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**BURFAU HASTINGS PARK
OFFICE OF THE CUSTODIAN
JAPANESE SECTION**

FILE NO. 3235

To be completed by persons of the Japanese race having no property in any protected area.

NAME MATUMOTO, Kanekichi

HOME ADDRESS 327 E. Georgia St., Vancouver, B. C. REGISTRATION No. 02103

SEX M. AGE 69 MARRIED? Yes

OCCUPATION AND EMPLOYER Roominghouse, Proprietress, Mrs. Matumoto.

NAME OF WIFE OR HUSBAND Utagawa

ADDRESS 327 E. Georgia St.,
Vancouver, B. C.

NAMES OF LIVING CHILDREN None

ADDRESS None

ADDRESS:

ADDRESS:

I certify that the above information is true and complete and state that I have no property of any kind whatsoever in any protected area in British Columbia.

Dated this 9th day of April 1942

WITNESS

M. A. Wright.

(Signature)

Matumoto Kanekichi

LIST OF LIABILITIES: None

HOW DO YOU PROPOSE TO PAY THESE OFF?

FOR DEPARTMENTAL USE

INFORMATION FROM R.C.M.P.

Date Oct 20/43

Our File No. 3235

Full Name MATSUMOTO Kanekichi, Deceased
(Surname in Block Letters)

Registration No. 02103

Male - Female
(check)

Age Apr. 10, 1871

Former Address 327 E. Georgia St., City

Date Evacuated Oct 30/42 Naturalized - Canadian-Born - National
(check)

Present Address Tashme, B.C.
Died at Tashme Dec. 20/45.

Widower
Married - Single
(check)

Name of Wife Deid

Name of Husband -

Name of Mother Deid

Name of Father Deid

Names of Children under 16 -

2 children in Japan - girls - both married.

Requested by MD Registered with Custodian Yes
(Yes or No)

Additional Information Roominghouse Proprietor

Cures of rooming house at above address.

SEE LETTER ON FILE DATED MAY 8, 1946.

Kanekichi MATSUMOTO reported to have
common-law wife named Uta TAGAWA
beneficiary under Ins. Policy in 1940.
Mutual Benefit Assn. MD

DEPARTMENT OF LABOUR - CANADA
BRITISH COLUMBIA SECURITY COMMISSION

EVACUATION SECTION	
Rec'd	DEC 29 1945
File No.	578
Ans'd	3235
Referred	J. H. H. H.

Date: December 28, 1945

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

ENEMY SECTION	
Rec'd	DEC 29 1945
File No.	
Ans'd	
MATSUMOTO, Kanekichi	

Dear Sir:

Please be advised that (NAME) MATSUMOTO, Kanekichi
(REGISTRATION NO.) 02103 died at (PLACE) Tashme, B. C.
on (DATE) December 20, 1945.

This is for your information.

Yours truly,
BRITISH COLUMBIA SECURITY COMMISSION,

M. L. Brown
M. L. Brown,
Office Manager.

*No afc with Custodian.
No known Assets or Liabilities.*

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215 Yorkshire Building,
525 Seymour Street,
Vancouver, B.C.

April 18, 1946.

Department of Labour,
Japanese Division,
360 Homer Street,
Vancouver, B.C.

Dear Sir:

Re: Kanekichi MATSUMOTO (Deceased)
Registration No. 02103

Your letter of the 26th Feb. last, to my client The Provident Mutual Benefit Association, has been handed to me, together with their file herein.

In order to complete the file I shall require a Succession Duty Release from the Dominion Government Succession Duty Department. When this has been obtained and when, and if, the claim has been approved by the Directors, it will be necessary to make an assessment on the Membership of the Association and the total amount received as the result of such an assessment will become payable to the beneficiary.

As I understand the situation, however, the proceeds of this Certificate will be payable, in the first instance, to the Custodian of Enemy Alien Property.

I might state that the total membership of the Association at present is approximately 1850 and the Association is paying between \$1800. and \$1900. on their current claims.

Yours truly,

* R. F. MACNAGHTEN

Per.

