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Certified to be a true copy of a Minute of a Meeting of the Committee of the Privy Council, approved by His Excellency the Governor General on the 17 September 1947.

The Committee of the Privy Council have had before them a report dated 11th September 1947, from the Secretary of State, stating that, after further consideration of the Order in Council P. C. 1810, the 18th July, 1947, providing for an inquiry into property claims of Japanese persons evacuated from the coast of British Columbia as a war measure, he is of opinion that the terms of reference should be expressed in terms in line with the Fourth Report of the Standing Committee of the House of Commons on Public Accounts, which Report dealt with the general administration and liquidation of property owned by Japanese evacuees and was concurred in by the House of Commons.

The Committee, therefore, on the recommendation of the secretary of State, advise that the terms of reference contained in the Order in Council P. C. 1810 aforesaid be amended:

1. By striking out paragraphs (a) and (b) of Clause numbered 1 and substituting the following:

- "(a) that real and personal property vested in the Custodian pursuant to the above mentioned Orders was disposed of by the Custodian for less than the fair market value thereof at the time of sale resulting in loss to the Claimants equal to the difference between the amounts received from the sale and the fair market value aforesaid; and
- (b) that personal property vested in the Custodian pursuant to the above mentioned Orders was lost, destroyed or stolen while in the possession or under the control of the Custodian or some person appointed by him, with the result that the claimant suffered a loss equal to the fair market value of the property at the time when the same was lost, destroyed or stolen; provided that no claim shall be considered in respect of property lost, destroyed

or stolen while under the custody, control or management of any person other than the Custodian, appointed by the owner of the property."

2. By striking out the words "for failure of the Custodian to exercise reasonable care "from Clause numbered 2.

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Clerk of the Privy Council.

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DRAFT STATEMENT BY THE CO-OPERATIVE COMMITTEE
ON JAPANESE CANADIANS

The Minister of Justice has announced the terms of an Order-in-Council amending the Order-in-Council which appointed a Commissioner to investigate the property claims of Japanese Canadians. We enclose a copy of the amending order.

This amendment removes the most serious objection taken by us to the terms of reference set out in the original Order, namely, that it was necessary for a claimant to prove that his loss was caused by lack of care on the part of the Custodian or his agents.

We urged that the case of the Japanese Canadians in no way depended upon any lack of care on the part of the Custodian, and that in all cases where property was sold at less than a fair market value, compensation should be made.

We were so convinced that the original terms of reference imposed an impossible or extremely difficult burden on the claimants that we seriously contemplated advising the Japanese Canadians who might have claims, not to present them to a Commission whose powers were so restricted.

We therefore welcome the amendment contained in the new Order-in-Council insofar as it removes this objection and enables all those whose property was vested in the Custodian, and was sold at less than a fair market value, to present claims with some real hope of success.

We regret very much, however, that the Government has not accepted our representations that in order to do full justice all claims for losses to property fairly arising out of the evacuation orders should be investigated and compensation allowed.

There are a considerable number of cases in which losses are still excluded from the terms of reference because the properties in question were not vested in the Custodian and loss was sustained before the appointment of the Custodian, either through forced sales, theft or vandalism, or the acts or omissions of other agencies.

We will continue to urge that more complete justice be done in respect to this class of claims and we plan to assist in the preparation of the necessary information, so that the cases of this group of claimants may be put before Parliament and the Government.

Nevertheless we do not think it would be in the interests of the Japanese Canadians that those who are entitled to present their claims under the amended terms of reference should seek to boycott the Commission on the ground that the terms of reference are still not broad enough to cover all of those who in justice may be thought to be entitled to compensation.

Indeed we urge all those who have suffered loss through sale by the Custodian or through destruction or theft of personal property, after the property was vested in the Custodian, to take advantage of the Commission and to present their fair claims as vigorously as they can.

Our view has been strengthened by the information that the test case taken in the Exchequer Court against the Crown in regard to the legal right of the Custodian to sell the property of Japanese Canadians under the various Orders-in-Council, has been dismissed.

It is our opinion based on the advice of the solicitors who represent the Japanese Canadians in these cases that there is little to be hoped for in the way of legal proceedings in the Courts and those who have based their hope on this means to secure compensation for losses must now abandon such hope.

It is the intention of the Co-operative Committee acting through and in co-operation with the National Japanese Canadian Citizens Association in the various provinces, to propose a plan whereby legal assistance in presenting the claims may be made available to those who may find such assistance necessary or desirable.

We shall shortly be issuing a further statement giving the details of this plan and setting out what steps should be taken by the Japanese Canadian claimants to present their claims to the Commissioner.

Lethbridge, Alta.

TELEGRAM

ACCORDANCE WITH YOUR REQUEST LEGAL SUB-COMMITTEE FORMED
STOP MEMBERS W. E. HUCKVALE, L. F. TURCOTTE, W.S. WALLACE
STOP PUBLICITY RELEASE TO BE MADE FOLLOWING RECEIPT OF
YOUR TELEGRAPHIC CONFIRMATION WHICH PLEASE HASTEN STOP
AWAIT YOUR INSTRUCTIONS IN DUE COURSE.

LETHBRIDGE CONSULTATIVE COMMITTEE.

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September 4	Attending Commissioner with suggested amendments to claim forms, engaged 1 hour:	\$10.00
September 25	Wire to Mr. Justice Bird at Victoria re claim forms:	.50
September 26	Attending Andrew Brewin in Toronto re claim form and general organizational problems, engaged 5 hours:	25.00
October 14	Upon receipt of letter from B.C. J.C.C.A. enquiring re Commission and presentation of claims, replying thereto, 2 pages:	1.25
October 16	Upon receipt of letter from Mr. Justice Bird, letter to New Canadian drawing attention to error in claim form appearing in that publication:	1.25
October 25	Long report on various matters to Andrew Brewin, 6 pages:	2.50
October 27	Letter to J.C.C.A. reporting upon receipt of enquiries from it, 2 pages:	1.25
October 27	Letter to Civil Liberties Union re Commission and local committee, 2 pages:	1.25
October 27 & 28	Attending at Greenwood advising re Commission terms of reference and claims (engaged 2 days, including travel)	100.00
October 31	Upon receipt of 2 letters from Andrew Brewin reporting on matters referred to therein and advising, 2½ pages:	2.50
	Upon enquiry from New Canadian re commencement of Commission Hearings, collect wire reporting thereon:	.50
November 3	Attending Commission Secretary concerning matter of filing claims, engaged 1 hr:	5.00
November 5	Upon receipt of letter from Mr. Justice Bird re delay in filing claims, letter to Andrew Brewin, 2 pages:	1.25
	Letter to Mr. Justice Bird re matter of delay in filing claims, 2 pages:	1.25
November 7	Upon receipt of letter from Andrew Brewin, letter in reply dealing with valuations, etc. 1 page:	1.00
November 10	Upon receipt of copies of relevant Orders-in-Council, perusing same, engaged 2 hrs:	10.00
November 12	Wire to Lillooet Committee re claim forms:	.50
November 13	Letter to Andrew Brewin re claim forms and re suggestion, 2 pages:	1.50

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November 15	Attending Mr. Justice Bird re extension of time for filing claims at time of hearings, engaged 1½ hours:	15.00
November 19	Upon receipt of letter from Minto Committee, letter advising, 1 page:	1.00
November 21	Upon receipt of claims from J.C.C.A., checking same, indexing and filing, engaged 6 hrs:	30.00
November 23	Upon receipt of further claims from B.C. J.C.C.A., checking same and filing, engaged 5 hrs:	25.00
November 24	Upon receipt of further claims from B.C. J.C.C.A. checking same, and filing, engaged 5 hrs:	25.00
November 24	Letter to B.C. J.C.C.A. re claim forms, 1 page:	1.00
	Wire to Andrew Brewin re hearing for extension of time:	.50
November 25	Upon receipt of claim forms from B.C. J.C.C.A., checking same, indexing and filing, engaged 6 hrs:	30.00
November 26	Attending Commissioner on formal application for extension of time and arrangement re opening hearings, engaged 2 hrs:	20.00
	Wire to Plaza Hotel for reservations:	.50
	Wire to Andrew Brewin re extension of time:	.50
November 26	Wire B.C. J.C.C.A., re extension of time:	.50
	Letter to B.C. J.C.C.A. re claim forms forwarded and advising generally, 2 pages:	1.50
November 30	Upon receipt of claim forms from J.C.C.A., examining same, indexing and filing, engaged 6 hours:	30.00
December 2nd	Attending Andrew Brewin re preparation for opening sessions, engaged 3 hrs:	15.00
December 3rd	Attending opening session, engaged all day:	75.00
	Our Mr. Johnson engaged eight hours reviewing Custodian's files, preparing for hearing at Kamloops:	40.00
December 4th	Upon receipt of claim forms from J.C.C.A., examining same, indexing and filing, engaged 3 hrs:	15.00
	Our Mr. Johnson engaged eight hours perusing Custodian's files, preparing for hearing at Kamloops:	40.00
	Wire to J.C.C.A. re claims to be heard at Kamloops:	.50
December 5	Our Mr. Johnson reviewing Custodian's files four hours re preparation of claims:	20.00
	Wire to Kamloops Committee re meeting with claimants, preparing for hearings:	.50

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December 6th	Upon receipt of enquiry from B.C. J.C.C.A., letter advising, 1 page:	\$1.00
	Travelling to Kamloops, B.C.	50.00
December 7th	Attending claimants, preparation for hearings, engaged from 10:00 A.M. to 11:00 P.M.	60.00
December 8th	Attending upon hearing of claims at Kamloops, 5 hrs:	50.00
	Attending claimants in preparation, 6 hrs:	30.00
December 9th	Attending upon hearing of claims at Kamloops, 5 Hrs:	50.00
	Attending preparation of claims: 6 hrs:	30.00
December 10	Attending upon hearing of claims at Kamloops, 5 hrs:	50.00
	Attending preparation of claims, 6 hrs:	30.00
December 11	Attending upon hearing of claims at Kamloops, 5 hrs:	50.00
December 12	Attending Claims Commission, 5 hrs:	50.00
December 13	Travelling to Vancouver:	50.00
December 15	Long report to Andrew Brewin re first claims hearings at Kamloops, 6 pages:	5.00
	Letter to Japanese interpreter at Kamloops:	1.00
December 16	Letter to B.C. J.C.C.A. re various matters relating to claims filed - 2 pages:	1.50
December 17	Upon receipt of claim forms from J.C.C.A. examining same, indexing and filing, engaged 3 hrs:	15.00
December 17	Attending Mr. Justice Bird discussing method of procedure arising out of Kamloops hearings, engaged 2 hrs:	20.00
December 18	Long letter to Andrew Brewin reporting on discussions with Commissioner, 6 pages:	5.00
	Letter to B.C. J.C.C.A. re complaints about interpreter - 1 page:	1.00
	Letter to B.C. J.C.C.A. re claims - 1 page:	1.00
December 19	Letter to B.C. J.C.C.A. re claims submitted - 1 page:	1.00
December 20	Attending conference with Mr. McLennan re report of Committee at up-country hearings - engaged 1 hr:	5.00

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December 20	Attending Mr. Leckie re possible employment, engaged $\frac{1}{2}$ hr:	2.50
	Report to Mr. Brewin thereon - 2 pages:	1.50
December 22	Wire to Lytton re reservations and paid:	.50
	Wire to J.C.C.A. re hearings at Lytton:	.50
December 23	Attending Andrew Brewin on long distance re hearings:	1.50
	Letter to B.C. J.C.C.A. re interpreters and arrangements to meet claimants:	1.00
	Drafting forms for presentation of cases and advising thereon: 4 hrs:	20.00
	Attending Commissioner with respect to forms and re argument to be heard in January - engaged 2 hrs:	20.00
	Letter to Andrew Brewin reporting re argument to be heard - 1 page:	1.00
December 24	Instructing printers and proof-reading forms for presentation of claims - engaged 1 hr:	5.00
	Letter Lillooet representatives arranging re interpreters and hearings - 1 page:	1.00
December 30	Attending Mr. Watson, Secretary of Commission, re Company claims - engaged 1 hr:	5.00
	Letter to Messrs. Norris & McLennan re Royston claim - 2 pages:	1.50
	Upon receipt of claim forms from B.C. J.C.C.A., examining same, indexing and filing - engaged 6 hrs:	30.00
December 31	Letter to B.C. J.C.C.A. re claims filed and certain retainers - $1\frac{1}{2}$ pages:	1.00
	Letter to the Secretary of Commission re K.Horita, 1 page:	1.00
	Letter to Mr. Horita advising - 1 page:	1.00
	Attending Mr. Justice Bird discussing matter of appointment re sub-commissioners - engaged 1 hr:	10.00
	Report to Andrew Brewin thereon - 2 pages:	1.50

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January 2	Attending Mr. Leckie, arranging terms of employment - engaged 1 hour:	5.00
	Checking Lytton list, checking claims and forms to be sent out and letters to claimants - engaged 1 hour:	5.00

