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OFFICE OF THE CUSTODIAN
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JAPANESE SECTION

To be completed by persons of the Japanese race having property in any protected area. The proper administration of this property requires such persons to give full particulars as requested in this form.

PERSONAL INFORMATION

NAME: YAMAMOTO, Teizo

HOME ADDRESS: 332 - 5th Avenue West

REGISTRATION NUMBER 05758 SEX: Male AGE: 44

OCCUPATION: Storekeeper

(If any business or businesses carried on, state where, under what name and whether carried on by yourself or in partnership with anyone; if partnership, give partner's name.)

EMPLOYER: Self

MARRIED? Yes

NAME OF WIFE OR HUSBAND: Tsune (10903)

ADDRESS OF WIFE OR HUSBAND: 332 - 5th Avenue West

NAMES OF ANY LIVING CHILDREN: Ethel (F.9) Florence (F.7)

Fred (M.5) Eileen (F. 10 months)

ADDRESS OF CHILDREN: 332 - 5th Avenue West.

AGE OF CHILDREN:

STATEMENT OF ALL REAL PROPERTY (Each parcel must be mentioned and particulars given)

1. LOCATION AND DESCRIPTION:

2. BUILDINGS AND OTHER IMPROVEMENTS:

3. INSURANCE (Give particulars; state where policies are)

4. TAXES (Amount and where payable)

5. ENCUMBRANCES (Including any unregistered claims or deposit of title deed)

6. OCCUPANCY AND LEASES (If vacant so state)

CLAIM ON ANY SUCH PROPERTY

3. GIVE THE NAME AND ADDRESS OF ANY PERSON HAVING ANY INTEREST IN, OR

2. HORSES, LIVESTOCK AND OTHER ANIMALS, POULTRY AND PETS

To be left in house when evacuated.

Very little furniture at 332 West 5th
EQUIPMENT AND MACHINERY, STOCK IN TRADE AND PERSONAL EFFECTS.
1. GIVE BRIEF DESCRIPTION AND STATE LOCATION OF FURNITURE, FIXTURES,

STATEMENT OF PERSONAL PROPERTY OWNED:

6. IF FARM LAND, PARTICULARS OF CROPS SOWN:

5. SUB-TENANTS, IF ANY (Give name, address, rent and to what date paid)

4. STATE WHEREABOUTS OF LEASE:

3. PARTICULARS OF LEASE AND RENT AND DATE TO WHICH PAID
\$35.00 paid to Mar. 31st
" " " \$7.50 to date.

2. LANDLORD'S NAME AND ADDRESS:
(1) Kingsway Cleaners (Mr. Gunney)
(2) " " "
(3) Kotaro NISHIKAWA

1. LOCATION AND DESCRIPTION:
(1) 1316 Kingsway - Grocery & Fish business
(2) 1314 " Children's wear
(3) 332 West 5th " "

STATEMENT OF REAL PROPERTY OCCUPIED

7. STATE WHEREABOUTS OF TITLE DOCUMENTS:

8. STATE IF ANY OTHER PERSON HAS ANY INTEREST:

9. IF FARM LAND STATE CROPS SOWN

- 4. INSURANCE CARRIED ON ABOVE PROPERTY: _____
- 5. MORTGAGES, LIENS AND OTHER CLAIMS ON PROPERTY IN POSSESSION OF OTHERS: _____
- 6. MONEYS OWING TO YOU (State if any of these debts assigned and if so, to whom) _____
- 7. BONDS, DEBENTURES, SHARES, STOCKS OR OTHER SECURITIES (State whereabouts) _____
- 8. BANK ACCOUNTS: None
- 9. LIFE INSURANCE: None
- 10. INTEREST IN ANY ESTATES OR TRUSTS: _____
- 11. SAFETY DEPOSIT BOX: No.

LIABILITIES:

- 1. PERSONAL DEBTS: _____
- 2. TRADE DEBTS: Various, approximately \$400.00

I, the undersigned, hereby voluntarily turn over to the Custodian all my property in the protected area as set out above, excepting fishing vessels, deposits of money, shares of stock, debentures, bonds or other securities, if any.

I certify that the above information is true and complete and fully discloses all my property of every description in any protected area in British Columbia and sets forth all my liabilities direct and indirect.

Dated this 30 day of July 1942.

(Signature) T. Yamamoto

J. G. Sheary
Witness

FOR DEPARTMENTAL USE _____

INFORMATION FROM R.C.M.P.

Date July 26/42

Our File No. Int. 723

Full Name YAMAMOTO Teizo
(Surname in Block Letters)

Registration No. 05758

Male - Female
(check)

Age Jan 6, 1898

Former Address 1316 Kingway Ave. City
332 St. 5th Ave. City

Date Evacuated Mar. 15/42 Naturalized - Canadian-Born - National
(check)

Present Address Interned - Sept. 26/42

Married - Single
(check)

Name of Wife Taume # 03626

Name of Husband -

Name of Mother YAMAMOTO

Name of Father Toniya (Japan)

Names of Children under 16 Chiyo (Japan)
(over)

Requested by [Signature]

Registered with Custodian
(Yes or No)

Additional Information Storekeeper

PERSONAL PROPERTY SUMMARY

File XI.723

Re: Taizo YAMAMOTO, Reg. No. 05758

May 19, 1949

This man was interned on September 26, 1942. He was in internment until 1946.

In JP of July 30, 1942, Yamamoto reported "very little furniture at 332 W.5th to be left in house when evacuated." Goods found at 332 W.5th were mainly without identification. Nothing identified as property of Yamamoto was found. With concurrence of Yamamoto and of Mr. Gentaro Tehara (whose property had been left at 332 W.5th also) the proceeds of unidentified chattels sold were remitted to Mr. Fred Kotaro Nishikawa (File 2831) on April 6, 1949.

Yamamoto had operated the Kingsway Fish Market at 1316 Kingsway, Vancouver.

March 25, 1942, J. D. Mather sent in report showing an inventory of stock & fixtures. The values of this inventory were, Goods - \$228.56 and Fixtures \$239.50. The stock & fixtures were advertised for sale April 5, 1942 and were sold for a total of \$376.00. Disbursements of \$62.70 left net proceeds from sale of \$303.30. This sum was distributed to creditors as shown on sheet filed directly behind this summary.

A clothing shop operated by Yamamoto next door to the Kingsway Fish Market was disposed of by himself and no funds from this sale came to Custodian.

Wages of \$16.82 were paid in to Custodian by the Dept. of Mines & Resources on behalf of Yamamoto. These funds were remitted to Yamamoto, Sept. 7, 1943.

/FM No other property referred to on file.

Mather

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MEMORANDUM

March 23rd, 1949.

Files 2831/1 - Fred Kotaro Nishikawa
2236 - Gentaro Tehara
I.I.723 - Teiso Yamamoto

To: Miss Matheson

From: E. Robertson

Re: Unidentified chattels in Chattels Suspense Account from Vancouver Auctions 508 & 509 in name of Fred Kotaro NISHIKAWA, File 2831.

All chattels removed from 332-4-6 W. 5th Avenue, Vancouver, and sold at auction in Mr. Nishikawa's name at Vancouver Auctions 508 and 509, were mixed with goods belonging to Teiso Yamamoto and Gentaro Tehara. As these goods could not be identified under correct ownership all proceeds from their sale at auction were transferred into Chattel Suspense Account in accordance with the memo of October 12, 1946, on file.

In accordance with memos of March 18, 1948, and February 2, 1949, all goods that could be identified as relating to the goods claimed for by Mr. Nishikawa and Mr. Tehara in claims filed by them on November 22nd, 1947 and December 1st, 1948, respectively, were transferred from Chattel Suspense Account to their respective accounts.

