

IMMIGRATION FILE

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Form 410STATEMENT OF REGISTERED CHINESE LABORER ABOUT TO DEPART FROM THE UNITED STATES WITH
THE INTENTION OF RETURNING THERETO

Made in compliance with the act of Congress entitled "An Act to prohibit the coming into and to regulate the residence within the United States, its Territories, and all territory under its jurisdiction, and the District of Columbia, of Chinese persons and persons of Chinese descent," approved April 29, 1902; and the Rules and Regulations of the Secretary of Commerce and Labor in conformity therewith.

I HEREBY DECLARE that I am a Chinese laborer, duly registered as such, under the act of May 5, 1892, as amended by the act of November 3, 1893. My certificate of residence which is attached to this statement was issued by the Collector of Internal Revenue for the _____ district of

_____ at _____
dated _____, 1894, and numbered _____



Name, _____
Present age, _____ years.

Local residence, _____

Occupation, _____

Height: _____ feet, _____ inches. Weight, _____ lbs.

Color of eyes, _____ Complexion, _____

Physical marks or peculiarities for identification: _____

Small hair mole left side of neck.

I CLAIM TO POSSESS the family, or property, or debts described below:

FAMILY: Wife, named _____, residing _____

Child or children, named _____, residing _____

Parent, named _____

residing _____

PROPERTY: Full description, _____

Value, \$ _____

DEBTS: Aggregating at least \$1,000, which are unsettled and unascertained, and not covered by promissory notes or other evidence of ascertained liability:

Due from _____, of _____, \$ _____ dollars, for _____

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I HEREBY AGREE that none of such property or debts shall be diverted, transferred, or collected during my absence, and that the above-described claims shall remain as they now exist until my return.

I RESPECTFULLY REQUEST a certificate of my right to return to the United States.

Moy Wing

(Signature of applicant.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this _____ day of _____, 1907

(Name) _____

(Title) _____

Portal

See letter dated July 8, 1908 Portal, N
in Moy Sing's file No. 584.
admitted July 7, 1908.

Case of : L. T. Plummer, Examining Inspector.
 Moy Wing, : J.G.C. Longchallon, Interpreter.
 Laborer returning. : W. B. Calkins, Stenographer.

Witness, Yee Hen Wah, sworn by Inspector Plummer, testified:

Q What is your name?
 A Yee Hen Wah.
 Q What is your business?
 A Laundryman.
 Q Do you know this man? (Showing photograph of applicant)
 A Yes. It is Moy Wing.
 Q Do you owe him any money?
 A Yes. \$500.00.
 Q Have you paid him any since he departed for China?
 A No.
 Q Has there been any change in the debt or obligation since he departed?
 A No.
 Q When will you pay him?
 A After he comes back to the United States, I will try to pay him.
 Q Have you understood the interpreter?
 A Yes.

Witness signed his testimony in Chinese.

(Signed)	Yee Hen Wah	Witness.
(Signed)	J.G.C. Longchallon,	Interpreter.
(Signed)	L. T. Plummer,	Inspector.

Witness, Wah Foon, sworn by Inspector Plummer, testified:

Q What is your name?
 A Wah Foon.
 Q What is your business?
 A Laundryman.
 Q Do you know this man? (Showing photograph of applicant)
 A Yes. It is Moy Wing.
 Q Do you owe him any money?
 A Yes. I owe him \$500.00.
 Q Have you paid him any of this \$500.00 since he has been in China?
 A No. I will wait until he comes back. Then I will try to pay him.
 Q Has there been any change in the debt or obligation since the applicant departed?
 A No.
 Q Have you understood the interpreter?
 A Yes.

Witness signed his testimony in Chinese.

(Signed)	Wah Foon,	Witness.
(Signed)	J.G.C. Longchallon,	Interpreter.
(Signed)	L. T. Plummer,	Chinese Inspector in Charge.

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Occupation - Landowner

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any change in debt or obligation since then - No.
When will you pay him. After he comes back
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CHICAGO, ILL. September 13, 1907.

Case of : Ward E. Thompson, Examining Inspector,
MOY WING, : J.G.C. Longchallon, Interpreter,
Lab. Dep. : A.T. Wilson, Stenographer.

Applicant, MOY WING, sworn by Inspector Thompson, testified:

