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to Mr. Gatherwood
General Section

We give below the reports made by Banks concerning businesses owned or controlled by Japanese in accordance with G.M. Special #713 of August 19, 1941. We believe the affairs of these people would ordinarily be handled by your Section. Will you please determine if the Board has any further information concerning them and report your findings to Mr. Rasminsky.

C.K.H.

The Royal Bank of Canada reports:

Vancouver - East End Branch

FUKUOKA KAIGAI KYOKAI

Society - 314 Powell St., Vancouver, B.C.

S. Enyu

T.K. Nakatsuka

This is a society for mutual benefit purposes. We have no information as to the number of members but believe they would probably number about fifty, all being former residents of a certain district in Japan.

GYOSHA RENRAKSU KYOGI KAI

Society - Steveston, B.C.

U. Sakamoto

S. Kishino

K. Taguchi

T. Joji

We believe this is a Benefit Association conducted in the interests of fishermen operating in British Columbia. The account conducted with us carries fairly substantial credit balances. While we have no definite information, we believe their membership would probably total three hundred in number.

ISSHINKAI WOODFIBRE

Society - Woodfibre, B.C.

T. Nakano

U. Endo

F. Takeuchi

This is a mutual benefit association, operated at Woodfibre, B.C. where the B.C. Pulp & Paper Co. Limited employ about two hundred and fifty Japanese. We have no further information in connection with the account.

KII KAIGAI KYOKAI

Society - 532 1/2 Powell St., Vancouver, B.C.

E. Kariya

H. Shiomi

This is a society for mutual benefit purposes. We have no information as to the number of members but believe they would probably number about two hundred, all being former residents of a certain district in Japan.

KOUSHIN KAI

Society - 337 Gore Ave., Vancouver, B.C.

T. Nimi

S. Kagawa

G. Nakamura

*Supplied by list sent
to Vancouver*

Koushin Kai Cont'd.

This is a society operated by approximately fifty members of the Japanese community for the purpose of mutual deposits and loans to assist one another.

KYORITSU GOYAKKO BOSHUKAI
Society - 439 Alexander St., Vancouver, B.C.
T. Sato
S. Matsui
T. Maikawa

This is an association operated by mothers and daughters of Japanese residents for educational purposes. We believe the membership may amount to between seven and eight hundred.

ONSHIKINEN SAISEI KAI
Society - 329 Gore Ave., Vancouver, B.C.
B. Hisaoka - President
J.W. Kinoshita - Secretary

This is a society operated for the purpose of rendering relief and charity in worthy cases. Mr. J.W. Kinoshita the secretary, is Manager of our Japanese Department. B. Hisaoka the president, is the principal owner in the Stanley Park Shipyards Limited. While they are the signing officers, the affairs of the society are managed by various committees. They operate as a parent association for all Japanese societies, the latter effecting collections from their members but the investigation of cases and dispensing of relief is the major duty of this organization. The account they conduct with us carries good average credit balances,

CPY/G

Mr. R.F. B. Taylor
Services Section

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C.K.H.

The Royal Bank of Canada reports:

Vancouver - East End Branch

TAIRIKU NIPPO SHA LTD.
Japanese Newspaper - 213 E. Cordova St., Vancouver, B.C.
Y. Iwasaki - Director
M. Iwasaki - Secy.

The Japanese whose names appear as officers are, we understand, the owners of this concern. The account was transferred to us only about two months ago from the Japan & Canada Trust Savings Company. They publish the Continental Daily News which has a circulation of about 4/5,000.

Henderson
Manufacturing Section

Give below the reports made by Banks concerning businesses owned or controlled by Japanese in accordance with G.M. Special #713 of August 19, 1941. We believe the affairs of these people would ordinarily be handled by your Section. Will you please determine if the Board has any further information concerning them and report your findings to Mr. Rasmulsky.

C.K.H.

The Royal Bank of Canada reports:

Vancouver - East End Branch

Nanaimo Shipyards Ltd.
Shipbuilding - 467 Powell St., Vancouver, B.C.
T. Matsuyama - Pres.
R. Kita - Secy.

This company own and operate a ship-repairing business at Nanaimo, B.C. They also own a large number of fishing boats. The operations of the latter are handled through T. Matsuyama & Co. Limited who hold a debenture issue covering the company's entire assets for \$50,000. T. Matsuyama is the principal owner of the company, which is really more or less a subsidiary in connection with the operations carried on through T. Matsuyama & Co. Ltd. R. Kita is T. Matsuyama's chief assistant.

STANLEY PARK SHIPYARDS LTD.
Boat Builders - 1909 W. Georgia St., Vancouver, B.C.
B. Hisaoka - Pres.
W. Ellison - Secy.

B. Hisaoka, the President of this company, is we understand the principal owner. The business is, however, managed and looked after by W. Ellison, a white man. We do not hold a statement of the company's affairs and up until about two years ago the business carried on was small but during the past two years the company have apparently been quite active and we think control a fair amount of repair work.

Vancouver, Georgia & Denman

UNION BOAT WORKS Shipyard
Names of Officers - Toyojiro Nakamoto
- Andrew S. Smith.

The latest statement of affairs, December 31, 1940, is as follows:

<u>ASSETS</u>		<u>LIABILITIES</u>	
Stock	\$ 684	Loans, R.B. of C.	\$ 500
Discounted Bills	1,500	Trade paper discounted	1,500
Other accts. rec.	4,799	Due to Union Trading Co. Ltd.	2,005
Cash	205	Bills Payable	7800
Work in progress	299	Accounts payable	2,469
Prepaid expenses	92	Prov. for Taxes (Other)	22
		Workmen's Comp. Board	142
		Surplus	\$7,418
Plant & Machinery	5,031		5,343
Furniture & fixtures	151		
	<u>\$12,761</u>		<u>\$12,761</u>

We understand the interest of Andrew S. Smith is only nominal.

PT/G

M. Holloway
Merchandising Section

We give below the reports made by Banks concerning businesses owned or controlled by Japanese in accordance with G.M. Special #713 of August 19, 1941. We believe the affairs of these people would ordinarily be handled by your Section. Will you please determine if the Board has any further information concerning them and report your findings to Mr. Rasminsky.

C.K.H.

The Royal Bank of Canada reports:

B.C. PURCHASERS ASSOC. LTD.
Society - 573 East Hastings St., Vancouver, B.C.
M. Kitagawa - Pres.
C. Wakabayashi - Secy.

This company has been in existence for about ten years. No Statement is held. We believe the company was formed simply to assist small retail merchants in effecting purchases and that it is conducted more or less as a co-operative affair. The buying they do, we understand, is mostly local and in so far as we are aware they do not do any importing or exporting business.

KOMURA BROS. LTD.
Grocers - 269 Powell Street, Vancouver, B.C.
E. Hayashi - Director
J. Yanagi - Secy.

This company operate a large general store, carrying both Japanese and Canadian goods. In past years they have continually imported considerable of their requirements from Japan. The latest statement of their affairs dated December 31, 1940 conveys the following:

Inventory	\$22,300	Liabilities	\$9,400
Accts. Rec. General Mrs. Komura Cash	5,000 1,800 2,200 \$31,300		\$9,400
Equipment, consisting of furniture and fixtures, trucks, etc.	4,500	Deprec. Resv.	1,800
Real estate, including store bldg.	25,000 \$60,800	Capital	50,000 \$61,200

Their sales for the year ending December 31, 1940 amounted to \$91,000.

