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OFFICE OF THE CUSTODIAN

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: YOSHIKI, Hiroshi Robert,

HOME ADDRESS: Hillcrest, B. C.

REGISTRATION NUMBER 09342 SEX: Male AGE: 28

OCCUPATION: Craneman

(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: Hill Crest Lumber Co. Ltd., Duncan, B. C.

MARRIED? Yes

NAME OF WIFE OR HUSBAND: Shimako 10/27

ADDRESS OF WIFE OR HUSBAND: Hillcrest, B. C.

ADDRESS OF WIFE OR HUSBAND: Saka Diana (F) Hirokazu Robert (M)

NAMES OF ANY LIVING CHILDREN: Saka Diana (F) Hirokazu Robert (M)

ADDRESS OF CHILDREN: Hillcrest, B. C.

AGE OF CHILDREN: 3 and 1 year old.

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

1. LOCATION AND DESCRIPTION: None

2. BUILDINGS AND OTHER IMPROVEMENTS: None

3. INSURANCE (Give particulars; state where policies are) None

4. TAXES (Amount and where payable) None

5. ENCUMBRANCES (Including any unregistered claims or deposit of title deed) None

6. OCCUPANCY AND LEASES (If vacant so state) None

STATEMENT OF REAL PROPERTY OCCUPIED

1. LOCATION AND DESCRIPTION: Occupied two rooms in a rooming house at, 252 Powell St., Vancouver, B. C.
2. LANDLORD'S NAME AND ADDRESS: Not known
3. PARTICULARS OF LEASE AND RENT AND DATE TO WHICH PAID: \$16.00 paid per month for rent, paid up-to-date.
4. STATE WHEREABOUTS OF LEASE: None
5. SUB-TENANTS, IF ANY (Give name, address, rent and to what date paid): None
6. IF FARM LAND, PARTICULARS OF CROPS SOWN: None
7. STATE WHEREABOUTS OF TITLE DOCUMENTS: None
8. STATE IF ANY OTHER PERSON HAS ANY INTEREST: None
9. IF FARM LAND STATE CROPS SOWN: None

STATEMENT OF PERSONAL PROPERTY OWNED:

1. GIVE BRIEF DESCRIPTION AND STATE LOCATION OF FURNITURE, FIXTURES, EQUIPMENT AND MACHINERY, STOCK IN TRADE AND PERSONAL EFFECTS: None

2. HORSES, LIVESTOCK AND OTHER ANIMALS, POULTRY AND PETS: None

3. GIVE THE NAME AND ADDRESS OF ANY PERSON HAVING ANY INTEREST IN, OR CLAIM ON ANY SUCH PROPERTY: None

4. INSURANCE CARRIED ON ABOVE PROPERTY: None

5. MORTGAGES, LIENS AND OTHER CLAIMS ON PROPERTY IN POSSESSION OF OTHERS: None

6. MONEYS OWING TO YOU (State if any of these debts assigned and if so, to whom): None

7. BONDS, DEBENTURES, SHARES, STOCKS OR OTHER SECURITIES (State whereabouts) Eight war Savings Certificates valued at \$5.00 each, which are at the owner's home.

8. BANK ACCOUNTS: None
Dominion Life Assurance Co., 355 Burrard St., Vancouver, B. C.

9. LIFE INSURANCE: He has a 20 year endowment policy for his son Robert Yoshike, with the above company. Policy is with the owner's personal belongings.

10. INTEREST IN ANY ESTATES OR TRUSTS: None

11. SAFETY DEPOSIT BOX: None

LIABILITIES:

1. PERSONAL DEBTS: Owes \$72.00 to Dr. Bessitt, Duncan, B. C.

2. TRADE DEBTS: None

REMARKS: None

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 7th day of April 1942.

(Signature) H. R. Yoshike

M. Wright
Witness

FOR DEPARTMENTAL USE

[Handwritten mark]

INFORMATION FROM R.C.M.P.

DATE July 8/1943

Our File No. 1803

Full Name YOSHIKI, Hiroshi Robert
(Surname in Block Letters)

Registration No. 09342

^V
Male - Female
(Check)

Age April 8/1913

Former Address Hillcrest, B.C.

King Rooms, Powell St., Vancouver, B.C.

Date Evacuated Aug. 24/42

^V
Naturalized - Canadian-Born - National
(Check)

Present Address Tashme, B.C.

^V
Married - Single
(Check)

^{nee}
Name of Wife (INOUE) Shimako #09340

Name of Husband _____

^{nee}
Name of Mother (YOSHIURA) Satsu #09361 Name of Father Tokusuke #09314

Names of Children under 16 Hisako Dianna Nov. 23/38

Robert Hirokazu (M) April 14/41

Seiji Ronald Aug. 27/42

Requested by Mary Campbell

Registered with Custodian _____
(Yes or No)

Additional Information Craneman

File No. 1503

CLAIMS DEPARTMENT

July 17th, 1943.