*Any Will?
Beneficiary? changed.
Mrs. Uta TAGAWA?*

*no phone no.
in telephone
book*

*at
* United Home Security Assn
left no. Pac. 5644*

R. F. MACNAGHTEN

BARRISTER AND SOLICITOR
NOTARY PUBLIC

ENEMY SECTION	
Rec'd	MAY 7 1946
File No.	
Ans'd	
Refer'd	

215 YORKSHIRE BUILDING
525 SEYMOUR STREET
VANCOUVER, B.C.

May 8, 1946.

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

Attention: Mr. Johnston

Dear Sirs:

Re: Kanekichi MATSUMOTO (Deceased)
Registration No. 02103
and the Provident Mutual Benefit
Association

EVACUATION SECTION	
Rec'd	MAY 9 1946
File No.	3230
Ans'd	
Referred	Johnston

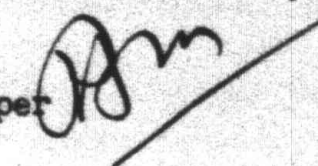
Confirming the telephone conversations of today between your Mr. Johnston and the writer, I beg to advise you that the named beneficiary at the date of the above, was Mrs. Uta Tagawa (wife) of 327 East Georgia Street, Vancouver, B.C. and it appears from a letter written by Dr. S.M. Miller of Tashme, B.C. that the said Mrs. Uta Tagawa was the above-named man's common law wife.

I have perused the documents on file with the Association herein and am prepared to recommend that the Directors of the Association make an assessment with respect to this claim, but before payment is made it will be necessary to have a Succession Duty Release from the Dominion Government. A Provincial Succession Duty Release will not be required.

Within the next sixty days I expect to be able to obtain from the Association, a cheque for Eighteen Hundred (\$1,800.00) Dollars, on account herein, the balance (if any) to be paid when the assessment is completed. I understand that the Association, at the present time, has about 1850 members liable for assessment.

Yours truly,

R.F. MACNAGHTEN,

per 

Please file

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EVACUATION SECTION	
Rec'd	MAY 13 1946
File No.	3235
Ans.	
Referred	<i>Johnston</i>

(Mrs.) Tagawa,
TASHKE, B. C.

May 9th, 1946.

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

ENEMY SECTION	
Rec'd	MAY 13 1946
File No.	
Ans'd	
Refer'd	

Dear Sir:

Enclosed is a copy of the letter received from the Provident Mutual Benefit Association some time ago.

As it is understood that the proceeds of this Certificate (Kanakichi MATSUMOTO (Deceased) Reg. No. 02103) will go to you may I ask you to kindly send this proceed as soon as possible?

Hoping that the proceeds will be sent at your earliest.

Thanking you.

Yours very truly,

U Tagawa
(Mrs.) Tagawa.

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215 Yorkshire Building,
525 Seymour Street,
VANCOUVER, B. C.

April 12, 1946.

Department of Labour,
Japanese Division,
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Yours truly,

R. F. MACNAGUTEN

per "R.F.M."

3235/13036

October 15th, 1946


Provident Mutual Benefit Association,
736 Granville Street,
Vancouver, B.C.

Dear Sirs:-

Re:- Kanekichi MATSUMOTO, deceased
and
Mrs. Uta TAGAWA, beneficiary

This will acknowledge receipt of your cheque
for \$1800.00 in respect to the above named Japanese. Our
official receipt No. 14815 is enclosed herewith.

Yours truly,


B.R. Dusenbury,
Office of the Custodian.

BRD/DD.
Enc. 1.

13036/3235

Mrs. Uta TAGAWA,
Reg. No. 01166,
P.O. Box 9,
Hoose Jaw, Saskatchewan.

Dear Madam:-

Re:- Provident Mutual Benefit Association,
re Estate MATSUMOTO Kanekichi

This is to advise that we have just received a further payment of \$7.00 from the above named Association in connection with the Estate of Kanekichi MATSUMOTO. The Association states that this "was subscribed on behalf of the above since the original cheque was issued."

This amount has been credited to your account.

Yours truly,

BRD/DB.

B.R. Dusenbury,
Office of the Custodian.