Vancouver - East End Branch

NAKAZAWA, Y. "TRUST"
Importer - Japanese Oranges - Dominion Bldg., Vancouver, B.C.

This account has for the past year been inactive. However, this man for many years acted as agent in connection with the import of Japanese oranges and during these years purchased large quantities of exchange in connection with payment of the importations. We do not hold any statement of his affairs but believe he represents a fair amount of worth.

Westminster, B.C.
 NISHIGUCHI & CO. LTD., M. General Store, New Westminster, B.C.
 A. Nishiguchi, President
 K. Nishiguchi, Secretary
 M. Nishiguchi

Insofar as we know, these three Japanese are the proprietors of M. Nishiguchi & Co. Ltd. The company are not indebted to us at the present time and during the past year carried quite substantial balances in Current Account. Statement of affairs in brief form is as follows:-

STATEMENT OF AFFAIRS - March 28, 1941

Stock	\$20,787	Due Royal Bank	\$2,429
Accts Rec.	<u>18,547</u>	Accts. Payable	<u>3,500</u>
	\$39,334		\$5,929
Plant & Machinery	4,720		
Furniture & Fix- tures	3,500	Surplus	85,625
Real Estate	<u>44,000</u>		<u>\$91,554</u>
	\$91,554		

It should be explained that the real estate is registered in the three names of A. Nishiguchi, K. Nishiguchi and M. Nishiguchi and covers buildings well located in New Westminster, as well as three farms in the Fraser Valley. This concern are old clients of this Branch and we have found them to be quite satisfactory in every respect. A. Nishiguchi, the President, is unquestionably the guiding head.

They have trade paper current at this date of \$445.

Vancouver, Marpole, B.C.

NISHIMURA, JUJIRO General Store 9182 Hudson St., Vancouver
 Jujiro Nishimura

This customer has never been a borrower. He maintains satisfactory balances, and has at the present time \$4,738 in Current Account and \$2,077 in Savings Account. We have no statement of affairs on file and it is not intended that such information should be solicited.

Steveston, B.C.

OMIYA & COMPANY Grocer Steveston, B.C. Trade \$150
 K. Kitagawa Sole Owner Steveston, B.C.

This man owns his business property in Steveston which he values at \$6,500. His stock in trade was recently listed at \$14,000 against which he owes around \$4,000 to the wholesalers. Total book debts are in excess of \$10,000 and as a number of these accounts are old, about 50% of the amount may be considered collectible. Our dealings with this man over a period of many years have been satisfactory and he may be considered a good risk for moderate accommodation.

Vancouver - East End Branch

PACIFIC IMPORTERS LTD.
 Importers - 175 Water St., Vancouver, B.C.
 T. Yasunaka - Pres.
 K. Iwashita - Secy.

The two officers of this company are also the owners.

For many years imported a large amount of Japanese novelties for resale but during the past few years have been obtaining most of their supplies from American and Canadian manufacturers. Their sales last year amounted to approximately \$80,000. The latest statement of their affairs on file is dated December 31, 1940 and in this they claim the following:-

Inventory	\$25,600	Liabilities -	\$17,700
Accts Rec.	14,800	General	1,850
Cash	1,700	Shareholders	
Life Ins. osv.	<u>1,100</u>		
	\$43,200		
		Surplus	\$19,550
		Capital	6,000
			<u>20,000</u>
Furniture & Fixtures	<u>2,000</u>		\$45,550
	<u>\$45,200</u>		

The business during this year, we think will probably show a considerable falling off.

Steveston, B.C.

WAKITA, S. Grocer & Dry Goods Steveston Trade \$82
S. Wakita & J. Wakita, Owners, Steveston, B.C.

The principal owner of this business is S. Wakita, who is reported to represent considerable worth. No recent statement of affairs is held, the last one on file being dated July 18, 1932, which shows total assets of \$70,000 against current liabilities of only \$800. The business has made considerable progress in the meantime and we would judge their total assets to range in the low six figure brackets. J. Wakita carries a present balance of \$8,000 in savings.

YAMATO SILKS LIMITED
Silk Merchants, 460 Granville Street, Vancouver, B.C.

B. Uyeda, 2996 West 29th Avenue, Vancouver, Sole Proprietor.

<u>ASSETS</u>		<u>LIABILITIES</u>	
Stock	\$37,840	Accounts Payable	5,147
Accts. rec.	117	B. Uyeda	<u>85,868</u>
Cash	<u>330</u>		31,015
	38,087		
		Res. for deprec.	633
Furniture & fixtures	<u>4,262</u>	Capital	10,000
		Surplus	<u>701</u>
	42,349		42,349

The figures quoted are extracted from balance sheet of January 31, 1940 which is the latest information we hold. The concern has been a satisfactory connection here for many years and occasional advances for small amounts have been extended.

Mr. Geddes
Primary Industries Section

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The Royal Bank of Canada reports:
Vancouver - East End Br.

B.C. COD FISHERMEN'S CO-OPERATIVE ASSOC.
Association - Ft. Campbell Ave., Vancouver, B.C.
J. Templeton - Pres.
T. Taguchi - Secy.

September 11, 1941.

This Association is composed, we believe, of about one hundred cod fishermen. The membership comprises a number of white men as well as Japanese. Depending upon the market, their catch is sold either here or in Seattle. We do not hold a statement of their affairs.

BRITISH COLUMBIA FISH SALTORIES LTD.
Fish Packers - 467 Powell St., Vancouver, B.C.
A.P. Watkins - Pres.
R. Kita - Secy.

This company has been engaged in the production of Salted Salmon and Salted Herring for a number of years. We do not hold a recent statement of their affairs. R. Kita, the Secretary, is also secretary of T. Matsuyama & Co. Limited and Mr. Matsuyama's right-hand man in connection with fishing operations. We believe the operations conducted through this account simply comprise one of the salt fish plants in which T. Matsuyama & Co. Limited is interested.

B.C. LOG EXPORT CO.
Log Exporters - 744 West Hastings St., Vancouver, B.C.
S. Sasaki - Sole Owner

This is a firm name under which S. Sasaki has carried on a log brokerage business for a number of years. Mr. Sasaki is also in some way connected with the operations of the Cameron Lake Logging Co. Limited. We do not hold a statement of his affairs and do not believe that his personal means are of any great consequence.

Cordova Street Branch, Vancouver

BURRARD FISH COMPANY LIMITED
Wholesale Fish Dealers
Ft. Campbell Ave., Vancouver, B.C.