We have now received a letter from Mr. Nishikawa, dated March 17, 1949, enclosing authorizations from Gentaro Tehara and Teiso Yamamoto to release the balance of the chattel funds in Chattel Suspense from the above auctions in Mr. Nishikawa's name, to Mr. Nishikawa for distribution among them. (NOTE: Mr. Nishikawa has explained in his letter of March 17, 1949 that it was Mr. Teiso YAMAMOTO, not Chikao YAMAMOTO, who left goods at the premises formerly owned by him (Nishikawa). On checking Chikao Yamamoto's file it is noted that no itemised list of goods was ever submitted to the Custodian and Chikao Yamamoto was repatriated in October 1946).

Kindly, therefore, transfer the following from Chattel Suspense Account to the account of Fred Kotaro NISHIKAWA:

<u>Vancouver 508 - Aug. 31/44</u>			
2 small cardboard suitcases	.25	Bedpan	.25
Garden tools	.60	Rope	3.10
Window Screen	1.15	Box of junk	.35
Flay Pan	2.40	Box of junk	.35
H. M. table	.35	Box of junk	1.00
Small Cabinet	.25	Old umbrella	.10
Tool Cabinet & contents	5.00	Table lamp	.25
Child's commode	.50	Box of tools	2.60
Child's chest of drawers	.25	Box of tools	1.25
Cabinet	2.00	Garden hose	2.50
2 small mirrors	1.10	Box of junk	1.35
Chest of drawers	2.25	Bag of golf clubs	12.00
	<u>16.10</u>	Fish bowl	1.40
		Nut bowl	.45
<u>Vancouver 509 - Sept. 7/44</u>		Garden tools	1.30
Box of Junk	.50	2 small cabinets	.10
Box of Junk	.75	1 small cabinet	.80
Box of Junk	2.00	Toolchest	.25
Box of Miscellaneous	.85	Coal oil heater	.45
Coal oil stove (incomplete)	.50	Chest of drawers	1.20

Yancover 509 (continued)

H. M. fern stand	.10	Child's wicker chair	.25
Shelves	.70	2 small h.m. tables	.40
2 H. M. stools	.35	1 small h.m. table	.25
Chest of drawers	.50	Bamboo bookshelf	.50
2 small h. m. tables	.45	Lawn chair	1.35
Shelves	.35	H.M. cupboard	.25
Cupboard	2.50	H.M. desk	3.00
Baby crib	1.20	Portable gramophone	15.50
Baby crib	1.00	Baby crib	3.75
Bedroll	.20	Regal Vacuum (very poor cond.)	3.50
6 chairs very poor condition	2.25	Moffat range gas	18.50
2 small pieces of linoleum	.25		
H. M. table	.10		
Bunk pad	.25		
			93.40

"E. Robertson"

March 24, 1949.

To: Accounting Dept.

From: F. Matheson

Charge G/181 and credit File 2831 as follows:

Yancover Auction 508

Amount Realized - \$16.10

Expenses 6.11

Net Credit: \$9.99

Yancover Auction 509

Amount Realized: \$93.40

Expenses: \$24.53

Net Credit: \$68.87

/TM

"F. Matheson"

CHATELAIN SUMMARY

File No. 2831
File No. 2236
File No. 1237

Fred Kotaro NISHIKAWA (Mr.)
Gentara TERADA (Mr.)
Chikao YAMAMOTO (Restricted)

Reg. No. 08755.
Reg. No. 01981
Reg. No. 06532 - *Copy prepared
of file # 1
723.*

Mr. Fred Kotaro NISHIKAWA in his JP Form dated April 11, 1942, declared that he had no chattels in the protected area of British Columbia. His wife, Kimiya, however declared in her JP Form dated September 9, 1942 (File 1237) a number of chattels as being left at 334 W. 5th Avenue, Vancouver. The chattels, however, have been handled on the husband's file, No. 2831.

On September 9, 1943, Mr. Gentara TERADA (File 2236) advised that most of his belongings were stored in a room at 334 W. 5th Avenue and on February 18, 1944, Mr. Chikao YAMAMOTO (File 1237) declared that he left "our stuff" at 332 West 5th Avenue. Gentara Terada listed the articles left by him in a letter dated June 8, 1945, but no list of the goods declared to be left at the above address by Yamamoto was ever received by the Custodian, although it was requested.

According to a memo on file dated November 23, 1943, Mr. D. A. Smith of the Custodian's Office reported that the chattels at 334 W. 5th Avenue were of an inferior quality, mostly home-made articles, and if moved to Custodian storage would cause difficulties. He stated that the Japanese had failed to mark their chattels with their names and identification was impossible.

A memo on file dated September 6, 1944 states that all chattels were removed from the above address to Hillard's Auction Room where they were sold at auction under the name of NISHIKAWA. This memo states that there were supposed to be articles belonging to Chikao YAMAMOTO and Gentara TERADA but in the absence of identification marks it was impossible to find anything belonging to these persons.

In an endeavor to identify the chattels sold at auction Mr. Doest wrote to Nishikawa on November 29, 1944 advising that owing to the mixed condition of the goods and the complete absence of identification marks it was quite impossible to find anything belonging to any individual owners, although some articles were supposed to belong to G. Yamamoto and G. Terada. He also enclosed the auction sheets covering the sale of the chattels at auction and asked Nishikawa to mark up the sheets showing who the various items belonged to. He wrote to Nishikawa again on February 24, 1946 regarding these chattels, at which time we advised that the proceeds from the sale of these goods were being held until the chattel situation had been cleared up.

A lengthy reply was received from Nishikawa on February 9, 1946, in which he stated that he had sent the auction sheets to Gentara TERADA, who later advised Nishikawa that he could not identify his chattels from the auction sheets as many of the items read "Box of Junk, dishes, box of crockery, etc." Nishikawa advised that considering the fact that there were many different persons left their chattels in the same room it was impossible to identify one's claim. Under the circumstances, Nishikawa advised, he was of the opinion that once they "regain their freedom" those having claims should get together if possible and make a final settlement in the presence of the persons concerned.

All chattels, with the exception of a few which were abandoned as having no value (see memo September 1, 1944), were sold at Vancouver Auctions 906 and 907 on August 21, 1944 and September 7, 1944, respectively. The proceeds derived from the sale of the above goods are being transferred to Suspense Account for the time being. (Memo re transfer dated October 12, 1946).

CHATELAIN INVENTORY

File No. 2831
 File No. 12377
 File No. 2736

Fred Kotaro NISHIKAWA
 Chiyo YAMAMOTO
 Saburo TERADA

Reg. No. 08755
 Reg. No. 06392
 Reg. No. 01981

(NOTE: Fred Kotaro NISHIKAWA declared in his JP form that he had no chattels in the protected area of British Columbia, but his wife, Chiyo Nishikawa, File 12377, declared a number of chattels as being left at 334 W. 5th Ave., Vancouver, and these are dealt with on the husband's file, 2831.)

