Name of Claimant (TAIYO PRINTING CO.LTD) Case 1371

Custodian File MACHIDA, (Mrs) Take

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REAL PROPERTY											Total
Greater Vancouver		Rural (except V.L.A.)			V.L.A. (except Mission Village)			V.L.A. Mission Village			
Sale Price	5% thereof & 12.50	Sale Price	10% there-of	Charges 12.50 & Comm.	Sale Price	Total Award 80% of all Sale Prices		Sale Price	Total Award 125% of all Sale Prices:		
						% of Total	Amount		% of Total	Amount	

PERSONAL PROPERTY								
Motor Vehicles		Boats and Boat Gear						
Sale Price	25% thereof	Sale Price	Nelson Bros. 23.5% of Sale Price	Other Sales 28.5% of Sale Price	Equipment charges paid to purchasers in error. Repay to owners	Amount of Claims for Boat Gear Declared & Not Found & Recorded Now Missing	45% of amount in next preceding column	

NETS						
Total award for Nets plus Sale Price	Total Claim for Nets Sold, Declared Not Found and Recorded Now Missing	Percentage Total Award to Total Claim	Claim for Nets Sold Declared Not Found, & Recorded Now Missing	Apply % ratio to Claim	Deduct Custodian Sale Price	

MISCELLANEOUS CHATTELS								
Claim for goods Sold By Auction	Sale Price of Goods Sold By Auction	Rebates of charges 30% of Sale Price	Ratio in % of Sale Price to Claim	Claim for goods Declared Not Found, Recorded Now Missing, & Sold Not Paid	Application of % ratio to amount in next preceding column	Sale Price of goods Sold by Tender	12% of Sale Price	
								600.00
						2195.35		
							263.44	263.44
						TOTAL RECOMMENDATION		863.44

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CASE NO: 1371

JAPANESE PROPERTY CLAIMS COMMISSION

Montreal, P.Q.,

June 8th, 1948.

IN THE MATTER OF THE CLAIM OF

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PROCEEDINGS AT HEARING.

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IN THE MATTER OF THE "INQUIRIES ACT"

PART 1, REVISED STATUTES OF CANADA 1927, CHAPTER 99.

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B E F O R E

(THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE H.I. BIRD, COMMISSIONER).

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20 APPEARANCES:

J.W.G. HUNTER, Esq.,	appearing for the Dominion Government.
ROGER OUIMET, Esq., K.C.,	appearing for the Claimant.

A. WATSON, Esq.	Secretary.
MRS. F.L. HANDFORD,	Official Interpreter.
A.G. VEITCH, Esq., C.S.R.,	Official Reporter.

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(MRS.) TAKE MACHIDA, the claimant herein, being first duly sworn, testified through the Interpreter as follows:

THE COMMISSIONER: Are you taking these as individual claims?

MR. OUIMET: Yes, my lord. I believe it will be easier if we take them as individual claims, because there are three businesses and one personal claim.

THE COMMISSIONER: Very well.

MR. OUIMET: This is the one in connection with the printing plant called Taiyo Printing Company Limited. As your Lordship will see it is a limited company but the claimant was the controlling shareholder and director and after the death of her husband, Denkichi Machida, through his last will and testament, she became sole owner of the shares which he had. She had shares before his death. His shares were added to hers. There was Maeba, who was the general manager, who had one share to make a third director. There was another son who had some interest in his father's estate, Torakichi Machida, but he transferred his interest to his mother after his father died so she really has all but one share in the company.

These shares were later on vested in the Custodian by different Orders-in-Council.

In order to complete the file I wonder if my friend will permit me to file some of the different exhibits or whether he will admit all the facts as I mentioned them, because it will be a rather bulky file if we mention the last will and testament and the transfer to the mother.

THE COMMISSIONER: Is there any reason why you should not

concede these formal matters, Mr. Hunter?

MR. HUNTER: I do not think so, my lord. Actually, I have not them here, anyway. They are in the main file. We have practically nothing prepared on this case, because the claim showed absolutely nothing as originally filed; consequently I have no analysis; I really have no proper presentation of the case at all at this time. I am quite willing to admit the facts of the death and the letters of administration, and that type of thing.

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THE COMMISSIONER: Make a statement and we will get the comment of Government counsel.

MR. OUIMET: The statement is to the effect that the present witness was the registered owner of 2000 shares in a company known as Taiyo Printing Company Limited, with her husband, Denkichi Machida, the registered owner of 6000 shares in the same company, that her son Torakichi Machida was the registered owner of 1,999 shares, and that all three were directors of the company, with a fourth party named Shinichi Maeba, owner of one share. May I correct this; Torakichi Machida was not the son of Mrs. Take Machida, he was the brother of Denkichi Machida, the deceased.

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Denkichi Machida died on January 1, 1944. Letters of administration with will annexed were granted to Take Machida, the present witness, on March 8, 1944. Mrs. Machida, widow of the deceased, was named sole beneficiary under the will.

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On March 28, 1944, Torakichi Machida, assigned

his share interest to Mrs. Take Machida, the widow of Denkichi Machida.

On December 2, 1946, a warrant was issued transferring the shares to the Secretary of State of Canada acting in his capacity as Custodian, and to F.G. Shears and B. Good ---

THE COMMISSIONER: The net result now is that 9,999 out of a total of 10,000 capital shares are held by the witness?

10 MR. OUIMET: Were held by her and she is claiming in that respect.

The company was liquidated by order of the Secretary of State through Messrs. P.S. Ross & Son who have prepared a statement, which I will ask my friend at the proper time to tender as an exhibit. I believe that memorandum, an undated memorandum, which bears the initials of A.G.M., will establish these different facts, and if my friend will file this memorandum as Exhibit 1 and also declare that he

20 is ready to admit the facts as I have set them out, I shall not deal with these facts in my examination of the witness.

MR. HUNTER: I file the memorandum as Exhibit 1.

(MEMORANDUM, MARKED EXHIBIT NO. 1).

THE COMMISSIONER: I take it Government counsel concedes the accuracy of the statement made by counsel for the claimant?

MR. HUNTER: What he has stated is according to my information, my lord.

30 MR. OUIMET: I take it, therefore, that my friend will

consider what I have said has been actually established and proven by the witness.

THE COMMISSIONER: I accept it ---

MR. OUIMET: And the documents.

THE COMMISSIONER: I accept it on that basis.

MR. OUIMET: Thank you.

The original claim was for $17,908.00, less $1,991.46, leaving a netclaim of $15,916.54. This claim must be amended to read original claim
10 $12,978.00, less amount received from Custodian $2,195.35.

THE COMMISSIONER: What is that figure again?

MR. OUIMET: $2,195.35, leaving a net claim of $10,782.65.

