

#14179

Reg. No.

Surname SAKAMOTO TAKE (F.)

Christian name

(Address) TASHME B.C.Date of Birth FEB. 20, 1900Place of Birth KUMAMOTOKEN JAPAN.Married or single MARRIED

Names, ages and places of birth of wife or husband and children:

<u>SAKAMOTO</u>	<u>MANZO</u>	<u>(HUS.)</u>	<u>57</u>	<u>JAPAN.</u>
"	<u>TAKEIOSHI</u>	<u>(SON)</u>	<u>24</u>	<u>CAN.</u>
"	<u>KAZUMI</u>	<u>(DAUGHTER)</u>	<u>21</u>	<u>CAN.</u>
"	<u>MIYOSHI</u>	<u>(")</u>	<u>19</u>	<u>CAN.</u>
"	<u>KATSUMI</u>	<u>(SON)</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>CAN.</u>
"	<u>DAVID. U</u>	<u>(")</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>CAN.</u>
"	<u>TOSHIYOKI</u>	<u>(")</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>CAN.</u>
"	<u>RONNIE</u>	<u>(")</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>CAN.</u>

Date of first entry into Canada FEB. 17, 1920 Port of Entry VICTORIA Place of issue and date of passport KUMAMOTOKEN FEB. 1920

If returned to Japan 1/22 When SEPT. 28, 1935 How long 20 mo. Reasons SICKNESS

Date of last entry into Canada JUNE 7, 1937

Have you ever been imprisoned or fined? Give details: No

When and where did you sign "Repatriation" form? APRIL, TASHME

Was it a form presented by the R. C. M. P. YES

Was any specific pressure put on you to sign? Give details: By whom? No

Reason same as Husband's Refer to File No. 00125

Was anything said about cancelling it? Give details. By whom? No

Have you ever made a declaration or application other than the "Repatriation" form?

No

In the event of the Government of Canada, or any of its officials, agents or servants, carrying out its expressed intention to remove from Canada certain persons of Japanese racial origin, and in the event of me, or any member of my family being involuntarily taken into custody by any person upon the alleged authority of the said Government, or any of its officials, agents or servants or by any constable of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police or any other constable, I hereby instruct R. J. McMaster, Esq., of the firm of Campbell, Brazier, Fisher & McMaster or such person or persons as he may instruct to forthwith issue Habeas Corpus proceedings or such other proceedings as he may deem fit with a view to the prevention of my removal from Canada.

Dated: Jan. 5/36

WITNESS

P. Mordule

Take Sakamoto
Signature

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS that I,
Kiyo Shimizu of / Winnipeg, Man., in
consideration of the sum of SIX DOLLARS AND FIFTY CENTS
(\$6.50) for each instruction given to Messrs. Campbell,
Brazier, Fisher & McMaster with respect to the matters
hereinafter referred to do hereby remise, release and
forever discharge CAMPBELL, BRAZIER, FISHER & McMASTER,
their respective heirs, executors and administrators of
and from all manner of actions, causes of action, suits,
debts, duties, accounts, bonds, covenants, contracts,
claims and demands whatsoever which against the said
Campbell, Brazier, Fisher & McMaster I ever had, now
have, or which my heirs, executors, administrators and
assigns, or any of them hereafter can, shall or may have
for or by reason of any cause, matter or thing whatsoever
existing up to the present time and more particularly,
but not so as to limit the generality of the foregoing,
of or by reason of any monies paid to Messrs. Campbell,
Brazier, Fisher & McMaster directly, or through the Japanese
Committee at Tashme, British Columbia, upon
instructions on behalf of myself (and _____)
to take Habeas Corpus proceedings, or otherwise with respect
to the threatened deportation of persons of the Japanese
Race by the Government of the Dominion of Canada and I here-
by authorize Messrs. Campbell, Brazier, Fisher & McMaster
to pay the said sum of money to British Columbia Japanese
Canadian Citizens' Association, Greenwood, B. C. to be
remitted to me and release them from liability to see to
the application thereof.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and
seal at Winnipeg this 9 day of July 1947.
SIGNED, SEALED AND DELIVERED

In the Presence of:

S. Murata

R. Shimizu
K. Shimizu
Tashme
National
#00133

SHIMIZU, Rishio # 13541

File No. 00132

SHIMIZU, Kiyoko # 13542

File No. 00133

At the time of registration, we had felt the uncertainty of relocating east of the Rockies and besides we were informed that we could have our declaration cancelled if we so desired six months later. Also, as our two children with us have no desire to go to Japan and so for their sakes we wish to remain in Canada.

SHIMIZU KIYO 74-Boulevard TASHME, B.C. 13542
 Surname Christian name (Address) Reg. No.
Nov. 25th 1902 GUNMA-KEN JAPAN MARRIED
 Date of Birth Place of Birth Married or single

Names, ages and places of birth of wife or husband and children:

HUSBAND SHIMIZU RISHIO 46 GUNMAKEN JAPAN
DAUGHTER " CHIEKO 15 DEWDNEY B.C. CANADA
SON " TADASHI 13 DEWDNEY B.C. CANADA

MAY 18, 1925 VANCOUVER B.C. YOKOHAMA MAY 7, 1925
 Date of first entry into Canada Port of Entry Place of issue and date of passport

If returned to Japan _____ When _____ How long _____ Reasons _____

Date of last entry into Canada _____

Have you ever been imprisoned or fined? Give details: NONE

When and where did you sign "Repatriation" form? APRIL 1945 TASHME B.C.

Was it a form presented by the R. C. M. P. YES.

Was any specific pressure put on you to sign? Give details: By whom? NO.

REASON BEING OF SIGNING REPATRIATION WAS THAT I HAD FELT
THE UNCERTAINTY OF RELOCATING EAST OF THE ROCKIES. HAD NO ALTERNATIVES BUT TO SIGN.

Was anything said about cancelling it? Give details. By whom? R.C.M.P. OFFICER SAID
IF WE DESIRED TO CANCEL, WE MAY DO SO WITHIN SIX MONTHS
LATER.

Have you ever made a declaration or application other than the "Repatriation" form?

NO.

In the event of the Government of Canada, or any of its officials, agents or servants, carrying out its expressed intention to remove from Canada certain persons of Japanese racial origin, and in the event of me, or any member of my family being involuntarily taken into custody by any person upon the alleged authority of the said Government, or any of its officials, agents or servants or by any constable of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police or any other constable, I hereby instruct R. J. McMaster, Esq., of the firm of Campbell, Brazier, Fisher & McMaster or such person or persons as he may instruct to forthwith issue Habeas Corpus proceedings or such other proceedings as he may deem fit with a view to the prevention of my removal from Canada.

