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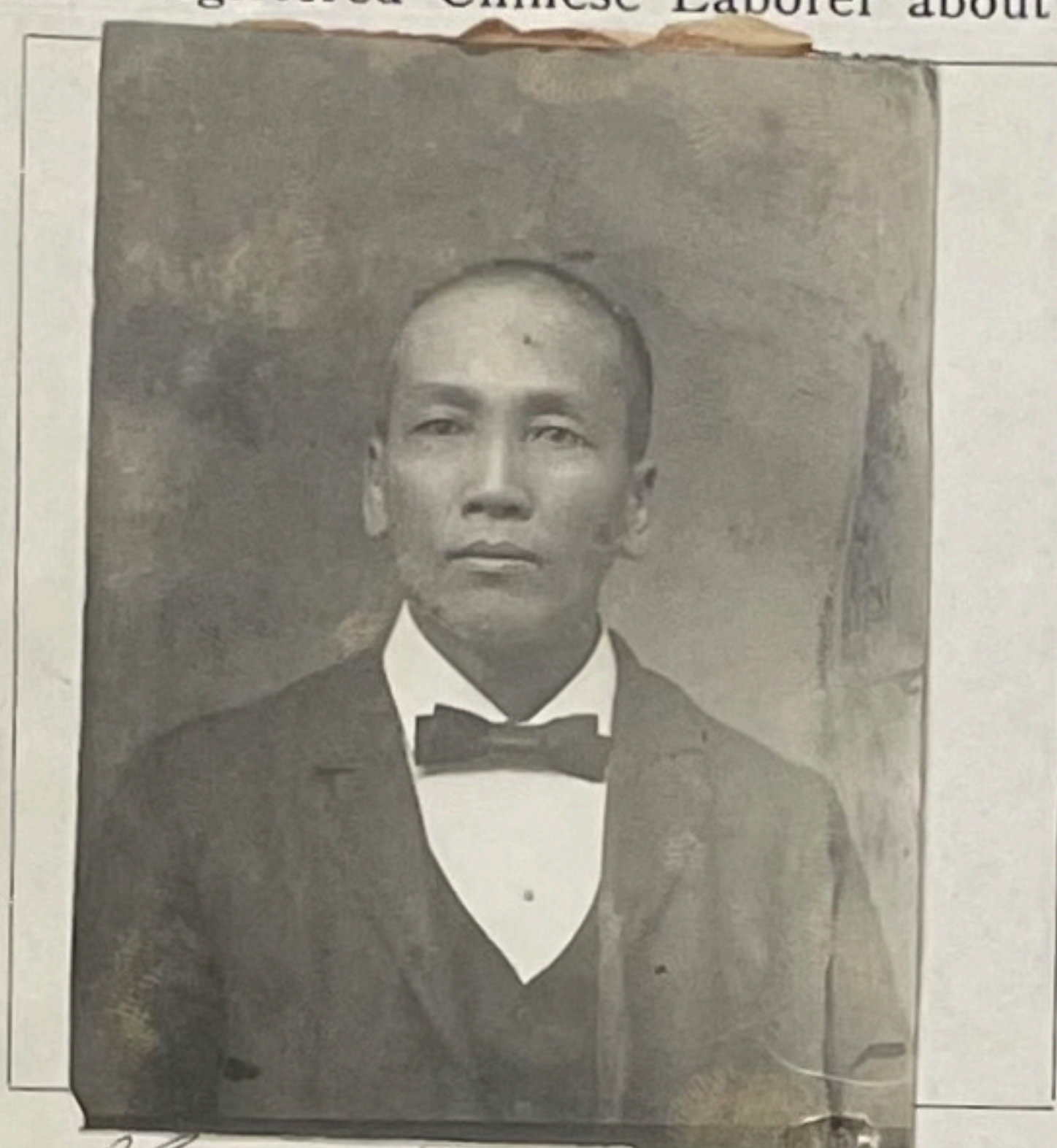
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PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP CO. OCCIDENTAL & ORIENTAL STEAMSHIP CO.

Route via San Francisco.

STATEMENT

Of Registered Chinese Laborer about to depart from the United States with the intention of returning thereto, made in compliance with the treaty between the United States and China, concluded and signed on the 17th day of March, 1894, ratified on the 7th day of December, 1894, proclaimed by the President of the United States December 8th, 1894, and the Regulation of the Secretary of the Treasurer, dated December 28th, 1894.



Ham Dong, WHOSE PHOTOGRAPH is hereunto attached, desiring to leave the United States with the intention of returning thereto, and claiming a certificate of his right to return under said treaty and in conformity therewith, deposits as a condition of his return his certificate of registration No. *106613* and his photograph in triplicate, and a full and true description of himself and of his family, property or debts due him in the United States, as follows, to wit:—

Name (Family and Individual):

Ham Dong

Age:

46 years

Height:

5 feet 8 inches

Local Residence:

Paris, Edgar County, Illinois

Occupation:

Laundryman

Color of Eyes:

Brown

Complexion:

Yellow (Light)

Physical Marks:

Small scar on left cheek bone

Description of Family Property or Debts:

Pong Grey is indebted to me in the sum of seven hundred dollars for borrowed money and the sum of three hundred dollars for one half interest in laundry business, including furniture, machinery &c.

Weight at Present: *150* pounds.

How Long Resided in the United States: *30* years.

WHEREFORE applicant prays to be furnished with such certificate of his right to return under said treaty as the laws of the United States may prescribe.

It is my intention to depart from the United States by way of San Francisco.

Ham Dong

Subscribed and sworn to before me this }
5th day of *December* A. D. 1899. }

John H. H.
Special Deputy Collector of Customs

I hereby certify that the above statement, made by the said

Ham Dong

is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief, and that the photographs accompanying this paper are those of the said *Ham Dong*.

Collector.

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