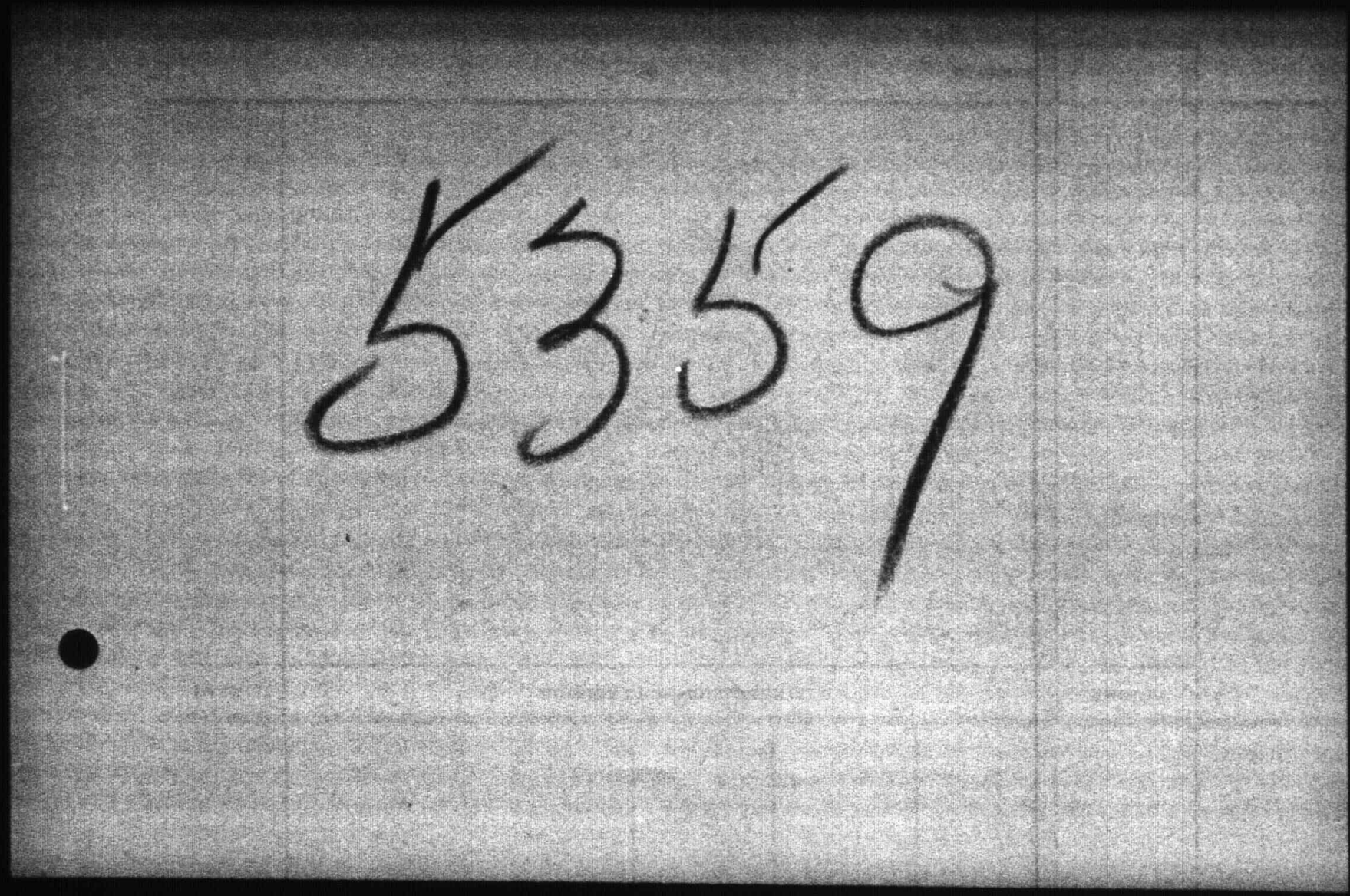
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BUREAU HASTINGS PARK FILE No.

Form "JP"

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: TATEISHI, Tomehiko

HOME ADDRESS: Box 530, Duncan, B. C.

REGISTRATION NUMBER 08897 SEX: Male AGE: 65

OCCUPATION: Cook

(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? Yes

NAME OF WIFE OR HUSBAND: Kikuyo - 8367

ADDRESS OF WIFE OR HUSBAND: Same address

NAMES OF ANY LIVING CHILDREN: None

ADDRESS OF CHILDREN: - -

AGE OF CHILDREN: - -

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

1. LOCATION AND DESCRIPTION: Box 530, Duncan, B. C:-
Roll No. 236 and 237, lots 14 and 15, Block 4, Plan 798 (Lot 14 Title No. 97657-I; Lot 15 Title No. 95000-I) Area of each lot 60' by 120'. All cleared, residential land and truck garden.

2. BUILDINGS AND OTHER IMPROVEMENTS: On lot #15 wooden frame 5-roomed bulgalow. Garage. Wood shed.

3. INSURANCE (Give particulars; state where policies are) $1,000. New England Fire Ins. Co. Pol. no. 6,255,142, prem. $16.50, expiring 9/3/44 Policy in declarant's possession.

4. TAXES (Amount and where payable) $14.63 p.a. paid 28th May, 1941. City of Duncan.

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

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

7. STATE WHEREABOUTS OF TITLE DOCUMENTS: In the hands of Duncan & Christmas, Duncan, B. C.

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:

2. LANDLORD'S NAME AND ADDRESS:

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:

House No. 246, Second St., Duncan, B. C. (lot 15):-

Furniture, household effects, kitchen utensils, provisions, tools, game trophies, etc. as per list attached.

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

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4. INSURANCE CARRIED ON ABOVE PROPERTY: $500. pol. no. 6,255,142. New England Fire Ins. Co. (included with insurance on house)

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) None

8. BANK ACCOUNTS: None

9. LIFE INSURANCE: None

10. INTEREST IN ANY ESTATES OR TRUSTS. None

11. SAFETY DEPOSIT BOX: None

LIABILITIES:

1. PERSONAL DEBTS:

2. TRADE DEBTS:

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 24 day of April 1942.

(Signature) T. Tatishi

Geo. Hansel
Witness

FOR DEPARTMENTAL USE

TOMEHIKO, TATEISHI
House No. 246, Second St.,
Duncan, B. C.

Reg. No. 08897.

1 Kitchen range	$140.00
1 Heater	60.00
4 Single Beds - two	60.00
1 Double Bed - one	15.00
1 Bear rug	40.00
1 Coon rug	12.50
5 Mounted deer head	15.00
3 Mounted eagle	15.00
1 Mounted owl	8.50
Singer sewing machine	100.00
Singer sewing stool	5.00
5 Tables - four	10.00
3 Table lamps - three	7.50
3 Dressers - two	50.00
1 Kitchen utensils	50.00
1 China sets	25.00
1 Silver and Pyrex sets	25.00
1 Ornamental articles	40.00
Samisen (Japanese musical instrument)	35.00
Phonograph records (200)	
1 Picture frames - eight	7.00
1 Wall mirrors - two	7.50
1 Carpets - 5 rooms	15.00
3 Comforters - three	15.00
1 Smokers - two	6.00
1 Tools (Carpenter and Machine)	50.00
Preserved goods	20.00

S. Sold by auction Dec 17/43 Duncan B.
For full list of items sold see extract
Geo. Mead Dec 17/43. T. Tateishi

INFORMATION FROM R.C.M.P.

Sept 14/42

Date March 16, 1943

Full Name Tomshiko TATEISHI (deceased)
(Surname in Block Letters)

Registration No. 08897 Male - Female (check) Age Jan. 10, 1897

Former Address Box 530 Duncan, B.C.

Date Evacuated Sept. 23/42. Naturalized - Canadian-Born - National (check)

Present Address Died Dec 24/42. at Duncan City B.C.

Married - Single (check)

Name of Wife (nee MORITA) Kikuye #08896 File 8367.

Name of Husband —

Name of Mother Deceased. Name of Father Deceased.

Names of Children under 16 Masaliko #08910 - Int. 683;
Haruhiko #08964, Int. 682; Natsuyo (F) #08958, File 8363.

Our File No. 5359 Registered with Custodian (yes or no) Yes

Requested By K. Turner

Additional Information Cook
Owner of house & 2 lots.

OFFICE OF THE CUSTODIAN
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DUNCAN, B. C.

May 15th, 1942

C. L. Drewry, Esq.
Office of the Custodian,
506 Royal Bank Building,
Vancouver, B. C.

Re Tomehiko TATEISHI - Reg. #08897

Dear Sir:

Following instructions, we have investigated and taken control of the property owned by the above, legal description being Lots Fourteen (14) and Fifteen (15), Block Four (4), Section Eighteen (18), Range Six (6), Quamichan District, Plan 798 (City of Duncan).

The property is all cleared and fenced and has a frontage on Second Street of 120 feet and a depth of 120 feet. The soil is of good quality and has been used as a vegetable garden and a small flower garden.

The improvements consist of a painted one storey, frame, shingle roof dwelling with drop siding, and comprises livingroom, two bedrooms, and kitchen with sink and cold water tap. The outbuildings constitute woodshed, storeroom, root house, outside earth toilet, outside Japanese bath, and garage. The property is situated within a few blocks of the centre of town but is, however, considered to be in the poorest part of the town area, being particularly low lying and damp in the winter.

The inventory given us is correct with the following exceptions:
Missing:- 1 bear rug, 1 coon rug, china sets, silver and Pyrex sets, 1 samesen, 200 phonograph records, 2 wall mirrors (presumed to be those attached to dressers), carpets for 3 rooms,. There are two roped trunks in this house and doubtless the above are packed therein.
Not Listed:- 1 chest of drawers with glass cupboard, 5 kitchen chairs, 1 regulation wall clock, 6 cases (presumably clothing), 1 upholstered couch, quantity of stove wood (value say $3.00), 1 Air Tight heater, garden tools (no great value), lino 12' x 12', 1 set tire chains. There are no perishable food stuffs.

We note that in the report there is insurance being carried with the New England Fire Insurance Co. in the amount of $1000.00 expriing March 9th, 1944, which document is in the declarant's possession.

We believe there to be no liabilities.

Our recommendations are that the furniture and effects be disposed of and the property offered either for sale or for rent.

The property was found to be securely locked. The locks have been forced and new keys made, which keys are in our possession.

Yours faithfully,

J. H. WHITTOME & CO. LIMITED

Manager

RHW/LM

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REAL PROPERTY SUMMARY

File No. 5359. Cat. No. 576.

Name: Tomehiko TATEISHI (Deceased). Reg. No. 08897.

Address: Second Street, Duncan, B. C.

Legal Description: (A) Lot 14, in Block 4, of Section 18, Range 6, Quamichan District, Plan 798.

(B) Lot 15, in Block 4, of Section 18, Range 6, Quamichan District, Plan 798.

Classification: 5-room Dwelling and Outhouses.

Registered in the name of: (A) TOMEHIKO TATEISHI; (B) TOMEHIKO TATEISHI.

State of Title (A - No. 97657-I): Clear. (B - No. 95000-I): Clear.

Titles (Nos. 97657-I & 95000-I) received from Duncan & Christmas Ltd. Sept. 14/44.

Sold to: SAM KEN JOE for $1,285.00 (Cash).

As at: September 8th, 1944.

Title (No. 147083-I, merging above separate titles to these 2 lots) delivered to Messrs. J. H. Whittome & Co. Ltd., Duncan, for account of purchaser, on Jan. 31/45.

Net proceeds ($1,218.85) released to credit of Estate of Tomehiko TATEISHI, Deceased, on: January 25th, 1945.

Completed sales statement sent to widow on: February 22nd, 1945.

Chattels: None on premises at date of sale.

Insurance: Transferred to Purchaser (Nov. 13/44).

Administration: This property consists of a 4-room Bungalow and outhouses on 2 city lots (area about 120' x 120') on Second Street, close to centre of Duncan but in poorer low-lying part of town. Assessed value $750.00 (land & improvements). Taxes $19.62. Appraised @ $1000.00. Rented to and through date of sale @ $15.00 per month.

The above summary is certified to be in accordance with the information on file.

18th April, 1947.

RGB/P.

Catalogue #576

Lots 14 & 15, Block 4, Map 798, City of Duncan.

These lots are 60 x 120 feet each, and are both cleared. Lot 14 which is vacant with the exception of a small poultry shed, I value at $100.00.

