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INFORMATION FROM R.C.M.P.

Date August 9, 1943.

Our File No. 5366

Full Name MORISHITA, Haruko (married name Mrs. Paul MIKI)
(Surname in Block Letters)

Registration No. 06312

Male - Female ☒
(check)

Age Aug. 6, 1916

Former Address

P. O. Box 190, Steveston, B. C.

Date Evacuated

5/6/42

Naturalized - Canadian-Born - National
(check) ☒

Present Address

427 N. Hughson, Hamilton, Ont. -- 6 Sumach, Toronto, Ont.

☒ Married - Single
(check)

Name of Wife

Name of Husband

Name of Mother Moto (nee KAJI) #04653

Name of Father Chonosuke (dec'd)

Names of Children under 16

Requested by 5366

Registered with Custodian yes
(Yes or No)

Additional Information Teacher. Taught dress designing at 857 Homer St., Vancouver.

December 2, 1946.

Reference only

REAL PROPERTY SUMMARY

JAPANESE NAME: The Estate of Chonosuke MORISHITA, Deceased, File No. 15633

CATALOGUE NO: 821

PROPERTY ADDRESS: 89 Moncton Street, Steveston, B.C.

LEGAL DESCRIPTION: Lot 3, Block 3 of Section 10, Block 3 North, Range 7 West, Map 249, Municipality of Richmond, District of New Westminster.

CLASSIFICATION: Store with living quarters.

ASSESSED VALUE: Land \$ 495.00 Annual Taxes \$ 58.39
Improvements \$3000.00 Appraisal \$2028.00

TITLE: Registered in the name of Samuel Alfred Moore "In Trust."
A quit claim Deed was received from S.A. Moore in favour of Noto MORISHITA, Haruko MIKI (wife of Paul Miki), Mariye MORISHITA and Yayoi MORISHITA registered on April 2, 1946.

ENCUMBRANCES: *Registered* and no indication of any unregistered.
Vesting Order Nos. 26115 - August 9, 1943
28646) Special vesting received from
28671) Ottawa April 13, 1946.

HISTORY OF ADMINISTRATION: The Custodian's representative reports on July 7, 1942,
"The building is a two-storey frame stucco containing two stores on the ground floor with living quarters above. It is in first class condition as far as I can see from the outside."

Before evacuation Samuel Alfred Moore, in his capacity as official administrator, joined with Noto Morishita and Dorothy H. Morishita into a Lease Agreement with one Alice Morrical, the term being for the period of evacuation, Mrs. Morrical to pay all taxes and water rates. The Lease covers the use of the furniture set out in a marked schedule "A" attached to the Lease, and is dated May 22, 1942. Mrs. Morrical paid the water rates for 1942, and taxes.

Mrs. Morrical did not occupy the premises but sub-let these three (3) rooms in the amount of \$5.00 per month to a Mrs. Turner. This tenancy was from August 1942 to the end of February 1943.

The file reveals that on April 6, 1943, a memorandum from C.C. Robinson, Custodian's agent, states that he had rented the property to a Mrs. B.M.C. Neville from the 1st of April 1943, rent being \$18.00 per month, the tenant to pay the water rates. It is noted Mr. Robinson deducted \$10.00 from

the first month's rent, this being paid to Mrs. Morrical. Mr. Robinson attached to his rental form a statement showing the taxes paid by Mrs. Morrical for 1942 being \$45.00 and the rental received from Mrs. Turner, by Mrs. Morrical, in the amount of \$35.00, leaving a balance of \$10.00 which Mrs. Morrical acknowledges as receiving from the Custodian. The reason for this refund appears to be some arrangement between Mr. Robinson and Mrs. Morrical to take care of her out-lay for taxes from May 1942 to the end of March 1943.

In May 1943 a deduction of \$2.50 was allowed Mrs. Neville from her rent for the removal and towing of an old car that was in the garage. This expenditure appears to have been sanctioned by Mr. Robinson. Mrs. Neville vacated the premises on January 10, 1944.

The property was then rented to Leo Minsky on February 1, 1944, rent \$20.00 per month which included charges for water in the amount of \$2.00.

On March 16, 1945, it was necessary to make an expenditure for the new joists under the floor in the amount of \$25.00, and repairs to the plumbing in the amount of \$61.25. These two amounts were deducted from current rents and rent arrears paid by the tenant, on that date.

Samuel A. Moore quit claimed from his name "In Trust" to Koto Morishita, Haruko Miki, wife of Paul Miki, Mariye Morishita and Yayoi Morishita. This quit claim was registered on April 2, 1946. On September 6, 1946, a cheque was issued to Samuel A. Moore, being the Provincial Government 1% commission on the transfer of this property.

A special vesting was placed on this property on April 2, 1946, covering the interests of the heirs, Koto Morishita, Haruko Miki, Mariye Morishita and Yayoi Morishita. This property was then advertised in an additional catalogue and sold to Leo Minsky for the sum of \$2,030.00. Adjustments were calculated as of April 11, 1946. Committee approval - March 26, 1946.

Certificate of Title No. 203299-E was sent by registered mail to the purchaser on July 19, 1946.

Funds were released to the joint account of
Koto MORISHITA File No. 5355
Haruko MIKI File No. 5366
Mariye MORISHITA File No. 5920
Yayoi MORISHITA File No. 15654
on May 8, 1946.

At this date, we have transferred from the Estate Account \$176.42, being the balance of revenue derived from this property, to the joint account as mentioned above, giving the joint account the total net credit of \$2,249.30, which was derived from revenue, less disbursements, and the proceeds from the sale of the property.

When the division of this joint account has been made, kindly note that on July 25, 1945, Dorothy Haruko Niki, otherwise known as Mrs. Paul Niki, daughter of Noto Morishita, requested the Custodian to transfer all her funds received from the sale of Real Property to her mother's account.

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



George Peters,
Office of the Custodian.

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5355
Date May 8th, 1944

REAL PROPERTY MEMORANDUM

File No. 5355 & 5366

Name *to file* Mrs. Moto MORISHITA & Haruko MORISHITA Registration No. 04556
06312

Re: Catalogue No. 119

Address: 857 Homer St., Vancouver. (Dwelling)

✓ Legal Description: Lot 27, Block 65, D.L. 541,
Gp. 1, N.W.D., Plan 210.

TITLE AND ENCUMBRANCES.

A. Certificate of Title No 51913 L. Indef. Whereabouts: Registrar

✓ Registered owner: Moto MORISHITA (Widow) and Reg. No. 04556
Dorothy Haruko MORISHITA (Spinster) 06312
✓ Property: (Joint Tenants)

✓ Lot 27, Block 65, District Lot 541,
Group 1, New Westminster District,
Plan 210.

B. Charges.

✓ Registered: None

✓ Vesting: 34638

Unregistered: No evidence.

Taxes: 1943 - \$114.13 net - paid.

Water: \$9.65 net - Paid Jan. 1 to June 30/44

Insurance: \$1,000.00 Halifax Ins. Co.-ex. Mar. 1/47.

Assessed Value: Land: \$2000.00 Improvements: \$500.00

✓ Valuation by Appraiser: \$1250.00

✓ Amount of Bid: \$1750.00

✓ Approved by Advisory Committee: May 4th, 1944

✓ Paid as shown in attached letter: \$1,750.00 - May 9, 1944

✓ Name of transferee as attached letter: Maple Leaf Magazines Ltd.

ADMINISTRATION.

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

Rented at \$27.50 per month. No lease.

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

Chattels: Particulars of those stored on the premises.

Nil

Named Agent: Morrow Realty Co. Ltd., 1521 West Broadway.

File Nos. 5355 & 5366.
Catalogue No. 119.

May 15th, 1944.

MEMORANDUM

To: Mr. E. V. Wright

FROM: Mr. D. A. Cramer

Re: **SHIMIZU** - Reg. No. 04596
and
Barthelme Shibus **SHIMIZU** - Reg. No. 04312
City of Vancouver
Lot 27, Blk. 65, S.E. 1/4, Sp. 1, N. W. 2,
Plan 210. Certificate of Vesting No. 1463.

We enclose herewith the following documents in connection with the sale of the above described property.

1. Original Certificate of Encumbrance.
2. Transmission in duplicate.
3. Deed in duplicate..... **MAPLE LEAF MANUFACTURING LIMITED.**
4. Copy of letter showing to whom sold and price paid for the property.
5. Memorandum from the Administration Department confirming valuation, and approval of Advisory Committee.

Certificate of Indefeasible Title Number 51913-1 is in the Registrar's Office.

[Handwritten signature]

DAC:JD
Encs.

701 5366.
File Nos. 15433, 15434, 15435,
15436 and 15437.
Catalogue No. 221.

July 17th, 1944.

MEMORANDUM

TO: Mr. George Peters

FROM: Mr. D. A. Cress

**WUO MORISHITA, HANNO MIKI,
MARIE MORISHITA and YATSI MORISHITA
Lot 3, Blk. 3 of Sec. 10, T1N. 3 S.,
Range 7 E., Map 249, Wm. of Richmond,
D. C. D.**

With reference to the above property which was recorded in the
New Westminster Land Registry Office, May 8th, 1944, we attach herewith
the following documents in connection therewith.