Hiroshi Robert YOSHIKI
Reg. No. 09342

1. Drs. Bessett, Watson, McHaffie & Beevor-Potts..... \$70.00

Note no claim on wife file # 10827

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No further action by claimant

Your File No. 1803.

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Hope B.C.

July 26 1943

506 Royal Bank Bldg.
Hastings and Granville
Vancouver, B.C.

EVACUATION SECTION	
JUL 27 1943	
Rec'd	
File No.	
Ans.	A. M. A.
Referred	McAlister

Dear Sir -

The claim is correct.
That I own Dr. Bennett and Dr. Watson
total sum of \$70.00

I am regret to say at present I am
unable to pay.

My earnings is \$45.00 month and I
receive supplemental maintenance fee sum
of \$9.00 every month from Welfare.

My total pay per month \$54.00 month.
I'm on monthly payment base.

With \$54.00 a month I have to look after
my family. I have a fine in family to look after.

I am willing to pay soon as, when I can do
fee to work elsewhere, when I can meet my debt.

Yours Truly
H. R. Yoshida
Reg. No. 09342.

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July 28th, 1943.

Messrs. Duncan District Credit Bureau,
Duncan, B. C.

Dear Sirs:

re: Hiroshi Robert YOSHIKI

Referring to the claim of \$70.00 which you lodged with the Custodian on behalf of your clients Drs. Bassett, Watson, McHaffie and Beevor-Potts against the above named.

He admits the debt but states that he is unable to pay same at the present time, although he says he will pay it when he earns sufficient money. Under the circumstances we are not able to do anything further on your behalf at this time. We suggest that you should take the matter up direct with him in any further attempt you may make to collect this claim.

His address is:-

Registration No. 09342,
Tashme, B. C.

Yours truly,

A. McAlister,
Claims Department.

AMCA:HD

Walter Trueman

File 1803

April 14, 1947.

MEMORANDUM.

Re: Robert YOSHIKI, #09342.

Sept 2
Mr. Brown telephoned today regarding a communication which he had received from Mr. Trueman, Department of Labour Supervisor in Toronto, regarding a 1939 Packard Sedan which Yoshiki claims that he left for safe-keeping with Robert Walton of the Hillcrest Lumber Company (at Duncan I think).

It seems that Yoshiki now wants Walton to pay him for the automobile or have it shipped to him. I suggested to Mr. Brown that he would obtain information regarding whether an actual transfer was signed to Mr. Walton and if so the date. He will communicate with us further regarding this.

W. G. McArthur.
W. G. McArthur.

AGM:AH

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Office of the Custodian
Jap. Evacuation Section
506 Royal Bank Bldg.
Vancouver B.C.

To Mr. Geo L. H. Leaver
N. R. 1.
Post Office
Out

EVACUATION SECTION
Rec'd MAY 26 1947
File No. 1803
Ans.
Referred *Bill*

May 21 1947.

Dear Sir:

I request you for legal advice concerning my packard car which I have left in care of my friend Mr. Robert Walton P. O. Box 883

Duncan B.C. V.I. at the time of my evacuation from that area.

It is my desire to have the above mentioned property (Packard car) returned to me.

Mr. Robert Walton has agreed to have my car in his care for the duration of war until I return to Duncan B.C.

The date of the transfer March somewhere between 2 to 10th 1942 I'm sure.

I have written to the person by registered mail several times requesting him to return the car or sell it for me. But to this date I have not yet received any answers.

Therefore I request for your assistance

in securing the automobile for me
I will be very grateful for your services.

Respectfully yours,

Robert Yoshiki

Mr. Bell:
We don't give legal
advice Wm

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May 26, 1947.

Mr. Hiroshi Robert YOSHIKI,
Reg. No. 09342,
c/o Geo. and L.H. Weaver
R.R. 1,
Port Credit, Ontario.

Dear Sir:

We have received your letter of May 21st asking for legal advice concerning a Packard car which you state you left with Mr. Robert Walton of Duncan, B.C.

You state also that while you signed a transfer to Mr. Walton you merely intended to have him hold the car for you during the duration of the war until you returned to Duncan. You will recall that under the Regulations, you were required to surrender any motor vehicle owned by you to the R.C.M.P. and this would therefore appear to be an illegal transaction. For this reason we do not care to take any action on your behalf to recover either the car or payment for same, and we wish to inform you that if you wish to pursue the matter further we suggest that you consult a solicitor, as this office is not in a position to give legal advice.

Yours truly,

A. G. Scarthur,
Office of the Custodian.

AGM:AE

*Consulted Mr. Sheppard
before sending this.
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