Officers: I. Sugiyama - President - Ft. Campbell Ave., Vancouver
S. Fukuyama - Secretary - Ft. Campbell Ave., "

Statement of Affairs as at March 31st, 1941:

<u>ASSETS</u>		<u>LIABILITIES</u>	
Stock	\$ 37	Accounts Payable	\$4,142
Accts. Rec.	20,993		
Cash	2,279		

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<u>ASSETS</u>		<u>LIABILITIES</u>	
Deposits & Life Ins. Premiums Paid	5,941	Brought forward: Accounts Payable	\$ 4,142
Total liquid assets	29,250	Total current liabilities	4,142
Goodwill	6,473	Surplus and reserve	22,575
Fixtures & Trucks	994	Capital	10,000
Total assets	<u>\$36,717</u>		<u>\$36,717</u>

The above mentioned officers who own this company also own Howe Sound Fisheries Limited (see separate report). They have been satisfactory clients of ours for many years. We have no information regarding the personal worth of the officers.

Vancouver - East End Branch

CAMERON LAKE LOGGING CO. LTD.
Logging - 744 West Hastings St., Vancouver, B.C.

Shareholders:

N. Terakita - Vancouver
S. Sasaki - "
S. Fukukawa - "
N. Wakamura - Kobe, Japan
E. Terauchi - Vancouver
T. Takeichi - "
S. Nagata - "
S. Nakamura - Kobe, Japan
C. Fukukawa - Tokio, Japan

This company has been engaged for the past four years in conducting logging operations at Coombs, Vancouver Island. They purchase timber from the E. & N. Railway and log same, selling on the local market as well as exporting.

The latest statement of their affairs on file is dated December 31, 1940 and conveys the following:

Logs & Supplies	\$5,800	Liabilities	\$15,000
Accts. Rec.			
General	4,500		
Directors, Emps. etc.	7,500		
Canamoku Co. Ltd.	7,400		
	<u>25,200</u>		<u>15,000</u>
Plant	25,000	Surplus	6,000
Timber	5,000	Capital	35,000
	<u>\$ 55,200</u>		<u>\$ 56,000</u>

Their sales for the twelve months ending December 31, 1940 amounted to approximately \$200,000.

We believe the principals in this company are all also interested in the Canamoku Co. Limited, which company are clients of our Vancouver branch. The latter company's business, we believe, comprises principally the purchase and sale of logs for export.

JAN SALT HERRING EXPORTERS LTD.
 217 Dunlevy St., Vancouver, B.C.
 J. Sugayama - Pres.
 T. Tanaka - Secy.
 K. Kimura

No statement of affairs is held. This company was formed about five years ago and we think more or less for the purpose of consolidating operations of all Japanese companies and firms engaged in the salt herring business and in order that more control could be exercised of production and shipments. During the last two or three years particularly practically all exports of dry salt herring to the Orient have been arranged through them, credits from Japan being established in their favour.

(1) CANAMOKU CO. LTD. - Log Exporters, 701 Pacific Building, Vancouver

(2) List of Officers: - Shozo Fukukawa Shichitaro Nagata
 Pres. & Director Director

Laura L. McGhee
 Secretary

List of shareholders, as of Sept. 25, 1939:-

		No. shares
James H. Lawson	1318 Standard Bank Bldg. Vancouver	10
Col. Nelson Spencer	744 West Hastings St. Vancouver	10
Chuhel Fukukawa	96 Shirokane, Imazato-cho Shiba-ku, Tokio	75
Eljiro Terauchi	2330 Wall Street, Vancouver	75
Taisuke Takelchi	" " "	10
Shichitaro Nagata	" " "	10
Shozo Fukukawa	" " "	10

(3) Company formed by a group of well-to-do Japanese, with whom our client Colonel Nelson Spencer is associated. The president, Shozo Fukukawa, operates an account with our East End Branch, and we understand is a son of Chuhel Fukukawa, who is reported to be a wealthy resident of Japan although we have no information on hand with regard to his financial standing. Our dealings have been with S. Nagata, who looks after the operation of the account, which has operated satisfactorily since it was opened in 1937, average balances during the past year approximating \$1,000. We have never had occasion to ask for a statement of their affairs. The English translation of the name Canamoku is - Canadian Lumber, and we believe this company to be associated with the Canadian Lumber Co. Ltd., of Tokio, Japan.

DEEP BAY LOGGING CO. LTD.
 Loggers - 335 Princess Ave., Vancouver, B.C.
 C.M. Stewart - Pres.
 E. Kagetsu - Secy.

E. Kagetsu is the principal owner of this company. He has for many years, formerly under the name "E. Kagetsu & Co. Limited" and latterly under this company's name, been engaged in conducting

ing operations on timber purchased personally by him near
ay Bay, Vancouver Island. These operations have been quite
ensive. His production is sold largely to local buyers, but
so on occasions for export.

The latest statement of this company's affairs on file is
dated December 31, 1940. The figures shown are, roughly, -

Inventory-loans	\$36,500	General liabilities	\$27,000
Accts. Rec.	5,400	To E. Kagetsu	19,400
	<u>41,900</u>	To. Kagetsu & Co. Ltd.	15,700
			<u>62,100</u>
Plant & Equipment	70,500	Resv. for depreciation	43,000
Deficit	42,000	Capital	49,000
	<u>\$ 154,400</u>		<u>\$154,100</u>

Their sales for the year ended December 31, 1940 amounted to \$114,000.

Kagetsu & Co. Limited's operations have for the past several
years amounted to very little. The account with us is practically
inactive. E. Kagetsu's personal worth in addition to his interest
in the Deep Bay Logging Co. Limited comprises timber holdings. He
is also a partner in the Ocean Timber Company, which company, we
believe, was controlled by Mitsui & Company and up until last year
operated extensively in the logging business on Vancouver Island.
Their operations are at present closed down.

C. M. Stewart, shown as President of the company, is a local
barriester and we believe owns only one share in the company.

FERNBRIDGE LUMBER CO.
Lumber - Port Haney, B.C.
Y. Takimoto - Sole Owner

Y. Takimoto is the sole proprietor of this company.
He has for years been engaged in operating small mills
in the vicinity of Haney. His operations are, however,
fairly extensive. In a statement dated May 16, 1941, he
claims particulars of his affairs are approximately as
follows:

Inventory	\$32,000	Liabilities	\$20,400
Accts. Rec.	10,000		
	<u>\$42,000</u>		
Plant & Machinery	52,000		
Autos & Trucks	5,000		
Timber	6,500	Surplus	91,600
Real Estate	6,500		
	<u>\$112,000</u>		<u>\$112,000</u>

GREEN COVE SAWMILLS LTD.
Fish Packers - 219 Dunlevy St., Vancouver
Y. Hamagawa - Pres.
M. Kashino - Secy.

The principal owner of this business is M. Kashino.

ates several boats in the fishing business and also a salt fish t Green Cove on the west coast of Vancouver Island. We do not late statement of the Company's affairs but believe his plant, in- boats and fishing equipment, is heavily encumbered to the B.C. s Limited. Mr. Kashino's operations are extensive and he is well enced in this line.

LAND BERRY GROWERS ASSOCIATION
c/o A.Sato, R.R.No. 1, New Westminster, B.C.

This concern appears on our records as a partnership composed of the following Japanese:

A. Sato
T. Maruno
K. Maeno
H. Tomito

They have carried a small but satisfactory account and have never requested accommodation. We know but little concerning their operations, but assume it is quite a small concern.

Cordova Street Branch, Vancouver, B.C.