DIRECT EXAMINATION BY MR. OUIMET:

Q Mrs. Machida, I understand thatyou are the claimant in this case as holder of 9,999 shares out of the 10,000 shares of Taiyo Printing Company Limited?

A Yes.

20 Q Will you take communication of the personal chattels claim for $10,782.65 bearing your signature, together with an inventory of fixtures, equipment and stock of Taiyo Printing Company Limited, identify same and file it? A: Yes.

Q As Exhibit 2? A: Yes.

(PARTICULARS OF PERSONAL CHATTELS MARKED EXHIBIT NO. 2).

Q I understand your daghter, Miss Catherine Machida, is present before the Commission and can testify
30 on your behalf? A: Yes.

Q Will you kindly give her your seat?

A Yes.

(Witness aside)

CATHERINE MACHIDA, a witness called on behalf of the claimant herein, being first duly sworn, testified as follows:

DIRECT EXAMINATION BY MR. OUIMET:

Q Miss Machida, I understand you are the daughter of the previous witness? A: Yes, sir.

10 Q And also the daughter of the deceased, Denkichi Machida? A: Yes.

Q In his lifetime, shareholder, director and part owner of the Taiyo Printing Company Limited?

A Yes, sir.

Q I understand you have personal knowledge of the facts in the present case? A: Yes, sir.

Q As well as in further cases and further claims?

A Yes.

Q Will you take communication of an inventory statement

20 dated February 28th, 1942, signed by Taiyo Printing Company Limited per S. Maeba, manager, identify this document and file it as Exhibit 3?

A Yes, sir.

(INVENTORY, FEB. 28, 1942, MARKED EXHIBIT 3).

MR. HUNTER: By whom is it made?

MR. OUIMET: By Mr. Maeba, manager, who was the owner of one share of the 10,000 shares.

MR. HUNTER: It is what?--the stock-in-trade and fixtures?

30 MR. OUIMET: Yes; stock-in-trade, fixtures, machines,

types, office equipment, a total of $8,903.00.

Q Will you take communication of a document, apparently on rice paper, bearing the signature of one S. Fukunaga and referring to some machines and other articles, identify this document? How did it come into your possession, or into your mother's possession? A: This party was living in Tashme at the same time we were.

Q Who? A: Mr. S. Fukunaga.

10 He made this inventory out for us while he was in Tashme in 1943.

Q Toyour knowledge how did he make this inventory?

A He was working there as the shop manager.

Q Where? A: At Taiyo Printing.

Q At the time he made the document you are now holding, was he still working for Taiyo Printing?

A No.

Q And until what time, to your knowledge, had Mr. Fukunaga been working for Taiyo Printing Company

20 Limited? A: Until 1942 when it closed.

Q At whose request did Mr. Fukunaga make this document?

A At my father's request.

Q Were you present when the request was made?

A Yes.

Q You were? A: Yes.

Q Did he make that from memory?

A Yes, he made this from memory.

Q In your presence? A: No, I was not there.

30 Q Do you know whether or not it is his signature?

A No, it is not his signature.

Q Who put "S. Fukunaga" on this paper?

A I did.

Q Approximately at what time did you do it?

A It was on last Sunday.

Q And you are absolutely sure this document was made by Mr. Fukunaga at Tashme?

A Yes, sir.

Q When, approximately? A: In 1943.

10 Q I see a notation in pencil "year 1943" ?

A Yes, sir.

Q And the figures arrive at a grand total of $12,718.00?

A Yes; that is right.

Q What do these figures represent?

A They represent the machinery, and the types, and everything relating to this Taiyo Printing.

Q Will you file this as Exhibit 4?

A Yes, sir.

(INVENTORY, YEAR 1943, MARKED EXHIBIT 4).

20 Q Reverting to Exhibit 3, I see that Mr. Maeba arrived at a total of $8,903.00? A: Yes.

Q Whereas Mr. Fukunaga had a total of $12,000.00 odd. Explain the discrepancy, or difference, to his Lordship. :A: He appraised according to his knowledge and I think he appraised his according to his knowledge.

Q Who? A: Mr. Fukunaga appraised his according to his knowledge, and Mr. Maeba must have

30 done the same.

Q What was Mr. Maeba's position with the Taiyo Printing Company Limited?

A He was the general manager and he also held one share.

Q Did Mr. Fukunaga have personal knowledge of the different machines which he appraised in that document, Exhibit 4? A: Yes, sir. I would say he did have knowledge.

Q Would you say it was a better or worse knowledge than that of Mr. Maeba? A: I could not

10 just say.

THE COMMISSIONER: Am I to make a choice between these two?

MR. OUIMET: My lord, I would choose the highest, because it was the shop manager's ---

THE COMMISSIONER: Unfortunately you do not have to make the choice but I do.

MR. OUIMET: I would ask Miss Machida.

Q From your own knowledge of the Taiyo Printing Company, which of these two documents actually represents the value of the machinery, the office equipment and everything which was contained in Taiyo Printing

20 Company? A: I could not say.

Q You could not say? A: No.

Q You had no personal knowledge of that?

A No.

Q Would your mother be in a position to say?

A No.

Q She would not? As a matter of fact, who was managing the business, in fact, before your father died and before he left it?

30 A Mr. Maeba and Mr. Fukunaga. Mr. Maeba was the general

manager and he was out most of the xtime. Mr. Fukunaga was looking after the shop while Mr. Maeba was out.

Q I see; so, you are in no position to make a comparison between the different figures, yourself?

A No.

MR. OUIMET: I suggest that they speak for themsdives. Would my friend tender---

THE COMMISSIONER: Before you go on, I take it that the various items shown in the two statements, Exhibits 3 and 4, relate to the same articles?

THE WITNESS: That is right.

Q Is that the case? A: Yes.

MR. OUIMET: Would my friend tender a statement by P.S. Ross & Sons, November 19, 1947?

MR. HUNTER: I tender the same as Exhibit 5.

(STATEMENT ON WINDING-UP, NOV. 19, 1947, MARKED EXHIBIT NO. 5).

MR. OUIMET: There is a letter dated August 28, 1943, which I would like to have my friend tender, if he has it, as well as an appraising letter of July 22, 1943.

MR. HUNTER: I have not anything on this file at all.

MR. OUIMET: They are on the larger file, in the master file.

MR. HUNTER: I have not it with me. I am not so strong that I can carry all those files.

THE COMMISSIONER: That is a matter which you can perhaps cover this afternoon.

MR. OUIMET: Because I have a few other documents I would like to have filed.

Would my friend have a letter dated June 29, 1943, signed by Mr. Milsom, re appraisal?

MR. HUNTER: There is nothing on this file.

MR. OUIMET: Subject to the filing of these further documents my examination of the witness is finished.

THE COMMISSIONER: Very well. I take it you have no instructions and are not able to present any cross-examination, Mr. Hunter? Is that the situation?