The dwelling situated on Lot 15, consists of four rooms in good repair. Living room 15 x 18, bedroom 15 x 15, and bedroom 10 x 15 and good sized kitchen with sink and cupboards. Cold water laid on, and electric light. Interior finish is wood, with some panelling painted. Floors are in good repair. Foundation is posts on cement blocks. This dwelling I would estimate to be about 4 or 5 years old. Outside buildings consist of garage in fair condition, woodshed, tool house and poultry house in good repair. I value house and one lot at $900.00, and the house and two lots at $1,000.

"H.W. Dickie"

Valuator.

EXHIBIT 986 - 2

DATE 27 Apl 1948

FILED BY

S.M.Cherniack

I hereby certify that the above statement is correct.

June 18, 1948

M. Wanstall
C.R.

Date. July. 10th,. 1944.....

REAL PROPERTY MEMORANDUM

File No. 5359

Name. Tomehiko TATEISHI ..... Registration No(Deceased)

Re: Catalogue No. 576

Address: Second Street, Duncan, B.C.

(2) Legal Description: Lots 14, 15/4/18/6/798,)Dwelling, garage)

TITLE AND ENCUMBRANCES.

A. Certificate of Title No 97657-I / 95000-I Whereabouts: in Kond Duncan & Christmas, Duncan

Reg. No. 08897

Registered owner: Tomehiko TATEISHI

Property: 97657-I: Lot 14, in Block 4 of Section 18, Range 6, Quamichan Dist, Plan 798.
95000-I: Lot 15, in Block 4, of Section 18, Range 6, Quamichan Dist., Plan 798.

B. Charges.
Registered: ---

Vesting: 50101 4 Sept. 1942

Unregistered: ---

Taxes: $17.84 (1944); $19.62 (1943); $19.62 (1942).

Water: ---

Insurance: $1100.00, expiring 20/2/1946.

Assessed Value: Land: $ 300.00 Improvements: $450.00

Valuation by Appraiser: $1000.00

Amount of Bid: $1285.00

Approved by Advisory Committee: 7/7/1944

Paid as shown in attached letter: $1285.00 paid in full.

Name of transferee as attached letter: Sam Ken Joe, Duncan, B.C.

ADMINISTRATION.

Tenancy: Monthly tenure (state consideration & whether including or excluding furniture or equipment)

Month-to-month at $15.00 per month

Leasehold: (State period, consideration & unusual clauses and whether including or excluding furniture or equipment)

Chattels: Particulars of those stored on the premises.

(Sold or shipped)

Named Agent: J. H. Whitborne & Co. Ltd., Duncan

File No. 5359.
Catalogue No. 576.

January 6th, 1945.

MEMORANDUM

TO: Mr. George Peters

FROM: Mr. D. A. Cramer

Tomehiko TATEISHI
City of Duncan
Lots 14 & 15, in Blk. 4 of
Sec. 18, Range 6, QUAMICHAN
DISTRICT, Plan 798.

With reference to the above property which was recorded in the Victoria Land Registry Office, dated November 1st, 1944, we attach herewith the following documents in connection therewith.

1. Copy of application number 147082-I, dated October 19th, 1944, registering the property in the name of the Custodian (Transmission).

2. Copy of application number 147083-I, dated October 19th, 1944, registering the property in the name of Sam Ken Joe (Deed).

3. Duplicate of Transmission dated September 28th, 1944.

4. Duplicate of Deed dated September 28th, 1944 - Secretary of State to Sam Ken Joe.

5. Certificate of Indefeasible Title number 147083-I, dated December 2nd, 1944, covering the above property in the name of Sam Ken Joe.

DAC:JS
Attch.

[redacted]

[redacted]

[redacted]

Catalogue No. 576
File No. 5359
2nd Avenue, Duncan
LA-15/4/18/6/738

January 23, 1945.

SAM KEE JOE
(purchaser)

In account with The Custodian of Enemy Property

STATEMENT OF ADJUSTMENTS

(As at September 8, 1944)

	DEBIT	CREDIT
Purchase price	$1,285.00	
Cheques received		$1,285.00
Amount of rent collected		
September 8th to October 8th } .2 x $14.25		28.50
October 9th to November 8th }		
Registration fees on deed - $1,285.00	6.80	
Insurance premium - 48.45 x $13.50	6.53	
Purchaser's proportion of 1944 taxes - 114/365 x $17.84	5.57	
Balance owing to purchaser	9.60	
	$1,313.50	$1,313.50

BALANCE OWING TO PURCHASER $9.60

STATEMENT RE SALE OF:

Name: TATEISHI, Tomshiko
Deceased

Catalogue No: 576

File No: 5359

Street Address: Second St. Duncan,B.C.

Legal Description: 14,15/4/12/6/79S

Date of Sale and Adjustments Sept. 8/44

Sale Price		$ 1285.00
Real Estate Agent's Commission	$ 64.25	
Charge for Valuation	7.50	
Charge for Advertising	4.00	
Land Registry Office Transmission Fee	2.50	
Encumbrances:		
~~.....~~ Unpaid vendor ~~.....~~		
~~Mortgages~~		
~~Arrears of Taxes~~		
~~Other charges~~		
Adjustments:		
Fire Insurance		6.53
Taxes		5.57
Water		
~~76.25~~		~~$ 1297.10~~
Net Proceeds credited to your account		1218.85

Date:.....February 8th, 1945.....

Compiled by:.....Mr. George Peters.....

Catalogue No. 576
File No. 5359
2nd Avenue, Duncan, BC
14&15/4/18/6/798
Certificate of Title No. 147083-I

Control of property covered by Certificate of Title No. 147083-I and described above is by me hereby acknowledged and I agree that all adjustments and incidents connected with sale to me of this property have been settled.

Dated at Duncan BC this 27th day of January 1945.

Sam Kenjae

Return to the Custodian

Catalogue No. 576
File No. 5359

To The Office of the Custodian,
506 Royal Bank Building,
Vancouver, B. C.

Dear Sirs:-

Re: 2nd Avenue, Duncan, B. C.

I understand that any Japanese effects and furniture on the premises are not included in the sale. These will be removed by the Custodian as soon as possible but in cases where the furniture is included in the lease to the present tenant it cannot, of course, be removed until he is ready to vacate the premises. I undertake to give the Custodian at least two weeks notice of the date on which the tenant is vacating the premises and to allow the Custodian access to the premises in order to remove the furniture at a reasonable and convenient time following the termination of the lease.

Yours faithfully,

Tasukefae .....Signed

Return to the Custodian

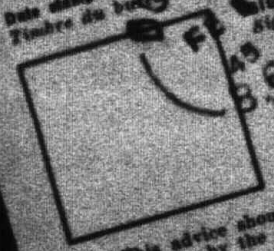
THE UNDERSIGNED ACKNOWLEDGES THAT THE REGISTERED ARTICLE DESCRIBED ON THE SIDE
Le soussigné déclare que l'envoi mentionné d'autre part

SIDE WAS DULY DELIVERED ON THE | February 1
a été dûment livré le

Date stamp of office of destination
Timbre du bureau destinataire

SIGNATURE OF THE ADDRESSEE | (1) J. H. Whittome & Co. Ltd
Signature du destinataire

OR ADDRESSEE'S REPRESENTATIVE | (2) G. Vous
du représentant du destinataire



OF THE POSTMASTER OF THE OFFICE OF DESTINATION | K. Sutherland
de l'agent du bureau destinataire

(1) This advice should be signed by the addressee or if the regulations of the country of destination so provide, by the Postmaster of the Delivery office and returned by first mail to the address shown on the other side.

Cet avis doit être signé par le destinataire, ou si les règlements du pays de destination le comportent, par l'agent du bureau destinataire, et renvoyé par le premier courrier à l'expéditeur, dont l'adresse figure sur l'autre côté de cette carte.

(2) When delivery is made to the authorized representative of the addressee, both addressee's name and representative's signature must appear on this receipt.

Lorsque la remise est faite au représentant autorisé du destinataire, le nom du destinataire et la signature de son représentant doivent paraître sur ce reçu.

Dirk

COPY

THIS IS THE LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT of me, TOMEHIKO TATEISHI, of the City of Duncan, in the County of Nanaimo, British Columbia, made this Eighteenth day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and forty-two.

I HEREBY revoke all Wills made by me at any time heretofore. I appoint my two sons, Masahiko Tateishi and Haruhiko Tateishi to be my Executors, and direct that all my Debts and Funeral Expenses shall be paid as soon as conveniently may be after my decease.

I GIVE AND BEQUEATH unto my two sons, Masahiko TATEISHI and Haruhiko TATEISHI and to my daughter Natsuye TATEISHI all my worldly goods and chattels of every kind whatsoever and more particularly my dwelling house and property known and described as being Lots numbered Fourteen (14) and Fifteen (15) in Block Four (4) of Plan 798 in the City of Duncan, in the Province of British Columbia, the three above mentioned children to share and share alike in this my property.

I HEREBY empower my above named Executors to handle and dispose of my property as may seem to them in the best interests of all my heirs, stipulating, however, that in any return or division of the same, each child shall share equally with the others.

"T. TATEISHI"

SIGNED by the said TESTATOR Tomehiko Tateishi in the presence of us, present at the same time, who at his request, in his presence, and in the presence of each other, have subscribed our names as witnesses.

"S. ASADA"
2nd Street, Duncan, B. C.

"K. KITAGAWA"
135 Kenneth St., Duncan

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

CERTIFICATE OF DISCHARGE

"SUCCESSION DUTY ACT" (BRITISH COLUMBIA).

FILE NO. 2613/47 (Sections 32)

In the Matter of the Estate of TOMEHIKO TATEISHI, Deceased.

THIS IS TO CERTIFY that the full amount of Succession Duty payable in respect of the property or beneficial interest in property of the above-named deceased herein set forth has been paid or secured and the property or interest is therefore discharged from any further claim to Succession Duty.

The property or interest comprised in this certificate is as follows:—

"Cash in Hands of the Custodian, Ottawa, Canada.....$ 1,707.14"

This certificate is given under the terms and subject to the conditions of section 32, of the "Succession Duty Act."

Dated at Victoria, this 20th day of June, 19 47

EGM/

10M-748-6033 (2)

W. L. Rowbottom.
Authorized Representative of the Minister of Finance.

DOMINION OF CANADA)
)
PROVINCE OF ONTARIO)
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TO WIT:)

I, William Basil Stasiv, a notary public for the Province of Ontario, by royal authority duly appointed, residing at the City of Fort William in the said Province, do certify that the paper writing hereto annexed is a true copy of a document and purporting to be Letters Probate of the will of Tomehiko Tateishi, deceased, issued by the Surrogate Court of the District of Thunder Bay on the 12th day of March, 1947 to Haruhiko Tateishi, the said copy having been compared by me with the said original document, as act whereof being requested I have granted under my notarial form and seal of office to serve and avail as occasion shall or may require.

IN TESTIMONY whereof I have hereto subscribed my name and affixed my seal of office at Fort William, Ontario, the 28th day of March, 1947.

A Notary Public

CANADA: PROVINCE OF ONTARIO

IN HIS MAJESTY'S SURROGATE COURT OF THE DISTRICT OF THUNDER BAY

BE IT KNOWN, that on the 12th day of March, A. D. 1947 the last Will and Testament of TOMEHIKO TATEISHI, late of the City of Duncan, in the Province of British Columbia, retired deceased, who died on or about the 24th day of December, A. D. 1942 at the City of Slocan in the Province of British Columbia and who at the time of his death had his fixed place of abode at the City of Duncan, in the Province of British Columbia, was proved and registered in the said Surrogate Court, a true copy of which said last Will and Testament is hereunto annexed, and that administration of all and singular the property of the said deceased, and in any way concerning his will was granted by the aforesaid Court to HARUHIKO TATEISHI, of the City of Fort William, in the District of Thunder Bay, Mill Hand, (Masahiko Tateishi, the other executor named in the said will, having renounced his right to probate and execution of the said will) executor named in the said will he having been first sworn well and faithfully to administer the same by paying the just debts of the deceased and the legacies contained in his will so far as he is thereunto bound by law and by distributing the residue (if any) of the property according to law, and to exhibit under oath a true and perfect inventory of all and singular the said property, and to render a just and full account of his executorship when thereunto lawfully required.

Witness His Honour Arthur Harold Dowler, Judge of the said Surrogate Court at the City of Port Arthur, in the District of Thunder Bay, the day and year first above written.

By the Court

"F. G. McArthur"
Deputy Surrogate Registrar

Seal

N O T I C E

The attention of all persons administering this estate is drawn to the regulations respecting trading with the enemy (1939), by which it is forbidden to distribute any portion of the assets of this estate to or on behalf of any beneficiary or creditor who is an enemy as defined by the regulations. If there is any such enemy interest now or subsequently in this estate it must be reported to the Custodian, 45A Central Chambers, Ottawa, Canada, and no action with regard to such enemy interest can be taken without the consent of the Custodian.