Declared by Chiyo NISHIKAWA (File 12377) wife of Fred Kotaro Nishikawa, as being left at 334 W. 5th Ave., Vancouver

	<u>Sold</u>	<u>Auctioned</u>	<u>Other Disposition</u>
1 box books, etc.		Aug. 31/44 (World Encyclopedia)	
1 box rubber shoes, skates		Aug. 31/44 (rubbers)	
1 box suits, shirts		Aug. 31/44 (2 rubber suits)	
1 box records			
1 china cabinet		Aug. 31/44	
1 small table		Aug. 31/44	
1 wicker chair		Aug. 31/44	
1 rice box			
1 box books			
1 set Japanese girl's festival dolls			
1 box boy's festival dolls		Sept. 7/44 (dolls)	
1 box toys			
1 box dolls		Aug. 31/44	
1 box Japanese shrines			
1 tokonoma			
2 mikoto			
2 trunks		Aug. 31/44	
1 box kitchen utensils		Aug. 31/44	
7 chairs		Sept. 7/44	
1 stapler		Aug. 31/44	
1 shoe box			
1 box linoleum			
2 bundles shingles		Sept. 7/44 (2 small pcs.)	Abandoned (odd lumber)
2 mats		Sept. 7/44	
1 box Japanese dishes		Sept. 7/44	
water pipes			
flower vase			
about \$15.00 lumber		Aug. 31/44	
1 box Jap. flower vases		Sept. 23/43 for \$6.00 to Mr. S. Barrett.	
1 1-gal. pail		Sept. 7/44	
1 1-gal. pail			
1 small pail			
1 gal. pot of paint			
1 paint brushes		Sept. 7/44	
1 clothes bag			
1 box picture frames			

Declared by
Mitsuo NISHIKAWA,
wife of F.A. Nishi-
kawa (continued)

- 1 box kimono
- 1 basket new clothes
- 1 bed
- 1 baby bed
- 1 sofa bed
- 1 gas stove
- 6 chairs
- 1 kitchen cupboard
- 2 tables
- 3 brass kitchen
utensils
- 1 bureau

Declared by Gensiro
YAMADA (letter June
8, 1945) as being
left at 334 W. 9th
St.

- 1 large platter
- 18 pcs. 4 1/2" saucers
- 10 " Japanese teacups
- 8 wine cups
- 12 chopsticks
- 1 large butcher knife
- 1 small butcher knife
- 22 pcs. 5 1/2" saucers
- 16 rice bowls
- 4 wine heating bottles
- 1 doz. glass wine cups
- 7 pcs. Jap. tea cups
- Picture frames, etc.
- 17 x 14 Jap. silk han made
embroidered picture
- 15 x 20 picture & frame
- 10x15" etching
- 10 1/2 x 12 1/2 2 pcs.
- 4 x 6
- 9 x 12 4 pcs.
- 12x14 floral picture &
frame
- 6x8, 6x10, 4 x 6
- 18x22 2 pcs.
- 18" round picture frame
- 18"
- 13 pcs. aluminum saucers

Sold

Auctioned

Other Disposition

Sept. 7/44
Sept. 7/44
Sept. 7/44
Sept. 7/44
Sept. 7/44
Sept. 7/44 (chest of drawers)

Abandoned (Sept. 1/44)
Abandoned (Sept. 1/44)

Sept. 7/44 (teaset)

Sept. 7/44 (books)
Sept. 7/44 (books)

Sept. 7/44 (glasses)
Sept. 7/44 (teaset)

Sept. 7/44: "Picture frames,
pictures, picture,
2 picture frames"
Aug. 31/44: "5 pictures"

Declared by Sharpe
THANA (File 2836),
undivided

Sold Auctioned Other Disposition

- 1 baseball glove
- 10 1/2 x 13 1/2
- 4 1/2 x 9 1/2
- 9 1/2 x 11 1/2
- 11 x 14
- 12 x 16 Floral
- 8 x 11 10 x 14
- 12 x 16 lacquered tray
- 1 cellulose brush
- 1 paper hanger's brush
- 6 ash trays
- 1 silver bread plate
- No. 1 Box
- 4 wood & butter plates
- 8 silver plates
- 2 salt & pepper shakers
- 6 spoons & knives
- 12 ceramic dishes
- 4 glass candy dishes
- 4 fruit bowls
- 1 soup bowl
- 1 water pitcher
- 2 glass sauce pitchers
- 1 egg beater
- 1 potato peeler
- 1 sim. grater
- 4 wooden rice spoons
- 1 wooden bowl spoon
- 1 cut sugar & cream

Aug. 31/44 (Letter Tray)

Sept. 7/44 (3)

Sept. 7/44
Sept. 7/44 (2 large)

Sept. 7/44 (glass
bowl)

No. 4 Box
Contents - bedding &
clothes, etc.

Sept. 7/44 (bedroll,
bunk pad)

- No. 1 Box
- 1 cup
- 3 cushions
- 2 pillow
- 1 tennis racket
- 2 wooden rice pots
- 2 copper pots
- 1 turkey roaster (new)
- 1 wooden tray (round)
- 2 frying pan
- 1 Electric plate (single)
- 1 flower vase
- 1 salt & pepper set
- 3 wood grater
- 1 silver cake plate
- 1 grind stone
- and many Japanese &
English records, oilcloth
& coat hanger

Sept. 7/44
Aug. 31/44

Sept. 7/44
Sept. 7/44
Sept. 7/44 (2)

Aug. 31/44

Declared by Gustave
YERARA (File 2236),
continued

See 2 list

- 1 doz. light bulbs
- 1 doz. rice bowls (new)
- Wooden Cabinet,
ornaments, etc.
- 1 tea pot
- 1 camera stand
- 1 electric gramophone
pickup

Books

3 or 4 large clothes bags
contents as follows, all
found new

found new

2 - 8" boots, made by
"Pierre Paris"

Aug. 31/44

2 - 10" rubber boots

Aug. 31/44

1 Indian sweater

2 pr. slippers

4 " Indian socks

4 " work shirts

6 " leather mitts

6 " woolen mitts

4 " linen pants

2 sets Fla coats & hats

3 pr. woolen long Johns

Aug. 31/44

1 bookcase-cupboard case, con-
tents used clothings of
all sorts, etc.

Declared by Chines
YAMAHITO (File 12377)
in letter Feb. 18/44

"We left our stuffs to
112 West 5th Avenue"

—no inventory of any
kind on file, and nothing
on wife's file.

Sold

Auctioned

Other Disposition

CHATELAIN SUMMARY - continued from October 13

201/A - Fred Katsu HIRAHARA
202 - Genshiro YAMADA
L.I.703 - Takao YAMAMOTO

Reg. No. 0775
Reg. No. 0191
Reg. No. 0775

LETTERS TO CHATELAIN SUMMARY of October 13th, 1946, on file 201/A.

Mr. Hahilman advised the Custodian by letter, Oct. 25, 1946, that "as far as the records show, there were only Takuro and Emuoto who had any quantity of storage, while others with less baggage and value, left theirs with their own names." He also advised that both Mr. Takuro and Mrs. Emuoto entrusted him with the cash distribution of the chattel proceeds among them.

A check of Mr. Hahilman's file (also that of his wife) does not reveal that any persons other than Takuro and Emuoto left goods at Hahilman's former residence. However, according to a memo dated July 22, 1947, Mr. Hahilman stated that G. Emuoto, to whom we referred, was not the one whose chattels were sold along with his (Hahilman's) at auction but that the YAMAMOTO concerned was living in Port William and he was unable to remember his full name and address.

The Custodian wrote to Genshiro Takuro on November 4, 1946 advising him that before the funds could be released to Mr. Hahilman it would be necessary that we have on file a letter from him (Takuro) authorizing us to do so and in his reply of January 2, 1947, Takuro said he indicated to make a written statement for release at present "since the Cooperative Committee for Japanese is conducting the nation wide survey of property losses suffered by the Japanese war". We also wrote to Mr. Hahilman on November 4, 1946 advising him that as soon as we had received authorization to do so from Takuro and Emuoto, we would release the funds to him (Hahilman). We told Mr. Hahilman that Mr. G. Emuoto had been restricted but stated that he would endeavor to obtain Mr. Emuoto's authorization.