HOWE SOUND FISHERIES LIMITED
Fish Packers and Exporters
Fr. Campbell Ave., Vancouver, B.C.

Officers: I. Sugiyama - President - Ft. Campbell Ave., Vancouver
S. Fukuyama - Secretary - Ft. Campbell Ave., Vancouver

Statement of affairs as at March 31st, 1941

<u>ASSETS</u>		<u>LIABILITIES</u>	
Stock	\$ 1,477	Accounts Payable	\$ 20,311
Accounts Rec.	8,167	Advances from share- holders	1,650
Cash	1,373	Total current liabili- ties	21,961
Investment in Can. Saltory Ltd.	2,000	Surplus	13,136
Total Liquid assets	<u>\$50,097</u>	Capital	<u>15,000</u>
			<u>\$50,097</u>

The above mentioned officers own this Company as well as the Burrard Fish Company Limited (see separate report). They have been in business here for many years and are regarded as being very capable and reliable. We have established for the company a credit of \$10,000 loans, secured by assignment of moneys accruing from fishing boat charters.

Vancouver - East End Branch

KASHO & CO. LIMITED, J.

Fish Packers - 476 Cordova St. E., Vancouver, B.C.
J. Kasho - Pres.
T. Takenaka - Secy.
K. Kimura

We do not hold a late statement of this company's affairs. J. Kasho, the principal owner, is in Japan and has been for the past two years. The business is looked after by T. Takenaka and K. Kimura. The latter is one of the principals in the Canadian Salt Herring Exporters Limited. He is a naturalized Canadian and held in high regard by operators. He is their principal representative

negotiations with the British Columbia Marketing Board and purchasers of product in Japan. In past years he has frequently visited Japan in operators' interests. The salt fish plant is operated on Reid Island, near Nanaimo, and the company also owns several boats which are chartered during the canning season, principally to the A.B.C. Packing Co. Limited.

MATSUYAMA & CO. LIMITED, T.
Fish Packers - 476 Powell St., Vancouver, B.C.
T. Matsuyama - Pres.
M. Koyanagi - Sec.
R. Kita

Under this company name T. Matsuyama has conducted business for many years. The statements of the company's affairs convey that they have large interests in other companies which do the actual operating, this company being more or less a sort of parent company. Through the intermingling of entries their statements while showing large assets in accounts receivable and investments also show heavy liabilities and really are of little value in determining the company's responsibility.

Mr. Matsuyama is at present in Japan. While a resident of Canada for many years, he has never taken out naturalization papers. The business of this company as well as of their various interests is looked after by R. Kita who is a naturalized Canadian. The Company through a debenture issue from the Nanaimo Shipyards Limited controls a large fleet of fishing boats, which are used, firstly, by way of chartering to the various large salmon canning companies operating here and, secondly, in connection with herring fishing. Practically all borrowings required in connection with operations are arranged for through T. Matsuyama & Co. Limited. Active current accounts are, however, also carried in the names of the following companies:

British Columbia Fish Salteries Limited
Moresby Island Fisheries (Jedway) Limited
Nanaimo Shipyards Limited
Union Fish Co. Limited

The current accounts conducted by the Canadian Salt Herring Exporters Limited and Salt Salmon Exporters of B.C. Limited are also tributary connections, as Mr. Matsuyama has for years controlled the largest portion of the business handled through them.

MCNEIL TRADING CO. LIMITED, N.S.
Logging - 744 W. Hastings Street,
Vancouver, B.C.
S. Tobinaga - Chairman
F.J. Bayfield-Secy.
N. Aida

This company some few years ago purchased a large tract of timber at Port McNeill. The principals, we understand, are a number of wealthy Japanese, residents of Japan, who, we further understand, are the principal owners of Nippon Soda Co. Limited of Tokio, Japan. They do not actually carry on logging operations but the timber they own is being logged through logging contractors. While the major portion of the output has in the past, been shipped to Japan, their sales nevertheless are now made on the local market. They apparently have ample capital for their requirements.

MORESBY ISLAND FISHERIES (JEDWAY) LTD.
Fishing - 467 Powell St., Vancouver, B.C.
A.S. Arkley - Pres.
J.M. Arkley-Secy.

RESBY ISLAND FISHERIES Cont'd.

While the principals in this company are A.S. Arkley and J.M. Arkley, both of the Evans, Coleman & Evans Ltd., we believe operations of the company are really in connection with the salt fish business carried on by T. Matsuyama & Co. Limited, as the affairs of the company are looked after by R. Kita - he being one of the signing officers. We do not hold any statement of their affairs. The fishing operations carried on through the company are conducted at a plant at Jedway, Queen Charlotte Island.

NAKAMURA CO., C.
Fishing - 765 E. Cordova St., Vancouver, B.C.
C. Nakamura - Sole Owner.

C. Nakamura is the sole proprietor of this company. He has been engaged in the fishing business here for a number of years. He simply uses the firm name in connection with operations. The latest statement of his personal affairs on file is dated January 27, 1941, figures from which are approximately as follows:

Accounts Receivable	\$3,600	Current Liabilities	\$10,000
Charter Monies			
Advances to Fisher-			
men	3,200		
Cash	2,200		
Investments-			
Sawmill & Store	4,500		
	<u>\$13,500</u>	Mortgages on boats	<u>\$10,000</u>
			24,000
Power Boats	81,000	Capital	60,000
	<u>\$94,500</u>		<u>\$94,000</u>

This man's major operations comprise frozen fish operations, the product being sold to local buyers as well as salmon canning companies. Some of his boats are operated by the latter under charter. In addition, he has also in the past, at a plant near Alert Bay, put up quantities of slated fish. This portion of the business, on account of export restrictions, will presumably not be available during the coming season.

NO. 1 DISTRICT FISHERMANS ASSOC. Steveston, B.C. Loans \$4,090
U. Sakamoto, Pres. & S. Kishino, Secy. Steveston, B.C.

We have no particulars of this Association's worth on file, although they conduct a satisfactory account. Loans are secured by \$4,500 Victory Loan Bonds and authorized in your reply to our C 840 dated June 24, 1941.

PACIFIC SEA PRODUCTS EXPORTERS LTD.
Fish Packers - 219 Dunlevy St., Vancouver, B.C.
K. Shiraiishi - Pres.
T. Kajiki - Secy.
N. Matsuda

This company is one of the members of the Canadian Salt Herring Exporters Limited. We do not hold a late statement of their affairs. They, however, operate a saltery on North Galliano Island, near Nanaimo, and in addition to considerable fishing equipment we understand own some power boats. The

chartering of these in connection with salmon canning and herring fishing will probably be all the business they will be carrying on this year. The principals, we understand, are all in Japan and unable at present to return. The account conducted with us has for the past several months been inactive.

POWELL LUMBER & FUEL CO. LTD.
Lumber Dealers - 1355 Powell St., Vancouver, B.C.