Date: JANUARY 5th 1946

WITNESS: Billy McKinnon

Kiyo Shimizu
 Signature

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS that I,
Moto Taguchi of Toronto, Ont., in
consideration of the sum of SIX DOLLARS AND FIFTY CENTS
(\$6.50) for each instruction given to Messrs. Campbell,
Brazier, Fisher & McMaster with respect to the matters
hereinafter referred to do hereby remise, release and
forever discharge CAMPBELL, BRAZIER, FISHER & McMASTER,
their respective heirs, executors and administrators of
and from all manner of actions, causes of action, suits,
debts, duties, accounts, bonds, covenants, contracts,
claims and demands whatsoever which against the said
Campbell, Brazier, Fisher & McMaster I ever had, now
have, or which my heirs, executors, administrators and
assigns, or any of them hereafter can, shall or may have
for or by reason of any cause, matter or thing whatsoever
existing up to the present time and more particularly,
but not so as to limit the generality of the foregoing,
of or by reason of any monies paid to Messrs. Campbell,
Brazier, Fisher & McMaster directly, or through the Japanese
Committee at ~~Brookman~~^{Tashme}, British Columbia, upon
instructions on behalf of myself (and _____)
to take Habeas Corpus proceedings, or otherwise with respect
to the threatened deportation of persons of the Japanese
Race by the Government of the Dominion of Canada and I here-
by authorize Messrs. Campbell, Brazier, Fisher & McMaster
to pay the said sum of money to British Columbia Japanese
Canadian Citizens' Association, Greenwood, B. C. to be
remitted to me and release them from liability to see to
the application thereof.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and
seal at Toronto, Ont. this 2nd day of July 1947.
SIGNED, SEALED AND DELIVERED

In the Presence of:

WITNESS:

Jack Tshara

M. Taguchi
Tashme
National
00179

TAGUCHI MOTO TASHME BC 05783
 Surname Christian name (Address) Reg. No.
JULY 1st 1895 SHIGAKEN JAPAN WIDOW
 Date of Birth Place of Birth Married or single

Names, ages and places of birth of wife or husband and children:

TAGUCHI FUMIKO 15 yrs VANCOUVER BC
" TAKEMI 18 yrs VANCOUVER BC
" SHIGERU 23 yrs VANCOUVER BC

Oct 2nd 1916 VICTORIA VICTORIA Oct 2nd 1916
 Date of first entry into Canada Port of Entry Place of issue and date of passport

no no no no
 If returned to Japan When How long Reasons

no
Date of last entry into Canada

Have you ever been imprisoned or fined? Give details: no

When and where did you sign "Repatriation" form? JUNE 1945 TASHME BC

Was it a form presented by the R. C. M. P. YES

Was any specific pressure put on you to sign? Give details: By whom? no

Was Confined in hospital and could not travel
so signed to avoid going east. (Tashme Hospital)

Was anything said about cancelling it? Give details. By whom? no

Have you ever made a declaration or application other than the "Repatriation" form?

YES This application was made by husband, now dead

In the event of the Government of Canada, or any of its officials, agents or servants, carrying out its expressed intention to remove from Canada certain persons of Japanese racial origin, and in the event of me, or any member of my family being involuntarily taken into custody by any person upon the alleged authority of the said Government, or any of its officials, agents or servants or by any constable of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police or any other constable, I hereby instruct R. J. McMaster, Esq., of the firm of Campbell, Brazier, Fisher & McMaster or such person or persons as he may instruct to forthwith issue Habeas Corpus proceedings or such other proceedings as he may deem fit with a view to the prevention of my removal from Canada.

Date: JANUARY 5th 1946

WITNESS: In arai

Moto Taguchi
Signature

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and seal at Winnipeg, Man. this 1st day of July 1947.

Tashme
National
#00181

Source: Nikkei National Museum, 1997-186-3-7-6
www.nikkeimuseum.org

TAKADA, Fushajiro (m) Reg. No. 00777 File No. 00181

TAKADA, Iku (f) Reg. No. 02973 File No. 00182

I have never had any intentions of going to Japan. At the time of signing the R.C.M.P. official stated ~~that~~ I could cancel declaration forms six months later. My son is not registered In Japan and does not wish to go to Japan.

✓ No interpreter for Takada Fusajiro

Takada Iku registered with interpreter

1085 1/2 Main St.
Winnipeg man

00181

TAKADA FUSAJIRO 1012-10th AVE TASHME BC 00777
Surname Christian name (Address) Reg. No.
July 7, 1894 SHIGA-KEN JAPAN MARRIED
Date of Birth Place of Birth Married or single

Names, ages and places of birth of wife or husband and children:

IKU TAKADA 41 JAPAN WIFE
TAKESHI 17 VANCOUVER BC SON

APRIL 1908 VICTORIA B.C. SHIGA-KEN JAPAN FEB 1908
Date of first entry into Canada Port of Entry Place of issue and date of passport

YES SEPT. 1913 4 MONTH PARENT SICK
If returned to Japan When How long Reasons

FEB 26, 1914
Date of last entry into Canada

Have you ever been imprisoned or fined? Give details: No

When and where did you sign "Repatriation" form? APRIL 10, 1945 11 MILES ROAD CAMP

Was it a form presented by the R. C. M. P. YES

Was any specific pressure put on you to sign? Give details: By whom? No

Was anything said about cancelling it? Give details. By whom? No

Have you ever made a declaration or application other than the "Repatriation" form?

YES ON LIST BUT NOT SIGNED

In the event of the Government of Canada, or any of its officials, agents or servants, carrying out its expressed intention to remove from Canada certain persons of Japanese racial origin, and in the event of me, or any member of my family being involuntarily taken into custody by any person upon the alleged authority of the said Government, or any of its officials, agents or servants or by any constable of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police or any other constable, I hereby instruct R. J. McMaster, Esq., of the firm of Campbell, Brazier, Fisher & McMaster or such person or persons as he may instruct to forthwith issue Habeas Corpus proceedings or such other proceedings as he may deem fit with a view to the prevention of my removal from Canada.