As the necessary letters of authorization were not forwarded to this office the funds from Vancouver Auctions 308 and 309, sold under Mr. Hahilman's name, were held in Chattel Japanese account until claims were filed against the Government by Fred Katsu Hahilman and Genshiro Takuro, at which time all chattels that could be identified as relating to their claims were transferred from Chattel Japanese Account to the respective accounts of Hahilman and Takuro. (See memo dated March 15, 1949 and February 2, 1949).

Mr. Hahilman has now advised the Custodian by letter dated March 17, 1949 that it was Mr. Takao YAMAMOTO (L.I.703) who left goods along with his at 122-4-6 V. 5th Avenue, Vancouver, and further stated that neither he nor his parents had any knowledge of Mr. Genshiro Emuoto leaving chattels at their former home in Vancouver. (Since Mr. Genshiro Emuoto's file reveals that he declared "what" left at 122 V. 5th Avenue but at no time provided this office with a list of goods left at that address and at no time reported information relative thereto before being restricted to Japan on October 2nd, 1946. A check of Takao YAMAMOTO's file and that of his wife reveal that goods were left at 122 V. 5th Avenue, Vancouver.) With his letter of March 17, 1949, Mr. Hahilman enclosed letters from Genshiro Takuro and Takao Emuoto authorizing the Custodian to release the balance of funds in Chattel Japanese Account to Mr. Hahilman for distribution among them. These funds have now been transferred from Chattel Japanese Account to Mr. Hahilman's account and are being retained to him forthwith for distribution, the clearing Chattel Japanese Account relative to goods received from 122-4-6 V. 5th Ave. in Fred Katsu's name and sold at Vancouver Auctions 308 and 309.

March 25, 1949.

P/W. 747 YAMAMOTO, TEIZO

J.R. #00758

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OFFICE OF THE CUSTODIAN
office of the custodian
Victoria Building, 70 Dundas St.
Ottawa, Ont.

File No.

Dear Sirs:

In order to assist this office in the administration of your property, kindly submit a complete statement covering the following with full particulars in each case; should you have nothing to report, insert the word "NIL", sign your name and please return this letter at once.

A BANK ACCOUNTS: 1. Name of Bank..... Nil

2. Branch..... "

3. Cash Balance..... "

B SECURITIES: 1 Description and quantity..... "

..... "

C REAL ESTATE: 1. Description..... "

..... "

2. Location..... "

3. Municipality..... "

D INSURANCE: 1. Name of Company..... "

2. Number of policies..... "

3. Amount of each..... "

E CLAIMS: 1. Nature..... Road camp cheque B.F. 2

2. Amount..... 20 Days at \$50.00 per month

3. Name and address of debtor..... Shander River Road camp Canadian Government

F DEBTS: 1. Nature..... Nil

2. Amount..... "

3. Name and address of creditor..... "

..... "

[Handwritten Signature]
Witness

[Handwritten Signature]
Signature

If you have appointed a relative or a friend to look after your interests, kindly furnish his name and address.

NAME.....

ADDRESS.....

Yours very truly,

(A.H. Mathieu)
Assistant Deputy Custodian

[Handwritten initials]

COPY

J. D. MATHER

315 Metropolitan Building,
Vancouver, B.C.

March 25th, 1942.

The Custodian of Enemy Property,
506 Royal Bank Building,
Vancouver, B.C.

Dear Sir:-

Re: Yamamoto, Kingsway Fish Market,
1316 Kingsway, Vancouver.

On your instructions on March 20th I inspected the above location and proceeded with taking of inventory.

Yamamoto holds the premises under a month to month tenancy paying a monthly rental of \$35.00, the rental now being paid in advance to March 31st next. He has carried on this business at the above location for approximately 12 years. The landlord, Mr. F.J. Gurney holds a key to the premises.

I found on hand a small quantity of fruit and vegetables which had been in stock for a week or more and which was generally in poor condition some of it being unsaleable. On receiving your authority by telephone I disposed of this stock for the sum of \$8.00.

I enclose herewith inventory in triplicate made up as follows:

Furniture and fixtures -	\$239.50
Stock-in-trade -	<u>228.56</u>
	\$468.06

I would recommend that the business be offered for sale by tender immediately and that the period between advertising and the closing of tenders be limited to the shortest time to avoid further rental.

Yours truly,

"J.D.Mather"

Brown

J. D. MATHER

318 METROPOLITAN BUILDING

VANCOUVER, B. C.

April 2nd, 1942

The Custodian of Enemy Property
506 Royal Bank Building,
Vancouver, B.C.

Dear Sir:-

Re: Teezo Yamamoto, Kingsway Fish
Market, 1316 Kingsway.

Supplementary to my report of March 25th on the above I beg to advise you that I have received information that Yamamoto in addition to the above market owned a clothing store which he operated on Kingsway next door to the above location. About one week before he was taken in by the Commission he sold the clothing store for cash the stock being clear of liability. Possibly this matter should be further investigated.

Yours truly

J. D. Mather

YAMAMOTO

KINGSWAY FISH MARKET,
1316 Kingsway, - Vancouver, B.C.

INVENTORY - FIXTURES

FIXTURES:

1 Computing Scale, - Computing Scale Co. of Can. #321094 - 60 lbs.	\$ 35.00
1 Computing Scale, - Computing Scale Co. of Can. #302067 - 60 lbs.	35.00
1 Cash Register - National, #3503810-4224 - 1 Drawer	100.00
1 Refrigerator - Sanderson-Harold, Air Conditioned, 5 cu. ft.	25.00
1 Bicycle - Old - L.C. 1989	10.00
1 Showcase - Small - 10" x 14" x 24"	2.50
2 Counters and Shelving	10.00
2 Kegs - 4 gal. with faucet	5.00
14 Fish trays - enamel	7.00

SUPPLIES:

2 Paper Racks	
24 lbs. Wrapping paper - White - Broken Package	
5 " " " Brown " "	
4000 Sheets Food Wraps 8" x 11" Brown " "	10.00
1 Cn. (300) Light Containers 1/2 pt. " "	
1 Cn. Paper Bags, assorted " "	

\$ 239.50

I N V E N T O R Y

YAMAMOTO

KINGSWAY FISH MARKET,
1316 Kingsway, - Vancouver, B.C.

STOCK ON HAND:

12 only	Salt - Windsor	2 lbs.	\$.93
9	Catsup, Okanagan	16 oz.	.75
25	Tomatoes, Nabob	16 oz.	2.08
24	"	28 oz.	2.75
20	Lima Beans, "	16 oz.	2.41
13	Green Beans, Lunch Hour	16 oz.	1.08
31	Corn, Aylmer	16 oz.	3.16
10	Tomatoes, Malkins	16 oz.	.83
40	Pork & Beans, Aylmer	20 oz.	3.41
75	"	15 oz.	5.31
12	"	28 oz.	1.50
9	Apricots, Malkins	16 oz.	1.18
11	Pineapple, (Cubes)	15 1/2 oz.	1.34
17	Plums, Aylmer prime	16 oz.	1.41
3	Sauer Kraut, Libby's	28 oz.	.40
2	Pears, Dessert, Maple Leaf	16 oz.	.19
16	Plums - Red, Malkins Ensign	16 oz.	1.33
41	Pork & Beans do	18 oz.	3.42
4	Beets, Diced, Polly Prime	16 oz.	.33
15	" Garden Elf	16 oz.	1.25
4	Dill Pickles (Glass) Libby's	14 oz.	.48
10	Pickles, Sweet, Libby (Glass)	15 oz.	2.00
81	Grape Fruit Juice - Orchard Garden	20 oz.	7.59
12	Corn, Malkins Whole Kernel	12 oz.	1.40
3	Blueberries, Eagle Brand	18 oz.	.63
4	Pickles, Malkins	6 1/2 oz.	.33
3	Pickles (Glass) Nalleys Wonder	18 oz.	.83
4	" " Best Foods (B.&But.)	15 oz.	.58
1	" Sweet mixed, Pick Brand	28 oz.	.23
10	" " Nalleys	27 oz.	2.45
9	" Family Circle	13 oz.	1.12
2	" Crispie	14 oz.	.25
7	" (Sweet Gerkins) Crunchy	7 oz.	1.17
2	Catsup, Nabob	12 oz.	.27
6	Maple Syrup, Nabob	15 1/2 "	1.50
11	Sauce, John Bull, Princess	5 oz.	1.10
11	Vinegar, Princess	10 oz.	.87
9	" Sun Ripe Apple Cider	16 oz.	1.01
7	Olives, Mixed, Nabob	4 oz.	1.05
1	French Dressing, Best Foods	16 oz.	.33
4	Tomato Juice, Libbys	14 1/2 oz.	.19
3	Beans, Cut Wax	16 oz.	.29
5	" Cut Green	16 oz.	.41
3	Mustard, Prep. Happyvale	9 1/2 oz.	.30
2	Peanut Butter, A & Mc (Glass)	6 1/2 oz.	.25
8	Honey, Nalleys	16 oz.	1.33
1	"	8 oz.	.12
1	Cheese, Hunter's Cream	2 oz.	.07
2	" " Plain	4 oz.	.21
1	" " "	8 oz.	.18
9	Salad Dressing, Kreme Whipt	16 oz.	2.21
1	" " Nalleys Tang	8 oz.	.18
1	" " Salad Time	12 oz.	.20
1	" " Table Queen	4 1/2 oz.	.08
4	Sandwich Spread, Best Foods	8 oz.	.85
4	" " Nalleys	8 oz.	.76
2	Mayonnaise	8 oz.	.37

2 only	Tartar Sauce	Best Foods	8 oz.	.38
2	Sandwich Spread	Nalleys	3 oz.	.19
4	Salad Dressing	Kraft Mir. Whip	4 "	.41
2	Honey	Bramar	8 "	.33
16	Mustard, prep.	Nalleys	6 "	1.20
8	Chile Con Carne	Libbys	10 1/2 "	1.14
8	Pork & Beans	Campbells	21 "	.86
8	Grape Fruit Juice	Nabob	15 "	.50
15	Baked Beans	Can. Beauty	16 "	1.06
19	Toilet Paper	Purex		1.33
7	Strawberry Jam	Ensign	4 18s.	3.47
7	" "	Malkins	4 "	4.23
1	Apple & Blackberry	Peter Pan	4 "	.37
1	Apple & Raspberry	"	4 "	.37
1	Beet Relish	Princess	9 ozs.	.12
6	Vanilla Extract	Ensign	2 "	.45
3	Lemon	Malkins	2 "	.60
6	Jam	Ensign	32 "	1.62
2	"	"	12 "	.33
2	Marmalade	Aylmer	32 "	.48
3	" (Pineapple)	"	32 "	.78
2	1/4 Weston Biscuit			.63
18 Pkg.	Jeff Soap Flakes	(Large)		4.05
10	Paper Napkins	45s		.79
8 Tins	Malkin's Grapefruit Juice		50 oz.	1.63
15 Pkg.	Cubs Toasted Whole Wheat		10 "	1.56
3	Fetherlite Waffle Flour		20 "	.27
6 Pkg.	Nabob Tea		8 "	2.28
1	"		16 "	.74
8	Salada	"	3 1/2 "	1.37
9	"	"	1 3/4 "	.77
57 only	Campbell's Soups		10 "	6.17
72	Hedlunds		10 1/2 "	6.60
6	Malkins Tapioca		16 "	.95
4	Baker's Coconut		4 "	.37
14	Memba Pectin		3 "	1.40
8	Junket Ice Cream Mix		4 1/2 "	.63
6	Lexia Raisins		12 "	.60
3	Cow Brand Baking Soda		8 "	.15
9	Bird's Custard Powder		2-7/8 oz.	.71
2	Rennie Bird Seed		16 oz.	.29
6 Pkg.	Paper Cups	12s		.57
6	"	6s		.40
1	Seedless Raisins	Malkins	15 oz.	.15
5 lbs.	Spaghetti			.35
4 Rolls	Wax paper - 40 feet			.38
1 lb.	Parowax			.15
3 only	Baker's Chocolate		3 oz.	.25
22	Malkins Spices		1 1/2 " paper	.91
42	"		1 1/2 " tins	2.80
6	Boxes Tooth Picks			.22
7	Coleman's Mustard		4 oz.	1.63
4	Golden Syrup		2 lbs.	.80
2	Knox Gelatine		1 oz.	.36
2	Nalley's Syrup	(Glass)	21 "	.41
4	Best Foods French Dressing		8 "	.85
5	Malkins Concentrated Orange Juice		15 1/2 "	1.23
6	Nabob Maple Syrup		15 1/2 "	1.50
3	Welch Grape Juice		16 "	.72
3	Olive Oil		4 "	.60
6	"		8 "	1.75
21	Nabob Grapefruit Juice		15 "	1.75
10	" Pineapple		10 "	1.00
164 Tins	Aylmer Soups		10 "	12.98
6	Jiffy Ready Dinner		16 "	.70
15	"		8 "	1.28
16	Jars Jam - Leland Co.		12 "	2.00
3 only	Budget Salmon		3 1/4 "	.24
2	Delta Manor Chicken Sandwich Spread			.16
3	Hedlunds Mock Chicken Loaf			.50
1	Roast Beef & Gravy			.20