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	Attending Mr. Leckie and attending Mr. Shears re preparation for Lytton hearings - engaged 1 hour:	\$ 5.00
	Attending generally re argument on terms of reference - engaged 1 hour:	5.00
January 3rd	Letter to Commissioner advising for whom acting at Lillooet - 1 page:	1.00
	Drawing list for Custodian re Lytton claims and attending Custodian's office thereon - engaged 1 hour:	5.00
January 3rd	Attending further generally re law on terms of reference - engaged 1 hour:	5.00
January 4th	Letters to claimants re hearings at Lytton enclosing forms and instructing re arrangements to consult - 1 hour:	5.00
	Upon receipt of long letter from Messrs. Norris & McLennan, going over claims filed with him, checking same and documents and revising index, engaged 3 hours:	15.00
January 5th	Upon receipt of claims from B.C. J.C.C.A., examining, indexing and filing - engaged 3 hours:	15.00
January 5th	Attending Mr. Leckie re review of Custodian's files - engaged 1 hour:	5.00
January 6th	Examining Custodian's files re Lytton hearings, engaged 2 hours:	10.00
	Perusing files with Leckie, engaged 2 hours:	10.00
January 7th	Drawing demands to produce documents by the Custodian with respect to seven claims:	2.50
	Attending Custodian re production of documents -- engaged 1 hour:	5.00
January 8th	Checking claims filed and letter to Commissioner re claims filed directly - engaged 1 hour:	5.00
	Attending consult with Mr. Brewin, Mr. McLennan and Mr. Virtue re argument, engaged 8 hours:	40.00
	Attending Mr. Leckie re preparation for Lytton - engaged $\frac{1}{2}$ hour:	2.50
January 9th	Attending with Mr. Brewin on presentation of argument - engaged 9:30 to 4:30:	75.00
	Consulting generally with Mr. Brewin, engaged 4 hours:	20.00
	Letter to B.C. J.C.C.A. re claims - 1 page:	1.00
	Drawing list for Custodian of claimants at Kamloops for whom committee acting:	2.50
	Phoned Lytton Hotel for reservations:	.50

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	Letter to claimant - 1 page:	1.00
January 10th	Wire representative at Lillooet:	.50
	Travelling to Lytton consulting with claimants re preparation of claims - engaged 4 hours:	35.00 20.00
January 11th	Attending claimants, preparation of claims, engaged 10 hours:	50.00
January 12th	Attending Commission, presentation of claims - engaged 5 hours:	50.00
	Attending claimants, preparation of claims - engaged 6 hours:	30.00
January 13th	Attending Commission, presentation of claims - engaged 5 hours:	50.00
	Attending claimants, preparation of claims - engaged 7 hours:	35.00
January 14th	Attending Commission, presentation of claims - engaged 5 hours:	50.00
	Attending claimants, preparation of claims - engaged 7 hours:	35.00
January 15th	Attending Commission, presentation of claims - engaged 5 hours:	50.00
	Attending claimants, preparation of claims - engaged 6 hours:	30.00
January 16th	Attending Commission, presentation of claims - engaged 5 hours:	50.00
	Attending claimants, preparation of claims - engaged 6 hours:	30.00
January 17th	Attending claimants, preparation of claims - engaged 8 hours:	40.00
January 18th	Attending claimants, preparation of claims - engaged 8 hours:	40.00
January 19th	Attending Commission, presentation of claims - engaged 5 hours:	50.00
	Attending claimants, preparation of claims - engaged 3 hours:	15.00
	Attending Commission, presentation of claims - engaged 2 hours:	20.00
	Travelling to Vancouver:	35.00
January 21st	Long letter Andrew Brewin reporting re Lytton - 4 pages:	2.50
	Long letter to B.C. J.C.C.A. reporting re certain claims - 4 pages:	2.50
	Attending generally re filing Lytton claims and preparation of Vernon list - engaged 2 hours:	10.00

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January 22nd	Attending Mr. Leckie re preparation of Kamloops case - engaged $\frac{1}{2}$ hour:	2.50
January 23rd	Attending Professor Farr re statistical study - engaged 2 hours:	10.00
January 26th	Wire Kamloops for room reservations:	.50
January 27th	Upon receipt long letter from Andrew Brewin re various matters perusing same and replying - 4 pages:	2.50
January 30th	Upon receipt of letter from B.C. J.C.C.A. checking claim files for information, engaged $\frac{1}{2}$ hour:	2.50
February 2nd	Upon receipt of long letter from Andrew Brewin, perusing same and replying - two pages:	1.50
	Letter to Mrs. Yasuda, claimant; letter to Kachi, claimant; letter to Yoshia, claimant:	2.50
	Attending Messrs. Leckie and Watson re Kamloops and Vernon lists - engaged $\frac{1}{2}$ hour:	2.50
February 3rd	Instructions to staff re engrossing copies of B.C. claims:	2.50
	Letter to National Hotel, Vernon, re reservations:	.50
	Letter to McQuarrie re Hasegawa claim - 1 page:	1.00
	Letter to seven individual claimants re claims:	2.50
	Letter to Hotel at Kamloops:	.50
February 4th	Wire to Hotel at Vernon:	.50
	Attending Mr. Leckie re preparation of claims - engaged 1 hour:	2.50
	Letter to Commissioner re Suzuki:	1.00
	Letter to Greenwood Committee:	1.00
	Letter to individual claimant:	1.00
	Long letter to Mr. Virtue - 2 pages:	1.50
	Long letter to Mr. Brewin replying to letter from him dealing with various matters - 3 pages: 5	2.00
February 5th	Letter to Professor Farr re statistical study - 2 pages:	2.50
	Letters re Hagano claim:	1.00
	Letter to Tanaka re boats:	1.00
	Letter to Mr. Justice Bird re Sub-Commissioners:	1.00
	Attending Mr. Inouye, returned veteran re possibility of recovering property - engaged 1 hour:	5.00
	Travelling to Kamloops, B.C.	50.00

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February 6th	Wire to Andrew Brewin re finding of Mr. Justice Bird on argument of January 9th	.50
	Letter to Mr. Brewin re effect of Judge's findings - 3 pages:	2.50
	Making reservations in points where Commission hearings to be held:	1.50
	Attending preparation of claims - engaged 13 hrs:	65.00
February 7th	Attending preparation of claims - engaged 12 hrs:	60.00
February 8th	Attending preparation of claims - engaged 12 hrs:	60.00
	Wire re notice to claimants:	.50
	Letters of instruction to all claimants for main Commission hearings including forms:	5.00
	Wires arranging for Mr. McLennan to appear in Vernon for balance of hearings:	.50
February 9th	Attending Commission presentation of claims, engaged 5 hours:	50.00
	Attending claimants, preparation of claims, engaged 7 hours:	35.00
February 10th	Attending Commission, presentation of claims, engaged 5 hours:	50.00
	Attending claimants, preparation of claims, engaged 7 hours:	35.00
February 11th	Attending Commission, presentation of claims, engaged 5 hours:	50.00
February 12th	Attending Commission, presentation of claims, engaged 5 hours:	50.00
	Attending claimants, preparation of claims, engaged 5 hours:	25.00
February 13th	Attending Commission, presentation of claims, engaged 5 hours:	50.00
	Attending claimants, preparation of claims, engaged 6 hours:	30.00
	Travelling to Vernon, engaged 2 hours:	10.00
February 14th	Attending claimants, advising preparation of claims, engaged 11 hours:	55.00
February 15th	Attending claimants, advising preparation of claims, engaged 12 hours:	60.00
February 16th	Attending before Commission, presenting claims, engaged 5 hours:	50.00
February 16th	Attending claimants, preparation of claims, engaged 7 hours:	35.00

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February 17th	Attending before Commission, presenting claims, engaged 5 hours:	50.00
February 17th	Attending claimants, preparation of claims, engaged 7 hours:	35.00
February 18th	Attending before Commission, presenting claims, engaged 5 hours:	50.00
February 18th	Attending claimants, preparation of claims, engaged 7 hours:	35.00
February 19th	Attending before Commission, presenting claims, engaged 5 hours:	50.00
	Attending claimants, preparation of claims, engaged 7 hours:	35.00
February 20th	Attending before Commission, presenting claims, engaged 5 hours:	50.00
	Attending claimants, preparation of claims, engaged 7 hours:	35.00
February 21st	Travelling to Vancouver:	50.00
	Long letter to Andrew Brewin reporting re Vernon hearings and matters discussed with Judge - 3 pages:	2.50
	Attending Mr. McLennan re Sub-Commission hearings and valuations - engaged 1 hour:	5.00
February 23rd	Attending George Tanaka re matters generally, engaged 2 hours:	10.00
	Letter to Mr. Yamaga re evidence farm properties:	1.50
	Letter to Mr. Kobayashi re Kamloops hearings:	1.00
	Letters to Messrs. Cherniack, Huckvale, Turcotte, Virtue, Shumiatcher, Brewin & Tamaki re proposed meeting:	2.50
	Letter to Vernon representative re remaining cases:	1.00
	Letter re claim to Maple Ridge Co-operative Association:	1.00
	Letter to Mr. Brewin re hearings generally and re advisability of attending at Lethbridge when hearings commence there:	1.50
	Preparing list of claimants for the Vernon hearings and letter to Japanese Committee enclosing same - engaged $\frac{1}{2}$ hour:	2.50
February 25th	Attending Mr. Hewer re valuations - engaged 2 hrs:	10.00
February 27th	Letter to Andrew Brewin re valuations and reporting on interview with Mr. Hewer, 2 pages:	1.50
	Letter to B.C. J.C.C.A. re retainers and boat claims of various individuals - 2 pages:	1.50

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	Letter to Custodian re Haney Fruit Ranchers Association claim and proposals for settlement:	1.00
	Letter to Ikeda re vessel sold without consent and claimed therefor - 1 page:	.50
	Letter to J.C.C.A. re retainers - 1 page:	.50
	Travelling to Greenwood, B.C.	50.00
February 28th	Attending interview claimants at Greenwood, engaged 5 hours:	25.00
February 29th	Attending claimants at Greenwood - engaged 4 hrs:	20.00
	Travelling to Grand Forks:	10.00
	Attending interview claimants at Grand Forks - engaged 6 hours:	30.00
March 1st	Attending before Commission, engaged 5 hrs:	50.00
	Attending interview claimants, engaged 8 hrs:	40.00
March 2nd	Attending before Commission, engaged 5 hrs:	50.00
	Attending interview claimants, engaged 7 hrs:	35.00
March 3rd	Attending before Commission, engaged 5 hrs:	50.00
	Travelling to Vancouver, engaged all day:	35.00
March 4th	Attending Custodian and letters to Sub-Commissioners, Penticton and Kamloops and copies to solicitors, engaged 1 hr:	5.00
	Letter to Mr. Leckie, instructions re Nelson cases:	1.00
	Preparing statement of disbursements:	1.00
	Attending Mr. McLennan re several matters, engaged $\frac{1}{2}$ hour:	2.50
March 5th	Mr. Fisher travelling to Nelson, engaged all day:	50.00
	Letter to Alberta counsel re conference there:	1.00
	Letter to Mr. Leckie, further instructions re Nelson and New Denver:	1.00
	Letter to representative at New Denver re hearings there:	.50
March 6th	Mr. Fisher attending interview claimants, engaged 10 hours:	50.00
	Attending Custodian - engaged $\frac{1}{2}$ hour:	2.50
March 7th	Mr. Fisher interviewing claimants, engaged 10 hrs:	50.00
March 8th	Mr. Fisher engaged before Commission, 5 hours:	50.00
	Mr. Fisher interviewing claimants, engaged 7 hrs:	35.00
March 9th	Wire re Nelson hearings:	.50

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	Mr. Fisher attending before Commission, engaged 5 hours:	50.00
	Mr. Fisher interviewing claimants, engaged 6 hrs:	30.00
	Phoned Mr. Justice Bird at Nelson:	.50
March 10th	Mr. Fisher engaged before Commission, 5 hrs:	50.00
	Mr. Fisher interviewing claimants, engaged 6 hrs:	30.00
	Upon receipt of letter from Custodian, checking files re Virtue therein, engaged $\frac{1}{2}$ hour:	2.50
March 11th	Mr. Fisher engaged before Commission, 5 hrs:	50.00
	Mr. Fisher interviewing claimants, engaged 4 hrs:	20.00
March 12th	Mr. Fisher before Commission, engaged 4 hrs:	40.00
March 13th	Mr. Fisher travelling to Vancouver, engaged all day:	50.00
	Mr. McMaster attending conference at Regina all day with Eastern Counsel:	75.00
March 14th	Travelling to Lethbridge from Regina, engaged 3 hrs:	10.00
March 15th, 16th	Attending Western Counsel, engaged 2 whole days:	150.00
March 17th	Travelling Lethbridge to Vancouver, engaged 3 hrs:	10.00
	Attending generally re files for hearing: engaged $\frac{1}{2}$ hour:	2.50
	Attending Custodian re production of files, engaged $\frac{1}{2}$ hour:	2.50
	Attending review files, engaged $2\frac{1}{2}$ hrs:	12.50
	Letter to Messrs. Tiffin, Russell & Co. re claims, 3 pages:	1.50
March 18	Upon receipt of letter from Mr. Shumiatcher re Saskatchewan cases, checking with the Custodian and replying to him, engaged $\frac{1}{2}$ hour:	2.50
	Letter to Mr. Virtue, re hearings at Lethbridge:	.50
	Letter to Mr. Klassen re evidence:	.50
	Letter to Mr. Cherniack re making Mr. Leckie available for Commission hearings in Manitoba:	.50
	Attending Mr. Hower re appraisals, engaged $1\frac{1}{2}$ hrs:	7.50
	Upon receipt of enquiry from Mr. Brewin, attending Custodian thereon and letter advising, engaged $\frac{1}{2}$ hr:	2.50
March 19	Travelling to Lethbridge, engaged 3 hrs:	10.00
March 20	Attending hearings at Lethbridge, engaged 5 hrs:	25.00
	Attending counsel at Lethbridge, engaged 3 hrs:	30.00
March 21	Attending hearings at Lethbridge, engaged 5 hrs:	25.00