MR. HUNTER: Not at this point, my lord. I was wondering if perhaps we could not adjourn and re-assemble a little earlier, which would give me a chance to try to look something up on this file. It will take some time.

THE COMMISSIONER: We will adjourn now. Shall we resume at 2:30 or 3 o'clock p.m.?

MR. HUNTER: I think 3 o'clock would be better; it would give me a chance to give something to your Lordship which would be helpful. The way it is now, this claim was so badly filed --- we did not have that until last night -- we did not have any idea of what we had to face.

THE COMMISSIONER: Does that relate to some of the other claims by the same claimant?

MR. HUNTER: Some of them are rather altered, too.

MR. OUIMET: I respectfully submit that if we could get through the claim in respect of the real estate and the property, we would not find any difficulty and we could adjourn until 3 o'clock because, if we leave all three claims, we might not be able to complete them today. I hope we can be finished

tomorrow. I believe my friend's file is much more complete concerning the ---

THE COMMISSIONER: I am in the hands of counsel.

MR. HUNTER: The details given in the other files were sufficient to allow us to prepare something. This one just did not show anything.

I am quite prepared to go on with the real property claim if my friend wishes to do so.

MR. OUIMET: I would be prepared to go on with the real property claim.

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THE COMMISSIONER: Very well; we will adjourn this claim, No. 1371, for the time being and deal with some of the other claims.

(Witness aside)

(PROCEEDINGS ADJOURNED TO 3:00 P.M.)

I hereby certify the foregoing to be a true and accurate transcript of the proceedings herein.

A.G. Veitch

"A.G. VEITCH, C.S.R."
Official Reporter.

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(3:00 P.M. PROCEEDINGS RESUMED PURSUANT TO ADJOURNMENT)

MR. OUIMET: My lord, we had finished , if I remember rightly, with Taiyo Printing Company, except there were a few documents from the master file which I ask my learned friend to tender.

The first one is a copy of a letter from F.G. Shears, who was one of the directors, to P.S. Ross & Sons, dated August 28th, 1943. I take it my learned friend will admit the copy is a true copy of the original and the purpose in filing this document is in connection with different valuations for parcel No. 1 which had been unsold up to that date.

THE COMMISSIONER: What is parcel No. 1?

MR. OUIMET: Parcel No. 1 recently advertised --

MR. HUNTER: I was unable to locate the advertisement, mylord, but the printing equipment was advertised in 7 parcels.

MR. OUIMET: I couldn't find one myself, but I thought perhaps it was in the brown envelope. In any event, the ultimate and last paragraph reads as follows:

> "We note that the Toronto Type Foundry Company Limited would make an offer of $350.00 and we have discussed the offer received from Mr. E.C. Church for $4000.00".

Originally it was $4000.00, but apparently they corrected it in pencil to $400.00.

The last paragraph reads as follows:

> "While the appraised price for this parcel was $500.00, we agree that in view of the

"total realization from allparcels being in line with the total valuation, that we would confirm your recommendation to accept Mr. Church's offer of $400.00 for Parcel No. 1 and we ratify same herein."

The valuation was $500.00, but in view of the fact they wanted to sell the lots together, they accepted the offer at $100.00 less than the valuation.

I tender this as Exhibit 6 in the Taiyo Printing Case.

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(LETTER MARKED EXHIBIT NO. 6).

MR. OUIMET: Now I have asked my learned friend for an appraisal letter dated July 22nd, 1943, by the B.C. Printers. This is a copy of an appraisal addressed to Mr. Frederick Field, who was then controller of the Taiyo Printing Company, the total appraisal being $2165.00. I tender this as Exhibit 7, as a true copy of the original.

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(APPRAISAL MARKED EXHIBIT NO. 7).

MR. OUIMET: Now, there is a letter dated July 23rd, 1942, from Mr. Maeba who was the manager and the owner and holder of the one share that was mentioned this morning in which it is said that no registration of the assets of the Taiyo Printing Company had been made by him, so I take it I need not file the letter, if my learned friend will admit the tenor of the letter.

MR. HUNTER: I am not sure of the purpose. What was it?

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MR. OUIMET: No registration of the assets had been made by Mr. Maeba or the Taiyo Printing.

MR. HUNTER: Oh, you mean under the J.P. form?

MR. OUIMET: Yes.

MR HUNTER: Yes, that is all right.

MR. OUIMET: Then there is a letter dated June 29th, 1943, from Milsom,--

THE COMMISSIONER: Just before you get to that what was the purpose of your reference to the letter of July 23rd? What significance attaches to it?

MR. OUIMET: July 23rd, 1942?

THE COMMISSIONER: 1943, was it not? The last document you referred to.

MR. OUIMET: When it was said that Mr. Maeba had not registered ---

THE COMMISSIONER: Yes.

MR. OUIMET: --of course, my lord, maybe I had forgotten the fact that this morning you mentioned that no registration of any assets had been made by Denkichi Machida, that it had no bearing on the case. I had taken that note because I had not heard your Lordship's statement on that point.

THE COMMISSIONER: I do not see that any significance attaches to that letter. There is no question of lost goods here, or anything of that kind, or stolen goods.

MR. HUNTER: No, my lord, not for the printing company.

MR. OUIMET: The only thing that might be questioned is there is a slight discrepancy of about $50.00 in the final appraisal and in the amount

we claim we owned when we left.

THE COMMISSIONER: I see.

MR. OUIMET: This letter of June 29th, 1943, refers to different tenders, the highest being $1500.00 less 10%, meaning $1450.00, and it is signed by Mr. Milsom. I would like my learned friend if he could to file that letter.

MR. HUNTER: What is it again? Perhaps I can say if it is so.

10 MR. OUIMET: This is a letter referring to different offers that had been made and tenders that had been made. This is the letter I am talking about (indicating). It is June 26th, 1943, I am sorry, it isn't the 29th. I suppose you wish to file all these tenders, one after another.

MR. HUNTER: I propose to file them.

MR. OUIMET: Then I won't ask for that particular letter if my friend is going to file them.

THE COMMISSIONER: I have made a note of it. Why

20 not put it in now?

MR. HUNTER: All right, my lord. There are four tenders. This was prior to the advertisement, my lord. This is before it was ever offered for sale. These were spontaneous tenders that came in from people who wished that type of equipment.

(LETTER MARKED EXHIBIT NO. 8).

MR. OUIMET: Then there is an undated report by Mr. H.D.Campbell which comes immediately after the letter of June 30th, 1943, in the master

30 file. I would like my learned friend to tender

it. This is signed by Mr. Milsom and it is an extract from Mr. H.D. Campbell's report re 230 Alexander Street, concerning the Taiyo Printing. I tender this as Exhibit No. 9.

(EXTRACT MARKED EXHIBIT NO. 9).

THE COMMISSIONER: What is the effect of Mr. Campbell's report?