PERSONAL PROPERTY SUMMARY

File 5359. Tomehiko TATEISHI, Deceased. Reg. No. 08897.

This 65-year old Japanese-National from Duncan, B. C., signed a Custodian "JP" declaration form on Apr. 24/42. He was evacuated on the 23rd September, 1942, and died at Slocan City on December 24th, 1942. Administration of the Estate was applied for by the widow in a letter dated Mar. 28/45 (see June 14/46). Subsequently, a Will was found (see Sept. 7/46) naming both sons (Masahiko, Int. File 683, and Haruhiko, Int. File 682) as Executors. See Apr. 12/47 for particulars of Letters Probate.

His wife, Kikuye (File 8367), signed a Custodian "No Property" card on May 8th, 1942. She was evacuated on the 23rd September, 1942.

Personal Property: With the transfer today of unidentified items in Auction Sheets, the chattels disclosed in this file would appear to be satisfactorily accounted for.

Specified Articles: None.

Bonds, Shares, etc.: None.

Bank Accounts: None.

Life Insurance: None.

Funds: There is a balance of $1,707.14 standing at the credit of this account at the present time, as per statement of today's date.

There is no other personal property interest in this file.

The above summary is certified to be in accordance with the information on file.

23rd April, 1947.

MEMORANDUM

File No. 5359
Case No. 986

March 3, 1949.

TO: MISS NANCY MAY

FROM: MRS. A. G. McARTHUR

Re: Tomehiko TATEISHI, Deceased, Registration No. 08897

On April 23, 1947, a number of items were removed from the account of the above deceased to Chattel Suspense as they were not specifically mentioned in the declaration.

Among these items was a phonograph attachment which sold for the sum of $6.00. A claim was made for that item and on Page 12, Line 26 of the Transcript of Evidence the Commissioner directed that credit for this item be transferred from Chattel Suspense Account to the account of the Estate of Tomehiko Tateishi, Deceased.

As the Commissioner's remarks to the effect that it would appear logical that items removed from a house occupied solely by the deceased and his family could not be the property of anyone else, appear to apply to the other items transferred to Chattel Suspense as well as the phonograph attachment mentioned, will you please transfer all those items which were transferred to Chattel Suspense on April 23, 1947, back to the account of Tomehiko Tateishi, Deceased.

/AG

March 7, 1949.

To: Accounting Department
From: Nancy May

Would you please charge Chattel Suspense Account and credit account of Tomehiko TATEISHI, File 5359 as follows:

Duncan #2: Realized: $48.35 Expenses: $8.94 Net: $39.41

Transferred April 28, 1947.

Nancy May

NAME TATEISHI, Yoshihiko

REGISTRATION NO. 08897 FILE NO. 5359

The following chattels were sold by public auction at Duncan, B. C. on December 17, 1943.

Tub & tins	$ 1.00
Basket & pans	1.50
Tub etc.	.45
Stone board	1.00
Box miscellaneous	1.25
Box miscellaneous	.85
1 steel pan	1.50
1 sack meal	.75
Ironing board	.25
Tub & miscellaneous	1.10
Basket miscellaneous	1.50
Basket miscellaneous	.25
Tire chains	1.50
Stock pot	1.75
Basket & pan	1.00
Large flower pots	1.25
Basket oddments	2.00
Basket & rubber clothing	1.00
Box oddments	.85
Basket & chains	2.75
2 baskets & oddments	.80
Basket bottles	.25
Basket & sealers	.50
Box miscellaneous	.25
Box miscellaneous	1.00
Box miscellaneous	.25
1 circulator heater	31.00
1 bed complete & 1 spring extra	7.50
Total;	
Carried forward	$ 65.05

NAME TATEISHI, Tomehiko

REGISTRATION NO. 08897 FILE NO. 5359

The following chattels were sold by public auction at Duncan, B. C. on December 17, 1943.

	Brought forward	$ 65.05
Large food chopper		2.25
Mounted Eagle		.50
Electric Radio attachment		6.00
Coleman lantern		6.00
Mounted Owl		.10
Box miscellaneous		.25
Deer head		2.00
Box cold chisels		1.00
Nail puller		1.25
Steel square		.50
2 lasts		.50
Box cold chisels		.50
Files		.10
Bar & pinchers		1.00
2 punchers		.35
2 hammers		.75
Hammer & square		.25
Wrecking bar		.75
Wrecking bar		.70
Soldering irons		.50
Square		.50
Nail puller		1.00
Stone & hook		.35
2 benches		.10
1 H.P. tea kettle		4.00
Table		.75
1 coat		.50
Total:		
	Carried forward	$ 97.50
[illegible]		$
[illegible]		$

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible].

NAME TATEISHI, Tomehiko

REGISTRATION NO. 08897 FILE NO. 5359

The following chattels were sold by public auction at Duncan, B. C. on December 17, 1943.

	Brought forward	$ 97.50
1 cushion		.25
1 quilt (old)		.75
1 quilt (orange)		1.75
1 bundle curtains		1.50
2 blankets (grey)		1.00
Steel tape		.50
Grass shears		1.25
Tinners snips		1.00
1 hammer		.60
2 hammers		.85
2 saw hammers		1.25
Saw hammer & set		.75
Knife & steel		1.50
2 Stillson wrenches		2.00
1 small table		1.00
Waste paper basket etc.		.30
2 bowls		.50
Jardinere		.70
Lamp		.35
2 flower pots		.70
1 tray books etc.		1.50
1 stool		2.75
3 chairs		2.00
Box tools		1.25
Box tools		.50
Door mat		.70
Kitchen dresser		9.50
Total:	Carried forward	$ 134.20

NAME TATEISHI, Tomehiko

REGISTRATION NO. 08897 FILE NO. 5359

The following chattels were sold by public auction at Duncan, B. C. on December 17, 1943.

	Brought forward	$ 134.20
Canes etc.		.50
3 bags		.50
Tubs etc.		.90
Dresser & mirror (oval)		10.50
Basket & bowls		.60
Basket & bowls		4.00
Burls		1.00
Round mirror		1.75
Dresser & Large mirror		7.50
Bowl & glasses		1.10
Food chopper		.25
Pan & odd china		.35
Basin & oddments		.25
Electric fan		175
Water set		.75
Water set		1.00
Odd china		.50
Electric iron		3.00
Odd frames		.60
Knives		.50
Hammer etc.		.75
Wire cutters		1.50
Chisels		1.50
Soldering iron		.60
Cutlery & mirror		.50
3 irons		2.00
Tray & oddments		.80
Total:	Carried forward	$ 178.15
[redacted]		$
[redacted]		$

NAME TATEISHI, Tomshiko

REGISTRATION NO. 08897 FILE NO. 5359

The following chattels were sold by public auction at Duncan, B.C. on December 17, 1943.

	Brought forward	$ 178.15
Tray & oddments		.30
Lunch kit		.50
Lamp shade		.25
1 Dining room table		2.00
Watering can		1.00
Pails		1.00
Flower pots		1.10
Box bolts		.60
Stove pipes		1.50
Tin box tools		5.00
8 volumes books		1.00
Burls		1.50
Wall clock		.75
Table		3.00
Box crepe paper		1.00
Gramaphone case		1.00
2 china boxes		1.00
3 china boxes		.50
3 china boxes		.50
2 hammers		1.00
Wrench & clevises		1.25
Small table		3.25
2 chairs		2.25
Wash board & tin of flour		.50
Stone board		1.00
Couch		1.50
1 roll linoleum		1.50
Total:		
	Carried forward	$ 213.90

NAME TATEISHI, Tomekiko

REGISTRATION NO. 08897 FILE NO. 5359

The following chattels were sold by public suction at Duncan, B.C. on December 17, 1943

Brought forward	$ 213.90
1 smokers stand	1.35
1 kit tools	.75
Curtain rods	1.25
1 roll linoleum	1.00
1 box oddments	1.00
1 Beach range	80.00
1 fork	2.50
1 hammer & axe	1.50
3 axes	1.50
Hammer, shovels etc.	1.50
Mattocks, Hoe etc.	2.00
3 rakes etc.	1.75
1 D.B. axe	2.25
1 single bed & spring mattress	21.00
1 single bed & spring mattress	22.00

Total:			$ 355.25
Less Expenses:	(Auctioneer's Fee:	$ 35.52	
	(Advertising:	3.45	
	(Rent:	6.16	
	(Moving:	20.66	
		$	$ 65.79
Net Proceeds Credited:			$289.46

Members of Custodian Staff Present. Mr. R.M. Anderson

Extracted from Auctioneering list No. Duncan 2

Remarks.

NAME TATEISHI, Tomohiko (Dec'd)

REGISTRATION NO. 08897 FILE NO. 5359

The following chattels were sold by public auction at 77, E. Hastings St. Vancouver, B.C. on May 3rd, 1946.

Box	$ .70	
Xmas decorations	.10	
Box	.75	
Deer hide	.25	misc
Blanket	2.00	
Table cloth	.60	
Pad	.85	
Bag	.60	

Total			$ 5.85
Less Expenses:	Auctioneer's fee	$ .74	
	Advertising	.41	$ 1.95
	Moving	.80	
Net Proceeds Credited:			$ 3.90

Members of Custodian Staff Present. Mr. Wills

Extracted from Auctioneering List No. Vancouver 64

Remarks.

NAME [redacted]

REGISTRATION NO. [redacted] FILE NO. 5152

The following chattels were sold by public

auction at [redacted] on April 30th, 1946.

Leather coat	.35
Hat	.10
Coat	.25
Rubber pants	.25
Cloak	.25
2 frames	.10
Pair boots	.75
Thermometer	.60
Fish basket	.50
Bag	.25
Books	.85

Total			$ 4.25
Less Expenses:	(Auctioneer's fee	$ .53	
	(Advertising	.43	
	(Moving	.42	$ 1.38
Net Proceeds Credited:			$ 2.87

Members of Custodian Staff Present. Mr. Wills

Extracted from Auctioneering List No. Vancouver 63

Remarks.

NAME [redacted]

REGISTRATION NO. [redacted] FILE NO. [redacted]

The following chattels were sold by public

auction at [redacted] on [redacted]

	$
Picture	.50
Toys	.40
Mat	.15
Ash tray	.25
Brush	.05
Clothes pins	.60
Rug	.10
Boots	.50
Boots	.50
Slippers	.50

Total			$ 3.55
Less Expenses:	(Auctioneer's fee	$ .44	
	(Advertising	.13	
	(Moving	.50	$ 1.07
Net Proceeds Credited:			$ 2.48

Members of Custodian Staff Present. Mr. Wills

Extracted from Auctioneering List No. Vancouver 62

Remarks.

CHATTELS SUMMARY

File 5359. Tomehiko TATEISHI. Reg. No. 08897.

With the transfer today of unidentified items on auction sheet (Dec. 17/43), the chattels in this file have been shipped or sold, with the exception of:

Samisen (Japanese banjo)
Phonograph Records (200)
Carpets (3)
Preserved goods

which Agents (J. H. Whittome & Co. Ltd.), in their report dated May 15/42, believed to have been packed in closed and roped trunks (shipped to owner July 27/42).

The above summary is certified to be in accordance with the information on file.

23rd April, 1947.

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Note Schedule (rough) in Chattels Work Sheet folder.

NAME TATRISHI, Haruhiko

REGISTRATION NO. 08964 FILE NO. Int. 682
P/W-1471

The following chattels were sold by public auction at 292 Powell, Vancouver, B.C. May 19th, 1944.

Victor consol	$ 60.00 ✓

Total			$ 60.00
Less Expenses:	(Auctioneer's Fee:	6.00	$ 8.44
	(Advertising	1.02	
	(Moving	.42	
	(Storage	1.00	
Net Proceeds Credited:			$ 51.56

Members of Custodian Staff Present. Mr. Wills

Extracted from Auctioneering list No. Vancouver 20

Remarks.

MEMORANDUM

File 5359.

TO: Miss C. Girard.

FROM: Mr. R. G. Bell.

April 23rd, 1947.

Re: Tomehiko TATEISHI, Deceased - Reg. #08897.

Will you please transfer from the above file to Chattels Suspense Account the following articles sold in Auction Sale at Duncan, B. C., on December 17th, 1943. Transfer desired because articles in question cannot be identified as the property of Tomehiko TATEISHI, deceased.

