? A. \$8,100.00.

Q How much of an interest do you hold in the company?

A. \$500.00.

Q Did you put in \$500.00 cash when you organized the company?

A. Yes.

Q What do you do in the store? A. I am a bookkeeper.

Q Do you give the store your whole attention? A. Yes.

Q Have you been there practically every day since the company started? A. Yes.

Q How many of your company staff at the store and give it their entire attention? A. Four.

Q Yourself one? A. Yes.

Q Give me the names of the other three. A. Chin Len; he went back to China; Chin Koon Fong, Chin Fook and Chin Shing. Chin Fook is going to take my place.

Q Did Chin Len stay in the store all the time up to the time he went to China? A. Yes.

Q There is four including yourself who give the store their attention? A. Including myself four. Chin Fook will come in pretty soon and take my place.

Q What has Chin Fook been doing? A. He has been working in a laundry.

Q Where has he been engaged in a laundry? A. I do not know.

Q When you go to China, he will take your place in the store?

A. Yes.

Q But prior to this, he has been engaged in the laundry business?

A. Yes.

Q Who is the manager of your company? A. Chin Koon Fong.

Q How much stock do you carry? A. Over ten thousand dollars worth of stock.

Q When you organized this company, how much stock did you buy?

A. Three thousand dollars worth.

Q And you say now that you have ten thousand dollars worth of stock now? A. Yes.

Q Is it all in the basement at 307 So. Clark St.? A. We have ten thousand dollars worth of goods in the store and some on the road.

Q What is the nature of the goods? A. Chinese groceries, starch and rice.

Q You mean to say that you have ten thousand dollars worth of stock in your store now? A. Yes.

Q Do you carry insurance? A. Yes.

Q Who is it with? A. Mr. Dana.

Q How much insurance? A. I do not know.

Q You are the bookkeeper. You ought to know that. A. Another party handles the insurance.

Q You as the bookkeeper of that firm ought to know how much insurance you carry? A. The outside bookkeeper does not know about

## Testimony of CHIN LOY, continued:

the inside business. I know that they carry over \$2,000.00.

Q You don't want me to believe that you have two bookkeepers do you? An outside one and an inside one? A. Yes, the outside bookkeeper has nothing to do with the inside bookkeeper.

Q Are you the inside bookkeeper? A. No, the outside.

Q What are the duties of the outside bookkeeper? A. He justs receives the money for the goods sold during the day.

Q Where do you do that? A. In the store.

Q Who keeps the books of the concern, a record of all the business transactions? A. Chin Koon Fong.

Q Then how do you claim to be the hookkeeper of the concern? A. I only take care of the outside books.

Q What do the outside books consist of? A. The outside bookkeeper is only interested in what is taken in during the day. At the end of the day this is turned over to the treasurer.

Q Who is the treasurer of the concern? A. Chin Foon Fong.

Q He is also the bookkeeper, is he? A. Yes.

Q He keeps a record of everything that is bought and paid out, etc.? A. Yes.

Q What did you do before you went into this firm? A. I was a merchant in Boston.

Q What firm? A. Wing One Teung, 38 Harrison Ave, Boston.

Q When did you come to Chicago? A. A little over two years ago.

Q Have you done nothing else in Chicago except work in the store? A. Visited around here. Then I went in this business.

Q Have you been in this store every day in the past year, actually engaged in the business? A. Yes.

Q Do you know the witnesses that signed your paper? A. Yes.

Q Who are they? A. Charley Wright and Dana.

Q How long have you known Charley Wright? A. Over a year ever since I have been in business.

Q Does he go to your store? A. Yes, all the time.

Q How many times does he come on an average? A. It depends on how much duty we have to pay.

Q Does he come once a week or twice a week? A. You can't depend upon him. About every few days.

Q Does Mr. Dana visit your store? A. Mostly every week.

Q How long have you known Mr. Dana. A. Over a year.

Q Have you known him ore than two years? A. Less than two years.

Q Have you known Mr. Wright more than two years or less than two years? A. Since I started in that business.

Q Are you married? A. Yes.

Q Where is your wife? A. In China.

Q Have you a family? A. I have a boy.

Q Just one child? A. One boy.

Q How old is he? A. Thirteen years.

Q Were you in China, before? A. I made one trip.

Q When was that? A. K.S. 21.

Q What month? A. The last part of the year, K.S. 21.

Q When did you return to this country? A. I went out via Tacoma. I came back via Richfand, Vt. K.S. 23.

Q Did you use on that trip the same name that you give here?

A. I went under the anem of Chin Ling Hoy from Boston.

Q Did you go as laborer or merchant? A. Merchant.

Q When did you get married? A. 25 years ago.

