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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: TATEOKA, HatsutaroHOME ADDRESS: P. O. Box 75, Prince Rupert, B. C.REGISTRATION NUMBER 10373 SEX: Male AGE: 60OCCUPATION: Machine shop worker

(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: Nelson Bros. Fisheries, Prince Rupert, B. C.MARRIED? yesNAME OF WIFE OR HUSBAND: DenADDRESS OF WIFE OR HUSBAND: JapanNAMES OF ANY LIVING CHILDREN: Tatemoko (F) Kazia (F)ADDRESS OF CHILDREN: JapanAGE OF CHILDREN: 15, 13.**STATEMENT OF ALL REAL PROPERTY** (Each parcel must be mentioned and particulars given)1. LOCATION AND DESCRIPTION: none2. BUILDINGS AND OTHER IMPROVEMENTS: none3. INSURANCE (Give particulars; state where policies are) none4. TAXES (Amount and where payable) none

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

none6. OCCUPANCY AND LEASES (If vacant so state) 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 REAL PROPERTY OCCUPIED

1. LOCATION AND DESCRIPTION: Nelson Bros. Fisheries company house.
2. LANDLORD'S NAME AND ADDRESS: Nelson Bros. Fisheries Co., Prince Rupert, B.C.
3. PARTICULARS OF LEASE AND RENT AND DATE TO WHICH PAID:  
none. Rent free.
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

#### STATEMENT OF PERSONAL PROPERTY OWNED:

1. GIVE BRIEF DESCRIPTION AND STATE LOCATION OF FURNITURE, FIXTURES, EQUIPMENT AND MACHINERY, STOCK IN TRADE AND PERSONAL EFFECTS:  
lathes, Push drill, blacksmith tools, pipe cutter and 2 boxes of tools  
with owner's name thereon in the care of Nelson Bros. Fisheries, Prince Rupert, B.C.  
1 gas fishing boat (Sea Madam) in the custody of the Navy at Prince Rupert, B. C.  
Personal effects at Hastings Park, Vancouver, B. C.
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

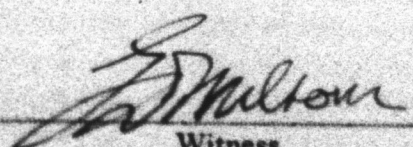


4. INSURANCE CARRIED ON ABOVE PROPERTY: none5. MORTGAGES, LIENS AND OTHER CLAIMS ON PROPERTY IN POSSESSION OF  
OTHERS: none6. MONEYS OWING TO YOU (State if any of these debts assigned and if so, to whom)  
none7. BONDS, DEBENTURES, SHARES, STOCKS OR OTHER SECURITIES (State whereabouts)  
\$100.00 War Savings Certificate in owner's possession.8. BANK ACCOUNTS: none9. LIFE INSURANCE: none10. INTEREST IN ANY ESTATES OR TRUSTS: none11. SAFETY DEPOSIT BOX: none**LIABILITIES:**1. PERSONAL DEBTS: none2. TRADE DEBTS: noneREMARKS: 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 25th day of March 1942.

(Signature)

H. Patako  
Witness

FOR DEPARTMENTAL USE



INFORMATION FROM R.C.M.P.

Date Oct. 4/43

Our File No. 2254

Full Name TATEOKA, Hatsuaro  
(Surname in Block Letters)

Registration No. 10373

☒ Male - Female  
(check)

Age How. 22, 1912

Former Address P.O. Box 75, Prince Rupert, B.C.

Date Evacuated 21/4/42 ☒ Naturalized - Canadian-Born - National  
(check)

Present Address 25 Mile Camp, Hope, B.C.

☒ Married - Single  
(check)

Name of Wife TATEOKA, Mrs. (Japan)

Name of Husband                     

Name of Mother Dead Name of Father Dead

Names of Children under 16 Four children, all over 16 at present living with mother in Japan.

