

WHEREAS, TUNG HOY hereunto attached, from the United States upon a visit to the intention of return for the purpose present occupation in; and

WHEREAS, the said TUNG HOY is lawfully entitled to so re-enter the United States for the purpose of returning to the Act of May 5, 1892, as amended November 3, 1893, and between the United States and China, dated December 7, 1894, which provide as follows,

"A merchant is a person engaged in buying and selling merchandise at a fixed place of business, which business is conducted in his name, and who, during the time he claims to be engaged as a merchant, does not engage in the performance of any manual labor, except such as is necessary in the conduct of his business as such merchant.

"When an application is made by a Chinaman for entrance into the United States on the ground that he was formerly engaged in this country as a merchant, he shall establish by the testimony of two credible witnesses other than Chinese the fact that he conducted such business as hereinbefore defined for at least one year before his departure from the United States and that during such year he was not engaged in the performance of any manual labor, except such as was necessary in the conduct of his said business as such merchant; and in default of such proof shall be refused landing." (Act of May 5, 1892, as amended by the Act of November 3, 1893.)

"The provisions of this convention shall not affect the rights at present enjoyed of Chinese subjects, being officials, teachers, students, merchants, or travellers for curiosity or pleasure, but not laborers, of coming into the United States and remaining therein." (Convention of December 7, 1894, between the United States and China.)

NOW, THEREFORE, and for the better identification of the said TUNG HOY, and in order to facilitate his re-entry into the United States upon his said return hereto, for the said purpose,

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, citizens of the United States, and residents of the City of Chicago, in the County of Cook and State of Illinois, DO HEREBY Certify that we have been well acquainted with the said TUNG HOY for upwards of one year last past, during which said year he has been a reputable resident Chinese merchant, and neither a huckster, peddler, laundryman or laborer of any kind.



whose photograph is about to depart States, temporarily China, with the intention into the United States of resuming his present occupation there

TUNG HOY is lawfully entitled to re-enter the United States for the purpose, pursued by Congress approved by the Act of the Convention between the United States and China, dated December 7, 1894, which provides:-

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SUBJECT:

Moy Jwing Hoy; alias Yung Hoy.

WE DO FURTHER CERTIFY, That, during the said year of our acquaintance with him, the said TUNG HOY has been a member of the firm of Chinese merchants trading and doing business under the trade-name and style of "HIP LUNG", Dealers in Textiles, Silks, Chinese and Japanese Fancy-goods, and general merchandise, at No. 323 South Clark Street, in the said City of Chicago.

WE DO FURTHER CERTIFY, That, during the said year of our acquaintance with him, the said TUNG HOY has been so 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 that, during the said year of our acquaintance with him, the said TUNG HOY has not been engaged in the performance of manual labor, skilled or unskilled, of any kind, except such as was necessary in the conduct of his said business as such merchant as aforesaid.

WE DO FURTHER CERTIFY, That the said trade-name and style is arbitrary and fanciful, and does not indicate the names of the members of the said firm, or of any of them; and that such use of such trade-names and styles is customary amongst Chinese and other merchants generally, in the ~~United States~~ said City of Chicago, and elsewhere

throughout the United States so far as we are aware.

Dated at Chicago, Illinois, U.S.A., July 14th, 1900

DESCRIPTION OF TUNG HOY.
AGE:-FORTY-FIVE YEARS.
HEIGHT:-FIVE FEET, TWO AND ONE HALF INCHES.

General Agency, C. O. R.
Chicago, Illinois.
Fred Campbell
Lester Clark Jr.
Chicago, Illinois.
John T. Gibbs
ILLINOIS TRUST & SAVINGS BANK
Chicago, Illinois.

Geo. F. Lee
Chicago, Illinois.

COMMISSIONER OF DEEDS FOR ALL THE STATE
U. S. PASSPORTS
NOTARY PUBLIC

MARK A. FOOTE
UNITED STATES COMMISSIONER
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS
CHICAGO
512 MANADNOCK BLOCK
NO. 98 JACKSON STREET
TELEPHONE HARRISON 2186

Sept. 8, 1904.

Ward B. Thompson, Esq.,

Chinese Inspector in charge,
City.

Dear Sir:

For Mr. Moy Tong Hoy, I beg to submit, herewith, papers intended to secure the admission of his wife and minor son; and respectfully request your investigation and endorsement of the same for that purpose.

Yours very truly,

Mark A. Foote.



MOY DONG HOY, Chicago file 192,
alias TUNG HOY

State of Illinois.)
County of Cook.) ss.
City of Chicago.)

James Lee, of the City of
Chicago in said State and County, 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 General Agent. C.P.R.

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
day of _____, A.D. 1900,

before me. *James Lee*

Notary Public, Cook Co. Ill's.

State of Illinois.)
County of Cook.) ss.
City of Chicago.)

W. Campbell, of the City of
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 Bookkeeper. G.L.L.

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

Subscribed and sworn to, this
day of _____, A.D. 1900,

before me. *W. Campbell*

Notary Public, Cook Co. Ill's.

State of Illinois.)
County of Cook.) ss.
City of Chicago.)

NOTARY PUBLIC OF ILLINOIS, 1900.

James S. Gob, of the City of
Chicago in said State and County, 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 _____

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
day of _____, A.D. 1900,

before me. *James S. Gob*

Notary Public, Cook Co. Ill's.

State of Illinois.)
County of Cook.) ss.
City of Chicago.)

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to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Subscribed and sworn to, this
day of _____, A.D. 1900,

before me. *G. Lee*

Notary Public, Cook Co. Ill's.