1. Copy of application number 203298-E, dated May 8th, 1944,
registering the property in the name of the Custodian
(Transmission).
2. Copy of application number 203299-E, dated May 8th, 1944,
registering the property in the name of Leo Alfred Hinesky
(Deed).
3. Duplicate of Transmission dated April 26th, 1944.
4. Duplicate of Deed dated April 26th, 1944 - Secretary of State
to Leo Alfred Hinesky.
5. Certificate of Indefeasible Title number 203299-E, dated
July 11th, 1944, covering the above property in the name
of Leo Alfred Hinesky.

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File Nos. 3355 & 3366
Catalogue No. 119.

June 1943, 1944.

Re: Mr. George Peters

Re: Mr. D. A. Grant

Re: MINIMITA
and
Barthelme Marie MINIMITA
City of Vancouver
Lot 27, Blk. 65, S.L. 341,
S.W. 1/4, S. 1/4, T. 20.

With reference to the above property which was
recorded in the Vancouver Land Registry Office, dated
May 23rd, 1944, we enclose herewith the following
documents in connection therewith.

1. Copy of application number 103275-1, dated
May 23rd, 1944, registering the property in
the name of the Custodian (Transmission).
2. Copy of application number 103276-1, dated
May 23rd, 1944, registering the property in
the name of Maple Leaf Magazine Limited. (Deed).
3. Duplicate of Transmission dated May 15th, 1944.
4. Duplicate of Deed dated May 15th, 1944 - Secre-
tary of State to Maple Leaf Magazine Limited.
5. Certificate of Indefeasible Title No. 103276-1,
dated June 15th, 1944, covering the above property
in the name of Maple Leaf Magazine Limited.

ENCLOS
Encs.

H. H. H. H.

Catalogue No. 119
File Nos. 5355 & 5366
857 Homer Street
27/65/541

June 21, 1944.

MAPLE LEAF MAGAZINES LTD.

In account with: The Custodian of Enemy Property

STATEMENT OF ADJUSTMENTS

(as at May 9, 1944)

	DEBIT	CREDIT
Purchase price	1,750.00	
Cheques received		1,750.00
130/365 x \$114.13 seller's proportion of 1944 taxes		40.65
130/184 x \$ 9.65 water to June 30, 1944		6.82
(Amount of rental)		
May 9th to May 31st - 22/31 x \$26.13		18.54
June 1st to June 30th		26.13
Registration fees on deed - \$1750.00	6.75	
Insurance premium - 93.7% x \$5.00	4.68	
Water paid to June 30, 1944	9.65	
Balance owing purchaser	71.06	
	<u>\$1,842.14</u>	<u>\$1,842.14</u>

BALANCE OWING TO PURCHASER

\$71.06

STATEMENT RE SALE OF:

Name: MORISHITA, Moto #04656
 MORISHITA, Haruko #06312
 (now Mrs. Paul MIKI)
 File No: 5355 & 5366

Catalogue No: 119

Street Address: 857 Homer Street, Vancouver

Legal Description: Lot 27, Block 65, D. L. 541

Date of Sale and Adjustments May 9th, 1944.....

Sale Price \$ 1,750.00

Real Estate Agent's Commission \$ 87.50

Charge for Valuation 5.00

Charge for Advertising 4.00

Land Registry Office Transmission Fee 3.50

Encumbrances:

~~Unpaid vendor~~

~~Mortgages~~

~~Arrears of Taxes~~

~~Other charges~~

Adjustments:

Fire Insurance 4.68

Taxes 1944 to May 9th 40.65

Water 2.83

\$ 140.65 \$ 1,757.51

Net Proceeds credited to your account \$ 1,616.86

Date: July 8, 1944.....

Compiled by: George Peters.....

Catalogue No. 821
Files Nos. 5355, 5366, 5920, 15654 & 15633
89 Moneton Street, Steveston, B. C.
3/3/10/B3N/R7W/249/D.N.W.

June 27, 1946.

LEO MINOSKY
(purchaser)

In account with: The Custodian of Enemy Property

STATEMENT OF ADJUSTMENTS

(As at April 11, 1946)

	DEBIT	CREDIT
Purchase price	\$2,030.00	
Cheques received		\$2,030.00
Seller's proportion of taxes for 1946 - 100/365 x \$58.39		16.00
Registration fees on deed - \$2,030.00	8.30	
Insurance premium \$39.00 (Ex. 28/2/47) - Unearned portion	34.51	
Water from July 1/45 to Dec. 31/45	15.20	
Water from Jan. 1/46 to June 30/46 - 81/184 x \$12.00	5.28	
Rent owing (paid to March 31/46) 11/31 x \$18.00	6.39	
Balance owing by purchaser		53.68
	<u>\$2,099.68</u>	<u>\$2,099.68</u>

BALANCE OWING BY PURCHASER \$53.68

Memorandum

Files # 5355
5356

EVACUATION SECTION	
Rec'd ADD	7-1043
File No.	
Inspector	<i>Green</i>
Referred	<i>Green</i>

P.O. Box 635,
Steveston, B.C.,
6th April 1943.

To: Mr. E.F. Green,
From: C.C. Robinson

Re: MORISHITA, Haruko & Mrs. Noto

Referring to your memorandum of the 30th ult., upon investigation I find there are 12 sewing machines at the address 89 Moncton Street, and Mrs. Morrical states that although she knows the owner as Mrs. Morishita it is quite possible six of them may be owned by Mrs. Teranishi.

On April 1st Mrs. Morrical obtained a tenant for the property and turned all responsibility over to the Custodian. The new tenant is Mrs. Neville, the rent is \$18.00 per month, plus water rate and light service, and the term started 1st April 1943. The first month's rent has been paid to our office.

I understand certain chattels are to be shipped to the Morishitas for which I am awaiting an order from the B.C. Security Commission, and Mrs. Morrical has a letter from the Morishitas requesting other furniture to be placed with her for safe keeping. When these matters have been disposed of I will have a Form 14 for the remaining chattels signed for by Mrs. Neville and forwarded to you.

At that time I may be able to determine if the Teranishis own any other effects at this address, although Mrs. Morrical states she does not know the Teranishis at all in the matter at all.

C.C. Robinson

CCB-RJG.

MEMORANDUM

File Nos.: 10218
4932
5366

March 22nd, 1944

To: Mr. Shears

From: Mr. Green

Re: HAMAGUCHI, Tsumikishi
MIKI, Dorothy Haruko
NAKASHIMA, Yoshisuke

Showcases, as you know, are very difficult to dispose of at reasonable prices. I recommend the following sales be passed at prices appraised by Mr. Thompson of Thompson and Binnington.

1 x 5' Showcase.....	\$17.50
1 x 8' Fir Counter.....	4.00
	<u>\$21.50</u>

Appraised on 23/2/44, file 10218, Yoshisuke Nakashima whose property they are, and situated at 58 Moncton Street, sold to Mr. Hobbs.

1 x 6' Showcase.....	\$23.20
1 x 6' " "	17.50
1 x 6' " "	15.00
1 x 6' " "	20.00
	<u>\$75.70</u>

Appraised 23/2/44, file 4932, Tsumikishi Hamaguchi whose property they are, and situated at 58 Moncton Street, where they have been on loan to Mr. Hobbs. Tsumikishi Hamaguchi's address was 67 Moncton Street; these premises were broken into, so that it was thought advisable to have contents moved to storage, except for the showcases, which were loaned as already mentioned.

(P.T.O.)

File 5355

March 15, 1945.

MEMORANDUM.

To: Mr. Donst.

From: A. G. McArthur.

Attached is File 5355, Note MORISHITA, Reg. No. 04656, Widow of Chonosuke MORISHITA, Deceased. On this file is a record of property, namely, Lot 3, Blk. 3, Sec. 10, B3N, B7W, Map 249, Municipality of Richmond, known as 89 Moncton Street, Steveston. This property belongs to the Estate of Chonosuke MORISHITA, Deceased, and is registered in the name of Samuel Alfred Moore "In Trust". Would you please open a new file in the name of this deceased person and transfer all documents and correspondence relating to the above mentioned property to the new file, and follow our usual procedure as far as records and the accounts are concerned.

When this is done, kindly return this file together with the new estate file as I wish to transfer them to Mr. Wright for attention.

AGM:AS
attach.

Wright

MEMORANDUM

File #5366,
5355,
6926,
6887.

May 18, 1943.

TO: Files

FROM: Mr. R. B. Mackenzie.

The chattels declared by Mr & Mrs. T. Teranishi are at 89 Moncton Street, Steveston, which place is owned by Mrs. and Miss Morishita. The chattels include six sewing machines out of the twelve declared by Miss Dorothy Haruko Morishita, a sister. *niece. see letter dated 7/5/43.*

RBM/MFP

R. B. Mackenzie

*See schedules A & B to base
22-5-42 for particulars of chattels*

February 17, 1947.