- Q What is your name? A Moy Wing.
Q How old are you? A 46.
Q What is your local residence here in Chicago? A At Lim Loy, 343 So. Clark St.
Q What is your occupation? A Laundryman.
Q Do you own a laundry, or just work in laundries? A I was the owner of a laundry, but I sold it out.
Q Where was that laundry located? A 83 Chicago Avenue.
Q When did you sell this laundry? A Last November.
Q Is that your photograph (showing photograph) A Yes.
Q Where were you born? A China.
Q When did you first come to the United States? A K.S. 7.
Q Have you got a wife, parent or child in the United States? A No.
Q Have you got any property in the United States? A No.
Q Upon what do you base your right to a return certificate? A People owe me money here.
Q Who owes you money? A Wah Foon owes me \$500; Yee Hen Wah owes me \$500.
Q Where did you get this \$1,000 that you loaned these two men? A I earned it in my laundry.
Q When did you loan Wah Foon this \$500. A Last year, 7th month, 4th day.
Q Where were you when you loaned him this money? A 343 So. Clark St.
Q What did Wah Foon say that he wanted with this \$500? A Put in a laundry.
Q Did he give you a note for it? A No.
Q Does it draw any interest? A No.
Q Have you got it down in a book? A No.
Q Why not? A Because we are good friends.
Q What would Wah Foon do with this money if you never came back from China? A I am sure I am coming back.
Q But suppose you don't come back? A In case I cannot come back, I will write them and they will send it to me.
Q How much does Yee Hen Wah owe you? A \$500.
Q What did he borrow that money for? A To put in a laundry.
Q Where did you get this \$500? A I made it in my laundry.
Q When did he borrow it? A K.S. 32, 8th month, 15th day.
Q Did he give you a note for it? A No.
Q Draw any interest? A No.
Q Are you going to collect any of this \$1,000 that these two men owe you before you come back from China? A No, they will wait until I come back from China.
Q What do these men do; what is their occupation? A Both of them are laundrymen.
Q Do you consider them good for these debts that they owe you? A Yes; they are good friends of mine.
Q Are you willing to swear that these are bona fide debts? A Yes.
Q Have you understood the interpreter? A Yes.

Applicant signed his testimony in Chinese characters.

(Signed) W.E. Thompson, Inspector
(Signed) J.G.C. Longchallon, Interpreter.

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Lab. Dep.	:A.T.Wilson,	Stenographer.

Witness, WAH FOON, sworn by Inspector Thompson, testified:

Q What is your name? A Wah Foon.
Q How old are you? A 55.
Q Where do you live here in Chicago? A At 343 So. Clark St.
Q What is your business? A Laundryman.
Q Do you own a laundry, or do you work in one? A I owned a laundry.
It got burned last year, and I am working now. Chinese date, 1st day,
4th month it got burned.
Q Where was that laundry? A 507 - 12th St.
Q Did you have any insurance on that laundry? A No.
Q Do you know that man (showing photo of applicant)? A Yes, I have
known him a long time, Moy Wing.
Q Did you ever have any business dealings with him? A Yes, I bor-
rowed \$500 from him.
Q When did you borrow this money? A Last year, 7th day, 4th month.
Q What did you want with it? A Put in a laundry.
Q Bought that laundry that burned up? A Yes.
Q Did you give him any note for it? A No, because we are good
friends.
Q Did you pay him any interest? A No.
Q Where were you when you borrowed this money? from Moy Wing? A At
343 So. Clark St.
Q Do you consider yourself good for this debt? A Yes; when he comes
back from China if I have it I will pay him.
Q Are you going to pay him any of this money before he comes back from
China? A No, I will wait until he comes back.
Q You really intend to pay this \$500 after the man comes back from
China? A Yes, when he comes back, if I have it, I will pay him.
Q What if this man should never return from China, what would you do
with this \$500? A I will send it to him.
Q What if something should happen to him while he was in China, what
would you do? A I will send it to his family.
Q Are you willing to swear that this is a bona fide debt? A It is
a bona fide, true debt.
Q You have not just made this debt up to let this man go to China?
A No, I owe him \$500.
Q Have you understood the interpreter? A Yes.

(Witness signed his testimony in Chinese characters)

(Signed) J.G.C.Longchallon,	Interpreter,
(Signed) W.E.Thompson,	Inspector.

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Lab. Dep. : A.T. Wilson, Stenographer.

Witness, YEE HEN WAH, sworn by Inspector Thompson, testified:

Q What is your name? A Yee Hen Wah.
Q How old are you? A 52.
Q What is your local residence here in Chicago? At Lim Loy's, 343 So. Clark St.
Q What is your occupation? A Laundryman.
Q Do you ~~own~~ a laundry, or just work in one? A I am not doing any work now.
Q Did you ever own a laundry here in Chicago? A I had a laundry up to a year ago, K.S. 31.
Q Where was it? A 658 Halsted St.
Q What did you do with that laundry? A There was no business, and I closed it up.
Q And you have not done anything since? A Yes, I have been working in laundries now and again for other people.
Q Do you know this man (showing photo of applicant)? A Yes, Moy Wing.
Q How long have you known him? A 12 years.
Q Friend of yours? A Yes, good friend.
Q Did you ever have any business dealings with him? A Yes, I borrowed \$500 from him.
Q All at one time? A Yes.
Q What did you want with this \$500? A To put in the laundry; the laundry at Halsted Street that I closed.
Q Give me the date when this loan took place? A K.S. 31, 8th month, 15th day.
Q Where were you when you got this money from this man? A At Lim Loy's, 343 So. Clark St.
Q Did you give a note for it? A No, no note.
Q Do you pay him interest? A No interest.
Q Do you intend to pay this man any part of this \$500 before he returns from China? A No, I will wait until he comes back.
Q You really intend to repay him this \$500 when he comes back? A Yes, when he returns, if I have the money, I will pay him back.
Q What if he never comes back, what would you do with this money?
A If he does not come back, I will get the money and send it to him.
Q If something should happen to him, what would you do with this \$500?
A If anything happens to him, I will send it to his family.
Q Do you really owe this money, or did you just say so, so he can make this trip to China? A Really owe him the money.
Q Have you understood the interpreter? A Yes.

(Witness signed his name in Chinese characters)

(Signed) J.G.C. Longchallon, Interpreter
(Signed) W.E. Thompson, Inspector.