Date: JAN, 7, 1946

WITNESS: [Signature]

Fusajiro Takada
Signature

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS that I,

Iku Takada of Winnipeg. Man., in consideration of the sum of SIX DOLLARS AND FIFTY CENTS (\$6.50) for each instruction given to Messrs. Campbell, Brazier, Fisher & McMaster with respect to the matters hereinafter referred to do hereby remise, release and forever discharge CAMPBELL, BRAZIER, FISHER & McMASTER, their respective heirs, executors and administrators of and from all manner of actions, causes of action, suits, debts, duties, accounts, bonds, covenants, contracts, claims and demands whatsoever which against the said Campbell, Brazier, Fisher & McMaster I ever had, now have, or which my heirs, executors, administrators and assigns, or any of them hereafter can, shall or may have for or by reason of any cause, matter or thing whatsoever existing up to the present time and more particularly, but not so as to limit the generality of the foregoing, of or by reason of any monies paid to Messrs. Campbell, Brazier, Fisher & McMaster directly, or through the Japanese Committee at Tashme, British Columbia, upon instructions on behalf of myself (and _____) to take Habeas Corpus proceedings, or otherwise with respect to the threatened deportation of persons of the Japanese Race by the Government of the Dominion of Canada and I hereby authorize Messrs. Campbell, Brazier, Fisher & McMaster to pay the said sum of money to British Columbia Japanese Canadian Citizens' Association, Greenwood, B. C. to be remitted to me and release them from liability to see to the application thereof.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and seal at Winnipeg. Man. this 1st day of July 1947.

SIGNED, SEALED AND DELIVERED

In the Presence of:

R. Hindin

I Takada
Tashme
National
#00182

TAKADA, Fushjiro (m) Reg. No. 00777 File No. 00181

TAKADA, Iku (f) Reg. No. 02973 File No. 00182

I have never had any intentions of going to Japan. At the time of signing the R.C.M.P. official stated th I could cancel declaration forms six months later. My son is not registered In Japan and does not wish to go to Japan.

No interpreter for Takada Fusajiro

Takada Iku registered with interpreter

1085 1/2 main st.
Winnipeg

00182

TAKADA IKU 1012-10th AVE TASHME BC 02973
Surname Christian name (Address) Reg. No.

APRIL 7, 1904 SHIGA-KEN JAPAN MARRIED
Date of Birth Place of Birth Married or single

Names, ages and places of birth of wife or husband and children:

FUSAJIRO TAKADA 52 JAPAN HUSBAND
TAKESHI " 17 VANCOUVER BC SON

FEB 10, 1927 VICTORIA, B.C. YOKOHAMA JAPAN JAN 1927
Date of first entry into Canada Port of Entry Place of issue and date of passport

No
If returned to Japan When How long Reasons

FEB 10, 1927
Date of last entry into Canada

Have you ever been imprisoned or fined? Give details: No

When and where did you sign "Repatriation" form? APRIL 12, 1945 TASHME, B.C.

Was it a form presented by the R. C. M. P. YES

Was any specific pressure put on you to sign? Give details: By whom? No

Was anything said about cancelling it? Give details. By whom? YES RCMP

OFFICIAL STATED I COULD CANCEL DECLARATION FORMS
SIX MONTH LATER

Have you ever made a declaration or application other than the "Repatriation" form?

YES ON LIST BUT NOT SIGNED

In the event of the Government of Canada, or any of its officials, agents or servants, carrying out its expressed intention to remove from Canada certain persons of Japanese racial origin, and in the event of me, or any member of my family being involuntarily taken into custody by any person upon the alleged authority of the said Government, or any of its officials, agents or servants or by any constable of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police or any other constable, I hereby instruct R. J. McMaster, Esq., of the firm of Campbell, Brazier, Fisher & McMaster or such person or persons as he may instruct to forthwith issue Habeas Corpus proceedings or such other proceedings as he may deem fit with a view to the prevention of my removal from Canada.

Date: JAN, 7, 1946

WITNESS: [Signature]

I. Takada
Signature

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS that I,
Tomas Takeda of Farnham, P. O., in
consideration of the sum of SIX DOLLARS AND FIFTY CENTS
(\$6.50) for each instruction given to Messrs. Campbell,
Brazier, Fisher & McMaster with respect to the matters
hereinafter referred to do hereby remise, release and
forever discharge CAMPBELL, BRAZIER, FISHER & McMASTER,
their respective heirs, executors and administrators of
and from all manner of actions, causes of action, suits,
debts, duties, accounts, bonds, covenants, contracts,
claims and demands whatsoever which against the said
Campbell, Brazier, Fisher & McMaster I ever had, now
have, or which my heirs, executors, administrators and
assigns, or any of them hereafter can, shall or may have
for or by reason of any cause, matter or thing whatsoever
existing up to the present time and more particularly,
but not so as to limit the generality of the foregoing,
of or by reason of any monies paid to Messrs. Campbell,
Brazier, Fisher & McMaster directly, or through the Japanese
Committee at TASHME, British Columbia, upon
instructions on behalf of myself (and _____)
to take Habeas Corpus proceedings, or otherwise with respect
to the threatened deportation of persons of the Japanese
Race by the Government of the Dominion of Canada and I here-
by authorize Messrs. Campbell, Brazier, Fisher & McMaster
to pay the said sum of money to British Columbia Japanese
Canadian Citizens' Association, Greenwood, B. C. to be
remitted to me and release them from liability to see to
the application thereof.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and
seal at T. FARNHAM, P. O. this 12 day of JULY 1947.
SIGNED, SEALED AND DELIVERED

In the Presence of:

J. Magano

T. Takeda
Tashme
National
#00183

TAKEDA, Torao	(m)	Reg. No. 07441	File No. 00183
TAKEDA, Dai	(f)	Reg. No. 07442	File No. 00184

Visited Japan	November 1923
Returned	January 1924
Visited Japan	May 1925
Returned	March 27, 1927

Our family consists of six children all under age and one infant. Therefore, we were greatly concerned of the difficulties which would have arisen during the trip eastward if were to relocate. We were also uncertain of the labour condition, the housing accomodation, the education formthe children, and the many other problems in the new environment. Due to these circumstances, we had no alternative but to sign for repatriation. *NO INTERPRETER*

Tamkani Hoshi
Tamkani P.Q. 00183 00182

TAKEDA TORAO TASHME, B.C. 07441
Surname Christian name (Address) Reg. No.
FEB. 12, 1902 SHIZUOKA-KEN, JAPAN MARRIED.
Date of Birth Place of Birth Married or single

Names, ages and places of birth of wife or husband and children:

WIFE	TAKEDA, DAI	38 yrs.	SHIZUOKA-KEN, JAPAN.
SON	" KUNIO	16 yrs.	PORT MOODY, B.C.
DTR.	" MIDORI	12 yrs.	PT. ALBERNI, B.C.
DTR	" SUMIRE	9 yrs.	" " "
SON	" KENJI	7 yrs.	" " "
DTR	" RURIKO	4 yrs.	TASHME, B.C.
SON	" HIROSHI	1 yr.	" "

JAN. 16, 1919 VICTORIA, B.C. KANAGAWA, JAPAN.
Date of first entry into Canada Port of Entry Place of issue and date of
Nov. 1923 2 MONTHS. passport
YES MAY, 1925 2 YRS. VISITING
If returned to Japan When How long Reasons

MARCH 27, 1927
Date of last entry into Canada

Have you ever been imprisoned or fined? Give details: No.