Requested by A.M. Registered with Custodian yes.  
(Yes or No)

Additional Information Machine Shop Worker (Wilson Cannery)



SUMMARY TAKEN FROM VESSELS RECORDS

Date: Jan. 14, 1944

Name: Hatsutaro TATEOKA

Reg. No. 10373

File: 2234

Boat File No.: No boat file

Name of Vessel: "Shee Madam" Dimensions unknown 5 HP Yale engine

Lic. or Reg. No.: Prince Rupert 1615

Naval No.: None

Owner's Valuation: None shown

JFVDC Valuation: Survey PR.#76 "Converted hull, very old. Engine  
useless. Value 1942 - Nil. "

Custodian Valuation:

No appraisal  
No sale

Date of Sale:

Purchaser:

Signature on Sales Papers: -

Selling Price: -

Paid to JFVDC or Custodian: -

Supervision Costs: -

Balance due Owner: -

Paid to: -

Location of Boat at Sale: At time of survey this boat was at Nelson  
Bros. Fisheries, Prince Rupert

Claims Against Canadian Govt.:

There is no evidence that this boat was taken into custody

Additional Information: Prince Rupert 1615 is in the name of J.H. Tateoka.  
for boat "She Madam". It is believed this is  
the boat declared by Hatsutaro TATEOKA, which  
is given on JP form as "Sea Madam".

*J. Matheson*



File No. 2234

January 13th, 1944.

CLAIMS DEPARTMENT

Natsutaro TATEOKA - Reg. No. 10373

CREDITORS:-

- |                                 |         |                              |
|---------------------------------|---------|------------------------------|
| 1. N. Furuya Co.....            | \$63.12 | Dutton admits debt by direct |
| 2. James A. Brown (Estate)..... | 55.27   | " says paid                  |
| 3. Shino KAMEDA..F-1582.....    | 101.22  | " debt by direct             |

no further action by "Claims"

*[Signature]*  
1/6/46

no ap *[Signature]*  
1/6/46



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January 17, 1949

Mr. Harry Robbins,  
Nelson Bros. Fisheries Ltd.,  
P. O. Box 849,  
Prince Rupert, B. C.

Dear Mr. Robbins:

In April, 1942, there was lying at Nelson Bros. Fisheries dock, Prince Rupert, B. C., a fishing vessel called "SHEE MADAM". This vessel was owned by Hatsutaro TATEOKA, who formerly worked as a machine shop worker for your company at Prince Rupert, and lived in Nelson Bros. Fisheries company house.

Any information you can supply in regard to this vessel will be greatly appreciated.

For your convenience, we enclose a stamped, self-addressed envelope.

Yours very truly,

Enclosure

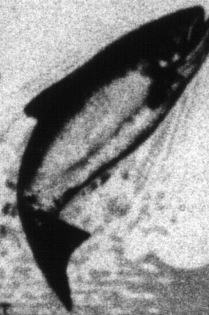
F. Matheson,  
Specified Articles Department.



# Nelson Bros. Fisheries Limited

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325 HOWE STREET

VANCOUVER, B.C.

Port Edward

Mar 5th 1945

Specified Articles Department  
Dept of Secty of State  
Office of Custodian  
Vancouver B.C.

EVACUATION SECTION	
Rec'd	MAR 10 1945
File No.	2404
Ans.	
Referred	Matheson

Dear Sirs:

Attention F. Matheson

In reference to your letters re Shimmura and Uyesaka, please accept our appologies for not writing sooner but we have been extremely busy and unable to get to our records.

We find that T. Shimmura Reg # 10422 received the following:- as per statement attached. You will note that we purchased his boat at 175.00

M. Uyesaka was paid 350.00 for his boat as per statement attached.

Re "Shee Madam" owned by H. Tateoka this boat was left on the beach at Tuck Inlet close to our reduction plant, this was an old boat and we had no interest whatsoever in it. We are unable to say at present whether it is still there or in what shape it may be. But if during the near future we are in that locality we will check up and advise.

Hoping that this information is as desired,  
we are

Yours very truly

NELSON BROS FISHERIES LTD.

PER: 