S. Yamaoka - Pres.
N. Yamaoka - Secy.
S. Kumagi
A. Nakamura

N. Yamaoka is the son of S. Yamaoka. The latter and the other two parties whose names appear are, we understand, the owners of the company. They operate a lumber mill and control a large business. The latest statement of their affairs on file is dated December 31, 1939, and for that year sales, it is claimed, amounted to over \$350,000. In connection with operations they purchase logs on the local market and in addition to domestic sales effect large sales to such firms as Nelson Spencer Limited, H.R. MacMillan Export Co. Limited and Morrison Export Co. Limited.

Cumberland, B.C.

ROYSTON LUMBER CO. LTD.

Sawmill

Royston, B.C.

Officers names
as far as known

K. Minato Director
G.K. Uchiyama Secy.
T. Iwasa Director
M. Iwasa
S. Tomihiro "

Royston, B.C.
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Shareholders names not known.

Statement on file with you dated June 30, 1939 shows capital \$30,000, surplus \$135,641. Total assets \$287,698, liabilities \$129,056.

Do not borrow. Present current account balance \$12,467. Also recently purchased \$5,000 Victory Loan Bonds.

The Statement referred to above is as follows:

<u>ASSETS</u>		<u>LIABILITIES</u>	
Stock	29,379	Accounts Payable	34,078
Accts. Rec.	30,790	Wages	6,846
Cash	15,011	Taxes	4,489
	<u>75,180</u>		<u>45,413</u>
Plant & Machinery	71,740		
Autos & Trucks	6,074	Temporary percent- ages of timber & lands	85,643
Sundry	78,566	Surplus	135,641
Real Estate	<u>56,137</u>	Capital 30,000	
		less	
	\$287,697	unissued 7,000	23,000
			<u>\$287,697</u>

Vancouver - East End Branch

SALT SALMON EXPORTERS OF B.C. LTD.
Association - 217 Dunlevy St., Vancouver, B.C.

M. Ode - Pres.
K. Salmoto - Secy.
J. Sugiyama
K. Kimura

This company was formed about five years ago and we think more or less for the purpose of consolidating operations of all Japanese companies and firms engaged in the salt salmon business and in order that more control could be exercised over production and shipments. During the past two or three years they have not been very active, owing to Government restrictions on the export of salted salmon. The account conducted with us has, however, been fairly substantial as they have still been able to put up fairly large quantities of salmon roe and export same. This, however, we presume will be eliminated this year.

New Westminster, B.C.

SOUTH FRASER FARMERS UNION C/o A. Nishiguchi, New Westminster, B.C.
T. Maruno, President
A. Sato Secretary
A. Nishiguchi, Treasurer

Members:- Yonekichi Yukawa	Seiho Oyama
Kuich Kinoshita	Tsunegusu Inaba
Fusojiro Takeda	Tomizo Kamada
Kiujiro Kurio	Tatsushi Maruno
Masato Onori	Katsuko Suda
Akisaburo Sato	Sato Kumagai
Skinkichi Mori	Otoichi Shigehiro
Kenjiro Maeno	

This concern is an organization made up of Japanese berry growers located on the south bank of the Fraser River. It was organized for the purpose of buying fertilizer and such other requirements in large blocks, also distributing for all the members their crop of strawberries and small fruits. They have no assets and as the funds are collected, the money is distributed after all expenses have been paid. Our dealings with this concern for the past five years have been conducted on a satisfactory basis.

They are not indebted to us.

Cordova Street Branch, Vancouver, B.C.

TAKAHASHI & COMPANY LIMITED, K.
Logging Contractors
615 West Hastings St., Vancouver, B.C.

Officers: K. Takahashi - President - 615 West Hastings St. Vancouver
J. Tokunaga - Secretary - " " " "

This company have carried a satisfactory account with us for many years, but, as they do not borrow, we have no definite information on their financial standing. They would appear to have adequate capital, however, and to be financing easily as they carry balances averaging \$6,000 in Current Account.

K. Takahashi, the President, also has \$6,000 in Savings Account, and some bonds in a Safety Deposit Box at this branch.

Vancouver - East End Branch

TANAKA & CO. LTD.
Fish Packers - 193 E. Hastings St., Vancouver B.C.
T. Tanaka - Pres.
R. Tanaka - Secy.

This company was formed about four years ago to take over the business formerly carried on by S. Tanaka & Co. Limited, S. Tanaka having died. The old company as well as the new for years operated extensively in the salt fish business. In addition to a saltery on Reid Island they own several boats. T. Tanaka is a son of the late S. Tanaka while R. Tanaka is a brother of S. Tanaka. Their boats this season are chartered as it is not anticipated that any salt fish production will be put up. We do not hold a late statement of their affairs but they apparently have ample funds for their operations. T. Tanaka personally conducts a good deposit account.

TOFINO TROLLERS CO-OPERATIVE ASSOC.
Association - Tofino, B.C.

M. Nakagawa - Pres.
K. Nakai - Secy.

This association comprises, we understand, about thirty-five Japanese fishermen engaged in trolling operations on the west coast of Vancouver Island. Their catches are all disposed of through this co-operative association and the account conducted with us at all times carries substantial credit balances. Sales of their catch are made on the Seattle market as well as the Vancouver market, depending upon prices prevailing.

TRANS-PACIFIC LUMBER CO. LTD. 701 Pacific Bldg., Vancouver, B.C.

List of Officers:- T.G. McMillan Shozo Fukukawa Laura L. McGhee
President Director Secretary

This is a Japanese company, the principals being T. G. McMillan and Shozo Fukukawa. While we having nothing on file to this effect we understand L.W. Edgett, President of the Overseas Wood Products Limited, is also a shareholder. Shozo Fukukawa, Director, is reported to be well connected, his father, Chuhei Fukukawa, is said to be a wealthy resident of Japan; he is also known to our East End branch, where he carries his personal account. This account has been operated satisfactorily since it was opened in 1938, balances during the past year having averaged approximately \$1,500. We have never had occasion to ask the company for a statement of their affairs. We understand their operation is on the West Coast of Vancouver Island, but apart from this we have no information on hand.

New Westminster, B.C.

SOUTH PORT MANN BERRY GROWERS CO-OPERATIVE ASSOC.
R.R. No. 4, New Westminster, B.C.

C. Tamura, Manager,

Members:-

Matsujiro Ruljin
Albert Tsumura
Gonbei Fukunaga
Tokuji Hirose
Chie Hirose
S. Urano
G. Fukunaga

A small co-operative association operating near Port Mann, and similar to other Japanese organizations, was originally organized to purchase from one source requirements of its members and also dispose of their crops, such as strawberries and small fruits. From time to time we have advanced small amounts, all of which have been paid satisfactorily and the present loan of \$503 will be liquidated at maturity date from monies due by the Pacific Coast Limited.

Loans - \$503

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ver - East End Branch

ON SH CO. LTD.
 Merchants - 457 Powell St., Vancouver, B.C.
 E. Maruno - Pres.
 R. Kita - Secy.
 T. Matsuyama
 M. Koyanagi

This company's principal operation is a fresh fish business. They also do a large general grocery business and in the past have been importers of substantial quantities of Japanese general merchandise. They, however, lately, on account of restrictions, have had to deal more in Canadian groceries. T. Matsuyama, we understand, is the principal owner. (See report on T. Matsuyama & Co. Limited). The latest statement of this company's affairs on file is dated December 31, 1940, and figures are as follows:-

Inventory	\$15,200	Liabilities,	\$22,300
Accts. Rec	42,000	General	
Cash	2,000	To principals	14,300
Investment	500	& affiliations	\$36,600
	<u>\$59,700</u>		4,400
		Surplus	25,000
equipment	6,000	Capital	66,000
	<u>65,700</u>		

Sales for the year ending December 31, 1940 totalled nearly \$300,000.

