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	Immigrant Inspector,			
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	Six: It being my intention to le porary visit abroad, departing and	eave the United State	es on a tem- the Chinese	
	port of entry of Portal	(It all ale	, I hereby	
	apply, under the provisions of Rule (Bureau Circular No. 25), for preint	e 39 of the Chinese I	Regulations	
	as an American citizen by birth, s	submitting herewith	such docu-	
(a) (a)	mentary proofs (if any) as I possess, office personally, and to produce the	, and agreeing to app rein witnesses, for or	ear in your al examina-	
	tion regarding the claim made by m This application is submitted in	ie.		
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Chinese and Imprigrant Inspector,				
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With the information that I am ____ prepared, on the basis of the evidence submitted with the original of this application, to approve said application.

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Officer in Charge.

Department of Commerce and Cabor

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER SEATTLE, WASH.

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No.26,743.

JAN 7 1911
Inspector in Charge,
CHICAGO, ILLINOIS.

Jan. 3, 1911.

Inspector in Charge,

U.S. Immigration Service,

Chicago, Illinois.

Sir:

This is to advise you that Moy Hing whose status was the subject of your report of August 2, 1909, No. 763, addressed to the Portal, North Dakota office, arrived at this port November 25, 1910, on the S.S. "Protesilaus", and that he was admitted the following day as a returning native-born citizen of Chicago, Illinois.

Respectfully,

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Commissioner

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No. 763.

August 9th, 1909.

Moy Hing,

c/o Sing Lung & Co.,

309 So. Clark St., Chicago.

Sir:-

I hand you herewith duplicate of your application for a preinvestigation of your status as an American-born Chinese, and would
instruct you to present it to the Inspector in Charge at Portal,
North Dakota who will exchange it there for the original upon which
you will depart from and return to the United States.

Respectfully,

(Signed) L. T. Plummer.

Chinese Inspector in Charge.

July 26th, 1909.

Mr. G. Oliver Frick,

Inspector in Charge,

Detroit, Mich.

Sir:- ir

Your letter of July 23rd, No. 2208, stating that there is no photograph on the docket of Commissioner Harsha in the case of U. S. vs. Moy Hing, and suggesting that Inspector Tippett might tell by his record whether the photograph attached to this paper is that of the Chinaman discharged at that time, is received.

There is no photograph in the files of this case here for the reason that photographs were not always taken at that time of Chinamen arrested. Would you have one of your officers see Commissioner Marsha and imquire of him or of the clerk who attached the seal to this photograph, whether or not the photograph is that of the Chinaman discharged at that time. Probably the person who wrote the name on the photograph and attached the seal would be able to state that he knew that this was the photograph of the Chinaman, Mey Ming.

Respectfully,

(Signed) L. T. Plummer.

Chinese Inspector in Charge.

July 14 1909

G.Oliver Frick Immigrant Inspector in Charge Detroit Mich.

Sir:-

Will you please compare the inclosed paper, which purports to be a copy of the decision of U.S. Commissioner Walter S. Harsha in the case of the U.S. vs Moy Hing, with the Commissioner's docket and inform me if this Chinaman was discharged at the time as claimed upon the ground that he was born it the United States?

This man has made an application for preinvestigation of his status as a native born Chinaman under Rule 39.

Respectfully,

(Signed) L. T. Plummer.

Chinese Inspector in Charge

Case of Moy Hing.

Native departing
Applicant under Rule 29

L.T.Plummer Charley Kee

Inspector Interpreter

What is your name? Moy Hing.

What is your marriage name?
Moy Yung Ni.

Wen were you married? 7 or 8 years ago.

Have you any children?

Where is your wife? In China.

What was her maiden name? Leung She.

Where were you born? In san Francisco.

Why were you attrested in Detroit?

I came from Canada and met two officers who arrested me.

When was that?

1903 9th or 10th month (Chinese)

Were you put in jail?

How long?

About three weeks.

What kind of a looking man was the judge? He was short and chunky.

Did he have a moustache or was he smooth faced?
I forget.

Who was the Inspector who arrested you? I don't know.

Who were your witnesse s

Mark Gung. My brother Moy Sing went to Detroit to help ma.

Who else? Only one.

Have you been in Chicago ever since you were discharged?

What have you been doing.

Working in laundries, or anything at all so I get work.

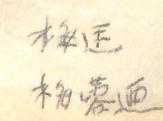
Have you owned a laundry?

Where have you worked most of the time, what street and number?

What was the name of the judge?
I don't remember.

Have you understood the Interpreter?

(Signed)(In English) Moy Ring L.T.Plummer Charley Kee



UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

EASTERN DISTRICT OF MICHIGAN.) SS:

I, WALTER S. HARSHA, United States Commissioner for the Eastern District of Michigan, residing at Detroit, do here-by certify that one Moy Hing, a person of Chinese descent, at this date aged about twenty-two years, is lawfully within the United States. Upon an examination had before me, upon the complaint of

H. E. Tippett, Chinese Inspector, after hearing witnesses, I have on this October 21st,1903, found that the said Moy Hing was born in the United States.

The photograph of said Moy Hing is hereto attached.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and official seal, at Detroit, in said District, this 21st day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and three, and of the Independence of the United States of America the one hundred and twenty—eighth.

WALTER S. HARSHA United States Commissioner for the Eastern District of Michigan.

PHOTOGRAPH

IMPRESSED WITH

COMMISSIONER\$S

OFFICIAL SEAL.

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THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS.) SCT:

EASTERN DIVISION.

I, Mark A. Foote, United States Commissioner for the Northern District of Illinois, Do Hereby Certify that the foregoing page is a true, full and correct copy of a certain original paper produced to, and compared by me, at my office in the City of Chicago in said division and district, this 12th day of July, A. D., nineteen hundred nine, (1909).

And I do further certify that, while not made from the same plate, the photograph hereto affixed and impressed with my official seal is a true and good photographic copy of the photograph affixed to said original paper and impressed with the seal of the commissioner named in the original paper.



In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal, at Chicago in said division and district, this 12th day of July, A.D., 1909.

U.S. COMMISSIONER, N.D. ILL'S.