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	Attending counsel at Lethbridge, engaged 2 hrs:	20.00
March 22nd	Attending hearings at Lethbridge, engaged 5 hrs:	25.00
	Attending counsel at Lethbridge, engaged 2 hrs:	20.00
	Travelling to Vancouver from Lethbridge, engaged 3 hrs:	10.00
March 23rd	Letters to other Counsel, Cherniack, Shumiatcher & Huckvale re files and preparation of cases and 3 page letter to Mr. Brewin, engaged 3/4 hr.	3.50
March 25th	Attending Mr. Hower re appraisals, engaged 1 hr:	5.00
March 27th	Further letters to Messrs. Shumiatcher & Cherniack re preparation of cases, engaged 1/2 hr:	2.50
March 30th	Letter to Cherniack re Leckie and re presentation of cases:	.50
March 31st	Long letter to Mr. Brewin re appraisals:	1.50
	Letters to Judge Archibald and Judge Colquhoun re Sub-Commission hearings at Vernon and Kamloops:	1.00
	Letter to representative at Vernon re hearings list:	.50
	Letter to National Hotel	.50
April 2nd	Attending Mr. Inouye re Veterans' property, engaged 1 1/2 hours:	7.50
	Letter to Mr. Justice Bird thereon:	1.50
	Letter to Mr. Klassen re evidence, claim of G.Ito:	.50
	Letter to Mr. T. Inouye re claim:	.50
April 3rd	Attending Commission Secretary re Vernon list, engaged 1 hr:	10.00
	Long list to Registrar of Commission at Vernon:	1.00
	Attending re preparation of files for Vernon hearings, engaged 1 hr:	5.00
	Attending Mr. George Tanaka re proceedings, engaged 2 hours:	10.00
April 5th	Long letter Mr. Hower re appraisals:	2.50
	Attending Mr. Hower re appraisals, engaged 2 hrs:	10.00
	Preparing Vernon list and letter to representative there to arrange interviews, engaged 1/2 hr:	2.50
April 6th	Letter to B.C. J.C.C.A. re interpreters and itinerary:	.50

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	Letter to Mr. Brewin reporting various matters:	1.00
	Wire hotels, Kamloops and Vernon:	.50
April 9	Letter to Sub-Commission at Kamloops re list to be heard:	.50
April 10th	Attending Professor Farr at Victoria re statistical study, engaged 3 hours:	15.00
April 12th	Further letter to Vernon representative:	.50
April 13th	Preparation of list and letter to Committee at Kamloops - engaged $\frac{1}{2}$ hours:	2.50
	Letter to Ikeo and Tanaka, advising re claim:	1.00
April 14th	Preparing list and letter to representative at Grand Forks, engaged $\frac{1}{2}$ hour:	2.50
	Preparing list and letter to representative at Nelson, engaged $\frac{1}{2}$ hour:	2.50
	Preparing statement of accounts and letter to Co-operative Committee, engaged $\frac{1}{2}$ hr:	2.50
April 15	Letter to Hotel at Kamloops:	.50
April 16	Letter to Kamloops representative re interviewing claimants:	.50
	Attending Mr. Hower re appraisals, engaged 2 hrs:	10.00
	Attending Custodian office re files for hearing, engaged 1 hour:	5.00
	Sending notices of hearings to claimants, engaged 1 hr:	5.00
April 17	Letter B.C. J.C.C.A. re possibility of sitting in Greenwood:	.50
	Attending Mr. Hower and Mr. Anderson re city property appraisals, engaged 2 hrs:	10.00
	Drawing extensive covering letter to Co-operative Committee:	2.50
	Letter to Slocan re interviews:	.50
	Letter to Grand Forks re interviews:	.50
April 18	Attending travel to Vernon:	50.00
	Attending interview claimants, engaged 5 hrs:	25.00
April 19	Attending interview claimants, engaged 13 hrs:	65.00
April 20	Attending interview claimants, engaged 13 hrs:	65.00
April 21	Attending before Commission, engaged 5 hrs:	50.00

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April 21	Attending interview claimants, engaged 6 hrs:	30.00
April 22	Attending before Commission, engaged 5 hrs:	50.00
April 22	Attending interview claimants, engaged 7 hrs:	35.00
April 23	Attending before Commission, engaged 5 hrs:	50.00
	Attending interview claimants, engaged 6 hrs:	30.00
April 24	Attending interview claimants, engaged 12 hrs:	60.00
April 25	Attending interview claimants, engaged 10 hrs:	50.00
April 26	Attending before Commission, engaged 5 hrs:	50.00
	Attending interview claimants, engaged 6 hrs:	30.00
	Wire to office re supply of forms:	.50
April 27	Attending interview claimants, engaged 12 hrs:	60.00
April 28	Attending before Commission, engaged 5 hrs:	50.00
	Attending interview claimants, engaged 7 hrs:	35.00
April 29	Attending before Commission, engaged 5 hrs:	50.00
	Attending interview claimants, engaged 6 hrs:	30.00
April 30	Attending interview claimants, engaged 6 hrs:	30.00
	Letter to Sub-commissioner at Nelson:	.50
May 1st	Travelling to Vancouver, engaged all day:	50.00
May 3rd	Letter to Mr. Brewin reporting and re evidence - 2 pages	2.50
	Letter to Sub-Commissioner at Nelson - 2 pages:	1.50
	Letter to Greenwood Committee re arrangements for hearings at Grand Forks:	.50
	Letter to Vernon representative re interpreter:	.50
	Attending Mr. Hower re appraisals, engaged 2 hrs:	10.00
	Attending generally re appraisals, engaged ½ hr:	2.50
	Preparation of form to obtain information on survey of Municipalities, engaged 1 hr:	5.00
	Instructing students re same, engaged 1 hr:	5.00
	Preparing list for Grand Forks, engaged ½ hr:	2.50
	Letter to Sub-Commissioner at Grand Forks:	.50
	Attending New Westminster search Land Registry Office re Vernon claims, engaged 1½ hrs:	7.50
	Letter to Mr. Cherniack:	.50

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May 3rd	Mr. Cobus travelling to Vernon, engaged all day:	50.00
May 3rd	Mr. Cobus attending before Commission, engaged 5 hrs:	50.00
	Mr. Cobus attending interview claimants, engaged 3 hrs:	30.00
	Mr. McMaster travelling to Kamloops, engaged 2 hrs:	7.50
	Mr. McMaster interviewing claimants, engaged 5 hrs:	25.00
May 4th	Mr. Cobus attending before Commission, engaged 2 hrs:	20.00
	Mr. Cobus travelling to Kamloops, engaged 2 hrs:	7.50
	Mr. McMaster interviewing claimants, engaged 10 hrs:	50.00
May 5th	Letter Sub-Commissioner Grand Forks re list:	.50
	McMaster interviewing claimants, engaged 11 hrs:	55.00
	Cobus interviewing claimants, engaged 3 hrs:	15.00
May 6th	Mr. McMaster attending before Commission, engaged 5 hrs:	50.00
	Mr. McMaster interviewing claimants, engaged 6 hrs:	30.00
	Cobus interviewing claimants, engaged 5 hrs:	50.00
	Letter to B.C. J.C.C.A. re retainer refunds:	.50
May 7th	McMaster engaged before Commission, 5 hrs:	50.00
	McMaster interviewing claimants, engaged 6 hrs:	30.00
	Cobus interviewing claimants, engaged 3 hrs:	15.00
	Mr. Campbell attending municipal office at Richmond 4 hours to get students started on survey of rural property:	20.00
May 8th	Mr. McMaster interviewing claimants, engaged 12 hours:	60.00
	Mr. Cobus interviewing claimants, engaged 8 hrs:	40.00
May 9th	Mr. McMaster interviewing claimants, engaged 12 hrs:	60.00
	Mr. Cobus interviewing claimants, engaged 8 hrs:	40.00
May 10th	Mr. McMaster attending before Commission, engaged 5 hrs:	50.00
	Mr. McMaster interviewing claimants, engaged 6 hrs:	30.00
	Mr. Cobus interviewing claimants, engaged 5 hrs:	25.00

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	Wire to Secretary of the Grand Forks Commission:	.50
	Letter to Crown Counsel re Grand Forks list and files:	.50
May 11th	Mr. McMaster attending before Commission, engaged 5 hrs:	50.00
	Mr. McMaster interviewing claimants, engaged 5 hrs:	25.00
	Mr. Cobus interviewing claimants, engaged 4 hrs.	20.00
May 12	Mr. McMaster attending before Commission, engaged 5 hrs:	50.00
	Mr. Cobus interviewing claimants, engaged 5 hrs:	25.00
	Mr. McMaster travelling to Vancouver, engaged all day:	50.00
May 13	Mr. Cobus attending before Commission, engaged 5 hrs:	25.00
	Letter to Mr. Ouimet:	.50
May 14	Cobus attending before Commission, engaged 5 hrs:	50.00
	Cobus interviewing claimants, engaged 6 hrs:	30.00
	Mr. McMaster attending Mr. Russell of the Custodian's office re individual claimants, engaged 1 hr:	5.00
	Checking files for Sub-Commission hearing, engaged 1 hr:	5.00
	Letter to B.C. J.C.C.A. re rebates of retainer fees:	.50
	Letter to B.C. J.C.C.A. re various matters related to hearings at Grand Forks:	.50
May 15	Mr. Cobus attending to interview claimants, engaged 8 hours:	40.00
May 16	Mr. Cobus attending to interview claimants, engaged 3 hours:	15.00
May 17	Mr. Cobus attending before Commission, engaged 5 hours:	50.00
	Mr. McMaster attending students re searches, engaged 2 hours:	10.00
May 18 & 19	Mr. Cobus travelling to Greenwood, engaged 1½ days:	75.00
May 19	Checking files, attending Custodian and phoned Mr. Leckie, engaged 1 hr:	5.00
	Attending Custodian's files for Grand Forks and Nelson, engaged 1½ hrs:	7.50

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	Letters to claimants re hearings, engaged $\frac{1}{2}$ hr:	2.50
May 20	Mr. Cobus attending to interview claimants, engaged 10 hrs:	50.00
May 21	Cobus interviewing claimants, engaged 12 hrs:	60.00
May 22	Cobus interviewing claimants, engaged 9 hrs:	45.00
May 23	Cobus interviewing claimants, engaged 10 hrs:	50.00
May 24	Cobus interviewing claimants, engaged 4 hrs:	20.00
	Cobus travelling from Greenwood to Grand Forks, at least 2 hrs:	7.50
May 20	Letter to Kamloops representative re interpreter:	.50
	Letter to Mr. Leckie, four pages, re sub-commission hearings:	2.50
	Attending representative, B.C. J.C.C.A. re fishing vessels, engaged 3 hrs:	15.00
May 21	Attending Mr. Hower re appraisals, engaged 2 hrs:	10.00
	Letter to the Custodian re claim of Mrs. Tagawa:	.50
	Letter to Sub-Commissioner re claim of Morisawa:	.50
	Letter to Mrs. Morisawa:	.50
	Letter to Slocan Committee re list of hearings:	.50
	Wire to Slocan representative:	.50
	Wire to Nelson representative:	.50
	Letter to George Tanaka re boats:	1.00
	Attending Mr. Shears re claim of Haney Fruit Growers Association, engaged 1 hr:	5.00
May 22	Letter to Brewin re boat claims:	1.00
	Attending students re reports on study of rural properties, engaged 2 hrs:	10.00
	Perusing material produced by students on investigation and devising system and reporting, engaged 3 hrs:	15.00
	Wire to Mr. Cobus at Grand Forks:	.50
May 23	Letter to Mr. Suga re claim:	1.00
May 23	Letter to Haney Fruit Ranchers Assn. re claim:	1.00
	Letter to Kamloops representative re interviews:	.50
	Letter to Mr. Ujimoto re claim:	.50
	Letter to Mr. Yamaga re possibility of his giving evidence on value of rural property:	1.00

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May 25	Mr. Cobus appearing before Commission, engaged 5 hrs:	50.00
	Mr. Cobus interviewing claimants - engaged 8 hrs:	40.00
May 26	Mr. Cobus appearing before Commission, engaged 5 hrs:	50.00
	Mr. Cobus interviewing claimants - engaged 5 hrs:	25.00
May 27	Mr. Cobus attending before Commission, engaged 5 hrs:	50.00
	Mr. Cobus interviewing claimants, engaged 6 hrs:	30.00
May 27	Mr. Cobus attending before Commission, engaged 5 hrs:	50.00
	Mr. Cobus interviewing claimants, engaged 5 hrs:	25.00
	Letter to Custodian re hearings:	.50
	Wire to Nelson re list and files:	.50
	Wire to Slocan re New Denver cases and checking files: and attending Custodian, engaged $\frac{1}{2}$ hr:	2.50
May 28	Mr. Cobus attending before Commission, engaged 5 hrs:	50.00
	Mr. Cobus interviewing claimants, engaged 6 hrs:	30.00
	Letter to Andrew Brewin:	1.00
	Attending Custodian re Nelson cases, engaged $\frac{1}{2}$ hr:	2.50
	Letter to Mr. Leckie reporting with respect thereto:	1.00
May 28 & 29	Mr. McMaster travelling to Grand Forks, engaged 2 days by reason of flood:	100.00
May 29	Mr. Cobus attending to interview claimants, engaged 10 hrs:	50.00
May 30	Mr. McMaster interviewing claimants, engaged 10 hrs:	50.00
	Mr. Cobus interviewing claimants, engaged 6 hrs:	30.00
May 31	Mr. McMaster attending before Commission, engaged 5 hrs:	50.00
	Mr. McMaster interviewing claimants, engaged 6 hrs:	30.00
May 31	Mr. Cobus interviewing claimants, engaged 5 hrs:	25.00
June 1st	Mr. McMaster appearing before Commission, engaged 5 hrs:	50.00
	Mr. McMaster interviewing claimants, engaged 6 hrs:	30.00
	Mr. Cobus interviewing claimants, engaged 6 hrs:	30.00

