

UNITED STATES IMMIGRATION SERVICE,  
CHINESE BUREAU,

SAN FRANCISCO, CAL., August 22, 1903.

Mr. Charles Mehan,  
Chinese Inspector in Charge,  
San Francisco, Cal.

Sir:

In re YEE JEOCK LEONG, Native and Merchant's Son, No. 35,  
Ex S. S. "America Maru," Aug. 17, 1903, I have the honor to report  
that there are no discrepancies or contradictions in the testimony  
of the applicant, his father, Yee Ging Wo, and the Chinese witness  
Ow Yung You. Their testimony is to the effect that the applicant  
was born at 741 Sacramento St. in K. S. 10th year, 1st month, 15th  
day.

This applicant bases his right to enter this country both upon  
the fact that he is a Native and also a Merchant's Son.

~~I visited the store of Kow Kee Jan & Co. at 840 Clay St.,~~  
this city, and found the father of applicant actively engaged in  
conducting the business of the firm.

The testimony of the white witnesses is to the effect that the  
applicant's father is a bona fide Chinese merchant.

Respectfully,

*Ward E. Thompson*  
Chinese Inspector.

A/J/B

*The manifest shows that the applic-  
ant's father arrived from China at  
the time he claims.*

*W. E. T.*