When and where did you sign "Repatriation" form? APRIL 1945. TASHME, B.C.
Was it a form presented by the R. C. M. P. YES.

Was any specific pressure put on you to sign? Give details: By whom?
DUE TO BIG FAMILY & being concerned of many problems which might
arise if we proceed EAST, we had no alternative but sign.

Was anything said about cancelling it? Give details. By whom? No.

Have you ever made a declaration or application other than the "Repatriation" form?
No.

In the event of the Government of Canada, or any of its officials, agents or servants, carrying out its expressed intention to remove from Canada certain persons of Japanese racial origin, and in the event of me, or any member of my family being involuntarily taken into custody by any person upon the alleged authority of the said Government, or any of its officials, agents or servants or by any constable of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police or any other constable, I hereby instruct R. J. McMaster, Esq., of the firm of Campbell, Brazier, Fisher & McMaster or such person or persons as he may instruct to forthwith issue Habeas Corpus proceedings or such other proceedings as he may deem fit with a view to the prevention of my removal from Canada.

Date: January 7, 1946.

WITNESS:

M. Takahashi

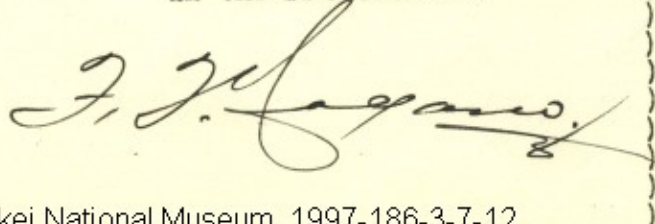
Torao Takeda
Signature

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS that I,
Dai Takeda of FARNHAM, P. Q., in
consideration of the sum of SIX DOLLARS AND FIFTY CENTS
(\$6.50) for each instruction given to Messrs. Campbell,
Brazier, Fisher & McMaster with respect to the matters
hereinafter referred to do hereby remise, release and
forever discharge CAMPBELL, BRAZIER, FISHER & McMASTER,
their respective heirs, executors and administrators of
and from all manner of actions, causes of action, suits,
debts, duties, accounts, bonds, covenants, contracts,
claims and demands whatsoever which against the said
Campbell, Brazier, Fisher & McMaster I ever had, now
have, or which my heirs, executors, administrators and
assigns, or any of them hereafter can, shall or may have
for or by reason of any cause, matter or thing whatsoever
existing up to the present time and more particularly,
but not so as to limit the generality of the foregoing,
of or by reason of any monies paid to Messrs. Campbell,
Brazier, Fisher & McMaster directly, or through the Japanese
Committee at TASHME, British Columbia, upon
instructions on behalf of myself (and _____)
to take Habeas Corpus proceedings, or otherwise with respect
to the threatened deportation of persons of the Japanese
Race by the Government of the Dominion of Canada and I here-
by authorize Messrs. Campbell, Brazier, Fisher & McMaster
to pay the said sum of money to British Columbia Japanese
Canadian Citizens' Association, Greenwood, B. C. to be
remitted to me and release them from liability to see to
the application thereof.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and
seal at FARNHAM, P. Q. this 12 TH. day of JULY 1947.

SIGNED, SEALED AND DELIVERED

In the Presence of:




Tashme
National
#00184

*Fairham Hotel
Fairham P.Q.*

TAKEDA, DAI TASHME, B.C. 07442.
Surname Christian name (Address) Reg. No.
AUG. 13, 1908 SHIZUOKA-KEN, JAPAN MARRIED
Date of Birth Place of Birth Married or single

Names, ages and places of birth of wife or husband and children:

HUSBAND	TAKEDA	TORAO	44 yrs	SHIZUOKA, KEN, JAPAN.
Son	"	KUNIO	16 yrs	PL. Moody, B.C.
Dtr	"	MIDORI	12 "	PL. Alberni, B.C.
Dtr	"	SUMIRE	9 "	"
Son	"	KENJI	7 "	"
Dtr	"	RURIKO	4 "	TASHME, B.C.
Son	"	HIROSHI	1 "	"

OCT 20, 1928. Vancouver, B.C. KANAGAWA, JAPAN, OCT. 8/28.
Date of first entry into Canada Port of Entry Place of issue and date of passport

I returned to Japan When How long Reasons

Date of last entry into Canada

Have you ever been imprisoned or fined? Give details: No

When and where did you sign "Repatriation" form? APRIL 1945. TASHME, B.C.

Was it a form presented by the R. C. M. P. YES.

Was any specific pressure put on you to sign? Give details: By whom? No.

Due to large family & being concerned of many problems which might arise if we moved East, ~~we~~ I had no alternative but to sign.

Refer to file No. 00183
Was anything said about cancelling it? Give details. By whom? No.

Have you ever made a declaration or application other than the "Repatriation" form?

No.

In the event of the Government of Canada, or any of its officials, agents or servants, carrying out its expressed intention to remove from Canada certain persons of Japanese racial origin, and in the event of me, or any member of my family being involuntarily taken into custody by any person upon the alleged authority of the said Government, or any of its officials, agents or servants or by any constable of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police or any other constable, I hereby instruct R. J. McMaster, Esq., of the firm of Campbell, Brazier, Fisher & McMaster or such person or persons as he may instruct to forthwith issue Habeas Corpus proceedings or such other proceedings as he may deem fit with a view to the prevention of my removal from Canada.