1		Hedlunds Mushrooms		.17
1		Aylmers Chicken		.28
7		Hedlunds Chicken a la King		1.92
4		Delta Manor Chicken		.91
3		Money's Mushroom Broth		.25
5		Hedlunds Ham		.37
4		" " and Chicken		.30
2		Tins Hamlet Corn Beef		.40
2		" El Rancho " "		.40
15	Tins	Gold Seal Sandwich Spread	20 oz.	1.12
4	"	Red Seal Salmon	3 1/2 "	.32
1	"	Norris Pineapple	19 "	.13
1	"	Gold Seal Herring	19 "	.10
1	"	Heintz Soup	10 "	.09
10	"	Fry's Cocoa	1 lb.	1.66
5	"	Neilson's Cocoa	1/2 "	.79
6	Glasses	Aylmer Jelly	12 oz.	.75
6	Pkg.	Dom. Sealtite Jar Rubbers		.26
7	"	Malkins Butter Scotch	8 "	.40
6	"	Cream of Tartar	2 "	.95
8	"	Malkin's Tapioca	8 "	.80
4	"	Durham Corn Starch	16 "	.40
4	"	Cream of Wheat	14 "	.46
5	"	Jello	3 1/2 "	.31
8	"	Lushus Dessert	4 "	.56
10	"	Windsor Salt 2#	2 lbs.	.77
1	"	Durham Corn Starch (damaged)	1 "	--
5	Tins	Nabob Tomatoes	28 ozs.	.57
32		Counter Check Books		2.13
2	Tins	Nabob Tomatoes	16 "	.16
1	Pkg.	Malkins Soup Mix	10 "	.08
1	"	Robertsons Almond Paste	8 "	.28
5	"	Salada Tea	3 1/2 "	.86
3	"	Salada Tea	8 "	1.17
1	Tin	Eagle B. Clams	10 "	.12
1	"	Malkins Grapefruit Juice	18 "	.08
1	"	Jiffy Veal Loaf	6 "	.08
1	"	Hedlunds Chicken	3 1/2 "	.08
6	"	C & B Date & Nut Bread	10 "	.77
7	"	Dyson's Bak. Powder	12 "	1.10
7	"	Aunt Dinah Mollasses	19 "	.84
4	"	Aylmer Infant Foods	6 "	.47
3	"	Favorite Foods Ready Dinner	16 "	.46
3	"	Hedlunds Meat Balls	16 "	.65
8	"	" Quick Dinner	8 "	1.10
12	"	Nabob Lemonade	7 "	.90
9	"	Salmon (Great Northern)	11 1/2 "	1.09
6	"	Better Buy Asparagus	10 "	.50
1	"	Nabob Baking Powder	12 "	.17
6	"	Malkins Tomatoes	10 "	.50
12	lbs.	Mince Meat		1.20
7	Tins	Stability Cranberry Sauce		.96
2	Pkg.	Pacific Matches, 6 boxes ea. 10¢ size		1.00
5	"	Royal Crown Sal Soda	2 1/2 lb.	.42
39	Cakes	Carbolic Soap		1.62
3	Pkg.	Chipso		.70
3	"	Lux, small		.27
24	"	Rinso, "		2.36
53	Cakes	Pearl Soap		2.43
3	Tins	Royal Crown Cleanser		.11
27	"	" " Lye		2.19
14	"	GoldDust		3.90
9	"	Jiffy ReadyDinner	16 oz.	1.05
3	"	Hedlunds Chicken a la King	10 1/2 "	.82
6	"	Nabob Lemonade Powder	7 "	.45
4	"	Hedlunds Soups	10 1/2 "	.37
3	"	Jiffy Beef Stew	16 "	.55

5	Tins	Eagle Brand Clams			.62
6	"	Salmon Red Seal	5 1/2	oz.	.63
2	"	Salmon Gold Seal	7 1/2	"	.58
1	"	" Red Seal	7 1/2	"	.14
1	"	" Great Northern	3 1/2	"	.07
2	"	Seagull Brand Lobster Paste	3 1/2	"	.15
4	"	Jiffy Beef Hash	8	"	.32
4	"	Hedlunds Ready Dinner	8	"	.40
2	"	Hedlunds Mock Chicken Loaf	8	"	.33
4	"	Equity Sockeye Salmon	7 1/2	"	.53
7	"	Hedlunds Ham & Chicken	3	"	.52
2	"	El Rancho C ^a Beef	12	"	.41
2	"	Helmet	12	"	.41
5	"	Squirrel B Peanut Butter	12	"	.68
1	"	Hedlunds Soup	10 1/2	"	.09
2	"	" Meat Loaf	8	"	.42
10	"	Great Northern Salmon	11 1/2	"	1.21
3	"	Hedlunds Brawn	16	"	.56
4	"	Jiffy Dinner	8	"	.32
4	"	Fletchers Hams	8	"	.90
3	"	Jiffy Meat Balls	8	"	.24
2	"	Favorite Food Ready Dinner	12	"	.23
21	Jars	Nabob Strawberry Jam	32	"	6.56
2	"	Nalleys Marmalade	32	"	.48
4	"	Aylmer Marmalade	32	"	.96
10	lbs.	Walnuts (estimate)			4.70

\$228.56

Agents of the Government
persons entitled thereto having re-
served only to the claims of which it
shall then have had notice.

DATED the 24th day of March
1944
NORRISON, DOUGLAS & CO.
840 West Broadway
Vancouver, B.C.
Solicitors for the Administration

FOR SALE BY TENDER.

Kingway Fish Market,
1516 Kingway, Vancouver.
TENDERS will be invited by the
undersigned up to 12 o'clock noon
on April 7th, 1944, for the purchase
of the grocery stock and trade fix-
tures of the Teeco (Teana) Yama-
moto, trading as Kingway Fish
Market, at 1516 Kingway, Vanco-
uver.

Inventory may be seen at the
office of the undersigned and in-
spection by appointment.

It will be necessary for the pur-
chaser to arrange for occupancy with
the owner of the premises.

Highest or any tender not neces-
sarily accepted.

J. D. MATHER, Agent,
315 Metropolitan Bldg.
Phone PAc. 6745. Vancouver, B.C.

"COMPANIES ACT."

STATE NOTICE that a meeting of

24-3-44
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CANADA
DEPARTMENT OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE
OFFICE OF THE CUSTODIAN
JAPANESE EVACUATION SECTION

PHONE PACIFIC 6131
PLEASE REFER TO
FILE NO.

505 ROYAL BANK BLDG.,
HASTINGS AND GRANVILLE
VANCOUVER, B.C.

April 6th, 1942.

Mr. G.W. McPherson,
501 Royal Bank Bldg.,
Vancouver, B.C.

Rec'd	APR 9 1942
File No.
Ans.
Referred

Dear Sir:-

re Tsune Yamamoto, 1316 Kingsway
Vancouver, B.C.

This Japanese was the proprietor of a grocery store at 1316 Kingsway and is said by the R.C.M.P. to have been evacuated. We have asked the Police Department to send us written confirmation of this.

A copy of Mr. J.D. Mather's inspection report is forwarded for your information which report shows that in his opinion the business should be offered for sale by tender. We understand the creditors' claims of Yamamoto amount to \$442.58 and include Japanese creditors' claims amounting to \$227.90.

We agree with the agent's recommendations and request that you issue an authority to liquidate under regulation 15 of the Consolidated Regulations Respecting Trading with the Enemy (1939).

Yours truly,

C.L. Drewry
C.L. Drewry
Manager

RFB:EB.
Encl:

4654

May 16, 1942

J. D. Mather Esq.,
315 Metropolitan Building,
Vancouver, B. C.

Dear Sir:

Re: T. Yamamoto.

Following receipt of your report dated March 25th, we requested Mr. T. Yamamoto on March 27th to call upon you on the following day and to discuss with you the question of the sale of his stock for cash in accordance with the recommendation contained in your report.

We do not appear to have received any word from you regarding the outcome of your negotiations in this connection with Mr. Yamamoto and we would appreciate your providing us with this information at this time.

In the event that Mr. Yamamoto did not complete negotiations of sale, we would request that at this time you be good enough to offer this business for sale by tender immediately, and upon receipt of the tenders we shall be glad to hear from you and also to receive your recommendations.

For your information we have on file a claim against Mr. Yamamoto for \$121.90 made by the Coast Growers' Produce Company of 251 East Georgia Street, Vancouver. The Vancouver Pacific Paper Co., Ltd. of 1168 Hamilton Street, Vancouver, informs us that they have a claim against the same individual for \$31.47.

Yours truly,

R. P. Alexander,
Assistant Manager.

RPA/PMH

Shaan

J. D. MATHER

OFFICE OF THE CUSTODIAN
JAPANESE EVACUATION

RECEIVED
SEP 14 1942
315 METROPOLITAN BUILDING

VANCOUVER, B. C.

Sept. 11th, 1942

The Custodian of Enemy Property,
Japanese Evacuation Section,
506 Royal Bank Building,
Vancouver, B. C.