CHATTEL SUMMARY

Re: Haruko (Mrs. Paul) MIKI (nee MORISHITA)
Registration No. 06312
Evacuated - June 5th, 1942.

Haruko Miki made a declaration to the Custodian on April 24, 1942 (under her maiden name of Haruko Dorothy Morishita) of chattels left in the Protected Area - see Schedule. At that time, she was living with her mother, Mrs. Moto Morishita, who declared no chattels in the Protected Area.

Before evacuation, Mrs. Moto Morishita entered into a lease agreement, with a Mrs. Morrical, on her home at 89 Moncton Street, Staveston, B. C., and all the chattels were left in the care of Mrs. Morrical. The Custodian, at that time, did not disturb this arrangement.

Through releases received from the B. C. Security Commission, we find that a shipment was made to the Morishita family at Greenwood, weight being 185 lbs., on December 18, 1942, of bundles of blankets, tub of effects and a bundle of frame. Another shipment, weighing 890 lbs., was made to the Morishita family on May 12, 1943, of a sewing machine (crated), 2 rolls of linoleum, 1 roll rug, 1 box of household goods, 2 boxes of wool and 2 trunks of household goods.

On May 12, 1943, a shipment was made from the Morishita home to Mrs. Nao Teranishi, an aunt of Haruko's, of 4 cartons of household goods, 2 boxes of household goods, 3 baskets of household goods and 1 crated sewing machine.

On a B. C. Security Commission release Form, dated June 24, 1943, Yoshio Kochi requested the shipment of 1 gramophone and records. These two items were shipped from the Morishita home direct to Kochi at Tashme, B. C.

On January 13, 1944, the Custodian's agent removed from 89 Moncton Street, to Custodian's storage, a large list of chattels, see Schedule. At the same time, a number of counters, etc., were left on the premises.

One homemade combination counter and showcase was appraised by Thompson & Binnington and sold to a Mr. Blackburn for \$10.00. This sale was passed by the Advisory Committee on May 16, 1944. The funds were received and credited to the account of Haruko Miki on September 11, 1944.

Chattel Summary

February 17, 1947.

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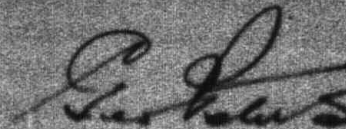
At the request of a Mrs. Katai, a dunnage bag, which she had stored with the Morishitas, was shipped to her by express on October 17, 1944.

In an arrangement between Haruko Miki and Mrs. Alice Morrical, Haruko sold to Mrs. Morrical a bedroom suite for \$50.00 and this amount was credited to Haruko's account on February 15, 1945. Under the same arrangement, Haruko sold her dining room suite for \$100.00 to Miss Thelma Graham, through Mrs. Morrical, and this amount was received by the Custodian and credited to Haruko's account on June 16, 1945.

On February 8, 1944, Mrs. Miki requested the Custodian to send one sewing machine to a Mrs. Kutsukake, from her former home at Steveston. As this machine apparently was left in the care of Haruko's aunt, Mrs. Teranishi, it could not be identified. All funds received from the sale of the 6 sewing machines were sent to Mrs. Teranishi. This was called to the attention of Mrs. Miki, and on February 5, 1947, she admits that her aunt was overpaid but that she would take care of this.

On July 25, 1945, Haruko Miki requested the Custodian to credit her mother, Mrs. Moto Morishita, with the funds from the sale of all chattels and equipment - this was done.

The above Summary is certified to be in accordance with the information on file:



George Peters,
Office of the Custodian.

GP/EL

MEMORANDUM RE SALE OF CHATTELS

(Apart from Auction Sales)

FILE NO: 5366

NAME: MORISHITA Dorothy (Mrs. Paul Miki)

DATE ADVERTISED: _____
(or other information)

APPRAISER'S NAME: W. G. B. THOMPSON 26/2/44

VALUATION: \$10.00

PURCHASE PRICE: \$10.00

COMMITTEE'S APPROVAL: May 16th, 1944

PURCHASER'S FULL NAME: R. J. BLACKBURN

ADDRESS: Steveston, B.C.

OCCUPATION:

BILL OF SALE REQUIRED:
(state if purchase
price already paid or
arrangements made)

~~YES~~

NO

Paid in full

ENCUMBRANCES, IF ANY: _____

LIST OF CHATTELS SOLD: Show case

February 13, 1947.

CHattel SCHEDULE

Re: Haruko (Mrs. Paul) MIKI
 Registration No. 06312
 (nee Haruko MORISHITA)

JAPANESE DECLARATION - APRIL 24, 1942.

Dining room suite - Sold to Miss T. Graham, 16/6/45 for \$100.00
 Bedroom suite - Sold to Mrs. A. Morrical, 15/2/45 for \$50.00
 Living room suite
 12 Sewing machines
 Total value - \$1,000.00

Key (to 89 Moncton St.) will be given to Mrs. Morrical who has undertaken to look after the above.

GOODS REMOVED FROM 89 MONCTON ST. ON JAN. 13/44.

1 Slicing machine	- auctioned
1 Oil heater	- auctioned
1 Iron bed & mattress	- auctioned
25 Kitchen chairs	- auctioned
1 clothes closet	- auctioned
3 Pc. chesterfield suite	- auctioned
2 Mirrors	- auctioned
1 Folding couch	- auctioned
1 writing desk & chair	- auctioned
1 Complete bed	- auctioned
1 Chest drawers	- auctioned
1 Folding screen	- auctioned
1 roll linoleum	- auctioned
1 Bookcase	- missing
1 Armchair	- auctioned
1 Highchair	- auctioned
1 Box stove	- auctioned
1 Heater	- auctioned
1 Coal heater	- auctioned
2 Crocks	- auctioned
1 Kettle & pail	- auctioned
1 Wash tub	- auctioned
1 Paper rack	- auctioned
Stove pipes	- auctioned
2 rolls wrapping paper	- auctioned
Broom & blackboard	- auctioned
6 Sewing machines	- auctioned
Large dunnage bag (KATAI) - Shipped Oct. 17/44 to Mrs. Katai.	

GOODS REMOVED FROM 89 MONCTON ST. (cont.)

Carton misc. dry goods)
 Box of cloth)
 Covered tin box)
 Carton)
 Bundle cloth)
 Covered box)
 Box of clothing)
 Covered box of cloth)
 Carton of cushions)
 10 Gal. stone crock)
 Bdle. pictures)
 1 Shrine temple)
 5 tins misc.)
 wicker basket)
 Carton)
 Large blde. cartons)
 Carton of records)
 1 Carton)
 Box (misc.))
 wicker basket(books))
 2 Bldes. misc. cloth)
 Bdle. (bits of fur))
 Bdle. of 2 cartons)
 4 Large cartons)
 1 wicker basket)
 1 Carton (misc.))
 wicker case clothes)
 4 Box kitchenware)
 Box paper bags)
 Suitcase)
 Box rags)
 Carton books)
 Box dishes and books)
 2 Sacks clothes bits)
 Basket clothes bits)
 Bundle " ")
 Box " ")
 wicker basket)
 Carton clothes)
 Box books)
 Wash boiler)
 wicker basket)
 Box cloth bits)
 Wicker basket)
 Bdle. cloth pieces)
 Wicker baskets)
 wicker basket(misc.))
 Basket pots and pans)
 Carton rags)

All cases, cartons & bundles were opened in the storage rooms at Steveston and inspected in October, 1945. Some of these items were sold by auction - see Auction Sheets of November 7th & 14th, 1945. many items were discarded as of no value and goods removed of a personal nature were wrapped and stored in the Buddhist temple at Steveston. We regret that the Buddhist temple has been pilfered by boys and the parcels, belonging to many Japanese, were opened, and it is impossible for this office to identify the personal goods set aside for the Morishita family.

February 13, 1947.

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GOODS LEFT IN HOUSE AT 89 MONCTON ST.

2 Long tables	-	Never removed
2 Small counter glass showcases	-	" "
Round face glass showcase	-	Sold to Blackburn
Wall showcase	-	Never removed
Glass counter showcase with small one on top	-	" "
Small showcase	-	" "
4 Tables	-	" "
Screen door	-	" "
Chest drawers	-	" "
Small table	-	" "
Clothes cabinet	-	" "
5 H.M. tables	-	" "
Table and table tops	-	" "

The above Schedule is certified to be in accordance with the information on file:



George Peters,
Office of the Custodian.

GP/EL

November 28, 1946.

Re: Haruko (Mrs. Paul Miki) MORISHITA
Registration Number 06312

All trunks and personal belongings in storage at Steveston were opened and inspected in October, 1945. Goods of no value were discarded; clothing of no saleable value were turned over to U.N.R.R.A.; saleable articles were auctioned and any personal photographs or goods of a personal nature are stored ready for shipment at the request of the Japanese.