Date: Jan. 8/46

WITNESS: DAI TAKEDA

Dai Takeda
Signature

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS that I,
Eitaro Tanaka of Toronto, Ontario, in
consideration of the sum of SIX DOLLARS AND FIFTY CENTS
(\$6.50) for each instruction given to Messrs. Campbell,
Brazier, Fisher & McMaster with respect to the matters
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forever discharge CAMPBELL, BRAZIER, FISHER & McMASTER,
their respective heirs, executors and administrators of
and from all manner of actions, causes of action, suits,
debts, duties, accounts, bonds, covenants, contracts,
claims and demands whatsoever which against the said
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existing up to the present time and more particularly,
but not so as to limit the generality of the foregoing,
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Brazier, Fisher & McMaster directly, or through the Japanese
Committee at Tashme, British Columbia, upon
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by authorize Messrs. Campbell, Brazier, Fisher & McMaster
to pay the said sum of money to British Columbia Japanese
Canadian Citizens' Association, Greenwood, B. C. to be
remitted to me and release them from liability to see to
the application thereof.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and
seal at Toronto, Ontario this 23rd day of June 1947.
SIGNED, SEALED AND DELIVERED

In the Presence of:

J. Kawabe

Eitaro Tanaka
J. Kawabe J.K.
Tashme
National
#00196

TANOUE, Eitaro	(m)	Reg. No. 08801	File No. 00196
TANOUE, Echi	(f)	Reg. No. 08806	File No. 00197

At the time of registration, we were told that if we did not sign for repatriation, we would have to go east of the Rockies, in which event, we were afraid of family separation. We had seriously sought for some means whereby we would not have to sign but there was none. As there was no alternative, we signed, thinking that there might be a solution after the war.

We have lived in Canada for thirty years and our desire had been to remain in Canada. Our daughters were born and educated in Canada and they do not know the conditions of Japan nor can they speak or write Japanese.

00196

08801

TANOYE EITARO TASHME, B.C. 08801
 Surname Christian name (Address) Reg. No.
OCT. 3, 1892 KUMAMOTO-KEN, JAPAN MARRIED
 Date of Birth Place of Birth Married or single

Names, ages and places of birth of wife or husband and children:

WIFE TANOYE, ECHI 47 yrs KUMAMOTO-KEN JAPAN
 SON " HARUYOSHI 25 yrs LADYSMITH, B.C.
 DTR " SAKAE 20 yrs CHEMAINUS, B.C.
 DTR " SHIZUKO 17 yrs CHEMAINUS, B.C.
 DTR " YOSHIE 15 yrs CHEMAINUS, B.C.

JULY 10, 1918 VICTORIA, B.C. KUMAMOTO, JAPAN. - JUNE 8, 1918.
 Date of first entry into Canada Port of Entry Place of issue and date of passport

If returned to Japan When How long Reasons

Date of last entry into Canada

Have you ever been imprisoned or fined? Give details: No

When and where did you sign "Repatriation" form? APRIL 1945 TASHME, B.C.

Was it a form presented by the R. C. M. P. YES.

Was any specific pressure put on you to sign? Give details: By whom? No

I was told that if I do not sign for repatriation I would have to go east of the Rockies, in which event, we were afraid of family separation. As there was no alternative I signed, thinking that there might be a solution after the war.

Was anything said about cancelling it? Give details. By whom? No.

Have you ever made a declaration or application other than the "Repatriation" form?

No

In the event of the Government of Canada, or any of its officials, agents or servants, carrying out its expressed intention to remove from Canada certain persons of Japanese racial origin, and in the event of me, or any member of my family being involuntarily taken into custody by any person upon the alleged authority of the said Government, or any of its officials, agents or servants or by any constable of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police or any other constable, I hereby instruct R. J. McMaster, Esq., of the firm of Campbell, Brazier, Fisher & McMaster or such person or persons as he may instruct to forthwith issue Habeas Corpus proceedings or such other proceedings as he may deem fit with a view to the prevention of my removal from Canada.

Date: JANUARY 5, 1946.

WITNESS: R. Takahashi

Eitaro Tanaye
Signature

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS that I,
Eckhi Tanouye of Toronto, Ontario, in
consideration of the sum of SIX DOLLARS AND FIFTY CENTS
(\$6.50) for each instruction given to Messrs. Campbell,
Brazier, Fisher & McMaster with respect to the matters
hereinafter referred to do hereby remise, release and
forever discharge CAMPBELL, BRAZIER, FISHER & McMASTER,
their respective heirs, executors and administrators of
and from all manner of actions, causes of action, suits,
debts, duties, accounts, bonds, covenants, contracts,
claims and demands whatsoever which against the said
Campbell, Brazier, Fisher & McMaster I ever had, now
have, or which my heirs, executors, administrators and
assigns, or any of them hereafter can, shall or may have
for or by reason of any cause, matter or thing whatsoever
existing up to the present time and more particularly,
but not so as to limit the generality of the foregoing,
of or by reason of any monies paid to Messrs. Campbell,
Brazier, Fisher & McMaster directly, or through the Japanese
Committee at Tashme, British Columbia, upon
instructions on behalf of myself (and _____)
to take Habeas Corpus proceedings, or otherwise with respect
to the threatened deportation of persons of the Japanese
Race by the Government of the Dominion of Canada and I here-
by authorize Messrs. Campbell, Brazier, Fisher & McMaster
to pay the said sum of money to British Columbia Japanese
Canadian Citizens' Association, Greenwood, B. C. to be
remitted to me and release them from liability to see to
the application thereof.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and
seal at Toronto, Ontario this 23rd day of June 1947.
SIGNED, SEALED AND DELIVERED

In the Presence of:

J. Kawabe

Eckhi Tanouye
J. Kawabe J.C.

Tashme
National
#00197

TANOUYE ECHI TASHME B.C. 08800
 Surname Christian name (Address) Reg. No.
AUGUST 7th 1899 KUMAMOTO-KEN JAPAN MARRIED
 Date of Birth Place of Birth Married or single

Names, ages and places of birth of wife or husband and children:

HUSBAND TANOUYE ETARO 54 Yrs KUMAMOTO-KEN JAPAN
SON " HARUYOSHI 25 " LADY SMITH B.C.
DTR. " SAKAE 20 " CHEMAINUS " "
" " SHIZUKO 17 " " "
" " YOSHIE 15 " " "

MARCH 31 1919 VICTORIA KUMAMOTO
 Date of first entry into Canada Port of Entry Place of issue and date of passport

YES NOV. 7 1922 2 YEARS VISITING
 If returned to Japan When How long Reasons

NOVEMBER 10, 1924
 Date of last entry into Canada

Have you ever been imprisoned or fined? Give details: NO

When and where did you sign "Repatriation" form? APRIL 1945 TASHME B.C.