	Box miscellaneous	$	1.25
	Box miscellaneous	$	.85
1	Sack Meal	$	.75
	Ironing Board	$	.25
	Tub & miscellaneous	$	1.10
	Basket miscellaneous	$	1.50
	Basket miscellaneous	$	.25
	Basket oddments	$	2.00
	Basket & rubber clothing	$	1.00
	Box oddments	$	.85
	Basket & chains	$	2.75
2	Baskets & oddments	$	.80
	Basket bottles	$	.25
	Basket & sealers	$	.50
	Box miscellaneous	$	.25
	Box miscellaneous	$	1.00
	Box miscellaneous	$	.25
	Electric Radio Attachment	$	6.00 X
	Coleman Lantern	$	6.00
2	Benches	$	.10
1	Coat	$	.50
1	Cushion	$	.25
1	Bundle Curtains	$	1.50
	Waste paper Basket, etc.	$	.30
1	Tray Books, etc.	$	1.50
	Gumms, etc.	$	.50
3	Bags	$	.50
	Tubs, etc.	$	.90
	Basin & oddments	$	.25
	Water Set	$	.75
	Water Set	$	1.00
	Electric Iron	$	3.00
	Odd frames	$	.60

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Brought forward	$ 39.25
3 Irons	$ 2.00
Tray & oddments	$ .80
Tray & oddments	$ .30
Lunch kit	$ .50
Lamp shade	$ .25
8 volumes Books	$ 1.00
Box crepe paper	$ 1.00
Gramophone case	$ 1.00
Curtain rods	$ 1.25
1 Box Oddments	$ 1.00
Total proceeds	$ 48.35
Proportionate share of total charges	$ 8.95
Net proceeds to be transferred to Chattels Suspense Account	$ 39.40

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Accounting Department:

Charge to File 5359 and credit as follows:

Duncan 2 - Credit 5359 -Realised:$306.90--Less Expenses:$56.85 -Credited: $250.05

Credit Chattel Suspense Account:
UNIDENTIFIABLE - Duncan 2: $48.35 $8.94 $39.41
$289.46

Transferred, April 28, 1947.

C. Grieve

File No. 8359 Date December 17th.1943

SUMMARY

Name: TATEISHI, Tomahiko. Reg. No. 08897

Address: Duncan,B.C.

(1) - We have today moved to auction room at Duncan effects as per enclosed list at a total cost of $ 3.00 as per attached bill.

(2) - We have also moved the personal effects as per attached list to storage at Gymnasium Bldg. where they will remain until called for. Cost of moving is included in bill above.

(3) - We have sold to the tenant articles as per attached list at $_____ for which herewith cheque or cash.

(4) - After the above transactions, the following important shortages were noticed between the original inventory as taken by this office, and the effects accounted for as above:

any shortages consist of shipments made to owner under custodian release.

The tenant gave us the following explanation:_____

8367.

To the Secretary of State acting
in his capacity as Custodian.

I K. TATEISHI Mrs. (Kikuyo) Tomehiko, Police registration No. 08896, hereby request you to release to me the under-noted property stored at 246 Second St. Duncan, B. C. Mr. J. H. Whittome and I release you from any claim whatsoever with respect to such property.

Description of Property:

1 Cardboard Box--Bear Skin)
2 Boys' Overcoats) Ordered in first order
2 Boxes Wrapped in Newpaper
Lacquer Finished Chest (Top Shelf of Coat Hanger
1 Electric Toaster (Kitchen Shelf
1 Picture frame (San Francisco Exhibition Japanese Pavillion) in Bedroom Drawer

Dated this 15th day of AUGUST 1942.

建石キクヨ
(Japanese sign here)

Approved
James A. Rose
B. C. SECURITY COMMISSION

NOTE:

The Custodian is advised that the B.C. Security Commission will pay transportation charges up to 1,000 pounds (which amount includes the free baggage allowed by railroad company on tickets), and any charges over this amount will have to be for the account of the individual Japanese evacuee.

To the Secretary of State acting
in his capacity as Custodian.

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I K. Tateishi, Police registration No. 08896, hereby request you to release to me the under-noted property stored at 246 SECOND ST Duncan B. C. Mr. J. H. Whittome and I release you from any claim whatsoever with respect to such property.

Description of Property:

1 Sewing Machine (to be crated)
2 Trunks (in the parlor)
Cardboard box - Rugs -
1 Cardboard Box - Bed Comforters
1 Suitcase - 2 Boy's overcoats

In the closet
Front bedroom

Dated this 27th day of July 1942.

K Tateishi
(Japanese sign here)

Approved
James A Rose
B.C. SECURITY COMMISSION

NOTE:

The Custodian is advised that the B.C. Security Commission will pay transportation charges up to 1,000 pounds (which amount includes the free baggage allowed by railroad company on tickets), and any charges over this amount will have to be for the account of the individual Japanese evacuee.

BRITISH COLUMBIA SECURITY COMMISSION.

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CUSTODIAN RELEASE FORM

Address: ~~SLOCAN CITY, B. C.~~ Date: ~~October 16, 1942.~~

To: The Secretary of State, acting in his capacity as Custodian, Vancouver, B.C.

I, ~~TATEISHI, Tomehiko~~ , Police Registration No. ~~00007~~

hereby request you to release to me the under-noted property stored at 246 2nd. Ave., Duncan, B. C.

in possession of ~~THE CUSTODIAN.~~

and I release you from any claim whatsoever with respect to such property.

Description of Property:

In Parlor: 2 Mirrors
1 Japanese picture frame
Bedroom: 2 sets candy boxes (top of clothes closet) wrapped in newspaper.
1 paper box
1 box (content) Xmas tree
3 table lamps
1 picture frame (inside dresser drawer) picture of Los Angeles World's Fair.
In Kitchen: 1 toaster
1 pcl. seeds of all kind) inside kitchen cabinet
1 Gal. Japanese Sauce (under sink)
In SmallBedroom: 1 ~~Electric Fan (above clothes closet)~~

Original Address: 246 2nd. Ave., Duncan, B. C.

Date Evacuated to Vancouver: April 21, 1942.

Date Evacuated to Present Address: September 24, 1942.

Number in Family - 12 years and over One.

Number in Family - 5 to 11 years old .

Number in Family - under 5 .

Total Number in Family - ~~Three~~

I agree to pay all charges as required by the British Columbia Security Commission.

APPROVED:
BRITISH COLUMBIA SECURITY COMMISSION

Per: .

Tomehiko Tateishi
Claimant Signs Here

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EVACUATION SECTION
Rec'd FEB 26 1943
File No.
Ans.
Referred

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BRITISH COLUMBIA SECURITY COMMISSION.

CUSTODIAN RELEASE FORM

Address Slocan City, B. C. Date February 16, 1943.

E. 2nd Ave 17.

To: The Secretary of State, acting in his capacity as Custodian, Vancouver, B.C.

I, Kikuyo TATEISHI, Police Registration No. 08896 hereby request you to release to me the under-noted property stored at 246 2nd St., DUNCAN, B. C. in possession of the Custodians and I release you from any claim whatsoever with respect to such property.

Description of Property:

One Straw Chest containing clothes (In clothes closet of bedroom)

Everything on top shelf of bedroom closet (boxed clothing and kitchen tools)

6 or 7 cans of rice, beans and foodstuffs in pantry at back of house.

Original Address 246 2nd St., DUNCAN, B. C.

Date Evacuated to Vancouver April 21, 1942.

Date Evacuated to Present Address September 30, 1942.

Number in Family - 12 years and over One

Number in Family - 5 to 11 years old Nil

Number in Family - under 5 Nil

TOTAL NUMBER IN FAMILY Two

I agree to pay all charges as required by the British Columbia Security Commission.

APPROVED:
BRITISH COLUMBIA SECURITY COMMISSION

Per: L. G. Skinner

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Claimant Signs Here

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BRITISH COLUMBIA SECURITY COMMISSION.

CUSTODIAN RELEASE FORM

Address Slocan City, B. C. Date November 21, 1942.

To: The Secretary of State, acting in his capacity as Custodian, Vancouver, B.C.

I, T. Tatsuki, Tomekiko, Police Registration No. 6668 hereby request you to release to me the under-noted property stored at 246 2nd. St., Duncan, B. C. in possession of The Custodian. and I release you from any claim whatsoever with respect to such property.

Description of Property:

1 - Little Church (in bedroom) also Pictures and song books in bottom drawer.
1 - Tub Mixe and 3 Pairs ice skates in the back shed.
All Groceries in the kitchen shelves.

Original Address 246 2nd. St., Duncan, B. C.
Date Evacuated to Vancouver April 21st, 1942.
Date Evacuated to Present Address September 24, 1942.
Number in Family - 12 years and over One /
Number in Family - 5 to 11 years old
Number in Family - under 5
TOTAL NUMBER IN FAMILY Two Three

I agree to pay all charges as required by the British Columbia Security Commission.

APPROVED:
BRITISH COLUMBIA SECURITY COMMISSION

Per: _____ T. Tatsuki
Claimant Signs Here

Mr. J. H. Whittome, Duncan, B. C. C.C. Custodian - Royal Bank Bldg. ✓

Okay to ship articles described to this party at Slocan City, when economical to do so, make freight charges collect, and show as advances or as a COD all shipping charges, all of which are to be paid by the owner. Please send us copy of the bill of lading showing expenses when done. There is an agent at Rosebery.

C. W. Fisher GWF
Transportation NOV. 26, 1942.

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BRITISH COLUMBIA SECURITY COMMISSION.

CUSTODIAN RELEASE FORM

Date November 9, 1942.

Address SLOCAN CITY, B. C.

To: The Secretary of State, acting in his capacity as Custodian, Vancouver, B.C.

I, TATESHI, Tomahiko, Police Registration No. 08892

hereby request you to release to me the under-noted property stored at 246 Second St., Duncan, B. C.

in possession of The Custodian.

and I release you from any claim whatsoever with respect to such property.

Description of Property:

1 - Heater (in the back pantry)

3 - Pail chain sockets.

Original Address 246 Second St., Duncan, B. C.

Date Evacuated to Vancouver April 8, 1942.

Date Evacuated to Present Address September 24, 1942.

Number in Family - 12 years and over One

Number in Family - 5 to 11 years old

Number in Family - under 5

TOTAL NUMBER IN FAMILY Three.

I agree to pay all charges as required by the British Columbia Security Commission.

APPROVED:
BRITISH COLUMBIA SECURITY COMMISSION

Per: _____

T. Tatesshi
Claimant Signs Here

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BRITISH COLUMBIA SECURITY COMMISSION.

CUSTODIAN RELEASE FORM

Address Slocan City, B. C. Date Oct 24, 1942

To: The Secretary of State, acting in his capacity as Custodian, Vancouver, B.C.

I, TATSUMI, Tomohiko, Police Registration No. C8297 hereby request you to release to me the under-noted property stored at 246 2nd Street, Duncan, B. C. in possession of Custodians and I release you from any claim whatsoever with respect to such property.

Description of Property:

Kitchen Utensils (In kitchen) All leftover foodstuffs left- (In Back Pantry.)

Pickled cucumbers in aluminum pot 3 Prs. Ice Skates

1 Box Glassware 2 Paper Box(fairly large size)

Paper Boxes (Stored in Root House)

Original Address 246 2nd Street, Duncan, B. C.

Date Evacuated to Vancouver April 21/42

Date Evacuated to Present Address September 24, 1942

Number in Family - 12 years and over 3

Number in Family - 5 to 11 years old

Number in Family - under 5

TOTAL NUMBER IN FAMILY 3

I agree to pay all charges as required by the British Columbia Security Commission.

APPROVED:
BRITISH COLUMBIA SECURITY COMMISSION

Per: _____

Tatsushi Tomeliko
Claimant Signs Here

J.H. Whittome, Duncan, B.C.

Vancouver, B.C., November 4, 1942

You may arrange to ship the articles described on this form. All freight is to be collected at Slocan, where the C.P.R. now have an Agent. All shipping charges and Custodian Agent's charges to be protected by either advances on waybill or a C.O.D. No expense to this Commission. Please keep expenses down to the minimum as the Japanese owner has to pay them.

C.W. Fisher

cc Custodian, Royal Bank Bldg.,
Vancouver, B.C.

MEMORANDUM September 24, 1943.

TO: File No. Int. 682

FROM: Specified Articles Department.

Re: TATEISHI Harry, Reg. No. 08964

ARTICLE	DESCRIPTION	APPRAISED VALUE
RADIO	Victor Console Radio Serial No. 0312	

Sold by auction 1/5/44 Vancouver B.C.

Form 216A

ROYAL CANADIAN MOUNTED POLICE

No. 819

EXHIBIT REPORT

HEADQUARTERS File No.

SUB-DIV'N and File No. Vancouver.