Attention - Mr. Shears

Dear Sir:-

Re - YAMAMOTO Teizo - Your File #4654 05758

This assignment was handed to me on March 20th last, after Yamamoto had been evacuated from Vancouver, no Form "JP" having been provided. He abandoned his premises, leaving the key in possession of the landlord and I was instructed to take possession and dispose of the assets. Yamamoto did leave a statement of his affairs, of which I have the original copy, in which he stated that his liabilities were as follows:

1. Coast Grower's Produce Co., 251 East Georgia Street.	Pacific 5033	\$121.90	- Japanese
2. McMillans Ltd., 129 Water St.	Mar. 4157	46.16	(Phoned Jan 1943)
3. Vancouver Pacific Paper Co., 1168 Hamilton Street,	Mar. 2311	31.49	31
4. International Produce Co. Ltd., 248 Georgia Street East	Pacific 9567	60.95	
5. Wing Lee Limited, 258 Keefer Street	Pacific (8157 - " (8158	45.18	(Phoned Jan 1943)
6. Keefer Florist	MA 0467	15.00	(will file)
7. Choy Show	PA 6745	15.90	(Phoned Jan 1943)
8. Burrard Fish Co. Ltd.	Mihan will investigate	106.00	- Japanese
Total		\$442.58	

I discussed this matter with your Mr. Drewry from time to time and he instructed me to go ahead and dispose of the stock. Accordingly, I called for tenders on April 2nd and on April 10th, sold the stock to the highest bidder, one G. W. Mihan for a net price of \$370. In the meantime, I had sold the perishable vegetables to one Henry Yip for the sum of \$6.00.



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I am now enclosing herewith my cheque for \$303.30, together with a statement of the transaction. The fee of \$40.00 has already been discussed with Mr. McPherson and has been verbally approved by him.

I also enclose copy of advertisement in the "Daily Province" of April 2nd, 1942.

Yours truly,

A. Mather

JDM/ED

J. D. MATHER

315 METROPOLITAN BUILDING

VANCOUVER, B. C.

Sept. 11, 1942

The Custodian of Enemy Property,
Japanese Evacuation Section,
506 Royal Bank Building,
Vancouver, B. C.

RR- KINGSWAY FISH MARKET - 1960 Kingsway, Vancouver
Teiso Yamamoto - Your File No. 4654

1942

Apr. 10	By Sale of Stock to G. W. Mihan	376.00	
	Less allowance for merchandise spoiled	<u>6.00</u>	370.00
" 10	" Sale of fruit and vegetables to Henry Yip		6.00
" 10	To Cost of Inventory	16.50	
" 16	" Proportion of rental	12.00	
" 16	" Advertising Sale	4.20	
" 30	" My fee as agreed	40.00	
Sept. 11	" Cheque herewith	<u>303.30</u>	
		<u>\$376.00</u>	<u>376.00</u>

Re: P/W A-747 - YAMAMOTO, Teled

1.	Coast Grower's Produce Company 251 East Georgia Street	\$121.90 ✓	121.90
2.	McMillans Limited, 129 Water Street	46.16 ✓	46.16
3.	Vancouver Pacific Paper Company, 1163 Hamilton Street	31.47 ✓	31.47

3.	Vancouver Pacific Paper Company, 1168 Hamilton Street	37.00	51.00 ✓	31.47
4.	International Produce Company Limited, 248 East Georgia Street,		60.95 ✓	60.75
5.	Wing Lee Limited 258 Keefer Street		45.18 ✓	45.18
6.	Keefer Florist	13.35	15.00 ✗	13.35
7.	Gboy Show	15.25	15.90 ✓	15.85
8.	Burrard Fish Company Limited (Japanese)	105.20	105.00 ✓	105.70
			<u>\$442.58</u>	<u>440.56</u>

CAMP "X"
 JUN 25 1953
 ORDERLY ROOM

Quote. IOI. P -747

DEPARTMENT OF NATIONAL DEFENCE
(ARMY)

Internment Camp,
ANGLER, Ontario.
26th June, 1943.

Authorized Deputy Custodian,
912 Royal Bank Building,
VANCOUVER, B.C.

Rec'd	JUN 30 1943
File No.	
Ans.	<i>MR. Per</i>
Referred	

Re: P/W A-747 YAMAMOTO, Teizo.

No 723

Receipt is acknowledged of your letter file
dated 23 June 1943 regarding n/n

The Internee states:

This attached list is the one I prepared myself.

Encl: List.

Copy to D.P.O.W.

for
A.R. Campkin Capt.
(W. J.H. Ellwood) Lieut-Colonel.
Commandant
Angler Internment Camp.
Veterans Guard of Canada.

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DISTRIBUTION OF THE ASSETS OF TEIZO YAMAMOTO

	<u>DEBT</u>	<u>DIVIDEND</u>
Coast Growers Produce	\$121.90	\$83.92
McMillans Limited 129 Water Street	46.16	31.78
Vancouver Pacific Paper Co., 1168 Hamilton Street	31.49	21.67
International Produce Co., Ltd., 248 E. Georgia Street	60.95	41.96
Wing Lee Limited 258 Keefer Street	45.18	31.10
Keefer Florist c/o A.J. Cowan, Esq., 553 Granville Street	13.35	9.19
Choy Shaw Company 240 East Georgia	15.85	10.91
Burrard Fish Company	<u>105.70</u>	<u>72.77</u>
	<u>\$440.56</u>	<u>\$303.30</u>

The amount of \$303³⁰ was derived from the sale of the assets of the Kingway Fish Market + the debts listed above are trade debts incurred by that business of which Teizo YAMAMOTO was sole owner.

C
O
P
Y (Original on File 2831/1)

120 Huron Street,
Fort William, Ont.
March 17, 1949.

Office of the Custodian,
906 Royal Bank Building,
Hastings and Granville Sts.,
Vancouver, B. C.

Dear Sir:

I acknowledge receipt of your letter of Dec. 20, 1948, together with the cheque for the sum of \$59.58 from my chattels sales fund.

In your above letter, you have drawn my attention to the fact, that during our Fort William Hearings, Mr. Justice Bird have advised me to obtain confirmations as soon as possible from the person concerned in regards to the distributions of auction sale proceeds.

I am enclosing herewith two letters, one from Mr. G. Tshara of Toronto, Ont., and other from Mr. T. Yamamoto of Gatham, Ontario with their written certification, authorizing all funds to be released to me, and with fair distributions as per our verbal agreements of previous dates.

In this letter as well as in many previous letters, you mentioned about the chattels belonging to Chikao Yamamoto were left in my former home in Vancouver. He was never our tenant, and to date I nor my parents have any knowledge of this person bringing any chattels for storage at our house. His pre-evacuation address was corner of Columbia St. and 4th Avenue, Vancouver, B. C.

Mr. Teizo Yamamoto, whose letter of confirmation I am sending to you, was ~~my tenant~~ prior to the evacuation, and he was engaged in grocery and clothing business near Kingsway St. until the outbreak of Pacific conflict.

I am sorry to bother you at this late date, but if you still have a copy of our auction sales, I would appreciate the list. I have misplaced my original copy.

I hope this letter, together with two letters of confirmation will verify all matters to your satisfaction, and with issuing the cheque for the balance, will end our many years of correspondence and "Finis" with my account.

Yours very truly,

"Fred K. Nishikawa"

Fred K. Nishikawa.

FN
Enc. - 2 letters of confirmation.

Mr. Fred Nelson NISHIKAWA,
Registration No. 07755,
320 Essex Street,
Port William, Ontario.

Dear Sir:

We have for acknowledgment your letter of March 17th, 1949, enclosing authorizations from Mr. Gustave Tolson and Mr. Teizo Yamamoto to release to you for distribution among you the balance of funds held in our Central Response Account from the sale of goods received from 132 West 9th Avenue, Vancouver, B. C.