MORISHITA
 Lot No. 219

Description: 1 suitcase
 Auction: 1 suitcase
 spoons
 fancy combs
 1 handbag
 1 pr. tennis shoes
 toy dresser
 2 cushions
 1 lacquer round tray
 1 organdy dress
 1 cash box
 chandelier fittings
 1 bread box
 child's hammock
 Discarded: business papers and
 envelopes

Discarded: 1 carton of rags
 1 box of rags
 3 bundles of rags
 numerous junk
 Personal: 1 Shrine
 1 bottle of soy sauce

Description: 1 wicker suitcase
 Auction: 3 bundles of childrens'
 wool pants

Auction: 1 crock

MORISHITA
Lot. No. 219
(Continued)

Description: 1 wooden box - opened
Auctioned: English school books
Discarded: Japanese books
Personal: ledgers
Japanese New Testament

Description: 1 kori - tied
Auction: 1 pr. ladies corsets
U.N.R.R.A. 2 pillow cases
1 shirt
2 pieces cotton cloth
1 baby dress
1 piece of sheeting
1 skirt

Discarded: numerous rags

Description: 1 orange box - opened
Discarded: rags

Description: 1 carton - opened
Auction: 1 box of rice bowls
30 rolls of toilet paper
corset laces
Discarded: old stockings
1 box of rags
Personal: books

Description: 1 carton - opened
Auction: 1 red, white & blue
counterpane
2 kimonos
cloth bird cage
1 obi

MORISHITA
Lot. No. 219
(Continued)

Discarded: ladies blouse (torn)
ladies slip
numerous rags

U.N.R.R.A. 1 padded kimono
1 child's hat
1 ladies' dress
1 child's nightgown
1 ladies hat
6 childrens dresses
2 jerseys
1 ladies coat
6 slips

Personal: 1 pr. slippers (white)

Description: 1 carton - opened

Auction: 1 box toy dusters
3 window dressing stands
toy pots and pans
1 tin lunch box

U.N.R.R.A. 1 dress

Discarded: numerous rags
2 broken dolls
old scribblers

Description: 1 carton - opened

Auction: toys and Xmas decorations

Auction: 1 carton of toys and dolls
1 carton of toys and dolls

Description: 1 wooden cloth covered box - opened

Auction: 1 kimono
6 pieces kimono cloth
6 babies bibs
3 English books
1 pr. boys white pants

U.N.R.R.A. 1 kimono jacket
1 dress
5 ladies coats
1 sweater

Discarded: numerous rags

MORISHITA
Lot. No. 219
(Continued)

Description: 1 wooden cloth covered box - opened
Auction: 9 silk scarves
U.N.R.R.A. 3 ladies coats
2 ladies hats
1 baby's coat
1 baby's toque

Description: 1 tin can - opened
U.N.R.R.A. 1 old curtain
Discarded: numerous rags

Auction: 1 box child's muffs
1 lacquer tray
4 pr. white socks
1 picture & frame
U.N.R.R.A. old child's shoes
Discarded: old buttons
numerous rags
3 old purses (1 broken)
1 old comforter
Personal: photographs and pictures
1 box of letters

Description: 1 cloth bag - tied
Discarded: Rags

Description: 1 wooden box - opened
Auction: 2 bathing suits
U.N.R.R.A. Old lace
Discarded: 5 bundles of rags
old buttons
1 box of punk
old catalogues
Personal: letters
books
photographs

MORISHITA
Lot. No. 219
(Continued)

Description: 1 cloth bundle - tied
Auction: 4 table covers
Discarded: 2 old comforters
1 old pillow
numerous rags & junk

Description: 1 kori - opened
Auction: 1 dust pan
Discarded: 1 toy racquet
3 old cushions
rags
Personal: 1 hat mold
dressmakers tools
1 small Shrine

Description: 1 kori - tied
Auction: 1 kitchen light unit
1 small crock
odd dishes
1 vase
Discarded: Xmas decorations
rags and junk
1 old inhaler
Personal: 1 counting board

Description: 1 kori - tied
Auction: 2 vases
kitchen utensils
1 earthen bed warmer
quantity of paper bags
1 piece lacquer ware
1 cookie pan
trunk coat hangers
Discarded: 1 bag of old stockings
1 old tarpaulin
1 old rubber coat
Personal: 1 pr. evening shoes

MORISHITA
Lot. No. 219
(Continued)

Description: 1 tin box - opened
Discarded: 3 cushions
broken thermos
rags and junk
Personal: photographs

Description: 1 small carton - tied
Auction: records

Description: 1 kori - opened
Auction: 1 blanket bag
1 enamel basin
1 cookie pan
Discarded: 1 old basin
2 pr. worn out sandals
1 old flashlight

Description: 1 kori - opened (in bad shape)
Discarded: 1 old sleeping pad

Description: 1 kori - opened
Discarded: rags and old papers

Discarded: 1 old bed pad

Description: 1 small carton - tied
Auction: 1 doll

Description: 1 carton - broken
Discarded: rags

Description: 1 carton - tied
Auction: toys and dolls

MORISHITA
Lot No. 219
(Continued)

Description: 1 carton - opened
Auction: 1 pr. shoe trees
1 lacquer box
U.N.R.R.A. 3 dresses
1 coat
Discarded: 3 bundles of rags
1 bundle Japanese books

Description: 1 wicker basket
Auction: 1 desk bell
1 toy xylophone
Discarded: old magazine

Auction: 1 camel hair coat
14 cushions
curtains and curtain material
U.N.R.R.A. 1 ladies camisole
Discarded: 2 old kimono

Description: 1 small carton - opened
Personal: photographs
1 book

Description: 1 small kori - opened
Auction: 23 small rolls of material

Description: 1 tea chest - opened
Auction: 4 counterpanes
1 child's kimono
2 bundles rayon
1 piece organdy
U.N.R.R.A. cloths
6 old kimono
qty. of underwear
9 pr. children's pants
2 skirts
2 balls of wool
1 corduroy jacket
2 boys shirts

NORISHITA
Lot. No. 219
(Continued)

Discarded: old cotton batting
1 old fur neckpiece (moth eaten)
numerous rags

Description: 1 cloth covered box - opened

Auction: 1 silk kimona
52 ends of cloth
1 kimona

U.N.R.R.A. 1 wool dress
1 pr. satin pants
2 childrens kimonas
kimona cloth
1 padded kimona
1 kimona
1 nightgown

Discarded: rags

Description: 1 carton - opened

Auction: 5 boxes bias tape
1 small damaged suitcase
1/2 box of tailors chalk
1 toy
1 piece of lacquer ware
1 rag doll
1 window stand
1 pr. black silk hose

Discarded: Japanese books
old Xmas decorations
old spools
1 box of empty ink bottles

Personal: ledgers
1 gift box of hankies

Auction: 1 carton of toilet paper
(about 12 rolls)

Description: 1 wooden box - opened

Auction: 1 lamp stand
1 china trinket case (incomplete)

Discarded: 1 broken lamp shade

MORISHITA
Lot. No. 219
(Continued)

Description: 1 carton - tied
Discarded: old pieces fur

Description: 1 carton - opened
Discarded: rags
Personal: 1 handbag

Description: 1 carton - opened
Personal: diplomas
books

Description: 1/2 kori - opened
Auction: school books
Discarded: Japanese book
2 tins rice flour

Auction: 3 pictures and frames
Discarded: 1 broken mirror
1 broken tray
Personal: 3 pictures and frames

Description: 1 wooden box - opened
Auction: kitchen utensils
odd chinaware
glass bowls (2)

Description: 1 tin box - opened
Discarded: electric candle stick (broken)
1 gourd

Description: 1 small wooden box - opened
Auction: 1 glass butter dish
1 Japanese teapot
U.N.R.R.A. 1 piece velveteen
1 centrepiece

MORITSHITA
Lot. No. 219
Continued)

Discarded: sundry junk

Description: 1 small wooden box - opened

Auction: 4 china bowls
4 rice bowls
6 cups
odd chinaware

Description: 3 small boxes - tied together

Auction: 1 lacquer box
1 doll
1 school book
1 set lacquer boxes
1 toy world globe

Personal: 1 broken picture frame

Description: 1/2 kori - opened

Auction: 3 iron pots
1 box red oxide

Discarded: old kitchen utensils
1 Pri-mus stove (incomplete)

Description: 1 wooden box - opened

Auction: odd dishes

Discarded: magazines

Description: 1 wooden box - opened

Auction: odd dishes

Description: 1 carton - tied

Auction: Japanese toys

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November 28, 1946.

A telephone call was received on November 22, 1946, from Mr. Howell, who does special work for the Custodian. He informed us that the Buddhist Temple had again been broken into and that all parcels of personal goods stored in the basement had been opened and the contents strewn on the floor. It is impossible to identify to whom they belong.

GP/1c

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BRITISH COLUMBIA SECURITY COMMISSION.

CUSTODIAN RELEASE FORM

Address KASLO, B.C.

Date September 25th, 1944

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

I, KASIRO KATAI, Police Registration No. 03222
hereby request you to release to me the under-noted property
stored at No. 2 Annex Warehouse
in possession of The Custodian
and I release you from any claim whatsoever with respect to
such property.