Vancouver - Georgia & Denman

UNION TRADING CO. LIMITED Fishing

Names of officer - Toyojiro Makamoto
 Toku Nakamoto
 Andres S. Smith

The latest statement, June 30, 1940, on file is as follows:

<u>ASSETS</u>		<u>LIABILITIES</u>	
Accounts rec.	\$3,707	Accounts Payable	\$152
Other accts. rec.	50		\$152
Cash	501	Mortgage Debts	15,771
Prepaid expenses	46	Reserve for deprec.	14,048
	<u>\$4,304</u>	Surplus	9,738
		Capital paid up	8,000
Four fishing vessels	42,500		<u>\$47,709</u>
Automobile	905		
	<u>\$ 47,709</u>		

Due by partners

We understand the interest of Andrew S. Smith is only nominal.

Langley Prairie Branch

WEST LANGLAY BERRY GROWERS' ASSOCIATION - Pres. - Y. Fukumoto
 Secy. - T. Ito

We have no statement covering the affairs of this association. It would appear that it is a co-operative organization, the members thereof pooling berry crops for sale through central agencies.

To Mr. Holloway
Merchandising Section

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C.K.H.

The Royal Bank of Canada reports:

B.C. PURCHASERS ASSOC. LTD.
Society - 573 East Hastings St., Vancouver, B.C.
N. Kitagawa - Pres.
C. Wakabayashi - Secy.

This company has been in existence for about ten years. No statement is held. We believe the company was formed simply to assist small retail merchants in effecting purchases and that it is conducted more or less as a co-operative affair. The buying they do, we understand, is mostly local and in so far as we are aware they do not do any importing or exporting business.

KOMURA BROS. LTD.
Grocers - 269 Powell St., Vancouver, B.C.
E. Hayashi - Director
J. Yanagi - Secy.

This company operates a large general store, carrying both Japanese and Canadian goods. In past years they have continually imported considerable of their requirements from Japan. The latest statement of their affairs dated December 31, 1940 conveys the following:

Inventory	\$22,200	Liabilities	\$9,400
Accts. Rec. General Mrs. Komura	5,000 1,800 <u>2,200</u>		
Cash	<u>31,300</u>		<u>\$9,400</u>
Equipment, consisting of furniture and fixtures, trucks etc.	4,500	Deprec. resv.	1,800
Real estate, including store bldg.	25,000	Capital	50,000
	<u>\$60,800</u>		<u>\$61,200</u>

Their sales for the year ending December 31, 1940 amounted to \$91,000.

Vancouver - East End Branch
NAKAZAWA, Y. "TRUST"
Importer - Japanese Oranges - Dominion Bldg., Vancouver, B.C.

This account has for the past year been inactive. However, this man for many years acted as agent in connection with the import of Japanese oranges and during these years purchased large quantities of exchange in connection with payment of the importations. We do not hold any statement of his affairs but believe he represents a fair amount of worth.

New Westminster, B.C.

NISHIGUCHI & CO. LTD., M.

General Store, New Westminster, B.C.

A. Nishiguchi, President
K. Nishiguchi, Secretary
M. Nishiguchi.

Insofar as we know, these three Japanese are the proprietors of M. Nishiguchi & Co. Ltd. The Company are not indebted to us at the present time and during the past year carried quite substantial balances in Current Account. Statement of affairs in brief form is as follows:-

Statement of Affairs - March 26, 1941

Stock	\$20,787	Due Royal Bank	2,429
Accts. rec.	<u>18,547</u>	Accts. Payable	<u>3,500</u>
	39,334		5,929
Plant & Machinery	4,720		
Furniture & fixtures	3,500		
Real estate	<u>44,000</u>	Surplus	<u>85,625</u>
	<u>\$91,554</u>		<u>\$91,554</u>

It should be explained that the real estate is registered in the three names of A. Nishiguchi, K. Nishiguchi and M. Nishiguchi and covers buildings well located in New Westminster, as well as three farms in the Fraser Valley. This concern are old clients of this branch and we have found them to be quite satisfactory in every respect. A. Nishiguchi, the President, is unquestionably the guiding head.

They have trade paper current at this date of \$445.

Vancouver, Marpole, B.C.

NISHIMURA, JUJIRO General Store 9182 Hudson St., Vancouver
Jujiro Nishimura

This customer has never been a borrower. He maintains satisfactory balances, and has at the present time \$4,738 in Current Account and \$2,077 in Savings Account. We have no statement of affairs on file and it is not intended that such information should be solicited.

Toronto, Ont.

NOZAKI BROS. (CANADA) LIMITED

The abovementioned opened an account with us through the Business Development Department, New York, on June 9, 1939, and since then our dealings with them have been satisfactory. They never borrowed but on several occasions we sold them "future" exchange which in every case was looked after promptly.

Canadian business consisted of importing tuna fish and such like from Japan, selling in a local market and remitting therefor to New York. No transactions have passed through the account since July and the present balance is \$4,636.20 as of July 15 last. This, no doubt, represents at least some of their profits. The average balance for the past year is about \$4,500.

According to our records, the officers are the same as those of the parent company in New York, as follows:

Officers of Nozaki Bros. Inc. as at April 31, 1938

Gueo Nozaki	- President	Resident of Japan
Jiro Nozaki	- Vice-Pres.	" " United States?
Fumio Kuro	- Secretary	" " " "
Frank Hugler	- Treasurer	Employee with no financial interest.

Steveston, B.C.

ONIVA & COMPANY	Grocer	Steveston, B.C.	Trade	\$150
K. Kitagawa	Sole Owner	Steveston, B.C.		

This man owns his business property in Steveston which he values at \$6,500. His stock in trade was recently listed at \$14,000 against which he owes around \$4,000 to the wholesalers. Total book debts are in excess of \$10,000 and as a number of these accounts are old, about 50% of the amount may be considered collectible. Our dealings with this man over a period of many years have been satisfactory and he may be considered a good risk for moderate accommodation.

Vancouver - East End Branch

PACIFIC IMPORTERS LTD.
Importers - 175 Water St., Vancouver, B.C.
T. Yasunaka - Pres.
K. Iwashita - Secy.

The two officers in this company are also the owners. They for many years imported a large amount of Japanese novelties for resale but during the past few years have been obtaining most of their supplies from American and Canadian manufacturers. Their sales last year amounted to approximately \$80,000. The latest statement of their affairs on file is dated December 31, 1940 and in this they claim the following:-

Inventory	\$25,600	Liabilities -	
Accts. Rec.	14,800	General	17,700
Cash	1,700	Shareholders	1,850
Life Ins. csh.	1,100		
	<u>43,200</u>		<u>19,550</u>
Furniture & Fixtures	2,000	Surplus	6,000
	<u>\$45,200</u>	Capital	<u>20,000</u>
			<u>\$45,550</u>

The business during this year, we think will probably show a considerable falling off.