Was it a form presented by the R. C. M. P. YES

Was any specific pressure put on you to sign? Give details: By whom? NO

Same as my husband, as I was afraid of family separation, I had no alternative but to sign the repatriation form. Refer to File No. 00196

Was anything said about cancelling it? Give details. By whom? NO

Have you ever made a declaration or application other than the "Repatriation" form?

NO

In the event of the Government of Canada, or any of its officials, agents or servants, carrying out its expressed intention to remove from Canada certain persons of Japanese racial origin, and in the event of me, or any member of my family being involuntarily taken into custody by any person upon the alleged authority of the said Government, or any of its officials, agents or servants or by any constable of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police or any other constable, I hereby instruct R. J. McMaster, Esq., of the firm of Campbell, Brazier, Fisher & McMaster or such person or persons as he may instruct to forthwith issue Habeas Corpus proceedings or such other proceedings as he may deem fit with a view to the prevention of my removal from Canada.

Date: JANUARY 5, 1946

WITNESS: [Signature]

Echi Tanouye
 Signature

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS that I,
YOHEI UMETSU of BURLINGTON, ONT, in
consideration of the sum of SIX DOLLARS AND FIFTY CENTS
(\$6.50) for each instruction given to Messrs. Campbell,
Brazier, Fisher & McMaster with respect to the matters
hereinafter referred to do hereby remise, release and
forever discharge CAMPBELL, BRAZIER, FISHER & McMASTER,
their respective heirs, executors and administrators of
and from all manner of actions, causes of action, suits,
debts, duties, accounts, bonds, covenants, contracts,
claims and demands whatsoever which against the said
Campbell, Brazier, Fisher & McMaster I ever had, now
have, or which my heirs, executors, administrators and
assigns, or any of them hereafter can, shall or may have
for or by reason of any cause, matter or thing whatsoever
existing up to the present time and more particularly,
but not so as to limit the generality of the foregoing,
of or by reason of any monies paid to Messrs. Campbell,
Brazier, Fisher & McMaster directly, or through the Japanese
Committee at TASHME, British Columbia, upon
instructions on behalf of myself (and _____)
to take Habeas Corpus proceedings, or otherwise with respect
to the threatened deportation of persons of the Japanese
Race by the Government of the Dominion of Canada and I here-
by authorize Messrs. Campbell, Brazier, Fisher & McMaster
to pay the said sum of money to British Columbia Japanese
Canadian Citizens' Association, Greenwood, B. C. to be
remitted to me and release them from liability to see to
the application thereof.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and
seal at BURLINGTON, ONT this 1ST day of AUG 1947.
SIGNED, SEALED AND DELIVERED)

In the Presence of:

In Umetsu

Y. Umetsu

*Tashme
national
#00210*

Re: Yohei UMETSU #09860

At the time of signing, my wife was ill and could not go east. I heard that cancellation at a later date was possible so I signed in order to stay a little longer in Tashme, till my wife got better. My two sons in the east are settled down now and so I request the cancellation of my application.

Yohei UMETSU #09860

1. 1911 - October. Victoria to Japan - returned 1912 April, Victoria.
2. 1929 - Dec. 7th. Vancouver to Japan- returned 1930 May 10th, Victoria.
3. 1936 - Dec. 6th. Vancouver to Japan-returned 1937 April, Vancouver.
4. 1939 - Jan. 7th. Vancouver to Japan -returned 1939 May 17, Vancouver.

Sui UMETSU #09861 (wife)

Returned to Japan once - same reason.

UMETSU YOHEI 239-2nd AVE TASHME, B.C. 09860
 Surname Christian name (Address). Reg. No.
FEB 3, 1886 FUKUSHIMA-KEN JAPAN MARRIED
 Date of Birth Place of Birth Married or single

Names, ages and places of birth of wife or husband and children:

SUI UMETSU 56 YRS. JAPAN WIFE

JULY 26, 1907 VANCOUVER, B.C. YOKOHAMA JAPAN Nov 1906
 Date of first entry into Canada Port of Entry Place of issue and date of passport

YES JAN. 7, 1939 4 Month VISIT
 If returned to Japan When How long Reasons

MAY 17, 1939
 Date of last entry into Canada

Have you ever been imprisoned or fined? Give details: No

When and where did you sign "Repatriation" form? APRIL 9, 1945 TASHME

Was it a form presented by the R. C. M. P. YES

Was any specific pressure put on you to sign? Give details: By whom? No

Was anything said about cancelling it? Give details. By whom? No

Have you ever made a declaration or application other than the "Repatriation" form?

No

In the event of the Government of Canada, or any of its officials, agents or servants, carrying out its expressed intention to remove from Canada certain persons of Japanese racial origin, and in the event of me, or any member of my family being involuntarily taken into custody by any person upon the alleged authority of the said Government, or any of its officials, agents or servants or by any constable of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police or any other constable, I hereby instruct R. J. McMaster, Esq., of the firm of Campbell, Brazier, Fisher & McMaster or such person or persons as he may instruct to forthwith issue Habeas Corpus proceedings or such other proceedings as he may deem fit with a view to the prevention of my removal from Canada.

Date: JAN. 7, 1946

WITNESS: [Signature]

Yohi Umetan
 Signature

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS that I,
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~~SUE~~ UMETSU of BURLINGTON ONT., in
consideration of the sum of SIX DOLLARS AND FIFTY CENTS
(\$6.50) for each instruction given to Messrs. Campbell,
Brazier, Fisher & McMaster with respect to the matters
hereinafter referred to do hereby remise, release and
forever discharge CAMPBELL, BRAZIER, FISHER & McMASTER,
their respective heirs, executors and administrators of
and from all manner of actions, causes of action, suits,
debts, duties, accounts, bonds, covenants, contracts,
claims and demands whatsoever which against the said
Campbell, Brazier, Fisher & McMaster I ever had, now
have, or which my heirs, executors, administrators and
assigns, or any of them hereafter can, shall or may have
for or by reason of any cause, matter or thing whatsoever
existing up to the present time and more particularly,
but not so as to limit the generality of the foregoing,
of or by reason of any monies paid to Messrs. Campbell,
Brazier, Fisher & McMaster directly, or through the Japanese
Committee at TASHME, British Columbia, upon
instructions on behalf of myself (and _____)
to take Habeas Corpus proceedings, or otherwise with respect
to the threatened deportation of persons of the Japanese
Race by the Government of the Dominion of Canada and I here-
by authorize Messrs. Campbell, Brazier, Fisher & McMaster
to pay the said sum of money to British Columbia Japanese
Canadian Citizens' Association, Greenwood, B. C. to be
remitted to me and release them from liability to see to
the application thereof.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and
seal at BURLINGTON ONT this 1ST day of AUG 1947.
SIGNED, SEALED AND DELIVERED

In the Presence of:

In [Signature]

梅津 久一

Tashme
National
no. 00211

UMETSU Sui 239-2nd AVE TASHME BC 09861
 Surname Christian name (Address) Reg. No.