Description of Property:

1 Damage Bag (contains comforter and cushions)

Original Address Steveston, B.C.

Date Evacuated to Vancouver _____

Date Evacuated to Present Address November 6th, 1945

Number in Family - 12 years and over One

Number in Family - 5 to 11 years old None

Number in Family - under 5 None

TOTAL NUMBER IN FAMILY One

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

APPROVED:
BRITISH COLUMBIA SECURITY COMMISSION

Per: [Signature]

Claimant Signs Here

K. Katai

Oct 11/44

[Signature]

BRITISH COLUMBIA SECURITY COMMISSION.

CUSTODIAN RELEASE FORM

Address 6 SUMACH
2 Avenue, Ontario

Date April 24, 1944

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

I, HARUKO MIKI, Police Registration No. 06312
 hereby request you to release to me the under-noted property
 stored at 89 Manaton, Steneston, B.C.
 in possession of Mrs. Miki
 and I release you from any claim whatsoever with respect to
 such property.

Description of Property:

- about 16 only*
 (1) small chair cushions of Japanese pattern rayon
about 16 only
 (2) 6 or 6 only bands with covers to match (Japanese pattern)
in room
 (3) 1 set of floor mats & 1 set of low four seat like tatami
in room
 (4) 2 or 4 only smaller mats & 1 larger mat (tatami)
 (5) 3 only upholstered bed frames covering living room furniture

Original Address 89 Manaton, Steneston

Date Evacuated to Vancouver June 5, 1942

Date Evacuated to Present Address May 5, 1942

Number in Family - 12 years and over 3

Number in Family - 5 to 11 years old 0

Number in Family - under 5 0

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: _____

D. H. Miki
 Claimant Signs Here

only toilet boxes of clothing stored at Steneston, B.C.
in possession of Mrs. Ozaki

BRITISH COLUMBIA SECURITY COMMISSION.CUSTODIAN RELEASE FORM

Address _____

Date April 7, 1943Greenwood, B. C.

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

I, Haruko, Dorothy MORISHITA, Police Registration No. 06312

hereby request you to release to me the under-noted property
stored at 89 Moncton

in possession of Mrs. Alice Morrical

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

Description of Property:

- | | |
|---|------------------------|
| 1. Sewing Machine (packed) | 5. 2 Rolls of Linoleum |
| 2. Lamb's Wool & Cotton Batton | 6. 1 Rug (rolled up) |
| 3. Carton of School Books | |
| 4. 1 box of dishes (packed in orange box) | |

Original Address Steveston, B. C.

Date Evacuated to Vancouver June 5

Date Evacuated to Present Address June 5

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: *[Signature]**[Signature]*
Claimant Signs Here

BRITISH COLUMBIA SECURITY COMMISSION.

CUSTODIAN RELEASE FORM

Address Greenwood, B.C.Date March 22, 1943

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

I, Haruko Dorothy Morishita, Police Registration No. 06312

hereby request you to release to me the under-noted property
stored at 89 Moncton

in possession of Mrs. A. Morical

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

Description of Property:

/ 3 Japanese baskets (Upstairs store-room) - bedding and clothing

/ 1 Newest sewing machine (Not the one addressed to H. Morishita)

3 Cartons (upstairs) - material and chinaware

/ 1 big wooden box in downstairs room next to toilet) - chinaware

2 Cartons small (upstairs)

Original Address June 5

Date Evacuated to Vancouver June 5

Date Evacuated to Present Address 3

Number in Family - 12 years and over

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: [Signature]

[Signature]
Claimant Signs Here

SHIP TO MRS. NAO TERANISHI, Kaslo, B.C.

BRITISH COLUMBIA SECURITY COMMISSION.CUSTODIAN RELEASE FORMAddress GREENWOOD, B. C.Date MARCH 2, 1943.

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

I, MORISHITA, Haruko, Police Registration No. 06312

hereby request you to release to me the under-noted property
stored at 89 Menston Street, Steveston, B. C.

in possession of Mrs. A. Morrical

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

Description of Property:3 Trunks of Clothing.1 Boiler1 Box Clothing1 Sack of Foodstuff1 Rug

Original Address 89 Menston Street, Steveston, B. C.

Date Evacuated to Vancouver _____

Date Evacuated to Present Address June 5, 1943.

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: _____

Assistant Supervisor

Claimant Signs Here

BRITISH COLUMBIA SECURITY COMMISSION.

CUSTODIAN RELEASE FORM

Address _____

Date December 15, 1942Greenwood, B. C.To: The Secretary of State, acting in his
capacity as Custodian, Vancouver, B.C.I, H. MORISHITA, Police Registration No. 06312

hereby request you to release to me the under-noted property

stored at 89 Moncton St. Steveston, B. C.in possession of Mrs. Morricealand I release you from any claim whatsoever with respect to
such property.

Description of Property

1 Screen frame1 Box Food StuffsOriginal Address Steveston, B. C.

Date Evacuated to Vancouver _____

Date Evacuated to Present Address June 5, 1942Number in Family - 12 years and over 3

Number in Family - 5 to 11 years old _____

Number in Family - under 5 _____

TOTAL NUMBER IN FAMILY 3I agree to pay all charges as required by the British Columbia
Security Commission.

APPROVED:

BRITISH COLUMBIA SECURITY COMMISSION

Per: W. J. CondrillAsst. Supv.

Claimant Signs Here

Canadian Royal Bank

Not worth shipping
Richmond
if more
100 lbs or
combine sent
to Greenwood
Dec 18/42

5366
Received
OFFICE OF THE CUSTODIAN
JAPANESE SECTION
BRITISH COLUMBIA SECURITY COMMISSION.
CUSTODIAN RELEASE FORM

Marked in
Stevenson
G-165-A

Address Greenwood, B.C. Date December 12, 1942.

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

I, H.D. MORISHITA, Police Registration No. 06312
hereby request you to release to me the under-noted property
stored at 89 Moncton in Steveston
in possession of Mrs. Morrical
and I release you from any claim whatsoever with respect to
such property.

Description of Property:

- 1 roll of flannelette
- 1 Japanese barrel of foodstuffs

Original Address 89 Moncton Road, Steveston
Date Evacuated to Vancouver _____
Date Evacuated to Present Address June 5
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

Dec 14/42
Per: *[Signature]* *H.D. Morishita*
Claimant Signs Here
Custodian *Royal Bank Bldg*
CC Robinson
Per ship via Richmond & CPR
as usual. Instruct Richmond
[Signature] *Dec 14*

December 4, 1946.

ANNUAL SUMMARY

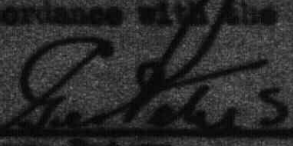
Re: Mrs. Noto OHISHITA and Dorothy MOWISHITA (Mrs. Paul Hiki)
Registration No. 04696 Registration Number 06332

A claim was placed on April 30, 1942, against the above-named Japanese by Hillis and Middleton Ltd., Vancouver, B.C. for \$158.30. A settlement of \$75.00 was accepted and paid in full settlement of the above account on March 16, 1944.

On April 30, 1942, Mackay, Smith, Blair & Co. Ltd. placed a claim against the above-named Japanese in the amount of \$184.26. This amount was reduced to \$55.17 and paid on March 21, 1944, in full settlement of the above claim.

A claim was received from Mark Fisher and Sons Ltd. and this claim, in the amount of \$10.88, was paid in full on March 21, 1944.

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


George Peters,
Office of the Custodian.

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NAME

MORISHITA, Miss Haruko

FILE NO.

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(See also FILE 5355)

COMPANY	POLICY NO.	AMOUNT	EXPIRATION			PROPERTY
			MONTH	DAY	YEAR	
Michigan Fire & Marine Ins. Co.	<i>Renewed Pol # 18-29-7975 - Halifax Ins Co.</i> 6017671	\$1,000.	March	3	1944	857 Homer St. Vancouver, B. C.
Federal Fire Ins. Co. of Canada	761021	\$1,000.	May	3	1944	857 Homer St. Vancouver, B. C.
Halifax Insurance Company	<i>Transferred to New Owners - 11/1/44</i> FR-21-7978	\$1,000.	March	1	1947	857 Homer St. Vancouver, B. C.
London & Lancashire Guarantee & Accident	<i>Renewed - Pol # 340385 - Lon. Lanc. Guar. Co.</i> 340385	\$2,000.	Feb.	28	1945	89 Moncton Street, Steveston, B. C.
London & Lancashire Guarantee & Accident	<i>Renewed - Pol # 340385 - Lon. Lanc. Guar. Co.</i> 340385	\$2,000.	Feb.	28	1946	Li. 3, Blk. 3, Sec. 1, Blk. 3H, R78, 89 Moncton St., Steveston, B.C.
London & Lancashire Guarantee & Accident	<i>Transferred to new owner - 12/1/45</i> 340385	\$2,000.	Feb.	28	1947	Li. 3, Blk. 3, Sec. 10, Blk. 3H, R78, 89 Moncton St., Steveston, B. C.

