

IMMIGRATION FILE

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR
IMMIGRATION SERVICE

No. 164

SUBJECT:

14-204

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

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

I, CHUNG LUM, a Registered Chinese Laborer of the City of Chicago, in said County and State, do hereby apply to the Treasury Department of the United States for a Return Certificate, pursuant to the Act of Congress approved September 13, 1888, and the Regulations thereunder.

In support of the above application, I do solemnly swear that I was lawfully registered as a Chinese Laborer of the City of Chicago in the State of Illinois, by the Collector of Internal Revenue for the First District of Illinois, on the 21st day of April, 1894, as shown by the accompanying Certificate of Registration, numbered 137,619 and the records under which the same was issued; that I am the identical person named and described in the said certificate; that I am about to go abroad temporarily; that I intend to depart from the United States at the port of Portal, in the State of North Dakota, on or about the first day of January, 1900, and to re-enter the United States at the said port of Portal within one year thereafter.

Further, I do solemnly swear that one Chow Foo Hing, of No. 949 West Twenty First street, in Chicago aforesaid, is indebted to me in the sum of Six Hundred and Twenty Five Dollars (\$625.00); and that one Chow Lung Len, of No. 832 West Twenty First street, in the said City of Chicago, is indebted to me in the sum of Seven Hundred and Fifty Dollars (\$750.00); and that the said debts, amounting in the aggregate to Thirteen Hundred and Seventy Five Dollars (\$1375), are reasonably and actually worth upwards of One Thousand Dollars (\$1000.00).

My Description is as follows:-

NAME:-CHUNG LUM.
 AGE:-Thirty-Nine Years.
 HEIGHT:-5 Ft., 7 & 1/2 In.
 WEIGHT:-About _____ Pounds.
 LOCAL RESIDENCE:-No. 350 South S
 State St., Chicago, Illinois.
 OCCUPATION:-Laundryman.
 COLOR OF EYES:-Dark Brown.
 COMPLEXION:-Dark.
 DISTINGUISHING MARKS:-Mole under
 Chin, Left Side.

And as a further means of identification, I have affixed hereto a photographic likeness of myself.

Subscribed and sworn to, this
29th day of November, 1899,) *#11#*
 before me.



John Hitt

Special Deputy Collector of Customs

*Li Chung Lum
mark*

Department of Commerce and Labor

See letter dated Oct. 22, 07. Portal.
in Chong Ark's file No. 515.

No. 203

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Department of Commerce and Labor
IMMIGRATION SERVICE

OFFICE OF INSPECTOR IN CHARGE
PORTAL, N. DAK.

June 4, 1907.

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

Sir:

I inclose herewith papers relating to CHUNG LUM, a Chinese Laborer of your city who is now in China and desires to return to the United States. Kindly make the customary investigation, returning all papers, with your report, to this office as soon as possible.

Respectfully,

Ansell W. Penn
Chinese Inspector in Charge.

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OFFICE OF INSPECTOR IN CHARGE
PORTAL, N. DAK.

June 13, 1907.

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

Sir:

I beg leave to acknowledge receipt of your report, together with all papers, in the case of CHUNG LUM, returning laborer of your city. He has been notified, this day, that he will be admitted on application at this port provided he does not, on his arrival here, controvert any of the statements contained in his application made prior to his departure.

Respectfully,

Ansell W. Penn
Chinese Inspector in Charge.

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OFFICE OF INSPECTOR IN CHARGE
PORTAL, N. DAK.

November 5, 1906.

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

Sir:

I beg leave to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 3rd instant, with reference to the case of Chung Lum, applicant for a laborer's return certificate. As your report of the investigation and the certificate of residence did not accompany your letter, I judge that the copy of the application sent me was intended for the applicant; I therefore return the same with the request that all papers in the case be forwarded with the original affidavit.

Respectfully,

Arnold W. Parmer

Chinese Inspector in Charge.

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COLLECTOR OF CUSTOMS,

Chicago, Ill., 1899.

William Penn Nixon, Esq.,

Collector of Customs,

Chicago, Illinois,

Sir:

Pursuant to your directions, I have examined the foregoing Statement in Writing and Certificate of Registry of Chung Lum in the manner prescribed by Treasury Decision No. 21466, and find the same to be _____.

Chinese Inspector.