Dec 8, 1889 FUKUSHIMA-KEN JAPAN MARRIED
 Date of Birth Place of Birth Married or single

Names, ages and places of birth of wife or husband and children:

YOHEI UMETSU 59 JAPAN HUSBAND

APRIL 10, 1913 VICTORIA BC YOKOHAMA JAPAN 1913 MARCH
 Date of first entry into Canada Port of Entry Place of issue and date of passport

YES APRIL 10, 1920 19 yrs PARENT SICK
 I returned to Japan When How Long Reasons

OCT 9, 1939
 Date of last entry into Canada

Have you ever been imprisoned or fined? Give details: No

When and where did you sign "Repatriation" form? APRIL 9, 1945 TASHME BC

Was it a form presented by the R. C. M. P. YES

Was any specific pressure put on you to sign? Give details: By whom? No

Refer to file no. 00810

Was anything said about cancelling it? Give details. By whom? No

Have you ever made a declaration or application other than the "Repatriation" form?

No

In the event of the Government of Canada, or any of its officials, agents or servants, carrying out its expressed intention to remove from Canada certain persons of Japanese racial origin, and in the event of me, or any member of my family being involuntarily taken into custody by any person upon the alleged authority of the said Government, or any of its officials, agents or servants or by any constable of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police or any other constable, I hereby instruct R. J. McMaster, Esq., of the firm of Campbell, Brazier, Fisher & McMaster or such person or persons as he may instruct to forthwith issue Habeas Corpus proceedings or such other proceedings as he may deem fit with a view to the prevention of my removal from Canada.

Date: JAN. 7, 1946

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WITNESS:

[Signature]

Signature

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS that I,
Tomoichi UYESUGI of VAL COTE, Ont., in
consideration of the sum of SIX DOLLARS AND FIFTY CENTS
(\$6.50) for each instruction given to Messrs. Campbell,
Brazier, Fisher & McMaster with respect to the matters
hereinafter referred to do hereby remise, release and
forever discharge CAMPBELL, BRAZIER, FISHER & McMASTER,
their respective heirs, executors and administrators of
and from all manner of actions, causes of action, suits,
debts, duties, accounts, bonds, covenants, contracts,
claims and demands whatsoever which against the said
Campbell, Brazier, Fisher & McMaster I ever had, now
have, or which my heirs, executors, administrators and
assigns, or any of them hereafter can, shall or may have
for or by reason of any cause, matter or thing whatsoever
existing up to the present time and more particularly,
but not so as to limit the generality of the foregoing,
of or by reason of any monies paid to Messrs. Campbell,
Brazier, Fisher & McMaster directly, or through the Japanese
Committee at TASHME, British Columbia, upon
instructions on behalf of myself (and _____)
to take Habeas Corpus proceedings, or otherwise with respect
to the threatened deportation of persons of the Japanese
Race by the Government of the Dominion of Canada and I here-
by authorize Messrs. Campbell, Brazier, Fisher & McMaster
to pay the said sum of money to British Columbia Japanese
Canadian Citizens' Association, Greenwood, B. C. to be
remitted to me and release them from liability to see to
the application thereof.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and
seal at VAL COTE, Ont this 9th day of July 1947.

SIGNED, SEALED AND DELIVERED

In the Presence of:

K. Kishiyama

T. Uyesugi

Tashme
National
#00328

UYESUGI TOMEICHI PYRAMID, B.C. 00607
 Surname Christian Name Address Reg. No.
SEPT. 8, 1897 YAMAGUCHI-KEN, SINGLE
 Date of Birth Place of Birth Married or Single

Names, ages and places of birth of wife or husband and children:

AUG. 13, 1913 VICTORIA YAMAGUCHI-SHI
 Date of first entry into Canada Port of Entry Place of issue and
 of passport

Return to Japan. When How long Reasons

Date of last entry into Canada

Have you ever been imprisoned or fined? Give details: _____

When and where did you sign "Repatriation" form? AT PYRAMID, B.C.

Was it a form presented by the R. C. M. P. MAY 30, 1945

Was any specific pressure put on you to sign? Give details: By whom?

Was anything said about cancelling it? Give details: By whom?

Have you ever made a declaration or application other than the "Repatriation" form?

In the event of the Government of Canada, or any of its officials, agents or servants, carrying out its expressed intention to remove from Canada certain persons of Japanese racial origin, and in the event of me, or any member of my family being involuntarily taken into custody by any person upon the alleged authority of the said Government, or any of its officials, agents or servants or by any constable of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police or any other constable, I hereby instruct R. J. McMaster, Esq., of the firm of Campbell, Brazier, Fisher & McMaster or such person or persons as he may instruct to forthwith issue Habeas Corpus proceedings or such other proceedings as he may deem fit with a view to the prevention of my removal from Canada.

Date: JAN. 24, 1946.

WITNESS: M. H. Lathin

D. Uyesugi
 Signature

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS that I,
Matsutaro Watanabe of Spuzzum, B. C., in
consideration of the sum of SIX DOLLARS AND FIFTY CENTS
(\$6.50) for each instruction given to Messrs. Campbell,
Brazier, Fisher & McMaster with respect to the matters
hereinafter referred to do hereby remise, release and
forever discharge CAMPBELL, BRAZIER, FISHER & McMASTER,
their respective heirs, executors and administrators of
and from all manner of actions, causes of action, suits,
debts, duties, accounts, bonds, covenants, contracts,
claims and demands whatsoever which against the said
Campbell, Brazier, Fisher & McMaster I ever had, now
have, or which my heirs, executors, administrators and
assigns, or any of them hereafter can, shall or may have
for or by reason of any cause, matter or thing whatsoever
existing up to the present time and more particularly,
but not so as to limit the generality of the foregoing,
of or by reason of any monies paid to Messrs. Campbell,
Brazier, Fisher & McMaster directly, or through the Japanese
Committee at Tashme, British Columbia, upon
instructions on behalf of myself (and _____)
to take Habeas Corpus proceedings, or otherwise with respect
to the threatened deportation of persons of the Japanese
Race by the Government of the Dominion of Canada and I here-
by authorize Messrs. Campbell, Brazier, Fisher & McMaster
to pay the said sum of money to British Columbia Japanese
Canadian Citizens' Association, Greenwood, B. C. to be
remitted to me and release them from liability to see to
the application thereof.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and
seal at Spuzzum, B. C. this 10 day of July 1947.