MR. HUNTER: It merely gives the inventory taken at that time, my lord.

10 THE COMMISSIONER: Yes, I see.

MR. OUIMET: Then there is a letter dated July 7th, 1943, which I would like my learned friend to tender as Exhibit 10, together with a letter or a copy of a letter from Mr. Milsom to the B.C. Security Commission in connection with the wishes of Mr. Denkichi Machida and his wife and his brother Torakichi Machida as well as an expression of opinion of Mr. Torakichi Machida concerning the sale of his house and of the

20 truck and cars, etc.

A letter of June 29th and July 7th, or rather a copy of a letter of June 29th and an original letter of July 7th.

(LETTERS MARKED EXHIBIT NO. 10).

MR. OUIMET: That is all, my lord.

THE COMMISSIONER: Is the situation the same, Mr. Hunter, or are you able to provide any answer now?

MR.HUNTER: Yes, my lord. It is submitted that this equipment was sold for its fair market value.

30 Your Lordship will have noticed from the appraisal

filed that the property was appraised at a total of $2165.00 and it was sold for $2195.35. It was sold by advertisement and public tender.

I haven't a copy of the advertisement in the file. One will have to be produced in Vancouver but it was advertised as 7 parcels as I mentioned earlier and various tenders were received and the highest were accepted.

There are no questions, my lord. It appears to be a question entirely of value. I haven't had a chance to compare word for word the inventory of Campbell's with the inventories which were filed this morning on behalf of the claimant, but judging from the inventory which is attached to Exhibit 2, it appears to be identical with Campbell's inventory.

THE COMMISSIONER: Am I right as to the figures; appraised at $2165.00 and sold at $2190.00?

MR. HUNTER: $2,195.35.

THE COMMISSIONER: That concludes Claim No. 1371.

MR. OUIMET: Yes, my lord.

(PROCEEDINGS ADJOURNED SINE DIE)

I hereby certify the foregoing to be a true and accurate transcript of the proceedings herein.

T. P. Horrobin

"T.P. HORROBIN"
OFFICIAL REPORTER.

Case 1371 NOV 27 1947

IN THE MATTER OF a Commission to Investigate Claims of Japanese Canadians for Property Losses.

TO: The Commissioner,
Office of the Custodian,
Royal Bank Bldg.,
Vancouver, B.C.

ACKNOWLEDGED

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Pursuant to the notice issued on the 26th day of September, 1947, I submit the following claim:

(1) NAME MACHIDA (Print) Surname TAKE, Mrs. Given Name (RCMP) Reg. No. 02783

(2) Pre-Evacuation Address 336 Alexander St. Vancouver, B. C.

(3) Present Address 4910 Sherbrooke St. West, Montreal, Que.

(4) REAL ESTATE

(a) Street Address (if any) City or Municipality, Province

(b) Legal description (lot number, block number, section number, etc.)

(c) Type of Real Property (cross out words which do not apply):

(i) ~~Farm~~
(ii) ~~Residence~~ Type of business Taiyo Printing Co. Ltd.
(iii) Business
(iv) ~~Any other type of property (describe)~~

(d) What was your interest in the property (e.g., sole owner, life tenant, joint tenant, owner of one half or one third interest, leasehold, etc.) controlling shareholder & director

(e) Fair market value at date of sale (estimate this to the best of your ability):

(i) Land - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - $ ----
(ii) Buildings - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - $ ----
(iii) If business, put value on business as going concern (including land and buildings, tenancies, chattels, fixtures, stock-in-trade, goodwill and accounts receivable) - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - $ ~~17,908.00~~ 12978. amended
(iv) Total value (if you cannot give separate values for lands and buildings just fill in total value) - $ ~~17,908.00~~ 12978
(v) Amount at which Custodian sold property and credited your account - - $ ~~1,991.46~~ 2195.35
(f) Loss (This figure is arrived at by deducting item (v) from item (iv) - - - $ ~~15,916.54~~ 10,782.65

(5) PERSONAL PROPERTY

(a) Place or places at which property was left by the claimant at date of evacuation

(b) Type of premises in which property left (e.g., house, warehouse, garage, shed, church basement, etc.)

(c) How stored or packed at time of evacuation

(over)

(d) In whose care was property left at date of evacuation by the claimant. (This question refers to the terms of reference which exclude claims where the property was 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. It involves some definite arrangement whereby you appointed someone to take care of the property and such person accepted the responsibility of so doing. Unless such an arrangement was made the question should be answered "in no one's care") _____

(e) Itemized description of personal property which is the subject of the claim:

1. _____ Estimated Value $_____
2. _____ Estimated Value $_____
3. _____ Estimated Value $_____
4. _____ Estimated Value $_____
5. _____ Estimated Value $_____
6. _____ Estimated Value $_____
7. _____ Estimated Value $_____
8. _____ Estimated Value $_____
9. _____ Estimated Value $_____
10. _____ Estimated Value $_____

TOTAL CLAIM FOR PROPERTY LOSS $_____

N.B.—If you cannot list all the items here prepare a separate list with values set out opposite each item and attach it to the form. The item "personal property" includes shares, bonds, mortgages, loans, notes and all other forms of property not included in real estate.

(f) Total claim including real and personal property (this figure can be arrived at by adding items 4(f) and 5(e) - $ 15,916.54

(6) (a) Place at which claimant prefers to be heard. (Vancouver, Kamloops, Nelson, Lethbridge, Moose Jaw, Winnipeg, Toronto or Montreal.)
Montreal.

(b) Do you require the services of an interpreter at the hearing? Yes or no _____
(I have my own interpreter)

N.B.—This Declaration must be sworn before a Commissioner, Notary Public or other person entitled to take declarations. All lawyers are qualified to do so.

DOMINION OF CANADA)
of)
TO WIT:)

I, Mrs. Take Machida Take Machida of the 4910 Sherbrooke St. West
of Montreal, 6 in the Province of Quebec

DO SOLEMNLY DECLARE THAT: I am the controlling shareholder & director of Taiyo Print. Co Ltd. The information set out in the form above is true and correct to the best of my knowledge, information and belief and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing it to be true, and knowing that it is of the same force and effect as if made under oath, and by virtue of 'The Canada Evidence Act".

DECLARED before me at the city)
of Montreal)
in the county of Hochelaga)
this 24th day of November)
A.D. 1947.)

FOR TAIYO PRINTING CO. LTD.
Per: Take Machida
.....
Louis St. Rapaport C.S.C.
District of Montreal
A Commissioner &c.

N.B. — THIS FORM FULLY COMPLETED AND SWORN BEFORE A COMMISSIONER SHOULD BE MAILED BY REGISTERED MAIL TO THE COMMISSIONER, c/o THE OFFICE OF THE CUSTODIAN, ROYAL BANK BLDG., VANCOUVER, B.C., BEFORE NOVEMBER 30th, 1947. IF YOU CANNOT MAIL IT BEFORE THIS DATE SET OUT BELOW REASONS FOR THE DELAY.