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June 2nd	Mr. McMaster attending before Commission, engaged 5 hrs:	50.00
	Mr. McMaster interviewing claimants, engaged 6 hrs:	30.00
	Mr. Cobus interviewing claimants, engaged 6 hrs:	30.00
June 3rd	Mr. McMaster attending before Commission, engaged 5 hrs:	50.00
	Mr. McMaster attending Mr. Kimura at Cascade, engaged 3 hrs:	15.00
	Mr. Cobus interviewing claimants, engaged 5 hrs:	25.00
	Wires re Nelson and New Denver hearings:	.50
June 4th	Cobus attending before Commission, engaged 5 hrs:	50.00
	Mr. Cobus interviewing claimants, engaged 6 hrs:	30.00
	Mr. McMaster travelling to Vancouver, engaged 1 day:	50.00
June 5th	Mr. Cobus interviewing claimants, engaged 8 hours:	40.00
	Mr. McMaster drawing long brief re Japanese vessels, engaged three hrs:	15.00
	Mr. McMaster attending students re searches, rural property - engaged 1 hr:	5.00
June 6th	Mr. Cobus attending claimants on interviews, engaged 6 hrs:	30.00
June 7th	Mr. Cobus attending before Commission, engaged 5 hrs:	50.00
	Mr. Cobus interviewing claimants, engaged 6 hrs:	30.00
June 8th	Mr. Cobus attending before Commission, engaged 5 hrs:	50.00
	Mr. Cobus interviewing claimants, engaged 6 hrs:	30.00
	Letter to Mr. Brewin re index:	1.00
June 9th	Mr. Cobus attending before Commission, engaged 5 hrs:	50.00
	Mr. Cobus interviewing claimants, engaged 5 hrs:	25.00
	Wires to Leckie and Cobus re New Denver hearings:	.50

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	Mr. Cobus interviewing claimants, engaged 10 hrs:	50.00
June 12	Mr. Cobus interviewing claimants, engaged 10 hrs:	50.00
	Mr. McMaster attending Buck Suzuki re vessels, engaged 1 hr:	5.00
June 13	Mr. Cobus interviewing claimants, engaged 8 hrs:	40.00
June 14	Mr. Cobus attending Commission, engaged 5 hrs:	50.00
	Mr. Cobus interviewing claimants, engaged 5 hrs:	25.00
June 14	Letter to Mr. Brewin, re files and copies of claims:	1.00
	Letter to Mr. Brewin re fishing vessel brief and copies thereof for national and provincial committees:	1.00
	Letter to B.C. J.C.C.A. re hearings:	.50
June 15	Mr. Cobus attending Commission, engaged 5 hrs:	50.00
	Mr. Cobus interviewing claimants, engaged 6 hrs:	30.00
	Letter to B.C. J.C.C.A. re fishing vessels:	1.00
	Letter to Mr. Cobus re hearings, 2 pages:	1.00
	Wire to Mr. Leckie re Company case, investigating and wire advising:	2.50
	Attending Mr. McLennan re appraisal matters, engaged 1½ hrs:	7.50
	Attending revision of statement re boat claims, engaged 1 hr:	5.00
June 16	Mr. Cobus attending Commission, engaged 5 hrs:	50.00
	Mr. Cobus interviewing claimants, engaged 6 hrs:	30.00
	Attending students re balance of Steveston reports and preparing these for appraisers, eng. 3 hrs:	15.00
June 17	Mr. Cobus engaged before Commission, 5 hrs:	50.00
	Mr. Cobus interviewing claimants, engaged 2 hrs:	10.00
	Upon receipt of wire from Mr. Cobus re special case, attending Custodian's office and investigating same and wire to Mr. Cobus with respect thereto:	2.50
	Letter to Kamloops representative re interpreter fees:	.50

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June 18	Mr. Cobus attending Commission, engaged 4 hrs:	40.00
	Attending phone Mr. Cobus at Nelson and attending phone Mr. Leckie at New Denver re New Denver files and hearing list:	2.50
	Attending wire Mr. Cobus re same:	.50
	Drawing statement of disbursements and letter to Co-operative Committee:	1.00
June 19	Mr. Cobus travelling to New Denver, engaged 3 hrs:	10.00
	Mr. Cobus interviewing claimants, engaged 3 hrs:	15.00
June 20	Mr. Cobus interviewing claimants, engaged 8 hrs:	40.00
June 21	Mr. Cobus attending before Commission, engaged 5 hrs:	50.00
	Mr. Cobus interviewing claimants, engaged 4 hrs:	20.00
June 21	Long letter to Mr. Brewin re argument on Fair Market Value, 6 pages:	5.00
	Letter to Mr. Brewin re copies of claim forms:	.50
	Letter to B.C. J.C.C.A. re retainers:	.50
	Attending generally, engaged 1½ hrs:	7.50
	Letter to Mr. George Tanaka:	1.00
June 22	Mr. Cobus appearing before Commission, engaged 5 hrs:	50.00
	Mr. Cobus interviewing claimants, engaged 5 hrs:	25.00
	Letter to Mr. Tanaka re accounts and re appraisers - 2 pages:	1.00
	Attending generally, engaged 2 hrs:	10.00
June 23	Mr. Cobus attending before Commission, engaged 5 hrs:	50.00
	Mr. Cobus interviewing claimants, engaged 4 hrs:	20.00
	Mr. McMaster engaged 2 hrs. re S. S. B. appraisals in preparation for study thereof:	10.00
June 24	Mr. Cobus appearing before Commission, engaged 5 hrs:	50.00
	Mr. Cobus interviewing claimants, engaged 4 hrs:	20.00
June 25	Mr. Cobus appearing before Commission, engaged 5 hrs:	50.00
	Mr. Cobus interviewing claimants, engaged 5 hrs:	25.00

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June 25	Mr. McMaster attending Professor Farr re statistical analysis, engaged 2 hrs:	10.00
June 26	Mr. Cobus interviewing claimants, engaged 8 hrs:	40.00
	Mr. McMaster attending generally re preparation of general evidence, engaged 3 hrs:	15.00
	Wire to Andrew Brewin re Mr. McMaster meeting him in the East:	.50
June 27	Mr. Cobus interviewing claimants, engaged 4 hrs:	20.00
June 28	Mr. Cobus appearing before Commission, engaged 5 hrs:	50.00
	Mr. Cobus interviewing claimants, engaged 4 hrs:	20.00
	Attending preparation of general evidence, engaged 2½ hrs:	12.50
	Attending Professor Farr re statistical analysis, engaged 2 hrs:	10.00
	Attending Mr. Baker of the Mortgage Underwriters with respect to appraisals of city property, engaged 1 hr:	5.00
	Attending Mr. Hawkins re question of fair market value of automobiles, engaged 1 hr:	5.00
	Letter to Mr. Brewin re proposed meeting:	.50
June 29	Mr. Cobus engaged before Commission - 5 hrs:	50.00
	Mr. Cobus interviewing claimants, engaged 3 hrs:	15.00
	Attending generally preparation of general evidence, engaged 3½ hrs:	17.50
	Attending Mr. Hower re appraisals, engaged 1 hr:	5.00
	Letter to the Commissioner re Company claims:	1.00
	Letter to Mr. Brewin:	1.00
	Letter to B.C. J.C.C.A.	.50
June 30	Mr. Cobus engaged before Commission - 3 hrs:	30.00
	Mr. McMaster engaged generally on general evidence - 1 hr:	5.00
July 1st & 2nd	Cobus travelling to Vancouver, engaged 2 days:	100.00
July 2nd	Mr. McMaster engaged re preparation of general evidence - 2 hrs:	10.00
	Attending Mr. Matthews, auctioneer, re question of appraisal of chattels - engaged 2 hrs:	10.00
July 3rd	Reviewing files, engaged 2 hrs:	10.00
July 4th	Reviewing files, engaged 2 hrs:	10.00
	Letter making reservations for hotel in Toronto:	.50
July 5th	Letter to Department of Agriculture, Ottawa, re census report on rural properties:	.50

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	Attending Mr. Mitchell and Mr. McLennan re valuation of chattels, engaged 2 hrs:	10.00
	Wire Mr. Yamaga re rural properties:	.50
	Reviewing files, engaged 2 hrs:	10.00
	Letter to Mr. Brewin re meeting in Montreal:	.50
	Attending Mr. Justice Bird, engaged 1½ hrs. re Company claims:	15.00
	Attending Mr. McPherson and Mr. Shears re same, engaged 2 hrs:	10.00
	Letter to J.C.C.A. re retainer forms:	.50
	Reviewing files, engaged 1 hr:	5.00
July 8	Attending Mr. McPherson and Mr. Shears further re Company claims, engaged 1½ hrs:	7.50
	Attending reviewing files, engaged 1 hr:	5.00
	Attending with respect to organizing a study of S. S. B. appraisals, engaged 3 hrs:	15.00
July 9	Letter to George Tanaka re meeting in Toronto:	.50
July 12	Upon receipt of letter from Andrew Brewin re representations made to the Minister of Justice, perusing same and letter to J.C.C.A. at Greenwood:	2.50
July 20	Upon receipt of records from Sakamoto re J.F.V.D.C. sales, engaged checking same, 3 hrs:	15.00
	Letter Mr. Sakamoto re Fishing Vessel owned by R. Kadonaga:	1.00
	Letter to Mr. Kadonaga re same:	1.00
July 26	Letter to George Tanaka re No. 1 District Fishermen's Association claim:	1.00
	Letter to J.C.C.A., Greenwood re interpreters:	.50
July 29	Attending George Tanaka in Toronto generally, engaged 4 hrs:	20.00
	Attending representatives of No. 1 District Fishermen's Association re claim, engaged 1½ hrs:	7.50
August 2nd	Attending Mr. Brewin in Montreal and necessarily delayed one day pending his return from overseas, say, engaged 1 day:	50.00
August 4th	Attending review files and re appraisal matters in preparation of hearing, engaged 8 hrs:	40.00
August 5th	Attending review files and re statistical material, engaged 4 hrs:	20.00
August 6th	Engaged all day reviewing files and re preparation of evidence:	50.00
	Letter to Secretary of Commission re Vancouver hearings:	.50

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August 7th	Engaged reviewing files in preparation of general evidence - 6 hrs:	30.00
August 9th	Engaged reviewing files in preparation of general evidence - 7 hrs:	35.00
	Letter to Mr. Brewin re Vancouver hearings and in relation to fees:	.50
August 10th	Attending preparation of general evidence, engaged 8 hrs:	80.00
August 11th	Attending preparation of general evidence, engaged 10 hrs:	100.00
August 12th	Attending preparation of general evidence, engaged 7 hrs:	70.00
August 13th	Attending preparation of general evidence, engaged 7 hrs:	70.00
August 14th	Attending Land Registry Office, New Westminster, with Mr. Cobus and attending several sources endeavouring to obtain information re sale of boats, engaged 10 hrs:	100.00
August 15th	Attending various witnesses in preparation of general evidence, engaged 10 hrs:	100.00
August 16th	Attending re preparation of general evidence, engaged 8 hrs:	80.00
August 18th	Attending re preparation of general evidence, engaged 8 hrs:	80.00
August 19th	Attending Mr. Norris and Mr. McLennan re presentation of Royston Lumber and letter to Mr. Brewin thereon, engaged 2 hrs:	10.00
	Attending preparation of general evidence, engaged 8 hrs:	80.00
August 20th	Attending preparation of general evidence, engaged 7 hrs:	70.00
	Attending Clement Consulting Service re study to be made by them, engaged 2 hrs:	10.00
August 23rd	Letter to Mr. Brewin re hearing of cases and engaging services of Dean Clement:	1.00
	Various letters endeavouring to obtain information re Fair Market Value of boats and cars, and various interviews with respect thereto, engaged 5 hrs:	25.00
	Attending generally with respect to preparation of evidence, engaged 8 hrs:	80.00
August 24th	Attending at Mission, B.C. with respect to organizing statistical study of Fair Market Value of farm lands in that municipality, engaged 10 hrs:	100.00
August 25th	Attending on preparation of evidence, engaged 10 hrs:	100.00

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August 26th	Attending Mr. Hunter re appraisals of farm lands, engaged 2 hrs:	10.00
	Attending generally on preparation of evidence, engaged 2 hrs:	20.00
August 27th	Attending re preparation of general evidence, engaged 6 hrs:	60.00
	Letter to Andrew Brewin re proceedings - 3 pages, and estimating expenses for obtaining of evidence:	15.00
August 28th	Attending at the Land Registry Office, New Westminster: Attending Canadian Farm Loan Board and attending at Lulu Island, all with respect to obtaining of evidence re fair market value of farm lands, engaged 8 hrs:	80.00
August 30th	Preparation of general evidence, engaged 8 hrs:	80.00
August 31st	Attending at Haney Ridge organizing preparation of material re Fair Market Value of farm lands situate in the Municipality of Richmond, engaged 10 hrs:	100.00
September 1	Letters to Messrs. Virtue & Huckvale re proceedings:	.50
	Attending generally re preparation of evidence, engaged 4 hrs:	40.00
September 2	Drawing statement of disbursements and letter to Co-operative Committee:	1.00
September 3	Attending re preparation of general evidence, engaged 2 hrs:	20.00
September 7	Attending discussions with Mr. Hunter re possible settlement of chattels, etc., engaged 3 hrs:	30.00
September 7	Attending generally re preparation of general evidence, engaged 3 hrs:	30.00
September 8	Letter to Custodian re boats and re J.F.V.D.C.	1.00
	Wire to Victoria for hotel reservation:	.50
	Letter to Andrew Brewin re presentation of claims, 2 pages:	1.50
September 9	Attending re preparation of general evidence, engaged 4 hrs:	80.00
	Attending discussions proposed categorization with Mr. Hunter, engaged 3 hrs:	30.00
September 10	Attending Professor Farr at Victoria, engaged travelling and attending him all day:	75.00
September 11	Attending re presentation of general evidence and re possible categorization, engaged 8 hrs:	80.00
September 12	Attending re preparation of evidence, engaged 8 hrs:	80.00