5355 and 5366

July 10th, 1942.

Mr. Haruko Morishita,
Japanese Work Camp,
Greenwood, B.C.

Dear Sir:-

We thank you for your letter of July 2nd in connection with your property at 857 Homer Street, Vancouver. Will you kindly note that out of the moneys received at this office we have already paid to the Tax Department, City of Vancouver, \$23.13 on account of taxes for 1942 on your property, amounting to \$114.13.

We note it is your intention to apply the cash surrender value of your life insurance policy towards paying your taxes, and if you still wish to do this kindly remit the money to this office and we will see that the balance of the taxes for 1942, namely \$91.00, is paid.

We quite understand your anxiety regarding having these taxes paid up and keeping your house in good state of repair and would point out that our object in already paying some of the taxes is that we consider this is a first charge on the property and that such taxes should be paid as promptly as possible.

Yours truly,

R.P. Alexander
Manager

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Greenwood, B. C.
July 13, 1942.

OFFICE OF THE CUSTODIAN
JAPANESE SECTION

Mr. R. P. Alexander, Manager,
Office of the Custodian
Vancouver, B. C.

RECEIVED
JUL 14 1942

Dear Sir:

Your letter of the 10th instant made me feel very big indeed. I wish I were Mr. Haruko Morishita, at a Japanese Work Camp, but I am only a young girl without a father nor a brother. Perhaps then you will understand that first letter of mine. Men are not so anxious and worried as women are.

Thank you very much for everything you have done. At a time like this when there are any number of things to attend to, letters like mine must be annoying but I will be glad if you will tell me what the monthly checks will be used for if I should pay the balance of the taxes. It may be well to add too, that though I am in a Ghost town, I am not on Maintenance. As a matter of fact, I had counted on the monthly checks as a source of income.

At the present, I am teaching sewing in the evenings thereby trying to balance the budget for a family of four. One does not want to be a burden to her Country at this very important time. To support oneself would be the least one could do.

Please advise me as to what to do
under these circumstances.

I thank you very much.

Yours very truly,

(Miss) H. D. Maishita

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October 23, 1942.

Mrs. Alice Morrical,
89 Moncton Street,
Steveston, B. C.

Dear Madam:

Re: Mrs. Moto & Miss Haruko MORISHITA

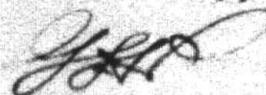
We are in receipt of a report from our Mr. C. C. Robinson covering his interview with you regarding the lease of the property of the above at 89 Moncton St., Steveston, B. C. We understand that you are now in occupancy but if this is not correct, kindly advise us giving us the name of the tenant to whom you are subletting. We do not wish to allow these premises to be vacant.

In the future, please do not sublet without our permission or of the permission of Mr. Samuel A. Moore, officail administrator.

Under the conditions of the lease, you are required to pay taxes and water rates and we would ask you to kindly send to this office receipted bills showing that the taxes and water rates have been paid provided that the conditions of the lease are being complied with and it is not our intention at the present to make any changes in the lease.

Thanking you in anticipation of your co-operation in these matters, we remain,

Yours truly,



G. H. Peers,
Administration Department.

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January 22, 1943.

Mrs. Moto and Miss Haruko MORISHITA,
Registration Nos. 04656 & 06312,
Greenwood, B. C.

Dear Mesdames:

As we understand that you are in need of funds for living expenses, we are writing you giving a summary of your affairs as shown by our file. We have, at present, the sum of \$91.00 on hand received from rentals of your property at 857 Homer Street. We have on our file claims and unpaid taxes as follows:

Mackay, Smith & Blair Co. Ltd.	55.19
Hilne & Middleton, Ltd.	158.30
Balance of 1942 taxes	<u>54.24</u>
	\$267.73

1943 taxes amounting to approximately \$120.00 will fall due during the present year making the total sum to be paid up this year of \$386.55. Against this, we have an income for 1943 from rentals after deduction of agent's commissions of \$313.50 together with the balance now to your credit of \$91.00 making a total of \$404.50.

From the above, you will see that it will take approximately all the rentals for 1943 plus the funds on hand to pay taxes and claims provided that the repairs to the property are not excessive. Will you please advise us whether or not the above claims made against you are correct. It would appear that these claims are both in connection with the business operated by you and your daughter and if this is so and the claims are correct, will you please authorize us to make payment as funds become available from the net rentals of the property owned jointly by you and your daughter.

With regard to the Steveston property, we understand that this is a part of the estate of your late husband and is in the hands

EVACUATION SECTION

Rec'd. JAN 28 1943

File No. 5355-5366

Ans. _____

Referred *Melson*

Greenwood, B. C.
January 24, 1943.

5355 M. Arthur

Mr. G. H. Peers,
Administration Department,
Office of the Custodian,
506 Royal Bank Bldg.,
Vancouver, B. C.

Dear Sir: Re: File no. 5355 & 5366

May we first of all thank you for your most understanding and kind letter of the 22nd instant and too, for the protection to our most "valuable property".

Seeing the figures in black and white I do understand that I have asked the impossible, that I cannot expect revenue for quite some time.

As for claims, Mackay, Smith's \$55.19 we wish you to take care of but Milne Middleton's \$158.30 is ridiculous. As soon as you informed me through Mr. Morryson I wrote them so. We do owe them but not over \$50.00. Please take care of that amount but not a cent more. As for taxes we are most anxious that that be kept up. We notice that the Retail Credit Grantor's \$49.60 is not on the list you sent me but I wrote them, too, as we cannot think of anything we could have over looked at the time we went around paying all small debts.

Mother says living expenses per month average \$40.00 to \$50.00 per month. So far we have not bought any new clothes but have been wearing those we brought in preparation.

At present we are managing somehow with the money that comes in for my sewing. I am afraid though that this income will wither as the evacuee's purses become smaller.

As a Canadian the least I can do is to stay off the Maintenance list.

Thanking you for doing everything for our benefit,
I am,

Yours very truly,

(Miss) H. Mauchita

*disregard
any bond*

the Arthur

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*Joint of 5355
Cr. Bal. 7133*

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Greenwood, B. C.
April 7, 1943.

Mr. A. McAlister,
Claims Department,
Office of the Custodian,
Vancouver, B. C.

EVACUATION SECTION	
Rec'd	APR 12 1943
File No.	5-366
Ans.	
Referred	McAlister

Dear Sir:

out to Russell

Thank you for your advice regarding the \$25.00
you received from Miss Ranche, 1229 Franklin St.,
Vancouver.

I would like to inform you that the designing
book she refers to is in my home at 89 Moncton St.,
Steveston, B. C. in the care of Mrs. Alice Morrical.
I have told Mrs. Morrical about the book and have
asked her to send it to Miss Ranche when I so ask.
Would you please take care of this for me?

I shall be glad to send her diploma, too, but
I would like to have her full name again. Would
you advise me to get in touch with her myself about
this to save you all the trouble?

Thanking you very much, I am,

Yours very truly,

Hank Morrical
Reg. No. 06312

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April 29, 1943.

Miss Haruko MORISHITA,
Registration #06312,
GREENWOOD, B. C.

Dear Madam:

Re: Chattels.

Your sister, Mrs. Teranishi and her husband declare on their 'JP' registration forms, six sewing machines, dressmaking material, dresses, cloth, household furniture, bedding and kitchen utensils, all to be left in your care at 89 Moncton Street, Steveston, B. C.

1. Are we right in assuming that these six machines are included in the twelve machines you declare?

2. Would it be possible to separate those goods declared by Mr. & Mrs. Teranishi from those you declared?

It would be much appreciated if you could send us a list of furniture, bedding, utensils, dressmaking material, etc., which belong to your sister and her husband.

Thanking you in anticipation of an early reply, we are,

Yours very truly,

R. B. Mackenzie.
Protection Department.

RBM/MFP

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Res'd	MAY 10 1943
File No.	5366
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Referral	Mackenzie

Greenwood, B. C.
May 7, 1943.

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Re. File No. 5366

Mr. R. B. Mackenzie,
Protection Department,
506 Royal Bank Bldg.,
Vancouver, B. C.

Dear Sir:

In answer to your enquiry of April 29th, I wish to inform you that you are right in assuming that the six machines declared in Mrs. Teranishi's 'JP' forms are included in the twelve I have declared.

I wish to add that those goods declared by Mrs. Teranishi will be quite hard to be separated from the rest as no one other than Mrs. Teranishi, her husband and myself know which is which. Mrs. Teranishi has made arrangements to have some of these goods sent to her through the Custodian. I have done my best to describe to Mrs. Morrical, the lady in charge, those goods.

I am sorry I am unable to send you a list of furniture, bedding, utensils, dressmaking material, etc., which belong to my sister as these are all either boxed or basketed. I am afraid I do not even know which basket contains, what.

Hoping this information will prove to be of some benefit to you, I am,

Yours Sincerely,

H. Teranishi

Reg. #06312

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May 11th, 1943.

Mr. Samuel A. Moore,
Official Administrator,
Court-House,
Vancouver, B. C.