DIVISION and File No. (Jap. Reg. No.03964).

DETACHMENT and File No. C.I.B.

DATE March 21st, 1944.

Re: Harry TATEISHI, Duncan, B. C.
(Name of File)

On July 30th, 1943 (Date) I F. R. Jefferson, Cst. (Member's Name)

Came into possession of the following described goods by

Handed over by R. C. M. Police, Victoria, B. C.
(State Authority from whom seized and place of seizure)

No. OF EXHIBIT	No. OF PACKAGES	CAPACITY OR SIZE	DESCRIPTION OF EXHIBITS
	1	✓	Victor Console radio Serial No. 0312. Short Wave Band removed.

Ext 682

REMARKS:

Handed over to Custodian of Alien Property.
(State briefly disposition)

DATE MAR 23 1944

Geo. B. Young for Custodian
(Signature of Recipient or Witness)

CERTIFIED CORRECT

F. R. Jefferson Reg. No. 10559 Cst.
(Signature of Member)

NO.	NAME	FILE NO.
08897	TATEISHI, Tomshiko (See also File G/48)	5359 ✓

COMPANY	POLICY NO.	AMOUNT	EXPIRATION MONTH	EXPIRATION DAY	EXPIRATION YEAR	PROPERTY
Union Marine & General Ins. Co.	Sold - Renewal not required 74363	$750.00	Dec.	10	1943	Front Street, bte. First & Evans St., Duncan, B.C.
Union Marine & General Insurance Co. Ltd.	74467	1,500.00	Feb.	20	1946	No. 246 on the South Side of 2nd St., Duncan, V. I., B. C.
New England Fire Insurance Company	Renewal not required 6255142	$1,500.	March	9	1944	246 Second St., Duncan, B. C.

TRANSFERRED TO PURCHASER (Nov. 13/44).

The above summary is certified to be in accordance with the information on file.

18th April, 1947.

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LIABILITIES SUMMARY

File 5359. Tomehiko TATEISHI (Dec'd. Dec. 24/42) Reg. #08897

$50.00 B. C. Security Commission, Vancouver. Letter, dated Jan. 30/43. Funeral expenses. Still outstanding.

There are no other claims recorded in this file.

The above summary is certified to be in accordance with the information on file.

18th April, 1947.

[signature]

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March 10, 1949.

We were today advised by the Department of Labour, by telephone, that they do not wish to press this small claim for funeral expenses and as far as they are concerned the Executor may receive these funds without any effort to collect their bill.

[signature]

M.J.S.

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J. H. Whittome & Co., Limited

Real Estate, Financial and Insurance Agents
Bonds and Stocks

VICTORIA BRANCH
1012 BROAD STREET

Whittome Building
Duncan, B.C.

June 1st, 1942

C. L. Drewry, Esq.
Office of the Custodian,
506 Royal Bank Building,
Vancouver, B. C.

Your File 5359

Re Tomehiko TATEISHI - Reg. #08397

Dear Sir:

In reply to yours of the 29th of May, we note what Mrs. Tateishi has to say regarding the missing items. This house is boarded up and all precautions taken to see that the house is secured against entry.

Yours faithfully,

J. H. WHITTOME & CO. LIMITED

RWW/LM

Manager

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Evacuee Section

509 Royal Bank Building,
Vancouver, B. C.
August 21, 1946

Mr. Masahiko Tateishi,
Registration No. 08910,
700 Simpson Street,
Fort William, Ontario

Re: Estate of Tomehiko TATEISHI, Dec'd

Dear Sir:

With further reference to your letter of the 22nd ultimo, and telegram of July 30, 1946, received from the Department of Labour, Japanese Division, we wish to confirm the information contained in our wire, in reply, that until such time as the Official Administrator, Mr. V. G. Fawcett, Nanaimo, B. C., is prepared to distribute funds in connection with the above-mentioned Estate, there is nothing further that we can do regarding this matter.

We note your statement that your father left a Will, and as suggested by you, we have communicated with Messrs. Duncan & Christmas of Duncan, B. C., and will advise you if such a document can be located.

In the meantime, we would like you to discuss this matter with your mother, Mrs. Kikuyo Tateishi, as she has informed the Official Administrator that there is no Will in connection with this Estate.

Yours truly,

W. J. Johnston
Administration Department

WJJ/JF

309 Royal Bank Building,
Vancouver, B. C.
August 21, 1946

5399,8367,683 (Int)
Evacuee Section

Messrs. Duncan & Christmas,
P.O.Box 128,
Duncan, B. C.

Re: Tomshiko TATEISHI, Dec'd

Dear Sirs:

The above deceased died at Sloean City, B. C., on December 24, 1942, and the widow, Mrs. Kikuyo Tateishi has applied to Mr. V. C. Fawcett, Official Administrator, Nanaimo, B. C., for administration of his Estate.

There appears to be some disagreement among members of the family as to whether or not the late Mr. Tateishi left a Will, and in this connection the son, Masshiko Tateishi, has informed us that his father made a Will, during his lifetime, and left it in the custody of your firm, from whom he bought the property on Second Street, Duncan,B.C., described as Lots 14 and 15, Block 4, Section 18, Range 6, Quamichan District, Plan 798.

Will you kindly advise us, as soon as possible, as to whether or not you know of the existence or whereabouts of such a document.

Yours very truly,

W. J. Johnston
Administration Department

WJJ/JF

OUR FILE

YOUR FILE 5359,8367,683 (Int).

ADDRESS YOUR REPLY

TO

Nanaimo, B.C.,

August 26th, 1946.

ENEMY SECTION
Rec'd AUG 27 1946
File No.
Ans'd
Re'd

Administration Department,
Department of the Secretary of State,
509 Royal Bank Building,
Vancouver, B.C.

Dear Sir:-

Re - Tomehiko Tateishi, deceased.

I have your letter of the 21st instant herein.

Since the B. C. Security Commission first wrote me with respect to this estate I have advised that this is a matter where the widow of the deceased should make application to the Supreme Court through a Solicitor, for a grant of Letters of Administration.

My last letter dated January 28th last was addressed to Mr. D. W. Simmons of the Department of Labour, 360 Homer Street, Vancouver, advised this course.

The deceased's widow is within the jurisdiction of the Court and competent to apply for Letters of Administration.

Yours truly,

V. C. Fawcett.
Official Administrator.

Per ....

765 Simpson St
Fort William
Aug 27/46

Mr. H. J. Johnston
Administration Dept.
309 Royal Bank Bldg
Vancouver, B.C.

ENEMY SECTION
Rec'd AUG 29 1946
File No. 5367
Ans'd
Refer'd

Dear Sir

In reply to your letter concerning the estate of Tomekiko Tateishi, Dec'd., of whether the above deceased made a will in writing, during his lifetime.

At the time I had forgotten, but now I am sure my late husband made a will in favour of my eldest son Masahiko Tateishi Reg. No. 08980.

And if possible I would like the funds from the above mentioned Estate to be sent to my son at your earliest possibilty

Yours truly
K. Tateishi

TELEPHONE S. 3320

WILLIAM B. STASIV, B.A.
BARRISTER, SOLICTOR AND NOTARY PUBLIC
SUITE 10, FRANCIS BLOCK
FORT WILLIAM - ONTARIO

February 7, 1947.

EVACUATION SECTION
Rec'd FEB 12 1947
File No. 5359
Ans.
Referred

The Custodian's Office,
509 Royal Bank Building,
Vancouver, B. C.

Dear Sirs:

Your file Nos. 5359, 8637, 8363,
682 and 683 (INT) Evacuee Section
Estate of Tomehiko Tateishi, deceased

Upon instruction of Haruhiko Tateishi one of the executors named in the will of the said Tomehiko Tateishi, I have made application in the Surrogate Court of the District of Thunder Bay and Province of Ontario for Letters Probate of the Estate of the said deceased.

Will you be good enough to le me know where a copy of Letters Probate, together with a request for payment of the monies standing to the credit of the said estate be sent, whether to your office or directly to the Custodian's Office in Ottawa. I take it that the cheque will be issued from Ottawa and I have already obtained ~~xxx~~ an Ontario Succession Duty Release from the Treasurer of Ontario. If my further correspondence has to go through your office, will you be good enough to let me know what ~~former~~ formal documents have to be filed with you. On the other hand if you want me to correspond with the Custodian's Office in Ottawa, please, let me know of this at your earliest convenience, so that there are no unnecessary delays when Letters Probate are granted.

Yours very truly,

WBS/CP

NOT VALID UNTIL SIGNED BY THE INSPECTOR OR HIS AUTHORIZED OFFICER.

S.D. 9A
FOR USE IN NON-DUTIABLE ESTATES ONLY.

DOMINION OF CANADA
SUCCESSION DUTY ACT
CERTIFICATE OF DISCHARGE
AND CONSENT TO THE TRANSFER OF PROPERTY
FOR NON-DUTIABLE ESTATES

SERIAL No. 41907

DATE April 11th 1941

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

Tateishi, Tomehiko
Slocan, British Columbia

WHO DIED ON December 24th 1942

THIS IS TO CERTIFY:

THAT THE ESTATE OF THE ABOVE PERSON HAS BEEN DETERMINED AS NOT SUBJECT TO DOMINION SUCCESSION DUTIES AND CONSEQUENTLY, ALL PROPERTY OF THE DECEASED MAY BE TRANSFERRED BY ANY PERSON HAVING POWER TO MAKE TRANSFERS THEREOF.

THE EXECUTOR IS HEREBY AUTHORIZED TO ISSUE AND CERTIFY UNDER HIS OWN HAND COPIES OF THIS CERTIFICATE OF DISCHARGE QUOTING PARTICULARLY THEREIN THE EXACT NAME OF THE ESTATE AS USED ON THE FORM AND ITS SERIAL NUMBER, AND THE SAME MAY BE ACCEPTED FOR PURPOSES OF MAKING TRANSFERS BY ANY PERSON HAVING POWER TO MAKE TRANSFERS OF THE PROPERTY STANDING IN THE NAME OF THE DECEASED PERSON.

ISSUED TO Haruhiko Tateishi, 524 McTavish Street Fort William, Ontario, by W.B. Stauer, B.A. Barrister, Solicitor etc.

IN THE CAPACITY OF Fort William, Ontario.

COPY OF ORIGINAL

C. Fraser Elliott
DEPUTY MINISTER OF NATIONAL ~~DUTIES~~ REVENUE FOR TAXATION

ISSUED FROM THE OFFICE OF THE INSPECTOR OF SUCCESSION DUTIES AT Fort William, Ontario

BY M. Stitt, per ss.
AN AUTHORIZED OFFICER

THIS CERTIFICATE SHALL NOT DISCHARGE ANY PERSON LIABLE FOR DUTY IN CASE OF FRAUD OR FAILURE TO DISCLOSE MATERIAL FACTS.

CERTIFICATE OF EXECUTOR OR ADMINISTRATOR

I, Haruhiko Tateishi, EXECUTOR (~~OR ADMINISTRATOR, OR, AS THE CASE MAY BE~~) OF THE ABOVE NOTED ESTATE, DO HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS IS A TRUE COPY OF THE CERTIFICATE OF DISCHARGE ISSUED UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF THE DOMINION SUCCESSION DUTY ACT AND SERIALLY NUMBERED 41907

Haruhiko Tateishi, per W. Stauer
his solicitor in this behalf
EXECUTOR, OR ADMINISTRATOR, OR AS THE CASE MAY BE.

CM

CONSENT OF

Treasurer of Ontario

No. 46- 03084

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF THE SUCCESSION DUTY ACT, 1939, THE REGISTRY ACT, SEC. 56 (6), OR THE LAND TITLES ACT, SEC. 62.

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF TOMEKIKO TATEISHI (DECEASED)

TORONTO, DEC 10 19 46

WHO DIED ON OR ABOUT DEC 24/42

I CONSENT TO THE DELIVERY, ASSIGNMENT, TRANSFER OR PAYMENT OF THE FOLLOWING PROPERTY, OR TO THE REGISTRATION OF ANY INSTRUMENT OR THE MAKING OF ANY ENTRY AFFECTING THE FOLLOWING PROPERTY.

///$1707.14 CREDIT BALANCE WITH THE CUSTODIAN OF ALIEN PROPERTY, OTTAWA, ONT///

THIS DOES NOT PERMIT THE DELIVERY OF ANYTHING FROM A SAFETY DEPOSIT BOX OR OTHER REPOSITORY, OR HELD AS COLLATERAL OR FOR SAFE KEEPING.