September 13	Attending Hunter further re categorization of cases, engaged 3 hrs:	30.00
	Long letter to each of Co-operative Committee counsel and Mr. Virtue, re proposed categorization - 3 pages:	5.00
	Engaged preparation of general evidence - 4 hrs:	40.00
September 14	Mr. Johnson engaged searching property in New Westminster re claim, engaged 1 hr:	5.00
	Mr. McMaster engaged re preparation of general evidence - engaged 8 hrs:	80.00
	Wire to Mr. Brewin re hearings:	.50
	Attending Mr. Hunter re proceedings and general evidence, engaged 1 hr:	10.00
September 15	Engaged in preparation of cross examination for general evidence by the Crown, engaged 10 hrs:	100.00
September 16	Engaged in preparation of cross-examination for general evidence by the Crown, engaged 10 hrs:	100.00
September 17	Attending Mr. Justice Bird re proposal of categorization of claims, engaged 2 hrs:	20.00
	Attending Mr. Hunter re general evidence, engaged 2 hrs:	20.00
	Attending preparation of cross-examination of Crown witnesses, engaged 6 hrs:	60.00
	Letter to B.C. J.C.C.A. re individual claim:	.50
September 18	Engaged preparation of cross-examination crown witnesses - 10 hrs:	100.00
September 19	Attending Mr. Virtue re cross-examination of crown witnesses and on preparation of cross-examination - 10 hrs:	100.00
September 20	Attending before Commissioner upon Crown presenting evidence to F. G. Shears, engaged 5 hrs:	100.00
	Attending Mr. Brewin re crown evidence and general evidence, engaged 4 hrs:	40.00
	Attending re preparation of cross-examination, engaged 2 hrs:	20.00
September 21	Attending before Commission on presentation of Crown evidence, engaged 5 hrs:	100.00
	Attending re preparation of cross-examination, engaged 4 hrs:	40.00
September 22	Attending before Commission on presentation of Crown evidence, engaged 5 hrs:	100.00
	Preparation of cross-examination and in discussion with Mr. Brewin and Mr. Virtue as to procedure and strategy, engaged 5 hrs:	50.00

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September 22	Attending before Commission on presentation of Crown evidence, engaged 5 hrs:	100.00
	Attending on preparation for Commission hearings the following day, engaged 5 hrs:	50.00
September 23	Attending before Commission upon presentation of Crown evidence, engaged 5 hrs:	100.00
	Attending upon preparation and attending Mr. Brewin and Mr. Virtue, engaged 4 hrs:	40.00
September 24	Engaged before the Commission upon the presentation of Crown evidence, engaged 5 hrs:	100.00
	Consulting with Mr. Virtue and preparation of cross-examination, engaged 5 hrs:	50.00
September 25	Engaged re preparation to meet Crown evidence, 8 hrs:	80.00
September 26	Engaged re preparation to meet Crown evidence, 6 hrs:	60.00
September 27	Attending before Commission, engaged 5 hrs:	100.00
	Attending preparation for Commission hearings the following day, engaged 5 hrs:	50.00
September 28	Attending before Commission on presentation of Crown evidence, engaged 5 hrs:	100.00
	Attending preparation for following day, engaged 6 hrs:	60.00
September 30	Attending Commissioner, setting day for corporation claims and re balance of Crown evidence, engaged 2 hrs:	20.00
	Attending re preparation of general evidence, engaged 7 hrs:	70.00
October 1	Letter to Mr. Brewin re fixing of dates, corporation claims and other matters, 2 pages:	1.00
	Attending re preparation of general evidence, engaged 10 hrs:	100.00
October 2	Attending re preparation of general evidence, engaged 7 hrs:	70.00
October 3	Attending re preparation of general evidence, engaged 4 hrs:	40.00
October 4	Attending Mr. McPherson re hearing of corporation cases, engaged $\frac{1}{2}$ hr:	2.50
	Attending preparation of general evidence, engaged 5 hrs:	50.00
	Attending preparation of corporation cases, engaged 4 hrs:	40.00
October 5	Attending re preparation of general evidence, engaged 10 hrs:	100.00

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	Letter to Mr. Brewin re Deep Bay Logging:	.50
October 6	Attending re preparation of general evidence, engaged 10 hrs:	100.00
October 7	Attending re preparation of general evidence, engaged 5 hrs:	50.00
	Re-drafting proposed letter to the Minister of Justice and letter to Mr. Brewin with respect thereto:	2.50
October 8	Attending re preparation of corporation cases, engaged 6 hrs:	60.00
	Attending re preparation of general evidence, engaged 4 hrs:	40.00
October 9	Attending re preparation of general evidence, engaged 11 hrs:	110.00
October 11	Attending re preparation of general evidence, engaged 7 hrs:	70.00
October 12	Attending re preparation of general evidence, engaged 7 hrs:	70.00
October 13	Attending re preparation of general evidence, engaged 5 hrs:	50.00
October 14	Attending re preparation of corporation evidence, engaged 5 hrs:	50.00
	Letter to New Canadian re misstatement in Sept. 29 issue with respect to counsel and the necessity of having the same upon the request of the Commissioner:	.50
	Letter to Mr. McPherson re corporation cases:	1.00
	Attending draft statement on evidence re two corporation claims, engaged 4 hrs:	40.00
October 18	Attending Mr. McPherson re corporation claims, engaged 2 hrs:	20.00
	Attending Mr. McLennan re Royston Lumber case, engaged 2 hrs:	20.00
	Attending re preparation of general evidence, engaged 5 hrs:	50.00
October 19	Attending re preparation of corporation claims, engaged 4 hrs:	40.00
	Attending re preparation of general evidence, engaged 5 hrs:	50.00
	Letter to Co-operative Committee re late filing:	.50
	Letter to Dr. Drummond re evidence on statistical material:	1.00
October 20	Attending re preparation of general evidence, engaged 10 hrs:	100.00

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October 21	Attending re preparation of general evidence, engaged 5 hrs:	50.00
October 22	Attending re preparation of corporation claims, engaged 10 hrs:	100.00
	Preparing long list of properties and letter to Dr. Drummond re statistical analysis:	2.50
October 23	Attending re preparation of corporation claims, engaged 7 hrs:	70.00
October 25	Attending re preparation of corporation claims, and interviewing witnesses, engaged 10 hrs:	100.00
October 26	Attending before Commissioner on corporation claims, engaged 5 hrs:	75.00
	Attending re preparation of further evidence, and consulting with claimant, engaged 4 hrs:	40.00
October 27	Attending before Commission on corporation claim, engaged 5 hrs:	75.00
	Attending re preparation of claim to be presented following day, consulting with claimant, engaged 6 hrs:	60.00
October 28	Attending before Commission on corporation claim, engaged 6 hrs:	75.00
	Attending witnesses and consulting claimant, engaged 5 hrs:	50.00
October 29	Attending before Commission on corporation claim, engaged 5 hrs:	100.00
	Consulting with claimant, engaged 2 hrs:	20.00
November 4th	Attending preparation of general evidence, engaged 10 hrs:	100.00
November 5th	Attending preparation of general evidence, engaged 9 hrs:	90.00
November 6th	Attending preparation of general evidence, engaged 6 hrs:	60.00
November 7th	Attending preparation of general evidence, engaged 4 hrs:	40.00
November 8th	Attending preparation of general evidence, and preparation for resumption of Crown case, engaged 10 hrs:	100.00
	Letter to B.C. J.C.C.A. re interpreter:	.50
November 9th	Attending preparation of general evidence and preparation for resumption of Crown case, engaged 9 hrs:	90.00

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November 10	Attending study S.S.B. reports for preparation of cross-examination, engaged 11 hrs:	110.00
November 12	Attending study S.S.B. appraisals for preparation of cross-examination, engaged 9 hrs:	90.00
November 13	Attending preparation of general evidence, engaged 5 hrs:	50.00
November 15	Attending study V.L.A. reports for preparation of cross-examination, engaged 4 hrs:	40.00
	Attending Mr. Brewin discussing argument to take place on Fair Market Value and consulting with him thereon, engaged 4 hrs:	40.00
November 16	Attending with Mr. Brewin before Commission upon hearing of argument re Fair Market Value, engaged 4 hrs:	75.00
	Attending Mr. Brewin generally re cross-examination of crown witnesses and presentation of our general evidence, engaged 4 hrs:	20.00
November 16	Attending preparation of general evidence, engaged 5 hrs:	50.00
November 17	Attending preparation of general evidence, engaged 6 hrs:	60.00
	Attending Mr. Hewer re appraisals, engaged 2 hrs:	10.00
November 18	Attending preparation of general evidence, engaged 7 hrs:	70.00
	Letter B.C. J.C.C.A. re interpreter:	.50
November 19	Attending preparation of general evidence, engaged 10 hrs:	100.00
	Wire to hotel in Winnipeg for reservations:	.50
November 20	Attending preparation for cross-examination of Crown witnesses, engaged 5 hrs:	50.00
November 22	Attending Mr. Cherniack in Winnipeg re possibility of obtaining his assistance in British Columbia, engaged 2 hrs:	20.00
November 26	Attending preparation for cross-examination of Crown witnesses, engaged 10 hrs:	100.00
November 27	Attending preparation for cross-examination of Crown witnesses, engaged 6 hrs:	60.00
November 28	Attending preparation for cross-examination of Crown witnesses, engaged 10 hrs:	100.00
November 29	Attending before Commission on continuation of presentation of case by Crown, engaged 5 hrs:	100.00
	Preparation for following day's proceedings, engaged 5 hrs:	50.00

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November 30	Letter to Mr. Brewin with respect to the possibility of obtaining help with presentation of case at Vancouver, 2 pages:	1.00
November 30	Attending before Commission on presentation of Crown case, engaged 5 hrs:	100.00
	Attending upon preparation for following day's proceedings, engaged 4 hrs:	40.00
November 30	Night letter to Andrew Brewin re estimated additional expense and further assistance:	.50
December 1	Attending before Commission on presentation of Crown case, engaged 5 hrs:	100.00
	Preparation for following day, engaged 4 hrs:	40.00
December 2	Attending before Commission on presentation of Crown case, engaged 5 hrs:	100.00
	Preparation for following day, engaged 5 hrs:	50.00
December 3	Attending before Commission on presentation of Crown case, engaged 5 hrs:	100.00
	Attending preparation of general evidence, engaged 3 hrs:	30.00
December 4	Attending preparation of general evidence, engaged 6 hrs:	60.00
December 5	Attending preparation for resumption of hearings, Crown case, engaged 6 hrs:	60.00
December 6	Attending before Commission, engaged 5 hrs:	100.00
	Attending preparation for hearings on the following day, engaged 3 hrs:	30.00
December 7	Attending before Commission, engaged 5 hrs:	100.00
	Preparation for hearing on the following day, engaged 6 hrs:	60.00
December 8	Attending before Commission, engaged 5 hrs:	100.00
	Preparation for following day, engaged 4 hrs:	40.00
December 9	Attending before Commission, engaged 5 hrs:	100.00
	Preparation for following day, engaged 7 hrs:	70.00
December 10	Attending before Commission, engaged 5 hrs:	100.00
	Attending re preparation of general evidence, engaged 3 hrs:	30.00
December 11	Preparation of general evidence, engaged 7 hrs:	70.00
	Letter to Mr. Brewin, reporting re Crown case and cross-examination of S.S.B. witnesses, 4 pages:	3.50

December 12	Preparation for following day, engaged 8 hrs:	80.00
December 13	Attending before Commission, engaged 5 hrs:	100.00
	Preparation for examination of witnesses following day, engaged 4 hrs:	40.00
December 14	Attending before Commission, engaged 5 hrs:	100.00
	Engaged preparation of general evidence, 3 hrs:	30.00
December 15	Attending preparation of general evidence, engaged 11 hrs:	110.00
December 16	Attending preparation of general evidence, engaged 10 hrs:	100.00
	Letter to Andrew Brewin re Alex Macdonald:	1.00
	Letter to Cherniack re same:	1.00
December 17	Attending preparation of general evidence, engaged 10 hrs:	100.00
December 18	Attending preparation of general evidence, engaged 5 hrs:	50.00
December 20	Attending preparation of general evidence, engaged 8 hrs:	80.00
December 21	Attending preparation of general evidence, engaged 9 hrs:	90.00
December 22	Attending preparation of general evidence, engaged 8 hrs:	80.00
December 23	Attending preparation of general evidence, engaged 9 hrs:	90.00
December 24	Attending preparation of general evidence, engaged 4 hrs:	40.00
December 28	Attending preparation of general evidence, engaged 8 hrs:	80.00
December 29	Attending preparation of general evidence, engaged 8 hrs:	80.00
	Letter to King's Printer:	.50
December 30	Attending preparation of general evidence, engaged 10 hrs:	100.00
December 31	Attending preparation of general evidence, engaged 4 hrs:	40.00
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January 3	Attending preparation of general evidence, engaged 9 hrs:	90.00
	Letter to Mr. Justice Bird, 1 page:	1.00
January 4	Attending preparation of general evidence, engaged 10 hrs:	100.00