Dear Sir:

Re: Estate of Chonosuke MORISHITA, deceased,
Your Ref. No. 824.

I wish to acknowledge your letter dated May 4th, dealing with War Risk Insurance covering on property located on Lot 3, Block 3, Section 10, Block 3 North, Range 7 West, and being No. 89 Moncton Street in the town of Steveston, Municipality of Richmond.

With respect to War Risk Coverage, our general policy to date is that we will place War Risk Insurance at the request of the owner providing that he has funds or will place us in same for that purpose. I might add to my knowledge we have not yet had a case where a Japanese owner has requested this coverage.

Insofar as property is concerned where it is encumbered, we will assist the Mortgagee or the person holding the Agreement for Sale to place War Risk Insurance if they desire to have it, but they are expected to pay the premium for that coverage. There also has been practically no War Risk Insurance placed under this heading.

On this particular property in question if you in your capacity as Official Administrator deem it advisable then we will assist in having it placed. The property in question is at the present time rented and a small revenue is coming in to this office on that account and, as stated in your letter, there is also revenue coming from property at 857 Homer Street, which property is registered in the joint name of Dorothy Haruko MORISHITA and Mrs. Moto MORISHITA.

Should you wish to proceed with application for War Risk Coverage on 89 Moncton Street, please advise how much should be carried and we will be glad to look after the detail of having it placed and take care of the premium from this office, if that is agreeable to you.

I have not any information on file yet as to the amount of fire insurance being carried at 89 Moncton Street and have written to Mrs. MORISHITA to find out how much is being carried, if any, and details of same.

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May 31, 1943.

Mr. Samuel A. Moore,
Official Administrator,
Court House,
Vancouver, B. C.

Dear Sir:

Re: The Estate of Chonosuke
MORISHITA, Deceased.

We are offered \$1,500.00 cash for the property 89 Moncton Street. This property is in your hands in the Morishita Estate. We should be glad to have your opinion as to the merits of this offer.

We are separately writing Hoto and Haruko MORISHITA as to their views.

Yours truly,

P. H. Russell,
Administration Department.

PHR:NDE

5366 & 5355

October 2nd, 1943

Miss Dorothy Haruko MORISHITA,
Registration No. 06312,
341 Walmer Road,
Greenwood, B. C.

Dear Madam:

Referring to your letter of September 25th, the charge in our account of September 1st, 1942 for taxes of \$15.00 was for Lot 27, Blk. 65, D.L. 541, which is 857 Homer Street and not for 514 Alexander Street. We have changed our records accordingly.

In regard to the sum of \$25.00 paid in by Miss Kay Rancho, this is in a separate account under your name, File No. 5366.

In reference to the claims filed against your mother and yourself, we note that you have instructed us to pay the bills from Mark Fisher Sons & Co. of \$10.88, and from Mackay Smith, Blair & Co. Ltd. amounting to \$55.19. In this connection we would refer to Messrs. Milne & Middleton's claim of \$158.30, and our Claims Department advises us that they are unable to pay these first two amounts until a settlement is reached in regard to Messrs. Milne & Middleton's account as this would mean making a payment to preferred creditors.

We would appreciate if you would write us in regard to this Milne & Middleton account and how you propose to settle it.

Yours truly,

G. D. Wilson
Administration Department

GDM/ON

5366 and 5365

March 3, 1944.

Mr. S. A. Moore,
Official Administrator,
Court House,
Vancouver, B. C.

Dear Sir:

Further to our telephone conversation of Friday afternoon the following are particulars of properties registered in the name of the Official Administrator with beneficial interests in persons of the Japanese race:

Lots 1 & 2, Block 16, Section 3, Block 3 N,
Range 7 W, Map 249, in Steveston Townsite,
Kazuo OYE, Custodian File No. 5146.

Lot 3, Block 3, Section 10, Block 3 N, Range
7 W, Map 249, 89 Moncton Street, Steveston
Townsite, Moto MORISHITA, and Dorothy Haruko
MIKI (nee MORISHITA), Custodian Files 5366,
and 5355.

This office is in the course of preparing a catalogue of real property in which persons of the Japanese race hold an interest and which will be offered for sale by public tender within the very near future.

We would be glad to be advised whether you wish the properties above mentioned to be included in the catalogue. Since it is the desire of this office to hand the material to the printer within the next few days we would greatly appreciate an early reply.

Yours truly,

A. G. McArthur,
Administration Department.

AGM:AS

EVACUATION SECTION

Rec'd MAY 1 1944

File No. 5366

Ans. *Law*

Referred *Nelson*

auth. Shears,
6 Sumach, Toronto.
April 24, 1944.

Department of the Secretary of State,
Office of the Custodian,
Vancouver, B. C.

Re: File No. 5366

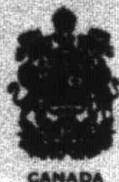
Dear Sir:

Almost immediately after I had written a thank you letter for your goodness in taking care of the three unhappy outstanding accounts we received through Mr. Trueman's office your check for the sum of one hundred dollars. Although knowing your busy time does by no means allow you to dream of what happens after checks are issued, I would like you to know this one was most appreciated and will be wisely spent. It came to us as a gift when we were most in need, that is I have a husband taking care of me but mother had had to leave the place where she had been employed as a domestic (and that for small wages due to her lack of English) because of her varicose veins bothering her. Thank you for making the dear old soul so happy!

This is just a letter of appreciation which I hope you will find time to read soon.

Yours very truly,

Daisy Miki



CANADA

EVACUATION SECTION

Rec'd

File No. 5366

Ans.

Referred

McKellie

BRITISH COLUMBIA SECURITY COMMISSION

360 Homer Street,
VANCOUVER, B.C.,
June 3rd, 1944.

Mr. G.M. Harris,
Custodian Agent,
STEWARTON, B.C.

Re: MIKI, Dorothy #06512, 6 Sumach, Toronto.
(nee Miss Haruko MORISHITA)

Custodian Release of April 24th:

A pleading letter from the above in answer to ours of May 19th stating that shipment could not be made, asks that we send the following personal articles from 89 Moncton St., formerly in the possession of Mrs. Morrical. We are agreeable to have these shipped, and if Mr. Harris will have Mr. Howell pack these for shipment and turn them over to the Richmond Transfer to be shipped either by freight or express, whichever is most economical, sending us bills promptly and same will be paid. In order to save re-packing, it will be okay to send cartons intact containing these articles if necessary.

1 only old gray fur scarf and tan fur coat somewhat like a teddy bear. (to be found in clothes closet in room next to kitchen)

1 only box covered in yellow Japanese rayon, not red in pattern, in which dress goods are. (upstairs storeroom)

In his report, should like Mr. Howell to give us the condition of the fur scarf and coat. In fact, it is possible that neither of these will be worth shipping if they have been exposed to moths all this time in an untenanted house. Should like some action taken on this early next week. Extra copy of this letter to you for delivery to Richmond driver as shipping instructions.

BRITISH COLUMBIA SECURITY COMMISSION

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c.c.Gen.Files

Custodian of Alien Property ✓

C.W. Fisher
C.W. Fisher
Transportation

March 9th, 1945.

URGENT

Mr. L. A. Minsky,
89 Moncton Street,
Steveston, B. C.

Dear Sir: Re: 89 Moncton St., Steveston, B.C.

On referring to our file relating to the above property we find that due doubtless to the fact you were going to purchase this property but we were obliged to return to you in November last your deposit of \$203.00 as we were unable to deliver title—the property being involved in a Japanese Estate—rent of \$18.00 per month has not been paid by you since your payment of April 21st, 1944, namely \$36.00, which covered two months rent up to May 31st, 1944.

There is, therefore, outstanding seven month's rent for July-December 1944 and three month's rent for January-March 1945, namely ten months in all, totalling \$180.00. Will you please see that a cheque for the above amount is sent to this office immediately so that your rent is brought up to date.

We do not understand why you have continued this non-payment of rent and we must ask you to see that this matter is given your immediate attention.

A stamped and addressed envelope is enclosed to facilitate your prompt reply.

Yours truly,

P. Douet,
Administration Department

PD/ER
REGISTERED MAIL

File No.
5355, 5366

EVACUATION SECTION

Rec'd JUN 8 1945

File No. 5355 5366 June 2, 1945.

Ans. ✓ Sumach,
Toronto, Ont.,

Referred *Peter*

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

Dear Sir:

Sometime has past since the last statement. May we have
one again at your earliest convenience?

We have learned that our bedroom suite has been bought
by Mrs. Alice Morrical. We will greatly appreciate it if
you will forward that money to us.

Our dining room suite, too, was in question, at the time
of your last letter. We would like it left in Mrs. Mori-
cal's care a while longer. It is a shame to dispose of it
for fifty dollars when here in Toronto we find it difficult
to purchase a china cabinet for that price. Our few pieces
of china remain in the basement in store cartons.

We would like to express our gratitude for your always
careful consideration of our wishes in regard to our be-
longings. May we hear from you as soon as possible?