COUNTERSIGNED L. Kemp

TREASURER OF ONTARIO

TELEPHONE S. 3320

WILLIAM B. STASIV, B.A.
BARRISTER, SOLICTOR AND NOTARY PUBLIC
SUITE 10, FRANCIS BLOCK
FORT WILLIAM - ONTARIO

EVACUATION SECTION
Rec'd APR 15 1947
File No. 5359
Ans.
Referred McArthur

April 12, 1947.

Office of the Custodian,
Japanese Evacuation Section,
506 Royal Bank Building,
Hastings and Granville,
Vancouver, B. C.

Dear Sirs:

Attention Mr. A. J. McArthur
Your File No. 5359

Re: Estate of Tomehiko Tateishi, deceased

I wish to refer you to your letter herein dated February 12th last. As directed therein, I am enclosing herewith notarial copy of letters probate of the will of the late Tomehiko Tateishi, deceased, together with the Treasurer's consent No. 46-03084 dated December 10, 1946 and Dominion of Canada Succession Duty Releases Form SD 9A, Serial No. 41907 dated April 11, 1947.

Will you be good enough to forward in my care statement of assets and liabilities together with the remittance of the cash at credit.

Yours very truly,

WBS/CP
Encl. 3

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April 29, 1947.

Mr. W.B. Stasiv,
Barrister, Solicitor & Notary Public,
Suite 10, Francis Block,
Fort William, Ontario.

Dear Sir:

Re: Estate of Tomshiko TATEISHI,
Reg. No. 08847, Deceased.

We acknowledge receipt of your letter of April 12th enclosing notarial copy of Letters Probate of the Will of the above deceased naming Haruhiko Tateishi Executor, together with Consent of the Treasurer of Ontario and Dominion of Canada Succession Duty Release.

We wish to advise you that as far as the Custodian is aware the only asset of this estate in the Protected Area of British Columbia is the cash credit in the sum of $1707.14 to which reference has already been made.

The only liability indicated on the file is the claim of the Department of Labour, Japanese Division, 360 Homer Street, Vancouver, in the sum of $50.00 for funeral expenses paid by that Department, which we believe is still outstanding.

We note that Letters Probate were granted in the Province of Ontario although the deceased's domicile at the time of his death was British Columbia and we are not aware of any assets elsewhere as we have not been supplied with a copy of the inventory submitted to the Court. Under the circumstances it will be necessary to have a Succession Duty release from this Province and re-sealing of Letters Probate together with information concerning assets may also be required. The Assessor and Collector of Probate and Succession Duties is Mr. A.C. Campbell, Legislative Buildings, Victoria, B.C. and you may wish to write to him in this connection. In the meantime, would you kindly supply us with a copy of the inventory of assets.

Yours truly,

A. G. Macarthur,
Office of the Custodian.

AGM:AR

TELEPHONE S. 3320

WILLIAM B. STASIV, B.A.
BARRISTER, SOLICTOR AND NOTARY PUBLIC
SUITE 10, FRANCIS BLOCK
FORT WILLIAM · ONTARIO

EVACUATION
Rec'd MAY 5, 1947
File No. 5359
Ans.
Referred

May 2, 1947.
Your File No. 5359

Office of the Custodian,
Japanese Evacuation Section,
506 Royal Bank Building,
Hastings and Granville,
Vancouver, B. C.

Dear Sir:

Re: Estate of Tomehiko Tateishi,
deceased, Reg. No. 08897

I thank you for your letter of April 29th last. When in my last letter to you I spoke of statement of assets of the said estate, that was only in reference to your letter of February 12, 1947. As far as the executor and beneficiaries are concerned, the only assets in the estate is the cash in the hands of the Custodian.

I am getting in touch with Mr. A. C. Campbell and as soon as the matter of British Columbia Succession Duty is settled, I will get in touch with you again.

Yours very truly,

WBS/CP

TELEPHONE E. 3320

WILLIAM B. STASIV, B.A.
BARRISTER, SOLICITOR AND NOTARY PUBLIC
SUITE 10, FRANCIS BLOCK
FORT WILLIAM - ONTARIO

EVACUATION SECTION
Rec'd JUN 18 1947
File No. 5339
Ans.
Referred

June 14, 1947.

Office of the Custodian,
Japanese Evacuation Section,
506 Royal Bank Building,
Hastings and Granville,
Vancouver, B. C.

Dear Sir:

Replying to your letter I may say that application for Succession Duties Certificate to the Assessor of Probate and Succession Duties at Victoria, B. C. was made last month on the forms provided by the Assessor of Probate. Subsequently to the application a request was received from the Assessor of Probate to let him have a fee of $1.00; the said fee was forwarded to him on June 11th last. I trust that all formalities at the Office of the Assessor of Probate have now been completed and that the Succession Duties Certificate will issue soon. As soon as the same is received by me it will be forwarded to your office.

In my opinion the Succession Duty Release for the Province of Ontario is really not needed in this case because the only asset in the estate is the money in the hands of the Custodian and therefore it is located within the Province of Ontario. However, instead of labouring on that legal point I have decided to apply for the Succession Duty Release, as aforesaid.

Yours very truly,

WBS/CP

5359, X.I.662

July 7, 1947.

William B. Stasiv, Esq.,
Barrister, Solicitor & Notary Public,
Suite 10,
Francis Block,
Fort William, Ontario.

Dear Sirt

Re: Estate of Tomshiko Tateishi, Deceased.

We have to acknowledge your letter of June 25, enclosing British Columbia Succession Duty Certificate of Discharge in the above estate.

We are, accordingly, enclosing herewith Custodian cheque in favour of Haruhiko Tateishi, Executor of the Estate of Tomshiko Tateishi, Deceased, in the sum of $1667.73, being the total funds to the credit of the estate account in this office. This amount is $39.41 less than previously reported, due to having credited this sum in error to the account of the deceased.

We would appreciate your bringing to the attention of the Executor the claim of the Department of Labour in the amount of $50.00 as mentioned in our letter to you dated June 10, 1947.

We would also appreciate receiving a statement of receipts and disbursements in this estate, together with information concerning the amounts paid to the beneficiaries, in order to complete our file record.

Yours very truly,

A. G. McArthur,
Office of the Custodian.

AGM/AC
Enc. cheque $1667.73

524. McTavish St.
Fort. William. Ont.

The Office of Custodian

July 6 1947

EVACUATION SECTION
Rec'd JUL 10 1947
File No. XI 682
Ans.
Released

Dear Sirs:

According to your letter of June 10th I understand that the matter of "Succession Duty release" for the Province of B.C. is necessary before the estate funds are released to me (from the will).

I took your letter to Mr. Stasiv & was told that he has already attended to same even as to send $1.00 in Postal note, as requested by you and that he was waiting also for a word from you.

I am in immediate need for money in regard to housing problem. Therefore please give your kindest attention to this matter right away.

Thank you.

Yours Truly.
H. Fateishi

TELEPHONE S. 3320

WILLIAM B. STASIV, B.A.
BARRISTER, SOLICITOR AND NOTARY PUBLIC
SUITE 10, FRANCIS BLOCK
FORT WILLIAM - ONTARIO

EVACUATION SECTION
Rec'd JUL 29 1947
File No. x-1/61 5359
Ans.
Referred

July 25. 1947.
File No. 5359.
X.I.682

Office of the Custodian,
Japanese Evacuation Section,
506 Royal Bank Bldg.,
Hastings and Granville,
Vancouver, B. C.

Dear Sirs:

I beg to acknowledge receipt of your cheque for $1667.73 which I have certified and to-day delivered to the executor of the said estate, Haruhiko Tateishi, together with your information that $50.00 is owing to the Department of Labour for funeral expenses of the said deceased.

In your letter of July 7th last you requested a statement of receipts and disbursements of the said estate. As I am informed by the said executor the only receipts in the said estate is the said cheque for $1667.73. On my part I may say that no other assets were reported to me and the Succession Duty Forms disclosed only the moneys represented by the said cheque.

Yours very truly,

WBS/CP

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August 22, 1947.

William B. Stasiv, Esq.,
Barrister, Solicitor & Notary Public,
Suite 10,
Francis Block,
Fort William, Ontario.

Dear Sir:

Re: Estate of Tomehiko Tateishi, #08897, Dec'd.

We have to acknowledge your letter of July 25, 1947, in which you advise that the only receipt in the above estate is the cheque for $1667.73 forwarded to you by this office. If these funds have now been disbursed by the Executor of the estate, we would appreciate receiving from him a detailed statement of these disbursements, as requested in the last paragraph of our letter to you dated July 7, 1947.

As the heirs named in the Will of the deceased are persons of the Japanese race who were evacuated from the Protected Area of British Columbia, this office desires to have a record of the assets of the estate distributed in accordance with the terms of the Will.

Yours truly,

A. G. McArthur,
Office of the Custodian.

AGM/AC

TELEPHONE S. 3320

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BARRISTER, SOLICITOR AND NOTARY PUBLIC
SUITE 10, FRANCIS BLOCK
FORT WILLIAM - ONTARIO

EVACUATION SECTION
Rec'd SEP 11-1947
File No. 5359
Ans.
Referred

September 8, 1947.

Department of Secretary of State,
Office of the Custodian,
Japanese Evacuation Section,
506 Royal Bank Building,
Hastings and Granville,
Vancouver, B. C.

Dear Sir:

Re: Your File No. 5359

Referring you to your letter of August 22nd last, I wish to state that I have communicated with Haruhiko Tateishi, the executor of the estate of the late Tomehiko Tateishi, deceased, and according to him he has distributed the assets of the estate among the beneficiaries named in the will of the said deceased, in equal shares. I think, you have a copy of the will and from it you will see that the beneficiaries were the children of the deceased.

Yours very truly,

WBS/CP

We will not pursue this further

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March 10, 1949.

William B. Stasiv, Esq.,
Barrister and Solicitor,
Suite 10,
Francis Block,
Port William Ontario.

Dear Sir:

Re: Estate of Tomehiko TATEISHI, Deceased,
Haruhiko Tateishi, Executor.

Enclosed is Custodian cheque in the sum of $39.41, payable to Haruhiko Tateishi, Executor of the Estate of Tomehiko Tateishi, Deceased.

These funds represent proceeds from sale of chattels which this office was unable to identify as being the property of the deceased. At the Claims Commission hearing of the claim filed on behalf of the Estate by Haruhiko Tateishi, ownership of these chattels was clarified and proceeds transferred to the Estate account in this office.

Kindly have Haruhiko Tateishi acknowledge receipt of this cheque, signing himself as Executor of the Estate of Tomehiko Tateishi, Deceased.

Yours very truly,

A. C. McArthur,
Office of the Custodian.

/AC
Enc. cheque $39.41

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November 9th, 1949

Mr. William B. Stasiv,
Barrister & Solicitor,
Suite 10,
Francis Block,
Fort William, Ontario.

Dear Sir:

Re: Estate of Tomehiko TATEISHI, Deceased

On March 10th, 1949 we mailed you a cheque for $39.41 payable to Haruhiko TATEISHI, Executor of the Estate of Tomehiko TATEISHI, deceased. This cheque has not been cashed and is still outstanding on our books, neither have we received an acknowledgement of the cheque from Haruhiko Tateishi.

Would you be good enough to advise if Mr. Tateishi received this cheque, and would it be possible for you to persuade him to cash this cheque without further delay. This cheque has now been outstanding for eight months and the Bank on which it is drawn usually make enquiries before paying a cheque which has been outstanding for so long.

Your assistance in this matter will be greatly appreciated.

Yours very truly,

C. H. Reed
Office of the Custodian

CHR:BK

WILLIAM B. STASIV, B.A.
BARRISTER, SOLICITOR AND NOTARY PUBLIC

TELEPHONE 3-7224

SUITE 10-FRANCIS BLOCK
FORT WILLIAM, ONTARIO

FILE No. 5359

February 15, 1950.

EVACUATION SECTION
Rec'd FEB 16 1950
File No. 5359
Ans.
Referred

Department of the Secretary of State,
Office of the Custodian,
Japanese Evacuation Section,
506 Royal Bank Bldg.,
Hastings and Granville,
Vancouver, B.C.,

Dear Sir:

Re: Estate of Tomehiko Tateishi,
deceased

For some time I could not locate Haruhiko Tateishi, executor of the estate. Finally I succeeded in locating him and I believe that the cheque referred to in your letter of November 9th, 1949, has now been cashed.

Yours very truly,

WBS/TS

COPY FOR CLAIM FILE

March 10, 1949.

William B. Stasiv, Esq.,
Barrister & Solicitor,
Suite 10,
Francis Block,
Fort William, Ontario.

