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BUREAU HASTINGS PARK
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: OWADA, Toku

HOME ADDRESS: R.R. #1, S. New Westminster, B.C.

REGISTRATION NUMBER 08067 SEX: Male AGE: 70

OCCUPATION: Retired

(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: None

MARRIED? Widow or

NAME OF WIFE OR HUSBAND: _____

ADDRESS OF WIFE OR HUSBAND: _____

NAMES OF ANY LIVING CHILDREN: _____

ADDRESS OF CHILDREN: _____

AGE OF CHILDREN: _____

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

1. LOCATION AND DESCRIPTION: _____

1 scow house \$100, berthed at Timber Island, B.C.

2. BUILDINGS AND OTHER IMPROVEMENTS: _____

None

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

None

4. TAXES (Amount and where payable) \$7 per year, place of payable unknown

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

None

6. OCCUPANCY AND LEASES (If vacant so state) _____

Self

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

1. LOCATION AND DESCRIPTION:

Sow house, Timber Island, B.C.

2. LANDLORD'S NAME AND ADDRESS:

Salt

3. PARTICULARS OF LEASE AND RENT AND DATE TO WHICH PAID:

4. STATE WHEREABOUTS OF LEASE:

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

6. IF FARM LAND, PARTICULARS OF CROPS SOWN:

STATEMENT OF PERSONAL PROPERTY OWNED:

1. GIVE BRIEF DESCRIPTION AND STATE LOCATION OF FURNITURE, FIXTURES, EQUIPMENT AND MACHINERY, STOCK IN TRADE AND PERSONAL EFFECTS:

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

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

CLAIM ON ANY SUCH PROPERTY

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: _____

9. LIFE INSURANCE: _____

10. INTEREST IN ANY ESTATES OR TRUSTS _____

11. SAFETY DEPOSIT BOX: _____

LIABILITIES:

1. PERSONAL DEBTS: _____

2. TRADE DEBTS: _____

REMARKS: _____

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 10th day of April 1942.

(Signature)

mark of Taka Owada

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Witness

FOR DEPARTMENTAL USE _____

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INFORMATION FROM R.C.M.P.

Date Sept. 13/42

Our File No. 3626

Full Name OWADA Toku (Deceased)
(Surname in Block Letters)

Registration No. 08067

Male - Female
 (check)

Age Sept. 18, 1874

Former Address R.R.#1, S. New Street, B.C.

Date Evacuated May 18/42 Naturalized - Canadian-Born - National
 (check)

Died at Dryden, B.C. on January 23/45.

Present Address Spesing Way

(now) 213 Donald St.
 Stronipex, Wagon

Widowed
 Married - Single
 (check)

Name of Wife deid

Name of Husband -

Name of Mother deid Name of Father deid

Names of Children under 16 -

Requested by [Signature] Registered with Custodian Yes
 (Yes or No)

Additional Information Retired

Jan 21/47
According to information received from the R.C.M.P. this man's
name is really Tokuo Tachibana but he also used
the name Owada which is his deceased wife's maiden
name. Toku Owada is the father of Koji Tachibana, Feb 4/1932

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OWADA, Taku - Registration #08067 - Our File McL.008-1.

HOME ADDRESS - RR#1, New Westminster, B. C.

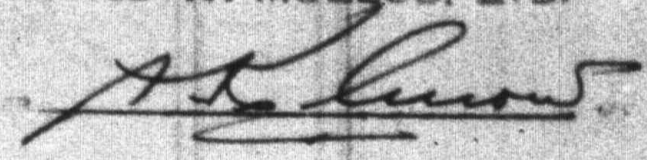
We have had considerable difficulty locating this Japanese. He gave his location as Timber Island, B. C. We were unable to locate any Island by this name and thought at first that he meant Tilbury Island which is about 12 miles down the River. We were unable to find him on this Island and started checking with other Japanese. We finally located him on the shore of the Fraser River between the Searle Elevator and Timberland Mills. We expect now that he meant to give the location of his Scow house as "Timberland" which is the big Lumber Mill just north of where he lives. He is living with his son-in-law and apparently the only thing around the property which belongs to him is the Scow house. We see absolutely no value in it and we do not consider it is worth trying to dispose of in any way.

The taxes which he included in his report apparently meant the road and poll tax which he paid but which he has not been paying since he was 60 years old.

RECOMMENDATION:-

We do not know what your intentions are with property such as this but if you consider that this property should be protected and wish us to make any further investigation, we will be glad to have your instructions.

ALFRED W. MCLEOD, LTD.



AKG/LAF
Apr. 20/42.

GENERAL SUMMARY

File No. 3826

Toku OWADA, Deceased

Reg. No. 08067

Toku OWADA died at Dryden, B. C., on January 23, 1945. The deceased was a widower. According to information obtained from the R.C.M.P. this man's name was TAKAHASHI but he was also known as OWADA, which is his deceased wife's maiden name. Koji TAKAHASHI, File 4893, is his son. There is no record of any other relatives of the deceased.

The only asset declared by the deceased was a Scow house which he declared was at "Timber Island". Messrs. A. W. McLeod, Ltd., upon investigation, found this scow house to be at the Timberland Lumber Mill. They mention, in their report, that the deceased lived there with his son-in-law but it would appear to have been Koji Takahashi, his son. Messrs. A. W. McLeod Ltd. reported the Scow house to be of no value and nothing further was done about it on Owada's file. This Scow house, however, appears to have also been dealt with on Takahashi's file and at one time appeared to have been in the possession of the Gulf of Georgia Cannery. Nothing was realized from it, however, and it has now been lost track of.

No claims appear on this file.

This summary is certified
to be in accordance with
information on file.



January 31, 1947.

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File No. 302

January 20, 1945

CLAIMS DEPARTMENT

Tula GRADA - Reg. No. 08067

(Deceased)

CRITICAL

NO CLAIMS ON FILE.