Q When did you first come to the United States? A. I think K.S. 8, I landed at San Francisco.

Q And you have made only one trip to China since that time? A. Only one.

Q Are you registered? A. No.

Applicant signed his name in English & Chinese.

{Signed} Chin Loy,

Applicant.

{Signed} Charley Keem,

Interpreter.

Case of CHIN LOY.

Witness, CHIN KOON FONG, sworn by Inspector Tippett, testified:

Q What is your name? A. Chin Koon Fong.

Q How many names have you? A. Two names. Chin Fong Kee is my other name.

Q Is that your marriage name? A. Koon Fong is my marriage name.

Q Do you identify the photograph on this certificate? A. Yes, Chin Loy.

Q What is your occupation? A. Chinese grocery business.

Q What is the name of your company? A. Sang Yuen Co., 307 So. Clark St. in the basement.

Q Are you the manager of that concern? A. Yes.

Q When was that company organized? A. K.S. 33, 10th month, 10th day.

Q How much interest have you in the concern? A. \$2,000.00.

Q Has Chin Loy any interest there? A. Yes, \$500.00.

Q Are you one of the organizers of the firm? A. We all started at the same time.

Q How much salary do you carry? A. About three or four thousand dollars. There is some goods on the way.

Q How much stock have you now? A. Three or four thousand dollars.

Q What does that consist of? A. Groceries.

Q When you organized this store, how much stock did you buy or purchase at that time? A. About several hundred dollars a year now. We have just sent back to China for some.

Q You say that Chin Loy is one of your partners? A. Yes.

Q Has an interest of \$500.00? A. Yes.

Q What does he do? A. Bookkeeper.

Q Has he been a bookkeeper ever since the firm was organized? A. Yes.

Q Has he been engaged at that, practically every day since the firm was organized? A. Yes.

Q What are his duties as a bookkeeper? A. Sell goods, keep a record of all accounts and transactions.

Q He keeps a record of all business transactions in that firm, does he? A. I take care of all the money. He writes in the books.

Q Have you more than one bookkeeper? A. When Chin Loy goes to China, we will get some one else. Q

Q You don't have an outside bookkeeper and an inside bookkeeper do you? A. He takes charge of the outside books and I take charge of the inside business.

Q Who takes care of the insurance? A. I take care of the insurance.

Q How much insurance do you carry? A. Over \$2,000.00.

Q Who is that placed with? A. Mr. Dana.

Q Chin Loy who claims to be your bookkeeper ought to know how much goods you carry? A. He ought to know. Of course, I attend mostly to the business.

Q You say you have three or four thousand dollars worth of goods. He says you have ten thousand dollars. A. It might be that he understood you to say the amount of business we did last year.

Q How much business do you do a year? A. Last year, we did over twenty thousand dollars worth of business.

Q Do you give this store your attention every day? A. Yes. I go out and get orders with a wagon, and then I come back at night with the orders.

Q Does Chin Loy give all his attention to the store? A. Yes.

Q What is the combined capital of the firm? A. \$8,100.00. A two thousand dollar interest is held by a firm in Hong Kong.

Q How many members in this company? A. Twelve. Including the firm in Hong Kong, thirteen.

## Testimony of CHIN KOON FONG, continued:

Q How many give this store their attention? A. Four.

Q Who are they? A. Myself, Chin Ken, Chin Fook and Chin Loy and Chin Shing. Chin Ken is in China.

Q Who is going to take the place of Chin Loy when he goes to China? A. Chin Fook.

Q What has Chin Fook been doing? A. He is at the store now.

Q What has he been doing? A. In a restaurant, Doey Yut Lo, 293 So. Clark St.

Q When did he come into the store to take this man's place? A. Just about a month ago.

Q Are you registered? A. Yes.

Q Have you a certificate of residence? A. I didn't bring it with me.

Q What were you doing before you went into this store? A. In a laundry.

Q Here in Chicago? A. Yes, 773 Forty-third St., between Wabash Ave. and State St.

Q When did you come to the United States? A. I have been here 27 or 28 years.

Q How many times have you been back to China? A. Twice.

Q When did you go the first time? A. K.S. 24, I went out by way of Vancouver and came back K.S. 25 via Vancouver. In K.S. 30 2nd day, I left here for China going by way of Porta. Coming back I landed at Seattle K.S. 33, 8th month, 15th day.

Q Did you go as merchant or laborer? A. Merchant. I worked in the store in the basement under Doey Yut Lo as a merchant a year before I left.

Witness signed his testimony in English & Chinese.

(Signed) Chin Kong Fong, Witness.

陳芳吉 (Signed) Charley Kee, Interpreter.

(Signed) H. E. Tippett, Inspector.

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