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IN THE MATTER OF a Commission to Investigate Claims of Japanese Canadians for Property Losses.

TO: The Commissioner,
Office of the Custodian,
Royal Bank Bldg.,
Vancouver, B.C.

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Pursuant to the notice issued on the 26th day of September, 1947, I submit the following claim:

(1) NAME MACHIDA (Print) Surname TAKE, Mrs. Given Name (RCMP) Reg. No. 02783

(2) Pre-Evacuation Address 336 Alexander St. Vancouver, B. C.

(3) Present Address 4910 Sherbrooke St. West, Montreal, Que.

(4) REAL ESTATE

(a) Street Address (if any) _____ City or Municipality, _____ Province

(b) Legal description (lot number, block number, section number, etc.)

This Company is located on Township 15, Roll No. 2549, Subdivision C., S. W. Quarter, Section Lot 4, Maple Ridge, Street Address-32 nd Ave. Ruskin The company leased the above lot. (The owner resided in Japan, therefore, Mr. Chikazawa, formerly of Ruskin B. C. Had the Power of Attorney to the above lot.)

(c) Type of Real Property (cross out words which do not apply):

(i) ~~Farm~~
(ii) ~~Residence~~ Type of business Ruskin Box Mfg. Co. (finished goods)
(iii) Business
(iv) ~~Any other type of property (describe)~~

(d) What was your interest in the property (e.g., sole owner, life tenant, joint tenant, owner of one half or one third interest, leasehold, etc.) controlling partner

(e) Fair market value at date of sale (estimate this to the best of your ability):

(i) Land - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - $ -------
(ii) Buildings (Factory bldg. $1,000.00) (Employees House $700.00) - - - $ 1,700.00
(iii) If business, put value on business as going concern (including land and buildings, tenancies, chattels, fixtures, stock-in-trade, goodwill and accounts receivable) - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - $ 6,453.07
(iv) Total value (if you cannot give separate values for lands and buildings just fill in total value) - $ 8,153.07
(v) Amount at which Custodian sold property and credited your account - - $ 1,476.43 plus sales of fixed assets
(f) ~~Loss~~ CONTEMPLATED LOSS (This figure is arrived at by deducting item (v) from item (iv) - - - $ 6,676.64 less Sales of fixed assets

(5) PERSONAL PROPERTY

(a) Place or places at which property was left by the claimant at date of evacuation

(b) Type of premises in which property left (e.g., house, warehouse, garage, shed, church basement, etc.)

(c) How stored or packed at time of evacuation

(over)

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(d) In whose care was property left at date of evacuation by the claimant. (This question refers to the terms of reference which exclude claims where the property was 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. It involves some definite arrangement whereby you appointed someone to take care of the property and such person accepted the responsibility of so doing. Unless such an arrangement was made the question should be answered "in no one's care") _____

(e) Itemized description of personal property which is the subject of the claim:

1. _____ Estimated Value $_____
2. _____ Estimated Value $_____
3. _____ Estimated Value $_____
4. _____ Estimated Value $_____
5. _____ Estimated Value $_____
6. _____ Estimated Value $_____
7. _____ Estimated Value $_____
8. _____ Estimated Value $_____
9. _____ Estimated Value $_____
10. _____ Estimated Value $_____

TOTAL CLAIM FOR PROPERTY LOSS $_____

N.B.—If you cannot list all the items here prepare a separate list with values set out opposite each item and attach it to the form. The item "personal property" includes shares, bonds, mortgages, loans, notes and all other forms of property not included in real estate.

(f) Total claim including real and personal property (this figure can be arrived at by adding items 4(f) and 5(e) - - CONTEMPLATED LOSS - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - $ 6,676.64 less sales of fixed assets

(6) (a) Place at which claimant prefers to be heard. (Vancouver, Kamloops, Nelson, Lethbridge, Moose Jaw, Winnipeg, Toronto or Montreal.)

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(b) Do you require the services of an interpreter at the hearing? Yes or no _____
(I have my own interpreter)

N.B.—This Declaration must be sworn before a Commissioner, Notary Public or other person entitled to take declarations. All lawyers are qualified to do so.

DOMINION OF CANADA)
of)
TO WIT:)

I, Mrs. Take Machida Take Machida of the 4910 Sherbrooke St. W.,
of Montreal 6 in the Province of Quebec

DO SOLEMNLY DECLARE THAT:

The information set out in the form above is true and correct to the best of my knowledge, information and belief and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing it to be true, and knowing that it is of the same force and effect as if made under oath, and by virtue of 'The Canada Evidence Act".

DECLARED before me at the city)
of Montreal)
in the County of Stoneham)
this 24th day of November)
A.D. 1947.)

Louis H. Rappaport C.S.C. Montreal
A Commissioner &c.

N.B. — THIS FORM FULLY COMPLETED AND SWORN BEFORE A COMMISSIONER SHOULD BE MAILED BY REGISTERED MAIL TO THE COMMISSIONER, c/o THE OFFICE OF THE CUSTODIAN, ROYAL BANK BLDG., VANCOUVER, B.C., BEFORE NOVEMBER 30th, 1947. IF YOU CANNOT MAIL IT BEFORE THIS DATE SET OUT BELOW REASONS FOR THE DELAY.

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MEMORANDUM

File No. 13104

EXHIBIT No. 8 June 1948
DATE.....
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TAIYO PRINTING COMPANY LTD.

Taiyo Printing Company Ltd. was a company in which all the shareholders were Japanese Evacuees.

It operated as a job printer on premises owned by Denkichi Machida, one of the shareholders, at 230 Alexander Street, Vancouver.

The Company owned no realty.

An inventory of the personal property owned by the Company was received by the Custodian on December 11, 1942.

Upon sale of the realty in accordance with the Government liquidation policy the machinery required to be sold or moved to storage. Offers were received by the Custodian's Office and submitted to the shareholders. No replies were received, whereupon the interests of the shareholders were vested in the Custodian in July 1943 and an Order to Liquidate given to Messrs. P.S. Ross and Sons on July 16, 1943.

The Personal Property was appraised by the B. C. Printers Supply Company on July 22, 1943.

The goods were advertised for sale by tender in Parcels 1 to 7 inclusive on July 23, 1943.

Bids on Parcels 2 to 7 inclusive were approved by the Custodian on August 11, 1943.

An offer on Parcel 1 was approved on August 28, 1943.

The liquidation was reported to the Custodian by P. S. Ross and Sons and a cheque received on December 6, 1943 in the sum of $2115.75.

A release of the Control Order in the name of Mr. Frederick Field was signed by the Custodian in December 1943.