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January 4	Wire to Mr. Virtue re hearing:	.50
January 5	Attending Mr. Justice Bird, engaged 1 hr:	10.00
	Preparation of general evidence, engaged 9 hrs:	90.00
January 6	Attending preparation of general evidence, engaged 10 hrs:	100.00
	Letter to George Tanaka re evidence on radios, and Fair Market Value, 2 pages:	1.00
	Letter to Mr. Brewin re hearings, 2 pages:	1.00
January 7	Preparation of general evidence, engaged 7 hrs:	70.00
January 8	Attending preparation of general evidence, engaged 6 hrs:	60.00
January 10	Attending preparation of general evidence, engaged 10 hrs:	100.00
January 11	Attending preparation of general evidence, engaged 9 hrs:	90.00
	Letter to Mr. Brewin re the Minister of Justice, 2 pages:	1.00
	Letter to Mr. Brewin re chattels, 2 pages:	1.00
January 12	Attending preparation of general evidence, engaged 4 hrs:	40.00
January 13	Preparation of general evidence, engaged 10 hrs:	100.00
January 14	Preparation of general evidence, engaged 11 hrs:	110.00
	Letter to Mr. Norris re Fair Market Value:	1.00
January 15	Preparation of general evidence, engaged 6 hrs:	60.00
January 16	Preparation of general evidence, engaged 6 hrs:	60.00
January 17	Preparation of general evidence, engaged 11 hrs:	110.00
January 18	Preparation of general evidence, engaged 10 hrs:	100.00
January 19	Preparation of general evidence, engaged 10 hrs:	100.00
	Wire Mr. Virtue re hearings:	.50
January 20	Preparation of general evidence, engaged 7 hrs:	70.00
January 21	Preparation of general evidence, engaged 7 hrs:	70.00
	Letter to Mr. Brewin re evidence, 3 pages:	1.50
January 22	Preparation of general evidence, engaged 8 hrs:	80.00
January 23	Preparation of general evidence, engaged 5 hrs:	50.00

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January 24	Preparation of general evidence, engaged 6 hrs:	60.00
January 27	Preparation of general evidence, engaged 7 hrs:	70.00
	Letter to Moresby & Farr re statistical study:	.50
	Letter to Professor Drummond re statistical study:	.50
January 28	Preparation of general evidence, engaged 7 hrs:	70.00
January 29	Preparation of general evidence, engaged 4 hrs:	40.00
January 30	Preparation of general evidence, engaged 6 hrs:	60.00
	Attending Mr. Hunter on offer to settle, engaged 2 hrs:	20.00
	Long report to Mr. Brewin with respect to Hunter's offer:	7.50
January 31	Attending before Commission, presentation of claimant's evidence, engaged 5 hrs:	100.00
	Attending witnesses, engaged 2 hrs:	20.00
	Attending preparation for following day, engaged 4 hrs:	40.00
February 1	Attending before Commission, presentation of claimants' general evidence - engaged 5 hrs:	100.00
	Attending witnesses, engaged 3 hrs:	30.00
	Attending preparation for following day, engaged 3 hrs:	30.00
February 2	Attending before Commission, presentation of claimants' general evidence, engaged 5 hrs:	100.00
	Attending preparation following day, engaged 5 hrs:	50.00
	Letter to Mr. Brewin re discussions as to settlement:	2.50
	Letter to Mr. Brewin enclosing copy of Judge's letter to Mr. Varcoe and commenting thereon:	1.50
February 3	Attending before Commission on presentation of claimants general evidence, engaged 5 hrs:	100.00
	Attending preparation for following day, engaged 4 hrs:	40.00
February 4	Attending before Commission, presentation of claimants general evidence, engaged 5 hrs:	100.00
	Attending witnesses, engaged 3 hrs:	30.00
	Attending preparation of further evidence, engaged 2 hrs:	20.00

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February 5	Attending preparation of further evidence, engaged 6 hrs:	60.00
	Letter to Professor Drummond re statistical material:	2.50
February 6	Attending consult Virtue re further evidence, 4 hrs:	40.00
	Attending before Commission, presentation of claimants general evidence and cross-examination on rebuttal evidence by Crown - 5 hrs:	100.00
	Engaged preparing cross-examination of crown witnesses - 2 hrs:	20.00
February 7	Engaged preparing further evidence - 3 hrs:	30.00
February 8th to 15th	Attending re preparation of argument for proposed discussion fair market value of various types of property; consulting with other counsel and attending discussion and argument before Commissioner - 8 days, averaging 8 hrs. per day, total 64 hrs:	640.00
February 14	Letter to Mr. Virtue re discussions:	1.50
	Letter to Mr. Brewin re discussions:	1.50
February 18	Long letter to Kamloops committee re additional 1% levy:	1.50
	Long letter to Mr. Brewin reporting - 3 pages:	1.50
February 15 to 19	Engaged preparation of further studies V.L.A. properties, consulting with farm and city appraisers, numerous discussions with Crown Counsel and several informal discussions with Commissioner; several attendances with George Tanaka re proposed settlement and obtaining views of claimants and attending on preparation of category cases in the event settlement not arrived at, engaged 26 days, averaging 8 hrs per day, total of 168 hrs:	1680.00
February 21st to Mar. 2		
March 5-16		
February 21	Letter to Mr. Hunter re V.L.A. study:	1.00
	Letters to three witnesses re witness fees:	.50
March 3	Letter to Mr. Alex Macdonald:	.50
	Letter to witness:	.50
March 7	Letter to Mr. Brewin reporting re studies, 4 pages:	2.50
	Letter to Virtue re proceedings - 2 pages:	1.00
March 14	Letter to Moresby & Farr re statistical study:	.50
	Letter to Miss Boos re reduced claim value various claimants:	1.00

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March 17	Attending hearings of commission, various witnesses and attending discussion with Commissioner re proposed settlement, engaged 6 hrs:	60.00
	Attending re preparation further evidence, engaged 3 hrs:	30.00
March 18	Studying reports from appraisers on city property, consulting with them and analyzing same in relation to settlement, engaged 6 hrs:	60.00
	Reporting to Mr. Brewin thereon:	1.50
	Attending preparation of evidence re further discussions V.L.A., engaged 3 hrs:	30.00
March 19	Attending Mr. Tanaka and discussing settlement proposals, drawing memorandum for him to discuss with committees, engaged 8 hrs:	40.00
March 20	Attending Mr. Tanaka re subject matter of settlement, engaged 3 hrs:	15.00
March 21st to April 21st	Attending preparation of category cases and case required; Consulting with appraiser with respect to city property and farm lands; preparation of summaries of cases for use if required for hearing or for application of settlement if formula arrived at. Consultations with Crown Counsel setting up procedure if settlement to be applied; and several attendances on the Commissioner and attending generally, engaged 29 days, averaging 6 hrs. per day, total 174 hrs:	1740.00
March 21	Long report to Mr. Brewin, 4 pages:	2.50
March 30	Long report to Mr. Brewin re progress of settlement (3 pages)	2.00
April 1	Report to Mr. Virtue re procedures - 2 pages:	1.00
April 6	Long report to Mr. Brewin re attendance upon Mr. Justice Bird when he intimated his views on settlement of various matters and advising with respect thereto:	7.50
	Wires to Mr. Virtue and Mr. Brewin re same:	.50
April 7th	Long report to Mr. Virtue thereon:	2.50
April 11th	Letter to Mr. Virtue with respect to a number of matters raised by him in relation to proposed settlement:	1.00
April 19th	Letter to Mr. Virtue re procedure for application of settlement if adopted:	.50
April 21st	Checking long list of incomplete addresses and letter to Miss Boos thereon:	1.00
	Letter to farm valuator:	.50

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April 22	Attending before Commission, discussion arising out of proposed settlement and re disposition of cases to be heard, engaged 4 hrs:	50.00
	Attending preparation of cases for application of formula after settlement adopted, engaged 4 hrs:	40.00
April 23	Attending re preparation of cases for settlement, engaged 5 hrs:	50.00
April 25	Attending before Commissioner re various matters regarding the claims not disposed of, engaged 3 hrs:	30.00
	Attending preparation of cases for settlement, engaged 5 hrs:	50.00
	Letter to Mr. Virtue re acceptance of settlement:	1.00
April 26	Long discussion with Crown Counsel re recovery on chattels, engaged 2 hrs:	20.00
	Report to Mr. Brewin thereon, 2 pages:	1.50
	Attending re preparation of cases for settlement, engaged 5 hrs:	50.00
April 27	Upon receipt of long letter from Mr. Virtue re acceptance of settlement by Alberta Committee, long letter in reply thereto, 3 pages:	2.50
	Letter to Mr. Brewin re recommendations relating to settlement:	1.50
	Attending preparation of cases for settlement, engaged 6 hrs:	60.00
April 28th to 30th	Attending re preparation of cases for settlement, engaged 3 days, averaging 7 hrs. per day - 21 hrs:	210.00
May 2nd	Attending Mr. Justice Bird re boat cases, etc., terms of reference and charters, engaged 1½ hrs:	15.00
	Preparation memorandum for Mr. Justice Bird thereon and letter, engaged 1½ hrs:	7.50
	Attending re preparation of cases for settlement, engaged 3 hrs:	30.00
May 3-7	Attending examination of files in preparation of settlement, engaged 5 days, averaging 4 hrs.- 20 hrs;	200.00
	Attending negotiating and arguing individual cases before Crown and Commissioner - 4½ days:	450.00
May 5th	Letter to Andrew Brewin re City property:	1.00
May 6th	Letter to Secretary of Commission re unheard cases:	1.00
	Letter to Mr. McLennan re same:	.50

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May 7th	Letter to Mr. Brewin reviewing re various matters: 2 pages:	1.00
May 9-14	Attending analyzing individual cases for settlement of hearing, engaged 6 days, averaging 5 hrs - 30 hrs:	300.00
	Attending negotiating and arguing individual cases with Crown or before Commissioner, engaged 5½ days:	550.00
May 9th	Letter to Mr. Brewin re City property:	1.00
	Letter to Miss Boos re disbursements:	.50
	Letter to Mr. Virtue re statement of disbursements:	.50
May 10th	Memorandum re City property and letter to Minister of Justice thereon:	5.00
May 12th	Letter to Secretary of Commission re various cases, 2 pages:	.50
May 16-21	Attending preparation of cases for settlement, engaged 6 days, averaging 4 hrs. - 24 hrs:	240.00
	Attending negotiate and argue individual cases with Crown or before Commissioner, engaged 5½ days:	550.00
May 18th	Letter to Mr. Virtue re proceedings - 2 pages:	1.50
	Letter to Mr. Brewin reporting re settlement and other matters, 2 pages:	1.50
May 23rd	Attending preparation of individual cases for settlement - 6 hrs:	60.00
	Attending to negotiate and argue cases:	100.00
May 24th	Attending preparation of individual cases for settlement - engaged 4 hrs:	40.00
May 26th	Attending preparation of individual cases for settlement - engaged 5 hrs:	50.00
May 27th	Attending preparation of individual cases for settlement, engaged 5 hrs:	50.00
	Attending to negotiate and argue individual cases:	100.00
May 28th	Attending to negotiate and argue individual cases:	100.00
	Attending preparation individual cases for settlement, engaged 3 hrs:	30.00
May 25th	Letter to Clement Consulting Service, instructions re valuations certain cases:	1.00
May 30th	Attending preparation of individual cases for settlement, engaged 5 hrs:	50.00
	Attending to negotiate and argue individual cases:	100.00

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June 1st	Attending before Commissioner, engaged $\frac{1}{2}$ hr:	5.00
	Attending preparation of individual cases for settlement, engaged 4 hrs:	40.00
June 2nd	Attending preparation of individual cases, engaged 4 hrs:	40.00
June 3rd	Attending preparation of individual cases for settlement, engaged 5 hrs:	50.00
	Attending to negotiate and argue individual cases,	100.00
June 4th	Attending preparation of individual cases for settlement, engaged 4 hrs:	40.00
	Letter to Mr. Brewin re claim of Togo Cleaners and other matters, 3 pages:	1.50
June 5th	Preparation of individual cases for settlement, engaged 5 hrs:	50.00
June 6th to 11th	Preparation of individual cases for settlement, engaged 6 days, averaging 5 hrs. total 30 hrs:	300.00
	Attending to negotiate and argue individual cases with Crown Counsel before the Commissioner, $5\frac{1}{2}$ days:	550.00
June 13th to 18th	Attending preparation of individual cases for settlement, engaged 6 days, averaging 5 hrs. per day, total, 30 hrs:	300.00
	Attending negotiate and argue individual cases with Crown Counsel before the Commissioner, engaged $5\frac{1}{2}$ days:	550.00
June 13th	Letter to Mr. Virtue re procedure relating to settlement and V.L.A. distribution:	1.00
June 20th to 25th	Engaged preparation of individual cases for settlement, engaged 6 days, averaging 5 hrs., total 30 hrs:	300.00
	Attending negotiating and arguing individual cases with Crown Counsel before the Commissioner, $5\frac{1}{2}$ days:	550.00
June 23rd	Letter to Mr. Virtue:	.50
June 23rd	Letter to Mr. Brewin:	.50
June 27th to 30th:	Engaged preparation of individual cases for settlement, engaged 4 days, averaging 6 hrs, total, 24 hrs.	240.00
	Engaged negotiating and discussing and arguing cases with Crown counsel before the Commissioner, 4 days:	400.00

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June 27th	Letter to Mr. Virtue re V.L.A. distribution and chattels:	1.00
July 11th to 15th	Engaged preparing individual cases with respect to settlement, 5 days, averaging 5 hrs., total 25 hrs.	250.00
	Engaged negotiating individual cases with Crown counsel, engaged 5 days:	500.00
July 14th	Long letter to Mr. Brewin re V.L.A. distribution and reporting generally - 4 pages:	2.50
July 18-22	Preparation cases for settlement - 5 days averaging 5 hrs, total 25 hrs:	250.00
	Attending negotiating settlements with Crown Counsel, engaged 5 days:	500.00
July 29th	Preparation of cases for settlement - 5 hrs:	50.00
	Negotiating settlements in individual cases with Crown Counsel:	100.00
	Letter to Mr. Virtue with further reference to V.L.A. distribution:	.50
July 30th	Attending preparation of cases for settlement, engaged 6 hrs:	60.00
	Letter to Mr. Cherniack:	.50
August 1st	Attending conference with officials of the claimant association in Toronto, engaged 2 hrs:	10.00
	Conferring with George Tanaka generally, engaged 2 hrs:	10.00
August 5th	Attending meeting of claimants in Toronto, engaged 3 hrs:	15.00
August 6th	Attending conferring with Mr. Brewin with reference to V.L.A. distribution, engaged 4 hrs:	40.00
August 8th to 13th	Attending preparation of individual cases for settlement, engaged 6 days, averaging 5 hrs., total 30 hrs:	300.00
	Attending negotiate settlements in individual cases with Crown Counsel, engaged 5½ days,	550.00
August 11th	Letter to Mr. Alex McDonald:	.50
August 15th to 20th	Attending preparation of individual cases for settlement, engaged 6 days, averaging 5 hrs, total, 30 hrs:	300.00
	Attending negotiating settlements with Crown Counsel in individual cases, engaged 5½ days:	550.00