Steveston, B.C.

WAKITA, S.	Grocer & Dry Goods	Steveston	Trade	\$82
S. Wakita & J. Wakita,	Owners,	Steveston, B.C.		

The principal owner of this business is S. Wakita, who is reported to represent considerable worth. No recent statement of affairs is held, the last one on file being dated July 18, 1932, which shows total assets of \$70,000 against current liabilities of only \$300. The business has made considerable progress in the meantime and we would judge their total assets to range in the low six figure brackets. J. Wakita carries a present balance of \$8,000 in savings.

YAMATO SILKS LIMITED

Silk Merchants, 460 Granville Street, Vancouver, B.C.

B. Uyeda, 2996 West 29th Avenue, Vancouver, Sole Proprietor.

Kanto Silks Limited Cont'd.

<u>ASSETS</u>		<u>LIABILITIES</u>	
Stock	37,840	Accounts Payable	5,147
Accts. rec.	117	B. Uyeda	25,868
Cash	330		31,015
	<u>38,087</u>		
Furniture & fixtures	4,262	Res. for deprec. Capital Surplus	633
	<u>42,349</u>		10,000
			<u>701</u>
			42,349

The figures quoted are extracted from balance sheet of January 31, 1940 which is the latest information we hold. The concern has been a satisfactory connection here for many years and occasional advances for small amounts have been extended.

Triplicate list sent to Vancouver

To Mr. Holloway
Merchandising Section

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Bank of Montreal reports:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Officers and Directors</u>	<u>Branch at which Account kept</u>	<u>Current Assets</u>	<u>Current Liab.</u>	<u>Net Worth</u>	<u>Date</u>
Richmond Trading Co.,		Vancouver	Operate small Canadian dollar & U. S. funds accounts. The Board have full information concerning this company.			
Kato, S. (retail shoes)		Main & Hastings Sts. Vancouver			44,000 (includes real estate \$30,000 which may be excessive)	
Maikawa Ltd., (Retail Merchants)	Sannosuke Maikawa (Pres.) Sadao Maikawa (Vice Pres.) Mrs. E. Ogino (Secy. Treas) Z.Kinoshita (Mgr.)	Vancouver			30,000	
Maikawa Stores Ltd. (Departmental)	T. Maikawa (Pres.)	Main & Hastings Vancouver			80,000	

The Canadian Bank of Commerce reports:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Officers and Directors</u>	<u>Branch at which Account kept</u>	<u>Current Assets</u>	<u>Current Liab.</u>	<u>Net Worth</u>	<u>Date</u>
Shibuya & Company, S. (Dry Goods)	Yoshio Nakazawa Mrs. S. Nakazawa (Partners)	Vancouver			90,000	
Growers Box Supply Company Ltd.	M. Odamura K. Yoshino S. Oka S. O. Tanaka	Haney, B.C.	12,807	7,047	12,087	31st Aug. 1940.

The Dominion Bank reports:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Principals</u>	<u>Financial Standing</u>	<u>Remarks</u>
<u>Vancouver Branch</u> Import & Domestic Silk Company Vancouver, B.C.	Controlled by Japanese	Assets \$106,677 Liabilities 37,852 Surplus 68,825	
<u>Vancouver Branch</u> Deshaw Co., Ltd., Vancouver, B.C.	Controlled by Japanese	Assets 50,865 Liabilities 37,304 Surplus 13,562	Two-thirds Japanese owned.

Imperial Bank of Canada reports:

M. Furuya Co. Ltd. Mainly owned by U. Higuchi and H. Sakamoto, both non-naturalized residents of Canada - Wholesale rice, etc. Last statement dated January 2, 1941, shows \$50,000 capital, \$8,591 surplus, \$140,975 total assets, \$82,384 total liabilities. Operates under B.C. Charter.

The Canadian Bank of Commerce reports

The Canadian Bank of Commerce reports

<u>Name of Concern</u>	<u>Names of Owners</u>	<u>Address</u>	<u>Balance</u>	<u>Report</u>
Acme Importers & Exporters Ltd.	K. Okumura-Pres. T. Yamada-Sec.Treas.	167 W. Cordova St. Vancouver, B.C.	\$ 260.00	Small import and export house controlled by these men. Occasionally borrow small amounts against an assignment of a savings balance of S. Ikumura at the Seattle office.
British Asiatic Importers & Exporters	J. S. Hurndal W. B. Seto	448 Seymour Street Vancouver, B.C.	6.00	Partnership consisting of J. S. Hurndal and W. B. Seto. Seto is a Japanese and the son of Seto More. The latter is a well educated Japanese who has been Japanese passenger agent for the C.P.R. for a number of years. Hurndal is a Hindoo - business of little value.
Furuya & Co.		Mission City, B.C. (Main Office, Vancouver Groceries)		E/W \$5,000.
Matsumiya & Nose		229 Powell St., Vancouver, B.C.	2,823.00	Men's clothing Business M/V \$10/15,000
Nishimura, J.,		523 Powell St., Vancouver, B.C.	1,350.00	Grocery. Business M/V \$10,000.
Shimotakahara, T.		Granville St., Vancouver, B.C.		"Modiste" ladies ready-to-wear and "Clever Mfg. Co". Naturalized Canadian citizen. Claims to be worth over \$200,000.

<u>Name of Concern</u>	<u>Names of Owners</u>	<u>Address</u>	<u>Balance</u>	<u>Report</u>
Ilk-O-Lina Ltd. (Successors to Nippon Silks Co. Vancouver)	Sataro Kuwahara-Pres. Shigejior Inouye-Secy Genzo Kitagawa, Director	730 Granville St., Vancouver, B.C. Calgary, Alta. Japan Regina, Sask.		A partnership. Silks, woollens and other dry goods. E/W - at least \$10,000.
Taru Tamura	Kodama, G. (either to Noritake, Teigo) operate	c/o S. Tamura 213 Dunlevy St., Vancouver, B.C.	1,567.00	Commercial account covering imports and exports of Japanese goods. President of the Japan & Canada Trust Sav- ings Co. Resides mostly in Japan. Maintains substantial balances. Also has current account with our Seattle office. Acct. here is operated under P/A to G. Kodama and Teigo Noritake, either to operate.
Uchida & Co. Y.	Uchida, Y. Sole Proprietor.	811 Dominion Bank Bldg., Vancouver, B.C.	710.00	Masaichi Chashi full Power of Attorney - Importers and Exporters. Uchida has resided in B.C. many years. Account opened in 1926. Latterly has been importing Japanese oranges in con- junction with Y. Nakazawa.
Uchida, Y. & Nakazawa, Y. Mandarin Orange Trust A/C		811 Dominion Bank Bldg., Vancouver, B.C.	817.00	See above report.
West Coast Trading Co. Ltd.		502 Hastings St., Vancouver, B.C.	4,611.00	Wholesale tobacco. Turnover \$30,000 per month. As a going concern M/V \$125,000.