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Yours very truly,

A. G. McArthur,
Office of the Custodian.

/AC
Enc. cheque $39.41

CAMERON, WELDON, BREWIN & McCALLUM
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H. M. HARRISON

CABLE "RUERMAC" TORONTO
TELEPHONE ADEL 4391

STERLING TOWER
TORONTO, 1, CANADA

October 25, 1950.

EVACUATION SECTION
Rec'd OCT 26 1950
File No 5359
Ans.
Referred

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

Re: Case No 986

Dear Sir:

We have had a letter from Mr. H. Tateishi of 136 Pruden Street, Fort William, Ont. who states that he is the sole executor of the late Tomehiko Tateishi's estate.

We note than an award of $282.85 was made in this case.

Mr. Tateishi has written and asked us as to the delay in receiving the release form, and we have told him that we have not yet received a release from your office.

In the meantime we have written to Mr. Tateishi to see if he has a copy of the Letters Probate appointing him Executor of the estate.

Yours very truly,

CAMERON, WELDON, BREWIN & McCALLUM

per: F A Brewin

FAB:HC

5399

October 30, 1950.

Messrs. Cameron, Walden, Erwin & McCallum,
Barristers & Solicitors,
Sterling Tower,
Toronto 1, Ontario.

Attention: Mr. F.A. Elkerin, K.C.

Dear Sirs:

Re: Japanese Property Claims Commission
Case No. 986

We thank you for your letter of October 25th re the above case.

We note that you have written to Mr. Tateishi to see if he has a copy of Letters Probate appointing him Executor of the Estate. However, this is not necessary as we find that our file already establishes this fact.

We have today prepared a form of Release applicable to this claim which we have sent to Mr. McMaster and which is usual in such cases.

Yours very truly,

F.G. Sheers,
Director.

FGS/GH
E
c.c. Mr. R.J. McMaster.

5359 & 8367.
Cat. No. 776.

February 22nd, 1945.

Estate of Tomshiko TATEISHI, Deceased,
c/o Mrs. Kikuyo TATEISHI,
Registration No. 08896,
Bay Farms,
Sloocan, B. C.

Dear Sirs

Re: Lots 14 and 15, in Block 4 of Section 18,
Range 6, Quamichan District, Plan 796
(Second Street, Duncan).

In conformity with the Government's policy of liquidation of properties in the protected areas of British Columbia, the above was included in a catalogue, under No. 776, and widely advertised for sale.

This action was taken in the Spring of 1944 but no acceptable bid was received before September. On the 8th September, 1944, the property was sold for $1,285.00, which was more than the value placed on it by a qualified independent appraiser.

Adjustment of taxes, insurance, etc., have now been completed and we enclose a statement of the transaction, showing the net proceeds ($1218.85) passed to the credit of your account. For your information we also enclose a statement of your account, which shows a balance of $1696.89 standing at your credit at the present time.

Yours truly,

R. G. Bell,
Administration Department.

RGB/P.
Encl.

P.S. The above statements refer to Assets. The only Liability recorded in this file is a debt of $50.00 registered by the British Columbia Security Commission (for reimbursement of funeral expenses).

CASE NO. 986

IN THE MATTER OF THE "INQUIRIES ACT"
PART I, REVISED STATUTES OF CANADA 1927, CHAPTER 99.

JAPANESE PROPERTY CLAIMS COMMISSION

B E F O R E
(THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE H. L. BIRD, COMMISSIONER).

Fort William, Ontario,
April 27th, 1946.

IN THE MATTER OF THE CLAIM OF
ESTATE OF TATEISHI
TOMEKICHI

PROCEEDINGS AT HEARING.

APPEARANCES:

J.W.G. HUNTER, Esq., appearing for the Dominion Government.

A.M. CHERNIACK, Esq., appearing for the Claimant.

A. WATSON, Esq., Secretary.
D.J. HANDFORD, Esq., Official Interpreter.
T.P. HORNIBIN, Esq., Official Reporter.

MR. CHERNIACK: I ask leave to amend, my lord. The real property, the valuation is $2000.00, the salepriee is correct, and the loss therefore is $715.00.

As to the chattel claim, my lord, the total value is $522.00, the sale price is $250.60, and the loss is therefore $271.40.

THE COMMISSIONER: That is a slight increase over the chattelclaim as filed, is it not? The total chattel claim, I think, is for $406.50.

MR. CHERNIACK: No, my lord. You will notice that after that is a radio which is shown separately. Actually it is a reduction.

HARUHIKO TATEISHI, a witness called on behalf of the claimant, being first duly sworn, testified as follows:

DIRECT EXAMINATION BY MR. CHERNIACK:

Q Your name is Haruhiko Tateishi?

A Yes, sir.

Q And what was your father's name?

A Tomohiko Tateishi.

Q Tomohiko Tateishi? A: Yes.

MR. CHERNIACK: My lord, I have in my possession a grant of probate, I believe it is, in the estate of Tomohiko Tateishi, who died on the 24th day of December, 1942. The grant is issued to Haruhiko Tateishi, the witness here, as is issued out of the Surrogate Court of the District of Thunder Bay in the Province of Ontario on the 12th day of March, 1947. I have shown it to my

learned friend and he already has a notarial copy of the same, my lord.

THE COMMISSIONER: Very good.

MR. CHEESEMAN: I don't think there should be any need to file it.

THE COMMISSIONER: You are not questioning the proof of the probate, Mr. Hunter?

MR. HUNTER: No, my lord.

THE COMMISSIONER: Very good. You needn't file it.

MR. CHEESEMAN: Q: Mr. Tateishi, I show you two typewritten statements. Were these prepared in accordance with your instructions?

A Yes, sir.

Q And are those your signatures?

A Yes, sir.

Q Do you swear the contents to be true to the best of your knowledge, recollection and belief?

A Yes, sir.

(STATEMENT MARKED EXHIBIT NO. 1).

MR. CHEESEMAN: My lord, on behalf of my learned friend I file as Exhibit 2 an appraisal by H.N. Dickie. Is there a date on the appraisal? It isn't dated, sir.

(APPRAISAL MARKED EXHIBIT NO. 2).

MR. CHEESEMAN: Exhibit No. 1, my lord, sets out that the deceased purchased this property in 1934. It consisted of two lots and at the time of purchase there was a house on one of the lots. The purchase price for the two lots and the house was $990.00, and the statement, Exhibit 1, then sets out the

work done on the property. Your Lordship will note there was very extensive remodelling done on the house in 1944, it was enlarged and re-shingled, with new walls and floors inside, new posts for the foundation, and the exterior was painted. They installed the electric wiring and fixtures and a new sink in the kitchens. The total labour and materials is estimated at $1000.00. In addition to this, my lord, there was some $232.50 spent in and around the buildings of this home. Your Lordship will note from the appraisal filed as Exhibit 2 that the appraiser is well impressed with the house. He states that the dwelling is in good repair. He states that the floors are in good repair. He estimates the age of the building 4 or 5 years and states that the garage is in fair condition and the poultry house, tool house, and woodshed, are in good repair. The claimant states that in his opinion the property should be worth about $2000.00 as of the date of sale.

THE COMMISSIONER: When was the property sold?

MR. CHERNIACK: September 8th, 1944, my lord, according to the Custodian's records.

MR. HUNTER: That is correct, my lord, for $1285.00.

MR. CHERNIACK: My lord, there is one question that I have and this might be agood a time to ask it as any other and that is if my learned friend could clarify to me the policy as to the payment of commission to real estate agents as compared to tenders or offers on property.

MR. MEWETT: I think Mr. Shears can probably give that better than I can.

THE COMMISSIONER: If you would make a statement then, Mr. Shears.

MR. SHEARS: There is really no difference whether the property was sold by tender or a subsequent offer. In every case a commission of 5% was allowed to the real estate agent named in our catalogue who was looking after that particular property. So you might say in every case a commission of 5% was paid.

MR. CHERNIACK: Thank you. Turning to the personal chattels, my lord, I would like to file as Exhibit 3 the personal chattels statement.

THE COMMISSIONER: Before you leave the question of commission, does that 5% commission apply irrespective of the purchase price?

MR. SHEARS: Yes, irrespective. It is 5% on the purchase price, my lord, and as an example this is catalogue No. 576, and that was advertised and the person receiving commission would be J.H. Whitlams & Company, Limited, who was the named agent for handling that property on behalf of the Custodian.

MR. CHERNIACK: That would apply whether or not they had anything to do with the sale.

MR. SHEARS: Definitely.

THE COMMISSIONER: Presumably that agent had cared for the property from the date of evacuation up to the date of sale.

MR. SHEARS: Yes, and he would show prospective purchasers

E. Tetrault,
In Chief.

through the piece and still be handling the property up to the time of sale. I might say this in fairness, supposing another real estate agent secured a purchaser then Whittome & Company would probably come to a mutual arrangement for the commission between themselves, but the Custodian was not interested in that. He paid the 5% commission to the named agent of the property in every case. If we received an acceptable tender or received an acceptable offer, it was still paid to J.H. Whittome & Company or the named agent.

MR. CHERNIACK: His Lordship brought up the matter of managing the property. I think I have a right to assume that whoever managed the property was paid the usual commission on the collection of rents.

MR. SHEARS: For the collection of rents, but for no other management charges. Other management charges were paid by the Custodian, but if he collected rents he was paidthe normal rental collection.

MR. CHERNIACK: 5%.

THE COMMISSIONER: That is to say when you refer to other management charges being paid by the Custodian, that would be a charge against the Government?

MR. SHEARS: Yes, my lord.

THE COMMISSIONER: Very good. That clears it up, I think.

MR. CHERNIACK: In any event, we will be going into it in much greater detail on another occasion, I imagine, my lord.

THE COMMISSIONER: That question of the payment of commission has already been argued and decided in

Vancouver in December last.

MR. CHERNIACK: Yes, I understand so, my lord. Has your Lordship Exhibit 3?

THE COMMISSIONER: Yes.

MR. CHERNIACK: You will notice in the first column I have written in the Custodian sale price, so that Exhibit 3 shows all items and all credits and shows the net loss. I don't know whether my learned friend has an analysis which he wants filed. If he wants, it can be filed.

THE COMMISSIONER: There are no lost articles here, are there?

MR. CHERNIACK: No, my lord.

THE COMMISSIONER: Everything seems to have been sold. In those circumstances there would not appear to be any need for the Custodian's analysis unless counsel wishes to file it.

MR. HUNTER: There is an odd thing in it, my lord, that I think might be of assistance.

THE COMMISSIONER: Very well. Do you wish it in now, Mr. Cherniack?

MR. CHERNIACK: It is of no consequence to me, my lord. If my learned friend thinks it might be of interest, it could be filed now.

THE COMMISSIONER: Proceed. If he wishes to file it, he can do so later.

MR. HUNTER: I will file it now.

(CLAIMS ANALYSIS MARKED EXHIBIT NO. 4).

MR. CHERNIACK: May I ask my learned friend to produce the R.C.M.P. receipt for the radio?

MR. HUNTER: Are you sure it is here?

MR. GERSHLACK: No, I don't say it is. There is no duplicate copy of the receipt kept?

MR. HUNTER: No.

MR. GERSHLACK: I see. Exhibit 3, my lord, as you will note, sets out the approximate dates of purchase of the items, the cost price, also approximate, my lord, and the estimated value at the date of evacuation.

THE COMMISSIONER: Very good.

MR. HUNTER: It is submitted, my lord, that the real property was sold for its fair market value, and that the personal property was sold for its fair market value.

CROSS-EXAMINATION BY MR. HUNTER:

Q I show you a photograph, witness. What is that a photograph of? A: That is our house, or was our house.

Q When you say it is "our house", you are referring to this house approximately in the centre of the photograph? A: Yes.

Q The one to the left and behind this telegraph pole? A: That is right, sir.

Q That is the main house just to the left of the pole?

A Yes.

Q And that is what (indicating), the woodshed?

A Yes, the woodshed.

Q That is to the right of the pole, and this is the

chicken house out here (indicating).

A No, that is the tool shed.

Q Is the chicken house visible on that photograph?

A We have no chicken house.

Q Oh, I thought there was one on your place. That is the whole property then, as far as the buildings are concerned, is it? The house and woodshed, is it, and the tool house? A There is another root house on this lot here, Lot 15. (indicating). It isn't in the photograph though.

Q As far as the main lot is concerned, though, that shows all the buildings, does it?

A Yes.

MR. HUTTER: I will file that as Exhibit 5, my lord.

(PHOTOGRAPH MARKED EXHIBIT NO. 5).

MR. HUTTER: I have two letters here, which I will put in for information, my lord. They will have to be verified later. One is a letter dated March 2nd, 1944, to Messrs. J. H. Whittome & Company, Limited, Duncan, B.C.

