

In the Supreme Court of British Columbia

In the matter of an application for a writ  
of habeas Corpus to bring up the body of  
Sey How otherwise Sey Han

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I <sup>see</sup> ~~the~~ Cherry now of Nanaimo formerly  
of the City of Victoria make oath and  
say

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I am well acquainted with the said Sey  
How she is about 18 years old I reside  
at Nanaimo and on the 6<sup>th</sup> day of  
October I was in the store of Kersey Or  
Cherry ~~where~~ in company with the  
said Sey How when two policemen entered  
and said they were hunting for stolen  
chickens When they saw the said Sey How  
they took her away by force to the  
Court House and locked her up and  
would not allow any person to see  
her The next day ~~that~~ she was brought  
to Victoria in the custody of John E  
Gardiner the Chinese interpreter I was  
at the Nanaimo station and the  
said Sey How would not go aboard the  
train with the said John E Gardiner  
until she saw me on the train  
I came to Victoria with them but had  
no conversation with the said Sey

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How On the arrival of the train at  
Victoria The said Sy How was forced  
into a hack by the said John E  
Gardiner and a Provincial Constable  
She was in great distress of mind and  
was crying bitterly and was very  
unwilling to go with the said John  
E Gardiner She asked what care  
I do and Sir Sam replied you go on  
and your friends will get a writ of  
habeas corpus to morrow and set you  
at liberty

Sworn at the City of  
Victoria the 8<sup>th</sup> day  
of October 1887

Before me

J. W. H. (Sd)

Commissioner for taking affidavits  
in the Supreme Court of B.C.

Lee Chung

Supreme Court  
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Re Sai Kou

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Applicant of  
Lee Chung

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