To Mr. C.H. Blair
Trusts and Agencies Section

We give below the reports made by Banks concerning businesses owned or controlled by Japanese in accordance with G.M. Special #713 of August 19, 1941. We believe the affairs of these people would ordinarily be handled by your Section. Will you please determine if the Board has any further information concerning them and report your findings to Mr. Rasminsky.

C.K.H.

The Canadian Bank of Commerce reports:

<u>Name of Concern</u>	<u>Names of Owners</u>	<u>Address</u>	<u>Balance</u>	<u>Report</u>
Japan & Canada Trust Savings Co.	Toru Tamura-Pres. Takio Hara-Mgr. Mirsuji Nakamura-Secy Yukio Nishikawa-Treas.	398 Powell St., Vancouver, B.C. Vancouver, B.C. "	\$27,685 C/A 10,000 S/A 1,182 Co.A/C 2,000 S/A	Regularly constituted company extending banking facilities to Japanese residents.
	<u>Directors</u> Cenichi Kodama Teigo Noritake Toru Tamura Asanosuke Kondo Takio Hara Isam Onoh	Vancouver, B.C. " Vancouver, B.C.		

To Mr. R.F.B. Taylor,
Services Section

We give below the reports made by Banks concerning businesses owned or controlled by Japanese in accordance with G. M. Special #713 of August 19, 1941. We believe the affairs of these people would ordinarily be handled by your Section. Will you please determine if the Board has any further information concerning them and report your findings to Mr. Rasminsky.

C.K.H.

Bank of Montreal reports:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Officers and Directors</u>	<u>Branch at which Account kept</u>	<u>Current Assets</u>	<u>Current Liab.</u>	<u>Net Worth</u>	<u>Date</u>
Canada Daily News (Native language)	Juzo Suzuki (claims to be sole owner)	Main & Hastings Vancouver			\$14,000	

The Canadian Bank of Commerce reports:

<u>Name of Concern</u>	<u>Names of Owners</u>	<u>Address</u>	<u>Balance</u>	<u>Report</u>
Associated Cleaners & Dyers Ltd.	F.G. Mizutani) Y. Nikaido) K. Yano) D. Enjo) K. Nori)	1638 West 3rd Ave., Vancouver, B.C. Vancouver, B.C.	-	E / W \$10,000



To Mr. Church,
Manufacturing Section

We give below the reports made by Banks concerning businesses owned or controlled by Japanese in accordance with C.M. Special No.713 of August 19, 1941. We believe the affairs of these people would ordinarily be handled by your Section. Will you please determine if the Board has any further information concerning them and report your findings to Mr. Rasminsky.

C.K.H.

Bank of Montreal reports:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Officers and Directors</u>	<u>Branch at which Account kept</u>	<u>Current Assets</u>	<u>Current Liab.</u>	<u>Net Worth</u>	<u>Date</u>
Clever Maid Manufacturing Company	W. Shinkoda (sole owner) (Backed by T. Shimotakahara uncle, sole owner of "Modiste", retail store)	Main & Hastings Vancouver			\$20,000	
Takahashi, F.K. (Rice Mill)		Main & Hastings Vancouver		Appears to be fairly well-to-do. No definite figures available.		
Vancouver Paper Box Co. Limited.	Kojiro Shoji (Chief owner brother Roy Shoji may have small interest)	Main & Hastings Vancouver			40,000	

Imperial Bank of Canada reports:

J. Tanaka Resident of Canada, naturalized. Operates rice mill. Last statement dated October 31, 1940, shows \$29,438 assets, including \$7,800 Japanese bonds, no liabilities.

The Canadian Bank of Commerce reports:

<u>Name of Concern</u>	<u>Names of Owners</u>	<u>Address</u>	<u>Balance</u>	<u>Report</u>
Mareno Boat Works	Mar Suzuki Memo Suzuki Shuji Suzuki	New Westminster, B.C.	\$ 494.75	Amount on deposit in the name of Mar Suzuki, Aug. 15, 1941 \$1,953.41 E/W \$3/4,000
Suga Boat Building & Repair Shop	Suga, H. Tsuchimoto, Y.) Partners	South Westminster, B.C.	127.41	
Maple Ridge Co-op. Produce Exchange (140 members)	A. Kaga (Pres.) Y. Takashima (Vice Pres.) Y. Tanaka (Eng. Dir.) H. T. Yoshida (Secy. Treas.)	Maple Ridge, B.C.	\$24,073	\$11,004 23,000 1940
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Lamimura, K.		Mission City, B.C.		E/W \$5/10,000. Has operated small sawmills in district for possibly 20 years.
Ocean Timber Co. Ltd.	C.M. Stewart-Pres. E. Kagetsu-Sec. Treas. <u>Additional Directors</u> Y. Shimazaki A. Hunsu S. Kashio S. Ikawa	335 Princess Ave., Vancouver, B.C.		E. Kagetau and S. Okawa to operate account jointly. Account opened 1937 with \$100,000. Company own or control a substantial block of timber on Vancouver Island.
Ocean Timber Co. Ltd.		Cowichan Lake, B.C.		Logging concern with headquarters in Vancouver. Company's account at Royal Bank, East End Branch. Principals are customers of our Vancouver Branch. See above.
Queen Charlotte Timber Holding Co. Ltd.	C. Fukukawa-Pres. S. Nagata-Vice-Pres. J.H. Lawson-Secy.	701 Pacific Bldg., Vancouver At present in Japan 2330 Wall St. Vancouver Standard Bank Bldg., Vancouver	\$ 5,618 6/A 47,338 S/A	Account carried for years in name of S. Fukukawa passed to C. Fukukawa, then to Smith Brown & Co., and now to this name. Good balances have been maintained. Mr. Lawson is the legal adviser.
Riversyde Lumber Co. Limited		Mission City, B.C.		Sawmill. E/W \$10,000. Most of stock owned by local Japanese.

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Ruskin Box Mfg. Co.		Ruskin, B.C.		Fruit shipping crates. E/W \$6,000. Vancouver Japanese has two-thirds interest balance local. only Japanese are employed.
Smith Brown & Co. (See Queen Charlotte Timber Holding Co.Ltd.)	Negata, S.-Sole Proprietor	Vancouver, B.C.	\$ 5.00	This account will probably be closed, being superseded by within named Company.
Western Canada Hop Co-operative Union		Mission City, B.C.		Hop curing and marketing. E/W \$4,500. All Japanese berry growers of Mission and Haney, who each grow a few acres of hops. Commenced 1940.
Yamashita, Mitsugi		Queensboro New Westminster	743.50	Fish collector. E/W \$1,500
		a/o J.E. Robb P.O. Box 40 Vancouver, B.C.	\$ 462.00	Society formed along local business run to foster trade and friendly relations with local Japanese residents. Mr. H. D. Hamilton is a director of the Society. One of 5 officers (Hon. Pres.) and 3 of the 15 trustees being Japanese. Residence on premises. E/W \$10,000.
	H. Hamachi-Hon. Pres. Capt. E. F. Riddle-Pres. E. Robertson-Vice Pres. H. D. Hamilton-Hon. Treas. J. E. Robb-Secy.	1503 West 2nd Ave. Vancouver, B.C.		
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The

Vancouver, B.C.

\$165.42

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