Such goods as we were able to relate to your claim, and that filed by Mr. Tolson, were transferred from Central Response Account to your respective accounts, leaving a balance of \$78.66 in Central Response Account, Canadian cheque for which is now enclosed. As requested we enclose a copy of the earlier checks and have indicated therein the goods which have been transferred to your account and to Mr. Tolson's account.

We note that it was Mr. Teizo Yamamoto who left goods along with yours at 132 West 9th Avenue, Vancouver, and not Mr. Shiro Yamamoto.

For their information, a copy of this letter is being forwarded to Mr. Tolson and to Mr. Yamamoto.

Kindly acknowledge receipt of the enclosed cheque.

Yours truly,

L. Robertson,
Office of the Custodian.

LR
Encl. - Canadian cheque \$78.66
cc - Mr. G. Tolson
cc - Mr. T. Yamamoto

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Y (Originals on File 2831/1)

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To the Custodian:

I hereby fully authorize Mr. Fred Kotaro Nishikawa to receive the whole amount and entrust him with the fair distributions of the fund amongst us three concerned - namely

Mr. Fred Kotaro Nishikawa
Mr. Yamamoto
& myself.

G. Tohara
Reg. #01981.

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Chatham, Ontario,
February 9, 1949.

Office of the Custodian,
Dept. of the Secretary of State,
506 Royal Bank Bldg,
VANCOUVER, B. C.

Dear Sir:

I hereby give full authorization to Mr. Fred Kotaro Nishikawa to collect all cash proceeds from the auction sales of chattels left in 332-4-6 West 5th Avenue, Vancouver, B. C. which is now held by your office, and also with distributions of the above funds with the persons concerned, as our previous verbal agreements.

Yours truly,

"T. Yamamoto"

MEMORANDUM

TO: Miss Matheson

March 18, 1948

FROM: E. Robertson

Re: Fred Kotaro NISHIKAWA, Reg. No. 08755, File No. 2831

Chattels removed from 332-4-6 W. 5th Avenue, and sold at auction under Mr. F. K. Nishikawa's name at Vancouver Auctions 508 and 509 were mixed with goods belonging to G. Yamamoto and Gentaro TEHARA. Due to the absence of identification marks the proceeds from all the goods sold were transferred to Chattel Suspense Account, as per memo of October 12, 1946. We are now in receipt of a Claim for Chattels from Mr. Nishikawa and wish to have the following goods, which relate to the Claim, transferred from Chattel Suspense to Mr. Nishikawa's account

Auction 508:

2 jardiniere stools	1.00
2 vases	1.75
Clock (alarm)	1.10
2 Alarm Clocks	2.25
2 wooden washtubs	.10
metal safe	.25
Old chair	.25
Trunk	8.00
Trunk	5.75
Washtub (leaking)	.25
World Encyclopedia	6.00
Beltting & rubber Mat	.75
3 cracked cracks	.50
Curtain stretcher	.25
Old wash boiler	1.25
Letter tray and contents	.20
2 Home Made Ironing boards	.20
6 chairs (poor condition)	3.40
Jardiniere stand	.25
6 Jardiniere (some cracked)	5.05
Child's toy bureau	.10
Bamboo Jardiniere	.35
Tailor's Iron	2.00
	<u>\$41.00</u>

Auction 509:

Broken clothes wringer	.50
Brace & bit	.95
3 used pails	.70
Iron post	1.20
Clamps	1.10
2 large plates	3.75
Box of lacquerware	1.20
Box of crockery	2.10
Double boiler	1.30
2 Alum. saucepans	2.00
Lunch kit	.65
Iron toaster	.60
Brass kettle	2.40
Bells	2.00

Toys	1.15
Toys	.90
Toy Piano	2.00
Box of dishes	2.10
Thermo refill	.25
Dishes	.50
Shoebrushes	.25
Partly filled tins of paint	4.80
Knas decorations	2.00
Jardiniere	.45
Kitchen utensils	1.30
Box of odds & ends	1.30
Toy dog	.25
Heating Lamp	.25
Vase	.25
Ashtray	.45
Steamer	.60
Box & contents	.50
H.M. clothes Dryer	.25
Screen door	.60
Ironing board	.10
Home made table	.75
Picture frames	.55
Clothes dryer	1.00
H. M. table	.50
Table	1.00
Table 2 picture frames and mirror	1.50
	<u>46.00</u>

"E. Robertson"

TO: Accounting Department
FROM: F. Matheson

Charge Chattel Suspense & Cr. Fred Kotaro Nishikawa, Reg. No. 08755, File 2831, as follows:

<u>Auction 509, Sept. 7/44</u>			
Cr. G/181	- 112.85	- Expenses: 29.69	Net: 83.16
Cr. 2831	- 46.00	- Expense: 11.82	Net: 34.18
<u>Auction 508, Aug. 31/44</u>			
Cr. G/181	- 42.35	- Expense: 16.08	Net: 26.27
Cr. 2831	- 41.00	- Expense: 15.60	Net: 25.40

"Transfer completed. F. Matheson"

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February 17, 1949.

To: Accounting Department

From: Miss May

Would you please make the following entries:

Yanover Auction 508

Charge Chattel Suspense:	Gross:	\$42.35	Expenses:	\$16.08	Net:	\$26.27
Credit Chattel Suspense:	"	16.10	"	6.22	"	9.99
Credit Centaro TEHARA						
File 2236	"	26.25	"	9.97	"	16.28

Yanover Auction 509

Charge Chattel Suspense:	Gross:	\$112.85	Expenses:	\$29.69	Net:	\$83.16
Credit Chattel Suspense:	"	93.40	"	24.53	"	68.87
Credit Centaro TEHARA						
File 2236		19.45	"	5.16	"	14.29

Transferred October 15, 1946.

"Frances May"

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MEMORANDUM

February 2nd, 1949.

TO: Miss Matheson

FROM: E. Robertson

Re: Gentaro TEHARA, Reg. No. 01981,
File No. 2236.

Chattels removed from 332-4-6 W. 5th Avenue, Vancouver, and sold at auction in Mr. F. I. Nishikawa's name (File 2831) at Vancouver Auctions 508 and 509 were mixed with goods belonging to C. Yamamoto and Gentaro TEHARA. Due to the absence of identification marks the proceeds from all the goods sold were transferred to Chattel Suspense Account as per memo of October 12, 1946. Upon receipt of Mr. Nishikawa's claim for chattels, all goods shown on the auction sheets which could be identified as relating to Mr. Nishikawa's chattel claim were transferred from Chattel Suspense to Mr. Nishikawa's account in accordance with memorandum dated March 18, 1949.

It is now desired to transfer from Chattel Suspense account to Gentaro Tehara's account all those goods which can be identified as relating to the goods claimed for by Mr. Tehara in the claim filed by him on December 1st, 1948, at Toronto, as follows:

<u>Vancouver Auction 508 - Aug. 31/44</u>	
Loggers boots	5.00
Rubbers	2.75
Rubbers	5.00
Loggers boots	5.00
Work mitte	2.00
Rubber suit	1.25
Rubber suit	2.00
Innersoles & gloves	.90
Cushions & picture frames	.75
2 pictures	.10
Picture	.40
2 pictures	1.10
	<u>26.25</u>

<u>Vancouver Auction 509 - Sept. 7/44</u>	
Fry pan	.50
Misc. dishes	.25
Trays	1.10
Glassware	.90
Picture	.20
2 ashtrays	1.50
Teapot	.80
Glass bowls	1.00
2 small Japanese tansets	1.45
Bowls	2.50
Roaster	.40
Glasses	.45
Plates	1.65
Glassware	1.00
Pictures	5.75
	<u>19.45</u>

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