Denkichi Machida died on January 1, 1944. Letters of Administration with Will Annexed were granted to Take Machida on March 8, 1944. Take Machida was named sole beneficiary under the Will.

Torakichi Machida assigned his share interest to Take Machida on March 28, 1944.

Mr. Fredrick Field, a representative of P. S. Ross and Sons was appointed Controller to proceed with a voluntary winding up of the Company on August 17, 1946.

A warrant was issued on December 2, 1946, transferring the shares, as set out below, to the Secretary of State of Canada, acting in his capacity as Custodian, F. G. Shears and B. Good:

Denkichi Machida	6,000 shares
Take Machida	2,000 shares
Torakichi Machida	1,999 shares
Shinichi Maeba	1 share

P. S. Ross and Sons reported on November 24, 1947 with a statement covering the distribution to the shareholders, the net proceeds, all expenses having been paid, being $1,898.91.

It is expected that since this claim relates to the assets of a Limited Company, it will be dealt with, together with the other Limited Companies, at such time and in such manner as agreed between Counsel and Mr. Justice Bird. It is noted that the claim of Take Machida lacks details of any kind.

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I hereby certify that the foregoing words are a true copy of the original whereof they purport to be a copy.

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M Wharton 6/d

Mrs. Take MACHIDA

INVENTORY OF FIXTURES, EQUIPMENT
AND STOCK OF TAIYO PRINTING CO. LTD.

		Estimated Value
Stonemetz pony cylinder press (24 x 32) with motor equipment		$ 2,350.00
chandler and price press (12 x 18) with motor (automatic)		1,275.00
chandler and price press (10 x 15) with motor (hand feed)		850.00
Heidelberg automatic press (10 x 13) with motor		750.00
26 inch paper cutter		450.00
Rosback punching machine		100.00
Roscoe perforator (foot power)		100.00
Boston stapler		150.00
round corner cutting machine		27.50
small tools		100.00
numbering machine 11 pc.		140.00
Types		
English type 260 sets		2.025.00
Japanese types:		
No. Shogo	7,000 pcs.	
So Cho	50,000 pcs.	
No. 2	15,000 pcs.	
No. 4	20,000 pcs.	
No. 5	80,000 pcs.	
No. 6	60,000 pcs.	2,850.00
Type Spaces (Japanese & English)		500.00
Type cases (Japanese) 208		208.00
Type cases (English)		275.00
Flourish & Border		275.00
Misc.		
Inks and rollers (9 pc.)		87.50
Type set tryys (brass & tin)		100.00
paper closet (wooden)		25.00
Type sets stone		35.00
Type pick boxes (wood make)		35.00
Office Equipment		
Desk and safe vault		200.00
Stock		
200 bundles of stationery		70.00
		$ 12,978.00

MACHIDA, Take (Mrs.)
(Claimant's Name)

PERSONAL CHATTELS

02783
Reg. No.

Description of Major Items (and particularly of goods lost, stolen or destroyed)	Approximate Date Purchase	New or Used When Purchased	Price Paid	Condition when Evacuated	Estimated value at Date of Evacuation

The claimant is claiming on the attached inventory valued at $12,978.00.

Description of Storage of Goods:

The chattels were left on the premises. The premises were locked and boarded up securely.

General Statement as to Chattels not Described above:

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Summary

Estimated Value	$12,978.00
Sold by Custodian	2,195.35
Claim	$10,782.65

Additional Comments, if any:

Take Machida
Signature

TAIYO PRINTING
CO., LTD.

COMMERCIAL & SOCIAL PRINTINGS, ETC.

PHONE: DOUGLAS 1076
230 ALEXANDER ST.,
VANCOUVER, B. C.

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DATE 8 June 1948
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INVENTLY

Taiyo Printing Co. Ltd.,

Feb 28 1942

	Chandler Price		
Machine;	(12 x 18) Automatic. with motor	950.00	
	(10 x 13) Hand feed " "	850.00	
	Heidelberg; Automatic (10 x 13) " "	750.00	
	Stormetz Silynder Press (24.x32) " "	2.350.00	
	Boston Wire Stiching	150.00	4.900.00
	Rosback Punching Machine	100.00	
	Rosco ~~[illegible]~~ perforating Machine	100.00	
	Paper cutting	450.00	
	Round Corner Cutter	23.00	
	Small tools	100.00	923.00
Types;			
	English type 157 kinds(60 Drawer)	850.00	
	Japanese "		
	No.Shogo 7.000 Pcs.		
	So Cho 50.000 "		
	No 2 15.000 "		
	No 4 20.000 "		
	No.5 80.000 "		
Others;	No.6 60.000 "	1.100.00	1.950.00
	Space & Border	500.00	
	Type Case; English	165.00	
	" " Japanese	100.00	765.00
Office Equipment:			
	Typewrighter (Remington 6 Noiseles)	65.00	
	Adding Machine (	100.00	
	Safe. Desk. Etc.	200.00	365.00
			8.903.00

TAIYO PRINTING CO., LTD.

S. Maeda (mgr)

STONEMETZ PONY CYLINDER PRESS		2200.00
CHANDLER & PRICE PRESS	12X18	1275.00
" " "	10X15	850.00
HEIDELBERG AUTOMATIC PRESS		725.00
PAPER CUTTER ROSCOE	26 inchs	350.00
PUNCH MACHINE	(foot Power)	85.00
PERFORATOR	(" ")	100.00
BOSTON STAPLER		125.00
NUMBER MACHINE	11 pcs	140.00
ROUND CORER CUTTER MACHINE		27.50
JAPANESE TYPES	8 KINDS	2850.00
" " CASES	(208 CASES)	208.00
ENGLISH TYPES	(260 Sets)	2175.00
" " CASES		275.00
TYPE SPACES (Japanese & English)		450.00
FLOURISH & 4"-9"		275.00
OFFICE DESK + Safe etc		45.00
ADDING MACHINE		135.00
INKS & ROLLERS	(9 pcs)	87.50
TYPE SET TRAYS	(BLASS & TIN)	100.00
PAPER KEEPING PANTRYS		25.00
TYPE SETS STONE		35.00
TYPE PICK BOXES	WAN MAKE	35.00

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for 1943

S. Fukunaga

Taiyo Printing Company Limited

Report on Winding-up

19th November 1947

P. S. ROSS & SONS
Chartered Accountants

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P.S. Ross & Sons

Chartered Accountants

Royal Bank Building
360 St.James Street
Montreal 1, Que.
19th November, 1947.

Office of the Custodian,
506 Royal Bank Building,
Vancouver, B. C.