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August 22
to 27th

Preparation of individual claims for settlement, 6 days, averaging 4 hrs. total 24 hrs: 240.00

Engaged negotiating settlement individual cases with Crown Counsel, engaged 5½ days: 550.00

August 29th
to Sept. 3

Engaged preparation of individual cases for settlement, engaged 6 days, averaging 6 hrs. 36 hrs: 360.00

Negotiating settlements in individual cases with Crown Counsel, engaged 5½ days: 550.00

September 6

Attending preparation of individual cases, engaged 6 hrs: 60.00

Engaged, negotiating settlements in individual cases with Crown Counsel: 100.00

September 7

Attending preparation of individual cases for settlement, engaged 6 hrs: 60.00

Attending negotiating settlement with Crown Counsel: 100.00

September 9

Attending preparation of individual cases for settlement, engaged 5 hrs: 50.00

Attending negotiate settlements individual cases with Crown Counsel: 100.00

September 10

Attending preparation of individual cases for settlement, engaged 3 hrs: 30.00

Attending negotiate settlements with Crown Counsel: 100.00

September 12

Attending before Commissioner, presentation of evidence and arguing individual cases: 100.00

Attending preparation of individual cases for settlement, engaged 4 hrs: 40.00

September 13

Attending before Commissioner with respect to special cases: 100.00

Attending preparation of individual cases for settlement, engaged 4 hrs: 40.00

September 9

Letter to George Tanaka with respect to evidence relating to City property - 2 pages: 1.50

September 14

Preparation of individual cases for settlement, engaged 6 hrs: 60.00

Attending negotiate settlements with Crown Counsel re individual cases: 100.00

September 15
to 17

Preparation of individual cases for settlement 3 days, averaging 4 hrs, total 12 hrs. 120.00

Negotiating settlements with Crown Counsel, individual cases, engaged 3 days: 300.00

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September 19 to 24th	Engaged preparation of individual cases for settlement, engaged 6 days, averaging 5 hrs, total 30 hrs:	300.00
	Engaged negotiating settlements with Crown Counsel and arguing special cases before the Commissioner, 5½ days:	550.00
September 23	Letter to Miss Margaret Boos:	
September 26 to October 1	Preparation of individual claims, engaged 6 days, averaging 5 hrs, total of 30 hrs:	300.00
	Attending negotiating settlements and arguing special cases, engaged 5½ days:	550.00
October 3 to October 5	Engaged preparation of individual cases for settlement, engaged 3 days, averaging 5 hrs, total 15 hrs:	150.00
	Engaged negotiating settlements in individual cases, engaged 3 days:	300.00
October 6	Engaged negotiating settlements in individual cases, engaged ½ day:	50.00
October 6	Letter to Mr. Brewin reporting on various matters, 3 pages:	1.50
October 9	Engaged preparation of individual cases for settlement, engaged 4 hrs:	40.00
October 10	Preparation of individual cases for settlement, engaged 4 hrs:	40.00
October 11-15	Attending preparation of individual cases for settlement, engaged 5 days, averaging 5 hrs, total 25 hrs:	250.00
	Engaged negotiating settlements and arguments before the Commissioner, special cases, engaged 5 days:	500.00
October 11	Letter to Mr. Brewin re special cases under V.L.A.	1.50
October 14	Letter to Mr. Brewin reporting generally:	1.00
October 17	Letter to Mr. Brewin reporting re Commissioner's announcement that he intended to review settled cases - 2 pages:	1.50
October 17	Letter to Mr. Brewin re proposed letter to claimants, 2 pages:	1.50
October 20	Letter to Mr. McLennan re individual claims:	.50
October 21	Letter to witness:	.50
October 19- 29	Attending preparation of individual claims for settlement, engaged 6 days, averaging 5 hrs per day, total 30 hrs:	300.00

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October 19 -29	Attending negotiating settlement and arguing special cases, engaged 5½ days:	550.00
October 28	Letter to Mr. Brewin with further reference to review of settled cases by Commissioner:	1.50
October 29	Letter to Mr. Tanaka:	1.00
October 29 to November 5	Attending preparation of claims for settlement, engaged 6 days, averaging 5 hrs., total 30 hrs:	300.00
November 2	Letter to Mr. Brewin re review of settlements by Judge:	1.00
November 2	Letter to Mr. Virtue re same:	1.00
November 6	Negotiating settlement and arguing special cases, engaged 5½ days:	550.00
November 7th to 12th	Attending review files preparation for settlement, engaged 6 days, averaging 5 hrs., total 30 hrs:	300.00
	Attending negotiating and arguing special cases, engaged 5½ days:	550.00
November 14	Attending consult with Mr. Tanaka, engaged 4 hrs:	20.00
	Attending negotiate individual claims, Crown Counsel:	100.00
	Attending preparation individual claims for settlement, engaged 3 hrs:	30.00
November 15 to 17th	Attending prepare claims for individual settlement, engaged 3 days, averaging 6 hrs., per day, total 18 hrs:	180.00
	Attending negotiate individual settlement with Crown Counsel, engaged 3 days:	300.00
November 18	Attending checking award forms, engaged 3 hrs:	30.00
November 19	Attending negotiate settlements in individual cases with Crown Counsel:	100.00
	Attending preparation of cases with respect to settlement, engaged 4 hrs:	40.00
November 21 to 26	Attending preparation individual cases for settlement, engaged 6 days, averaging 5 hrs. per day, total 30 hrs:	300.00
	Attending negotiate settlement and arguing special cases, engaged 6 days:	600.00
November 22	Letter to Homer Stevens, United Fishermen's Union re information relative to Japanese vessel:	.50
November 23	Letter to Mr. Brewin reporting re Judge's memorandum with respect to Steveston property 2 pages:	1.50

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November 27	Attending preparing cases for settlement discussion, engaged 4 hrs:	40.00
November 28 to December 3	Attending prepare individual cases for discussion of settlement, engaged 6 days, averaging 5 hrs. per day, total of 30 hrs:	300.00
	Attending negotiating settlement and arguing special cases, engaged 6 days:	600.00
November 29	Letter to George Tanaka re boat cases and re Manitoba case:	1.00
December 1	Long report to Mr. Brewin, 4 pages:	2.50
December 4	Checking award forms and preparation of V.L.A. distribution, engaged 5 hrs:	50.00
December 5th to 10th	Engaged preparing cases for discussion and checking award forms, engaged 6 days, averaging 5 hrs - total of 30 hrs:	300.00
December 5th to 10th	Attending negotiations with Crown Counsel and arguing special cases before the Commissioner and reviewing settlements before the Commissioner, engaged 6 days:	600.00
December 11	Checking award forms and preparation of V.L.A. distribution, engaged 3 hrs:	30.00
December 12 to December 17	Engaged preparing cases for settlement, 6 days, averaging 5 hrs per day, total 30 hrs:	300.00
	Engaged negotiating settlement, 6 days:	600.00
December 14	Letter to Mr. Virtue reporting on progress:	1.00
December 16	Letter to Mr. Virtue with respect to various cases on which we had a common problem:	1.00
December 18	Checking award forms and preparation V.L.A. distribution, engaged 4 hrs:	40.00
December 19th to 23rd	Engaged preparing cases for discussion and checking award forms, engaged 5 days, averaging 5 hrs, total of 25 hrs:	250.00
	Attending negotiating settlements with Crown counsel and arguing special awards, engaged 5 days:	500.00
December 21st	Letter to Mr. Brewin reporting:	1.00
December 24th	Attending checking award forms, engaged 4 hrs: and preparation V.L.A. distribution:	40.00
December 27th to 30th	Preparation cases for discussion and checking award forms, engaged 4 days, averaging 5 hrs., total 20 hrs:	200.00

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December 27th
to 30th

Attending negotiating settlements with Crown,
engaged 4 days:

400.00

December 30

Letter to Mr. Brewin re claim to Commissioner
for disbursements:

.50

December 31

Attending preparation of claims for settlement
and checking award forms, engaged 4 hrs:

40.00

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January 3rd to
7th

Attending preparation of claims for settlement
and checking award forms, engaged 5 days,
averaging 5 hrs, 25 hrs:

250.00

Negotiating settlements with Crown, attending
argue special cases and review of settled cases
with Commissioner, engaged 5 days:

500.00

January 8th

Attending checking settlements and preparation
V.L.A. distribution, 4 hrs:

40.00

January 9th to
14th

Attending preparing cases for settlement and
checking awards, engaged 6 days, averaging 5
hrs. total 30 hrs:

300.00

Negotiating settlement special cases and review-
ing settlements before Commissioner, engaged
6 days:

600.00

January 13

Letter to Mr. Brewin reporting:

1.00

January 13

Letter to Mr. Tanaka re proceedings:

1.00

January 14

Letter to Mr. Brewin re statements of accounts:

.50

January 15

Attending on V.L.A. distribution, engaged 10 hrs:

100.00

January 16

Attending negotiating net settlement with Crown
Counsel and reporting to Commissioner thereon,
engaged 6 hrs:

100.00

Attending preparing cases for discussion for
settlement and completing V.L.A. distribution,
engaged 6 hrs:

60.00

January 17

Attending preparation of statement of accounts
for services rendered, engaged 8 hrs:

40.00

Letter to Mr. Tanaka with respect to enquiry as
to late filing of claims - 2 pages:

1.00

January 18-21

Attending preparation of claims for settlement
and checking award sheets, engaged 4 days, averag-
ing 6 hrs. - total 24 hrs:

240.00

Attending negotiate settlement, arguing special
cases and reviewing cases settled before the
Commissioner - engaged 4 days:

400.00

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January 22	Reviewing V.L.A. distribution, checking awards and preparing cases for settlement, engaged 6 hrs:	60.00
January 23	Letter to Mr. Virtue re statement of disbursements:	.50
January 23	Letter to Mr. Brewin re statement of disbursements:	.50
January 23 to 28th	Engaged preparation of claims for settlement, checking award forms, engaged 6 days, averaging 6 hrs, total of 36 hrs:	360.00
	Attending negotiate settlements in individual cases and arguing special awards and reviewing settlements before Commissioner, engaged 6 days:	600.00
January 29	Checking award forms and preparation of cases for settlement, engaged 5 hrs:	50.00
January 30th to February 4th	Engaged preparation special memoranda re special problems, reviewing cases for settlement and checking award forms, engaged 6 days, averaging 5 hrs., total of 30 hrs:	300.00
	Attending negotiate settlements with Crown, argument on special awards and reviewing settlements before Commissioner, 6 days:	600.00
January 31	Letter to Andrew Brewin reporting re various cases:	1.00
January 31	Letter to Mr. Virtue re V.L.A. distribution - 4 pages:	2.50
February 4	Letter to Mr. Justice Bird reminding him of terms upon which the Committee concurred in the proposed settlement requesting that the same be referred to in his report, 2 pages:	1.50
February 4	Letter to Mr. Justice Bird re memorandum filed with respect to disbursements of the Committee, 2 pages:	1.50
February 4	Letter to Mr. Virtue urging completion of his award forms at the earliest possible date:	.50
February 5	Attending checking award forms and preparation of further memoranda for the Commissioner, engaged 4 hrs:	40.00
February 6th to 11th	Attending re preparation of further memoranda reviewing cases re settlement, checking award forms, drawing statement of account, engaged 6 days, averaging 8 hrs. - 48 hrs:	480.00

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Feb. 6th to
11th

Various attendances upon Crown Counsel with respect to award forms and cases remaining to be discussed and several attendances upon the Commissioner: Total, 12 hrs: 120.00

February 12th

Attending checking award forms and preparing for settlement of outstanding cases, engaged 4 hrs: 40.00

February 13th

Attending Mr. Justice Bird in Victoria, engaged 1 hr: 10.00

Attending re preparation of account, engaged 4 hrs: 20.00

February 14th

Letter to Mr. Brewin reporting on various matters, 2 pages: 1.50

Checking award forms, consulting with Crown Counsel with respect thereto, engaged 5 hrs: 50.00

February 15th

Checking award forms and consulting with Crown Counsel, engaged 6 hrs: 60.00

Attending Mr. Virtue on telephone and letter to Mr. George Tanaka, 2 pages: 1.50

Preparation of statement of account and letter to Miss Margaret Boos: 1.00

February 19th

Attending check award forms and reviewing summary of results of Commission, engaged 4 hrs: 40.00

February 20th

Long letter to Mr. Tanaka re commission findings, 4 pages: 2.00

February 21st

Long letter to Mr. Tanaka- 3 pages: 2.50

February 21st
& 22nd

Checking settlements and discussions with Counsel, engaged 2 days, averaging 5 hrs. per day: 100.00

February 24th

Checking settlements and awards on special cases, engaged 5 hrs. 50.00

February 25th

Discussions with Counsel re cases to be further discussed with Commissioner, engaged 3 hrs: 30.00

Long letter to Mr. Tanaka (4 pages) and reviewing proposed letter to claimants: 5.00