SIGNED, SEALED AND DELIVERED

In the Presence of:

K. Ichikawa

Matsutaro Watanabe

Tashme
National
#00216

WATANABE, Matsutaro - #05844

(Japanese National)

Returned to Japan: April 1934

Entry into Canada: July 10, 1934

Returned to Japan: July 1936

Last Entry: Oct. 19, 1936.

REASON: I signed for Japan, not because I wanted to go there to live, but because I was afraid to risk taking my wife and two small daughters East, having heard of the difficulty of obtaining suitable work and housing there. Here we were assured of both.

Our children were born in Canada and so far have been educated here and we would like to continue to bring them up in this country as we feel they would be happier here.

WATANABE MATSUARO (M) TASHME BC 05844
 Surname Christian name (Address) Reg. No.
 Date of Birth 29 1902 Place of Birth Hiroshima Japan Married or single Married

Names, ages and places of birth of wife or husband and children:

Watanabe. SUZUKI Wife. 32 yrs Shimane Ken Japan
 " MARUWA Michiko (F) 9 yrs VANCOUVER BC
 " Grace Hiroko (F) 7 yrs Vancouver BC

MAY 29, 1927 VancouVER BC MAY 1927
 Date of first entry into Canada Port of Entry Kobe JAPAN.
 Place of issue and date of passport

YES AUG 1936 2 Months Visit
 I returned to Japan When How long Reasons

OCT 19, 1936
 Date of last entry into Canada

Have you ever been imprisoned or fined? Give details: No.

When and where did you sign "Repatriation" form? April 1945 TASHME BC

Was it a form presented by the R. C. M. P. YES

Was any specific pressure put on you to sign? Give details: By whom? No

Was anything said about cancelling it? Give details. By whom? No

Have you ever made a declaration or application other than the "Repatriation" form?

YES application made to Spanish Consul - not signed

In the event of the Government of Canada, or any of its officials, agents or servants, carrying out its expressed intention to remove from Canada certain persons of Japanese racial origin, and in the event of me, or any member of my family being involuntarily taken into custody by any person upon the alleged authority of the said Government, or any of its officials, agents or servants or by any constable of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police or any other constable, I hereby instruct R. J. McMaster, Esq., of the firm of Campbell, Brazier, Fisher & McMaster or such person or persons as he may instruct to forthwith issue Habeas Corpus proceedings or such other proceedings as he may deem fit with a view to the prevention of my removal from Canada.

Date: JANUARY 7th 1946

WITNESS: M. Arai.

M. Watanabe.
 Signature

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS that I,
Suzue Watanabe of Spuzzum, B. C., in
consideration of the sum of SIX DOLLARS AND FIFTY CENTS
(\$6.50) for each instruction given to Messrs. Campbell,
Brazier, Fisher & McMaster with respect to the matters
hereinafter referred to do hereby remise, release and
forever discharge CAMPBELL, BRAZIER, FISHER & McMASTER,
their respective heirs, executors and administrators of
and from all manner of actions, causes of action, suits,
debts, duties, accounts, bonds, covenants, contracts,
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Campbell, Brazier, Fisher & McMaster I ever had, now
have, or which my heirs, executors, administrators and
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for or by reason of any cause, matter or thing whatsoever
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but not so as to limit the generality of the foregoing,
of or by reason of any monies paid to Messrs. Campbell,
Brazier, Fisher & McMaster directly, or through the Japanese
Committee at Tashme, British Columbia, upon
instructions on behalf of myself (and _____)
to take Habeas Corpus proceedings, or otherwise with respect
to the threatened deportation of persons of the Japanese
Race by the Government of the Dominion of Canada and I here-
by authorize Messrs. Campbell, Brazier, Fisher & McMaster
to pay the said sum of money to British Columbia Japanese
Canadian Citizens' Association, Greenwood, B. C. to be
remitted to me and release them from liability to see to
the application thereof.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and
seal at Spuzzum, B. C. this 10th day of July 1947.

SIGNED, SEALED AND DELIVERED

In the Presence of:

K. Ichikawa

Suzue Watanabe
Tashme
National
#00217

WATANABE, Shizue - #05845 (Japanese National)

REASON: We signed for Japan not because we wished to go there to live, but because we were afraid to risk taking the children East, having heard of the difficulty of obtaining suitable work and housing there. Here both were assured to us.

Our children were born in Canada and brought up here and we should like to continue to bring them up here in the land of their birth.

WATANABE SUZUE F TASHME RG 05845
 Surname Christian name (Address) Reg. No.
 MAY 28th 1913 Shimane Ken JAPAN MARRIED
 Date of Birth Place of Birth Married or single

Names, ages and places of birth of wife or husband and children:

WATANABE MATSUTARO. HUSBAND 43 yrs JAPAN
 " MARTHA MCHIKO (F) 9 yrs VANCOUVER BC
 " GRACE HIROKO (F) 7 yrs VANCOUVER BC

Dec 10th 1936 VANCOUVER BC Nov. 1934
 Date of first entry into Canada Port of Entry Kobe JAPAN
 Place of issue and date of passport

YES AUG 1936 8 months VISIT
 If returned to Japan When How long Reasons

MAY 17. 1937
 Date of last entry into Canada

Have you ever been imprisoned or fined? Give details: No

When and where did you sign "Repatriation" form? April 1948 TASHME RG

Was it a form presented by the R. C. M. P. YES

Was any specific pressure put on you to sign? Give details: By whom? No

Was anything said about cancelling it? Give details. By whom? No

Have you ever made a declaration or application other than the "Repatriation" form?

YES - application made to Spanish Consul not signed.

In the event of the Government of Canada, or any of its officials, agents or servants, carrying out its expressed intention to remove from Canada certain persons of Japanese racial origin, and in the event of me, or any member of my family being involuntarily taken into custody by any person upon the alleged authority of the said Government, or any of its officials, agents or servants or by any constable of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police or any other constable, I hereby instruct R. J. McMaster, Esq., of the firm of Campbell, Brazier, Fisher & McMaster or such person or persons as he may instruct to forthwith issue Habeas Corpus proceedings or such other proceedings as he may deem fit with a view to the prevention of my removal from Canada.

to: JANUARY 7th 1946

WITNESS: In Arado

S. Watanabe
 Signature