Attention: Mr. F. G. Shears, Director

Dear Sirs:

Re: Taiyo Printing Company Limited

Under date of 4th December, 1943, we reported to you on the affairs of this company and subsequently turned over to your office the cash remaining under our control. Since that date you have appointed our Mr. Frederick Field to wind up the company. We now report that the requirements of the British Columbia "Companies Act" in a voluntary winding-up have been complied with and that the final meeting of shareholders was held on 12th September, 1947, after which we filed Form 23 and the Liquidator's accounts with the Registrar of Companies.

We attach the following statements to be read in conjunction with this report.

Schedule 1 - Statement of Cash Receipts and Disbursements for the period 10th July, 1943 to 12th September, 1947.

Schedule 2 - Statement showing distribution to shareholders as at 12th September, 1947.

It will be noted by an examination of schedule 2 that advances have been made to Take Machida in excess of her interest in the share capital of the company. We have been informed by your office that Take Machida is the sole beneficiary of the estate of Denkichi Machida and that these overpayments are therefore actually on account of the capital interest of

Office of the Custodian,
Vancouver, B. C.

19th November, 1947.

Denkichi Machida. We are also advised by your office that Torakichi Machida made an assignment of all interest in the share capital of this company in favor of Take Machida. We have examined this document and have obtained a copy for our files. As a result of the foregoing circumstances, Take Machida will receive all the capital interest of the company with the exception of the proceeds of one share payable to Shinichi Maeba.

This completes the liquidation of this company. We shall be pleased to furnish any additional information you may require relative to the foregoing.

Yours faithfully,

"P.S.Ross & Sons"

Chartered Accountants.

Schedule 1

Taiyo Printing Company Limited

Statement of Cash Receipts and Disbursements

For the period 10th July 1943 to 12th September 1947

Receipts			
Sale of printing machinery			2,195.35
Accounts receivable collected			
Japanese Consulate		114.48	
Canada Daily News		11.15	
Nanaimo Shipyards Limited		.50	
Miscellaneous		1.06	127.19
			2,322.54
Disbursements			
Liquidating Expenses			
Advertising		104.42	
Control and liquidation fees and expenses		241.45	
Appraisal fees		12.50	
Wages - checking out machinery and cleaning premises		36.80	
Scavenger		3.00	
Fire insurance		10.18	
Unemployment insurance		.63	
Tax deductions		1.35	
Sundries		5.65	
		415.98	
Company debts paid			
Unemployment insurance		7.65	
Distribution to shareholders			
Advances	600.00		
Final distribution	1,298.91	1,898.91	2,322.54
Balance - 12th September 1947			Nil

Schedule 2

Taiyo Printing Company Limited

Statement showing Distribution to Shareholders

As at 12th September, 1947

	Shares Held	Surplus	Advances	Balance
Denkichi Machida	6,000	1,139.35		1,139.35
Take Machida	2,000	379.79	600.00	220.21
Torakichi Machida	1,999	379.58		379.58
Shinichi Maeba	1	.19		.19
	10,000	1,898.91	600.00	1,298.91

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28th August, 1943.

Messrs. P.S. Ross & Sons,
411 Royal Bank Building,
Vancouver, B.C.

Dear Sirs:

Re: Taiyo Printing Company.

We are in receipt of yours of the 18th instant regarding the unsold parcel No. 1 recently advertised.

Offers on the balance of the parcels advertised have been approved and it was agreed that Mr. Beatty and the Toronto Type Foundry Company Limited should be approached regarding an offer on parcel No.1.

We note that the Toronto Type Foundry Company Limited would make an offer of $350.00 and we have discussed the offer received from Mr. E.C. Church for $4,00~~0~~.00.

While the appraised price for this parcel was $500.00, we agree that in view of the total realization from all parcels being in line with the total valuation, that we would confirm your recommendation to accept Mr. Church's offer of $400.00 for Parcel No.1 and we ratify same herein.

Yours truly,

F. G. Shears,
Director.

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File 13104

Copy of Appraisal letter dated July 22, 1943 of B.C. Printer's Supply of Machinery, Equipment and Type of

TAIYO PRINTING CO. LTD.
230 Alexander Street,
Vancouver, B.C.

B.C. PRINTERS' SUPPLY Schedule 1.

Mr. Frederick Field,
Controller, Taiyo Printing Company,
675 W. Hastings Street,
Vancouver, B.C.

571 Hamilton Street
Vancouver, B.C.
July 22, 1943

Dear Sir:-

As requested I have made an appraisal of the Plant of Taiyo, Japanese commercial printers, and consider the prices shown to be what you might reasonably expect to get for each item if sold separately. The valuation is based on my knowledge of the present day market on machinery and merchandise of this kind.

MACHINERY

1.	Stonemetz Pony Cylinder Press, with motor equipment ...	$500.00
1.	12 x 18 Chandler & Price Press, with motor	400.00
1.	10 x 15 Chandler & Price Press, with motor	250.00
1.	Heidelberg Automatic Press, with motor	450.00
1.	26 inch Lever Paper Cutter, with motor	150.00
1.	Roscoe Foot Power Punch, with four heads	50.00
1.	24 inch Foot Power Perforator	50.00

PRINTING EQUIPMENT

60	Cases of English type at $2.00	120.00
2	Imposing Stones at $10.00	20.00
	Miscellaneous small items	25.00

JAPANESE TYPE

Approximately 3000 pounds in cases. Price if sold as metal five cents ($.05) per pound. If sold for use in printing, the value should be not less than twenty cents ($.20) per pound.
at $.54 ..... 150.00

Yours truly,

B.C. PRINTERS' SUPPLY
by "Robt Thoms"

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1040 West Pender St.,
Vancouver, B.C.
June 25, 1943.

The Custodian of Alien Properties,
Royal Bank Building,
Vancouver, B.C.

File 3205

Dear Sir:

I hereby submit an offer of Thirteen Hundred and Seventy-five Dollars ($1375.00) cash for the following machinery, etc., located at 230 Alexander Street, Vancouver, B.C.

Stonemetz Press with motor and regular equipment.

12 x 18 Craftsmen Press with feeder and motor.

10 x 15 Press with motor.

Heidelberg Press with motor.

26 inch Paper Cutter.

24 inch Perforator.

Rosco Punch with 4 heads

No. 5 Boston Stitcher

All old type and metal including Type cases.

We would require ten days to two weeks to move the said machinery.

Yours very truly,

"Geo. A. Beattie"

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J.W.G. Hunter

316 Powell St.,
June 25th, 1943.

The Custodian,

Royal Bank Bldg.,

Vancouver, B.C.

Sir:

Please accept this letter as my offer to buy the printing equipment at 230 Powell St. for $1450.00 cash.

Will you please advise me as soon as possible if this offer will be accepted.

Yours truly,

"Peter Hem"

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File 3205.

256 East 22nd Avenue,
Vancouver, B.C.

June 25, 1943.

The Custodian,
Royal Bank Building,
Vancouver, B.C.

Through attention of Mr. Swain.