February 27th

Engaged discussions with Crown Counsel, 3 hrs. 30.00

Drawing bill, engaged 8 hrs: 40.00

Letter to Co-operative Committee re summary of total awards, 4 pages, 5.00

Letter to Mr. Brewin re same: 2.50

February 28th

Engaged all day before Commissioner reviewing settlements and special cases: 100.00

Drawing bill, engaged 4 hrs: 20.00

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March 1st

Revising files dealt with before Commissioner, engaged 1 hr: 10.00

Attending Crown Counsel re final settlements, engaged 3 hrs: 30.00

Reviewing and checking award forms, engaged 3 hrs: 30.00

Drawing bill, engaged 1 hr: 5.00

March 2nd

Engaged with Crown Counsel, 2 hrs: 20.00

Reviewing and checking awards, engaged 3 hrs, 30.00

March 3rd

Attending Commissioner, special hearing, Corporation case, engaged $\frac{1}{2}$ day: 37.50

Attending Crown Counsel, engaged 2 hrs: 20.00

Reviewing and checking awards, engaged 1 hrs: 10.00

March 4th

Reviewing and checking awards, engaged 8 hrs: 80.00

March 6th

Reviewing and checking awards, engaged 6 hrs: 60.00

March 7th

Attending Crown Counsel, 3 hrs: 30.00

Reviewing special awards and checking award forms, engaged 3 hrs: 30.00

Drawing bill, engaged 2 hrs: 10.00

March 8th

Attending Commissioner, engaged 2 hrs: 20.00

Reviewing and checking award forms, engaged 5 hrs. 50.00

Letter to Miss Boos re accounts and report relating to proceedings, 2 pages: 2.50

Letter to Mr. Justice Bird re disbursements: 2.50

All attendances finalizing awards and attendances on Crown Counsel, Custodian and Commissioner with respect thereto: 500.00

Counsel fees for services of Mr. Cobus, assisting Mr. McMaster, preparation of general evidence (other than statistical work charged as a disbursement) appearing with Mr. McMaster on hearing of general evidence, and appearing before Commissioner in Vancouver on certain cases: 2500.00

TOTAL, ~~OUR FEE~~, say: \$ 63,915.75

THIS IS OUR BILL HEREIN: *Owe FEE, say \$55,000.00*

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Per: *R. J. McMaster*

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Ottawa, August 1, 1947.


F. A. Brewin, Esq.,
Cameron, Weldon & Brewin,
Barristers & Solicitors,
Sterling Tower,
Toronto 1, Canada.

Dear Mr. Brewin:

I should like to acknowledge your letter of yesterday's date, addressed to the Prime Minister, concerning the possibility of an interview to discuss the terms of reference of the Commissioner who is to investigate claims resulting from the sale of property belonging to persons of Japanese origin.

The Prime Minister has left Ottawa for a very much needed rest and there would be no possibility of his being able to be present at an interview with the Secretary of State and Minister of Justice in the near future, as you have suggested. As there is some degree of urgency about this whole matter, I would suggest that the best course would be to arrange to see Mr. Ilsley and Colonel Gibson whenever this can be managed, and it may not prove necessary to involve the Prime Minister in the discussions. I hope this suggestion will recommend itself to you as I feel that it may avoid a considerable amount of delay.

Yours sincerely,


(R. G. Robertson),
Secretary.



THE SECRETARY OF STATE OF CANADA

Ottawa, August 1, 1947.

Dear Mr. Brewin:

Your letter of July 31st on behalf of the Co-operative Committee on Japanese Canadians has been received, in the temporary absence of Colonel Gibson.

You may be assured that your letter will be drawn to Colonel Gibson's attention immediately upon his return to Ottawa.

Yours very truly,

W. O. Davis,
Private Secretary.

Mr. A. F. Brewin,
Cameron, Weldon & Brewin,
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August 5th, 1947.

The Minister of Justice,

O t t a w a, Canada.

Dear Mr. Ilesley:

Thank you for your letter of August 2nd.

I shall look forward to hearing from you
upon Colonel Gibson's return.

Yours sincerely,

AFB:B

August 5th, 1947.

W.O. Davis, Esq.,
Office of the Private Secretary,
Under Secretary of State of Canada,
O T T A W A, Canada.

Dear Mr. Davis:

Thank you for your letter of August 1st.

I shall be glad to hear from you upon Colonel Gibson's return. I have had a letter from Mr. Ilsley, to the effect that he will be in touch with Colonel Gibson and will let us know when it will be possible for me to see them both.

I am going to be in some difficulty myself, if the appointment cannot be made this week, as I am going up into Northern Ontario for the balance of the month. However, I shall have to do my best to make whatever arrangements I can.

Yours sincerely,

AFB:B

August 5th, 1947.

G.G. Robertson, Esq.,
Office of the Prime Minister,
O T T A W A, Canada.

Dear Mr. Robertson:

Thank you for your letter of August 1st.
As you suggest, I will arrange to see Mr. Ilesley
and Colonel Gibson first.

I have already heard from Mr. Ilesley,
He will be in touch with Colonel Gibson upon his
return to Ottawa.

As you say, it may be possible to avoid
involving the Prime Minister in the discussions.

Yours sincerely,

AFB:B



MINISTER OF JUSTICE AND
ATTORNEY GENERAL OF CANADA

Ottawa, 6th August, 1947.

Dear Mr. Brewin,

I learn that my colleague, Mr.
Gibson will not be in Ottawa until August 11th.
I will see him as soon as he comes back and
inform you as to the most convenient date for
an interview.

Yours very truly,

F. A. Brewin, Esq.,
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August 8, 1947.

Messrs. Cameron, Weldon and Brewin,
Barristers & Solicitors,
Sterling Tower,
Toronto 1, Ontario.

Att'n: Mr. F. A. Brewin.

Dear Sirs:

We have for acknowledgment receipt of
your letter of July 31st.

We have to advise that Mr. Justice Bird
has been out of town and we will endeavour to get in touch
with him as soon as he returns and when we succeed in doing
so, we will advise you.

Concerning the matter raised in your
letter of the 31st ultimo, as to the estimated amount of
time which we might be required to spend on matters relating
to the enquiry, you will appreciate that it is extremely
difficult to determine, without knowing how many cases will
be involved. However, from the little information on hand,
it would appear to us that one hundred full days might
reasonably cover what would be required. Concerning the mat-
ter of contributions from the Japanese themselves, a little
over a month ago we suggested to the Japanese Committee at
Greenwood that they might suggest to some of the persons
who will be receiving refunds through that Committee from
this firm that they might be willing or desirous of assigning
the refunds or a part thereof for the purpose of carrying
on the proceedings before the Commissioner. However, we have
received no response to the idea. We still have a fairly
large quantity of money on hand, which is due to be refunded.
We now have a number of refunds which we will be paying out
in the next few days, but there will remain quite a number
more. Possibly you might get some results by writing to Mr.
K. Sato of Japanese Canadian Citizens' Association at
Greenwood, B.C.

Messrs. Cameron, Weldon and Brewin,
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August 8, 1947.

The labour case which I mentioned to you in my last letter as being involved in, is over the recent Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Act passed in B. C. We were before the Court of Appeal yesterday and the day before arguing the question as to whether the Act created a Union into a juristic person and had occasion in argument to refer to several cases in which we noted that you had acted. With particular respect to the United Steel Workers' case, we noted that the Ontario Act was passed in 1943, the case was decided in 1943 and that in 1944 the Act was repealed. The Provision for a Labour Court in the Judicature Act was likewise repealed that year. We wondered whether, by any chance, the elimination of the labour courts was a result of an attack on their validity or whether it was only because of the fact that the Ontario Government decided to adopt and apply P.C. 1003. In the case in which we are acting, the "strikers" gave been convicted of a technical offence under the Act and fined \$1.00 and \$1.00 costs. We are taking a stated case to the Supreme Court and would not be at all surprised if we if we went to the Court of Appeal. One of the issues therefore, is whether the Board which is set up in the Act with wording very similar to that contained in the provisions of P.C. 1003 is constitutional. You will recall that in P.C. 1003 it is provided that where any proceedings are being taken in the Courts and certain questions of fact or law arise the proceedings are to be stayed and the questions referred to the Board whose decision shall be final and conclusive. We intend to attack the constitutional validity of these provisions on the ground that the Act purports to set up a Court with jurisdiction concurrent to the Supreme and County Courts and to appoint the judges thereof contrary to the provisions of Section 96 to 100 in the B. N. A. Act. Inasmuch as we understand that P.C. 1003 may still be the law in the Province of Ontario, we thought that perhaps you might be interested in this.

We noticed a reference in the local press today to the Japanese enquiry which suggested that Mr. Justice Bird would like to get the enquiry started before September 9th when the Court of Appeal sits in B. C. and, furthermore,

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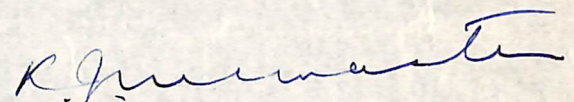
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indicated that it might be his intention to start in the West and move East. We are doing our best to get in touch with him today and, if we possibly can, we will do our best to delay proceedings and, if at all possible, to start in Eastern Canada, taking this to be in accordance with your desires. We were interested to note that the Prime Minister had indicated that the reference for the enquiry might be broadened. In this connection we had an off-the-record talk with the Custodian of Japanese Property, the other day and he indicated in our conversation that he had urged Ottawa to broaden the terms of the reference. Needless to say, you wouldn't be able to use that as direct information in urging a broadening, but we thought it might be a useful piece of information for you to have in mind.

Yours truly,

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August 12th, 1947.

F. A. Brewin, Esq.,
c/o Mrs. R.E. Johnson,
44 Spruce Street,
SUDBURY, Ontario.

Dear Andy: re Japanese Canadians.

I am enclosing, herewith, a telegram and
correspondence received from Mr. McMaster, mentioned
in our telephone conversation.

As suggested, I am today wiring Mr.
McMaster, and you will reply to him direct.

Yours sincerely,



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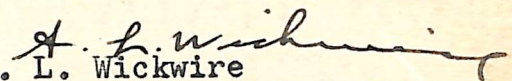
MINISTER OF JUSTICE AND
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Ottawa, 12th August, 1947.

Dear Mr. Brewin,

Mr. Ilsley has asked me to tell you that Colonel Gisbon has now returned to Ottawa, and that he has arranged an interview for you, to take place in Mr. Ilsley's office in the Justice Building at 11.00 a.m. Saturday, August 16th, unless for some reason that date is inconvenient for you.

Yours very truly,


A. L. Wickwire
Private Secretary

A. F. Brewin, Esq.,
Messrs. Cameron, Weldon and Brewin,
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August 12th, 1947.

BREWIN IS ON SPEAKING TOUR IN NORTHERN ONTARIO STOP
YOUR TELEGRAM AND LETTERS HAVE BEEN SENT ON STOP
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Mrs R. K. Johnson 44

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KIRKLAND LAKE, ONTARIO

FROM R. J. McMASTER, VANCOUVER,
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August 31, 1947.

Andrew Brewin, Esq.,
Barrister & Solicitor,
Sterling Tower Building,
Toronto, Ontario.

Dear Mr. Brewin:-

Re: Japanese Claims.

We appreciated receiving your letter of the 26th inst. reporting on your discussions with Messrs. Ilsley & Gibson. We were sorry to hear that they did not hold out a better prospect. However we shall await with interest the final outcome. Unfortunately we were unable to get in touch with Mr. Justice Bird before the long week-end. However, we will communicate with him at the earliest possible date.

Upon your suggestion the writer will endeavour to line up a Committee in B. C. to represent the Co-operative Committee and will report to you. It should be possible to do now that the holiday season is about passed. We would suggest however, that the Co-operative Committee write a letter care of the writer appointing the local committee its representative and outlining the tasks which it considers can be most usefully performed by it.

It has now been confirmed that, subject to unforeseen difficulties, I will fly East on September 25th. I expect to arrive in Toronto in the early morning of the 26th and am writing today to the King Edward for reservations. I expect to go up to Ottawa on the night of the 27th or the day of the 28th to attend a meeting of the National Directors of the Co-operative Union of Canada from the 29th until the 3rd or 4th. I expect to return to Toronto on the 4th or 5th of October and to be in and about Toronto until the 10th.

Not having had any holiday for some time I have decided to take my wife along with me, and so far as possible want to keep the last week as far as possible a holiday. Accordingly I would prefer to meet with you and your

Committee on the 26th and 27th if possible. However, I am anxious to get fully briefed while we have the opportunity to meet together and will spend as much time at whatever time meets your convenience on the problem. If the hearings do actually get started on October 1st I may get a chance to look in on them. I also want to look in on the Canadian Congress of Labour meeting if I get an opportunity.

You will be interested to know perhaps that this past week I have been very much engaged acting for the United Steelworkers. Five of the Companies are suing the United Steelworkers of America and two of its locals for damages for unlawfully striking under Bill 39 and this week applied for an injunction against striking and picketting and a mandatory injunction to the Unions to call off the strike and to order the men back to work. The Companies are backed by the Canadian Manufacturers Association which is their bargaining agent. They allege that as Bill 39 prohibits striking, despite the fact that it provides a severe penalty, an actionable tort is thereby created. It appears to me that this is one of the most serious attacks on Unions which we have had in a long time. Judgment has been reserved on our application to set the Writ aside and also on the application for the injunction. I expect we will know the answer early this coming week. If we have the opportunity while I am in Toronto, I am looking forward to having a good chat with you and other persons interested on labour legislation matters.

Yours truly,

CAMPBELL, BRAZIER, FISHER & McMASTER

Per

R. J. McMaster

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September 3, 1947.

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Re: Japanese Claims

Dear Mr. McMaster:

Thank you for your letter of August 31st.

We have still not heard from the Government
and are not likely to hear this week.

I will be glad to see you on the 26th and
27th. I would also be much interested in discussing
with you the other matters mentioned in your letter.

With kindest regards,

Yours sincerely,

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