"Net Fire Insurance - 246 2nd Street,
Tomshiko Tatsuki.

"There are two fire insurance policies covering the dwelling at the above location as follows:

"Union, Marine and General Policy No. 74467 placed through your office, expiring February 20th, 1944. This covers for $1100.00 on the dwelling.

"There is also a New England policy No. 625532 expiring March 9th next. This policy covers for $1000.00 on the dwelling and also $500.00 on household furniture.

K. Tateishi,
Cross-Exam.

"Kindly advise if you consider the house to have an insurable value of $2100.00. It would seem to me that it is fully covered by the $1100.00 carried under the Union, Marine and General mentioned above.

"Insofar as the insurance on furniture is concerned, this probably should have been cancelled on the New England policy at the time the furniture was removed to storage and insurance under Union, Marine and General policy No. 74363 now cancelled.

"If you should, by any chance, consider it necessary to add to the Union, Marine and General policy to any extent to replace the New England policy expiring on March 9th, please do so. In any event, let me have a report on it at your early convenience."

The next is a reply from the Union, Marine and General Insurance Company, Limited, Duncan, B.C., J.H. Whittome & Company Limited, resident agents, dated the 11th of March, 1944.

"We regret that owing to shortness of staff we have omitted to reply to your letter of the 2nd instant before.

"We consider the amount of $2100.00 too high. Tateishi's house is, however, one of the best of the Japanese houses here and in view of the increased cost of replacement, we recommend addition insurance of $400.00 bringing the amount to $1500.00 in all . The amount on furniture should, of course, be lapsed altogether asthe furniture

is now sold.

"We have placed extra insurance of $400. on this dwelling", and so on. In other words, they bring it up from $1100.00 to $1500.00. That may not be very useful from the point of view of fair market value, but it gives some indication of replacement, my lord.

Q What is this phonograph attachment? Is it an attachment for a radio — a record player?

A A record player.

Q One of these ones you plug in the radio, is it?

A That is right, sir.

MR. HUNTER: Your Lordship will notice that on the analysis it shows that the selling price of a radio of that type was $79.00.

THE COMMISSIONER: When were these goods sold?

MR. HUNTER: The radio was sold on May 19th, 1944. The others were sold at various times which vary, my lord. There are a number of them that were sold at Duncan on December 17th, 1943, at auction, then there were others that were removed and sold on April 26th, 1946, April 30th, 1946, and May 3rd, 1946, in Vancouver.

THE COMMISSIONER: I notice one entry, Mr. Hunter, to the effect that some window blinds were not declared.

MR. CHERNIACK: That has been withdrawn, my lord.

THE COMMISSIONER: It is just the 12 window blinds that are withdrawn?

MR. CHERNIACK: No, also the tools and miscellaneous.

THE COMMISSIONER: No claim is now made for those items.

M. Tatelshi,
Cross-Exam.
Discussion.

MR. CHERNIACK: No, my lord.

THE COMMISSIONER: I thought I was going to be able to get something on the suspense account.

MR. CHERNIACK: You have, sir. The phonograph attachment, I believe, is in the suspense account.

THE COMMISSIONER: Now, Mr. Shears, is there any reason now, if there be proof that the phonograph attachment was the property of the claimant, why the money should not be passed from suspense to the claimant?

MR. SHEARS: No, we would be prepared to transfer it.

THE COMMISSIONER: I would point that out, Mr. Hunter.

MR. HUNTER: Yes, my lord.

Q This phonograph attachment which you now say was a record player, your father owned one of that type, did he? A: Y es, sir.

Q And when he left he left it there? A: Yes.

Q And it was never sent to him, or to any members of the family? A: No, sir.

Q And did anybody else live on the property on your premises? A: No, sir.

Q So if there was a record player there, it couldn't be the property of anyone else?

A No, sir.

Q It would have to be your property?

A Yes, sir.

THE COMMISSIONER: I would make the direction now that the credit for the sale of that item on Exhibit 4 should be passed to the estate, rather than retaining it in the suspense account.

MR. HUNTER: Very good, my lord.

Q Now, witness, about the information which you have shown on this personal property statement showing the approximate dates of purchase and whether they were new —

MR. CHEVALIER: And how much was paid for them approximately?

MR. HUNTER: Q: Yes, — the approximate price, is that information of which you have personal knowledge or didyou have to get that information from someone else, or is a certain amount of it guesswork, or how did you get it? A: From my personal knowledge.

Q Did you always accompany your father when he bought anything? A: As a matter of fact, I bought it for himyself.

Q You bought all these things yourself, is that it?

A Not all of them, but a lot were bought in 1941.

Q Just which ones have you personal knowledge of and just which ones are you more or less taking a guess at? A: I have personal knowledge of the kitchen range.

Q You say you have? A: I have personal knowledge, and the heater stove, and the two single beds, the spring and mattress. I wouldn' t know about the double spring bed, spring mattress, and the three gun trophies.

Q You know about those? A: Yes, sir, and the phonograph attachment.

Q You know about that? A: Yes, sir, and the radio.

E. Tatsicht,
Cross-Exam.

Q What about the two dressers?

A No, I wouldn't know about them, sir.

Q The radio, yes. What about the linoleums?

A I wouldn't know about the linoleum.

Q About these ones you have no personal knowledge, the one double steel bed, the two dressers, and the three linoleums. Where did you get the information for them? A: I believe my father put it in the J.P. form.

Q I know, but where did you get the information about the cost? I don't think he put anything about cost in, did he? Yes, I think possibly you are right. Well now, for instance he put carpets 3 rooms, $15.00, whereas you have claimed for these at $30.00. Why do you claim more than he would? A: I don't know exactly what he paid for them myself.

MR. HUNTER: I am sorry I have made a mistake, my lord. I was looking at the figures of the prices paid. Actually the claim is for $15.00.

Q You have fallen down badly on the dressers. Your father thought they were worth $50.00, you are only claiming for $20.00. You better apply for an enlargment and the double steel beds -- yes, that is right. Well then, you did with the exception of the two dressers take the figures from his J.P. form, did you? A: As part of it, yes.

Q What was your prejudice against the figures of your father? A: Well I wouldn't

know. I thought my father was a little too high for what it was.

MR. MERTES: I don't think there is anything else. The statement is pretty clear, my lord.

THE COMMISSIONER: Any re-examination?

MR. GERRIAGK: No, my lord.

THE COMMISSIONER: Thank you, Mr. Tateishi.

MR. GERRIAGK: May I make a statement that my silence when my learned friend mentioned the selling price on the radio was not to be taken that I agreed that was correct. I assume that will be proven.

THE COMMISSIONER: Oh yes, that is subject to proof later.

(Witness aside)

(PROCEEDINGS ADJOURNED SINE DIE)

I hereby certify the foregoing to be a true and accurate transcript of the proceedings herein.

J. P. Horrobin

"T.P. HORROBIN"
Official Reporter.

FORT WILLIAM
27 April 1948.

DEFENCE BRIEF

ESTATE OF

Tomehiko TATEISHI

File No. 5359

Case No. 986

REAL PROPERTY CLAIM
(All claims are shown as Gross)

1.

Amended Claim	Appraised at	Sale Price
$2000.00	$1000.00	$1285.00

(Transcript Page 2)

Witness: Appraiser, H. W. Dickie

Appraiser (H.W.Dickie) reports - House about 4 or 5 years old. House and outside buildings in good repair.

Two tenders were received for this property.

PERSONAL PROPERTY CLAIM

2.

Amended Claim			Sale Price
$522.00	(a) sold for		$250.60

(Transcript Page 2)

Claim for Window Blinds and Tools withdrawn (Transcript Page 11)

(b) Goods value	$322.00	sold by auction	$190.60
(c) Radio	$200.00	" " "	60.00
			(Ceiling Price $79.00)
	$522.00		

The phonograph attachment was not declared which was sold by auction for $6.00 and credited to Suspense Account.

Commissioner directed that this amount be passed to the Estate from Suspense account. (Transcript Page 12) (Dom. Treasury 3/49)

SUMMARY OF DEFENCE

Witnesses	Where Required	
H. W. Dickie	1	Appraiser
Thompson & Company	2 (c)	Auctioneer
Mr. Wills	2 (c)	Staff
Thwaites & Bassett	2 (b)	Auctioneer
H. M. Anderson	2 (b)	Staff

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ANALYSIS OF REAL PROPERTY CLAIM

FILE NO: 5359

NAME OF CLAIMANT: Estate of Tomehiko TATEISHI (Haruhiko Tateishi, Executor)

LEGAL DESCRIPTION: Lots 14 and 15, Block 4, Section 18, Range 6, Quamichan District, Plan 798. 246-2nd Street, Duncan, B.C.

CLASSIFICATION: Two lots 60 x 120 feet. Lot 14 vacant except for small poultry shed. Lot 15 has four-room dwelling and outhouses situated thereon.

TITLE: Registered in the name Tomehiko Tateishi

DETAILS OF CLAIM:

Land.....	$550.00
Buildings.....	1500.00
Total	$2050.00

ASSESSED VALUE:

Land.....	$300.00
Buildings.....	450.00
Total (1942)	$750.00

Taxes - $17.84

ENCUMBRANCES: Lot 14 - Custodian Vesting D.F. 50101
Lot 15 - Custodian Vesting D.F. 50101

ADVERTISED FOR SALE: March 30, 1944 in Additional Catalogue of Real Properties for Sale by Tender.

TENDERS: June 10, 1944 - Sam Ken - $1285.00
June 14, 1944 - J. H. Whittome & Co. Limited on behalf of Budd Lionel Rafuse - $ 1000.00

SOLD: Sold to Sam Ken Joe for $1,285.00 cash, as at September 8, 1944.

Tomehiko Tateishi died at Slocan, B. C. on December 24, 1942. Letters Probate were issued on March 12, 1947 to Haruhiko Tateishi. (Certified copy Letters Probate on Claim file). Balance of funds to the credit of the account of the deceased in this office, $1667.73, was forwarded to the Executor on July 7, 1947.

Name of Claimant TAKEISHI, Kenshiro claiming as Executor of 966
TAKEISHI, Tomshiro, Estate of.

Custodian File 5559

REAL PROPERTY

Greater Vancouver		Rural (except V.L.A.)			V.L.A. (except Mission Village)			V.L.A. Mission Village			Total
Sale Price	5% thereof & 12.50	Sale Price	10% thereof	Charges 12.50 & Comm.	Sale Price	Total Award 80% of all Sale Prices: % of Total	Amount	Sale Price	Total Award 125% of all Sale Prices: % of Total	Amount	
		1285.	128.50	64.25 12.50							205.25

PERSONAL PROPERTY

Motor Vehicles		Boats and Boat Gear						
Sale Price	25% thereof	Sale Price	Nelson Bros. 23.5% of Sale Price	Other Sales 28.5% of Sale Price	Equipment charges paid to purchasers in error. Repay to owners	Amount of Claims for Boat Gear Declared & Not Found & Recorded Now Missing	45% of amount in next preceding column	

NETS

Total award for Nets plus Sale Price	Total Claim for Nets Sold, Declared Not Found and Recorded Now Missing	Percentage Total Award to Total Claim	Claim for Nets Sold Declared Not Found, & Recorded Now Missing	Apply % ratio to Claim	Deduct Custodian Sale Price	

MISCELLANEOUS CHATTELS

Claim for goods Sold By Auction	Sale Price of Goods Sold By Auction	Rebates of charges 30% of Sale Price	Ratio in % of Sale Price to Claim	Claim for goods Declared Not Found, Recorded Now Missing, & Sold Not Paid	Application of % ratio to amount in next preceding column	Sale Price of goods Sold by Tender	12% of Sale Price	
517.00	250.60	75.18	48.47%	5.00	2.42			77.60

TOTAL RECOMMENDATION 282.85

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December 20, 1950.

William Basil Stasiv, Esq.,
Barrister & Solicitor,
Suite 10,
Francis Block,
Port William, Ont.

Dear Sir:

Re: Japanese Property Claims Commission

Case No. 986

We have received from the Co-Operative Committee on Japanese Canadians, our form of Release which has been executed by Haruhiko TATEISHI of Port William, Ont., duly appointed Executor of the Estate of Tomehiko TATEISHI, covering the award recommended under the above Claims Commission for the sum of ..... $282.85.

Cheque in favour of Haruhiko TATEISHI of Port William, Ont., duly appointed Executor of the Estate of the Deceased, is enclosed herein in the amount of $266.49.

We have paid the Co-Operative Committee $16.36 for legal fees as authorized by H. Tateishi.

Yours truly,

F. G. Sheers,
Director.

FGS/GH
Encl.