Dear Sir:

With reference to the Japanese job printing plant at 230 Alexander Street, Vancouver, which I have been renting since last March, I hereby submit an offer of Fifteen Hundred Dollars for purchase of the plant, consisting of the following machinery etc.:

One Stonemetz press with motor.
One 12 x 18 Chandler & Price press with motor and detached feeder.
One 10 x 15 Chandler & Price press with motor
One 26" Paper Cutter.
One 24" Perforator.
One Heidelberg press
One Rosco Punch.
One Boston Stitcher.
52 cases of small job type and an undetermined quantity of Japanese type and material.

Yours respectfully,

"Joseph L. Coyle"

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M. Lantzee
Clk.

P. C. GIBBENS & CO. LTD.

254 East Hastings Street,

Vancouver, B.C.

June 26th, 1943

Office of the Custodian,
506 Royal Bank Building,
City.

Gentlemen:

Your file no. ~~3205.~~

On behalf of our client, Joseph L. Coyle, we are enclosing herewith his tender to purchase certain machinery now at 230 Alexander Street at a price of Fifteen hundred dollars ($1500:00) gross, i.e. subject to our usual commission of 10% on the sale of machinery.

This tender is, of course, for ALL CASH.

Trusting you will give this tender your very earliest attention and that we shall hear favorably from you, we are,

Yours very sincerely,

P.C. GIBBENS & CO. LTD.

PER:

"G. Swain"

G. Swain.

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(Extract from H. D. Campbell's report)

File 13104

Re:- 230 Alexander Street.

Legal description of this property is Lot 24, Block 4, District Lot 196.

There is situated on this lot a three storey building of frame construction. The ground floor houses the equipment and machinery of a printing business. The Company previously operating this was known as the Taiyo Printing Co. Ltd. As I was unable to obtain any definite information in Vancouver as to the actual owners of this Limited Company, I wrote to the Registrar of Companies in Victoria and received a reply, which is enclosed, showing that the Annual Report filed on the 28th of February, 1942, stated that the following were the directors of the Company:-

Denkichi Machida	336 Alexander St. Vancouver, B. C.	Manufacturer
Torakichi Machida	527 E. Cordova St. Vancouver, B. C.	Manufacturer
Shinichi Maeba	230 Alexander St. Vancouver, B. C.	Manager

An inventory of the machinery and equipment of these premises was made and is as follows:

Machines: (12 x 18) Automatic with motor
(10 x 13) Hand Feed " "
Heidelberg: Automatic
(10 x 13) " "
Stormetz Silynder Press
(24 x 32) " "
Boston Wire Stitching
Rosback Punching Machine
Rosco Pefforating Machine
Paper Cutting
Round Corner Cutter
Small Tools

Types: English type 157 kinds (60) Drawer
Japanese "

No. Shogo	7,000	Pcs.
So Cho	50,000	"
No. 2	15,000	"
No. 4	20,000	"
No. 5	80,000	"
No. 6	60,000	"

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Others: Space & Border
Type Case: English
Type Case: Japanese

Office Equipment:

Safe (Outside door taken off)

"G.D.Milsom"

BRITISH COLUMBIA SECURITY COMMISSION

File #13104

Tashme, B. C.

July 7, 1943.

Department of the Secretary of State,
Office of the Custodian,
Japanese Evacuation Section,
Vancouver, B. C.

ATTENTION: Mr. G. D. Milsom

Your letter of June 29th, with reference to Taiyo Printing Company, Limited, I have interviewed Mr. Denkichi MACHIDA, and his wife Take Machida, and his brother Torakichi MACHIDA. The stand that they take they do not wish to make any statements. It is their wish to leave the matters in the hands of the Custodian at his descretion.

Mr. Denkichi Machida does not feel very happy over the sale of this house as no-one notified him, and also the truck and cars, etcertera has been disposed of without his knowledge. This answers the query of the above mentioned man not wishing to make the statement at this time.

Yours very truly,

BRITISH COLUMBIA SECURITY COMMISSION.

SUPERVISOR "Walter Hantley"
Walter Hartley

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June 29, 1943

The B. C. Security Commission,
Tashme, B. C.

Attention Mr. J.L. Torry, Supervisor

Dear Sirs:

Re: TAIYO PRINTING CO. LTD.

We would appreciate if you would be kind enough to have Denkichi Machida, his wife Take Machida, and his brother Torakichi Machida appear before you in connection with the affairs of the Taiyo Printing Co.Ltd. These parties hold 9,999 of the 10,000 shares outstanding in the Company.

The machinery belonging to this Company is stored in the building at 230 Alexander Street which is owned by Denkichi Machida. This building has been sold, being urgently required for war work. It is therefore necessary for us to have the machinery owned by the above Company removed from the premises.

We have received several offers to purchase this property, the highest being $1450.00 cash and we would ask you if you could arrange for the Machidas as shareholders to approve of the sale of this machinery if the price is satisfactory, otherwise it will be necessary for us to remove the machinery at the Company's expense, and we understand that this would cost approximately $500.00, and in addition there would be storage expenses.

If the Company does not agree to this sale, it will be necessary for us to apply for a liquidation order of the Company and call for tenders for the sale of this machinery.

We would appreciate if we could receive a prompt response to this letter.

Yours truly,

G. D. Milsom
Administration Department

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I hereby certify that the foregoing words are a true copy of the original whereof they purport to be a copy.

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Ex 11

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June 29, 1943

The B. C. Security Commission,
Tashme, B. C.

Attention Mr. J.L. Torry, Supervisor

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January 28th 1950.

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Ex 12.

Dear Sir:

Re: Case No. 1371 - Taiyo Printing Company.

Counsel for the Crown and Counsel for the Claimant have discussed this case in detail and have agreed upon a joint recommendation which is submitted herewith.

On Crown Counsel's file there is a letter from the Custodian Office, dated June 29th 1943, estimating removal cost of the equipment at $500.00. Counsel for the Claimant and Counsel for the Crown are of the opinion that this removal cost would have been in the mind of any purchaser and hence should be added to the sale price in addition to the 12% recovery on tender.

Counsel for the Claimant has asked for an award on $270.00 worth of lost goods, a special recovery of $25.00 on miscellaneous chattels, appraised at that figure, and an additional 10¢ per pound on 3000 pounds of Japanese type which was appraised for use at 20¢ a pound, but was sold for scrap at 5¢ per pound. Counsel for the Crown and Counsel for the Claimant have agreed upon a compromise figure in regard to all of the above claims of $100.00 in lieu of any other award.

This would thus make the award proposed as being $500.00 plus the 12% on tender, or $263.44 plus $100.00, or in all $863.44.

The above submission is made without prejudice if the Commissioner should fail to agree with same.

Yours truly,

D T Braidwood

Counsel for the Government

R G McNamara

Counsel for the Claimant
Claiming through the Co-operative
Committee.

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