Yours Sincerely,

(Mrs.) Paul Miller
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July 7/45

*Sold June 13
for 100.00
see memo
for 44.00
7/13/45*

Peter
13535 5366 5395
Vacuum Section

509 Royal Bank Building,
Vancouver, B. C.
February 8, 1946

The Court of Revision,
Municipality of Richmond,
Municipal Hall,
Richmond, B. C.

Re: Lot 3, Block 3 of Section 10, Block 38,
Range 7W, Map 249, E.M. of Richmond, N.W.D.,
Catalogue No. 821

Dear Sirs:

The Custodian of Enemy Property, with the consent of the
Official Administrator, Mr. Samuel A. Moore, in whose name this property
is registered, in Trust, hereby protests the assessment of \$3,495.00,
in connection with the above-mentioned property.

In support of this application for reduction herein, we are
enclosing herewith copy of an independent appraisal by Mr. F. H. Coulthard
of New Westminster, dated April 26, 1945, in which he values this pro-
perty as follows:

Building - - -	\$ 1,728.00	
Lot - - - - -	\$ 300.00	Total - \$ 2,028.00

We would appreciate your giving this matter your early
attention.

Yours very truly,

W. J. Johnston
Administration Department

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Encl.

15633, 5355, 5366,
5920, 15654

April 2, 1946.

Mr. Leo Hinosky,
Steveston, B. C.

Dear Sir:

Re: Catalogue No. 621
89 Moncton St., Steveston
3/3/40/RSN/RTS/249/D.H.H.

Your letter of March 25th enclosing cheque for \$203.00 and offer to purchase the above property for the sum of \$2,830.00, has been received and considered.

This is to advise you that we are prepared to recommend the acceptance of this offer. Will you please forward to us a certified cheque for the balance of the purchase price, namely, \$1,627.00.

Kindly advise the full name, address and occupation of the person in whose name this property is to be registered and also state whether or not the proposed registered owner is a British Subject, using the enclosed form.

The necessary documents will then be prepared and forwarded to the Secretary of State at Ottawa, and if our recommendation is acted upon, they will be signed and returned.

After the documents have been registered a statement of adjustments of taxes, etc. will be prepared, including registration fees, and forwarded to you.

Yours truly,

F. G. Sheare,
Director.

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15633, 5355, 5366
Evacuee Section

509 Royal Bank Building,
Vancouver, B. C.
April 20, 1946

Samuel A. Moore, Esq.,
Official Administrator,
Court House,
Vancouver, B. C.

Re: Estate of Chonosuke HORISHITA
and Lot 3, Block 3, Section 10,
Block 31, Range 7N, Map 249

Dear Sir:

With further reference to your letter of the 11th ultimo,
we wish to advise you that the above-mentioned property has been sold,
as of April 11, 1946, and the purchase price amounted to \$2,030.00,
which we have received in full.

The purchaser is Leo Alfred Hinesky, Farmer, of 315 Jones
Road, Brighouse, B. C., Ukrainian.

We note that the Provincial Government will be entitled to a
commission on the transmission to the next-of-kin, and we would appre-
ciate receiving a notation regarding the amount of same.

Yours very truly,

W. J. Johnston
Administration Department

WJ/JV

EVACUATION SECTION

Rec'd MAY 1 1946

File No. 15633/5255/5366/5920/15654

Re: 6 Sumach, Toronto. *Peters*

April 23, 1946. *246 Mrs. MacArthur*

The Office of the Custodian,
Mr. George Peters,
506 Royal Bank Building,
Vancouver, B. C.

Dear Sir:

Re: File No. 15633, 5255, 5366, 5920, 15654

We are in receipt of your letter of the 15th instant and have learned much to our disappointment that 89 Moncton Street, Steveston, is in course of sale.

The selling of this house would mean the destruction of everything we hold dear, but we four Canadians of Japanese origin are helpless in regard to the property we toiled hard for. We will soothe ourselves by thinking a brisk fire swept everything away.

We are anxious about the sentimental things such as pictures of childhood days (left in the shack by the woodshed) and particularly that of our father and that of his funeral left in the miniature Buddhist temple in the upstairs store-room. We have no other picture of him. Please forward this to us at our expense as they are of absolutely no value to anyone else. We know you will not hesitate to answer this request of ours.

As for material things listed below we will appreciate receiving them by freight at our expense.

- 1 13 only little chair cushions in bright patterns in the attic above the kitchen.
- 2 Japanese cotton fabrics, boxed, and left in the upstairs store-room. (Bright patterned)
- 3 Japanese cotton fabrics in dark tones, left in the attic above the kitchen
- 4 Fur coat and fur scarf left in the large wardrobe closet.
- 5 Pictures hanging in the living room, especially the oil painting done by a friend, dated August 7
- 6 ~~X~~ Contents of the desk and chair left in Mrs. Morrical's care

Sometime ago I wrote about the desk and chair left in Mrs. Morriest's care, to be informed that the set had been sold. I am still hoping to see them but if they have been liquidated please send me a check. I will content myself by replacing it with another as nearly like it.

Knowing this letter will receive your kind consideration and hoping to hear from you soon, we are,

Yours Sincerely,

Sammy Miki
Mrs. Mota Morishita

December 6, 1946.

Mrs. Paul MIKI,
Registration No. 06312,
6 Sumach,
Toronto, Ontario.

Dear Madam:

We are endeavouring, at the present time, to close the file of your father's Estate, also your family's files, so that we may disburse all the money in our hands.

There are a few questions we would like to have clarified by you:

1. Would you kindly advise this office the full name and if possible, the address of Y. Kochi and Mrs. Katsukake. These two persons left sewing machines at your former home, 89 Moncton Street, Steveston, B.C. We would also like to know what type of sewing machine they left, whether it was an old one or a new one.
2. Would you kindly supply the full name and address of Mrs. Hirai who left one bureau at your former home.
3. Mrs. Nao (Tomakichi) Teranishi declared that she left, in addition to a sewing machine, some dressmaking materials, dresses and cloth. We have sold quite a few pieces of cloth. Would you let us know if this cloth should be credited to Mrs. Teranishi's account.

Your immediate reply will enable us to go ahead with your files.

Yours truly,

George Peters,
Office of the Custodian.

GP/1c

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9920, 15654.

December 13, 1946.

Mrs. Noto MORISHITA,
Registration No. C4656,
6 Sunnyside Street,
Toronto, Ontario.

Dear Madam:

Re: Estate of Chonosuke MORISHITA, Deceased.

The Real Property belonging to the above Estate, transferred by Mr. Samuel A. Moore to yourself, Haruko, Mariye and Yayoi MORISHITA, has been sold for the sum of \$2030.00, the net proceeds being \$2054.99. To this sum has been added the proceeds from rentals, less disbursements, making a total of \$2249.30 for distribution among yourself and the three children as instructed by Mr. Moore. The shares will be as follows:

Yourselves	- \$749.76
Haruko MORISHITA	- \$499.84
Mariye MORISHITA	- \$499.85
Yayoi MORISHITA	- \$499.85
TOTAL	- \$2249.30

We have a letter from your daughter, Haruko, asking us to transfer her share to your account. We have done this and are, accordingly, enclosing a cheque in your favour for the sum of \$1249.60, which represents the combined shares of yourself and Haruko.

The share of Mariye is being credited to her separate account and, on review of her file, it will be sent to her. The share of Yayoi will, in the meantime, be credited to an account in her name and these funds will be held, either by the Custodian or other Official, until she reaches the age of twenty-one or until application is made on her behalf to have the use of this money.

The matter of adjustment of proceeds from chattels belonging to you personally is being dealt with by another branch of this office and you will be hearing concerning these in another letter.

A statement of the Estate account is attached for your information and we would ask you to acknowledge receipt of this cheque, using the addressed, stamped envelope enclosed for this purpose.

Yours truly,

A. G. McArthur,
Office of the Custodian.

AGM/AC

File 5355

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File 15633

January 16, 1947.

MEMORANDUM.

To: Accounting Department.

From: A.G. McArthur.

Re: Account of Yayoi MORISHITA,
File 15654.

The account of the above 18 year old girl has recently been credited with the sum of \$499.85. These funds accrued to her from sale of real property belonging to the estate of her father which was under administration by Mr. S.A. Moore, Official Administrator. These funds are not to be disbursed until she reaches the age of 21 years, or until application has been made for the appointment of a guardian who will receive the money on her behalf.

AGM:AH

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February 17, 1947.

Mrs. Paul (Haruko) MIKI,
Registration No. 06312,
6 Sumach Street,
Toronto, Ontario.

Dear Madam:

We have now completed the review of your
file and are today forwarding to your mother, Mrs. Moto Morishita,
our cheque in the amount of \$287.29, being the entire balance of
both your account and your mother's.

Yours truly,

George Peters,
Office of the Custodian.

GP/EL

January 17th, 1947.

Mrs. Paul MIKI,
Registration No. 06312,
6 Sumach Street,
Toronto, Ontario.

Dear Madam:

This will acknowledge receipt of your letter of
December 15th, 1946.

We do not understand your paragraph (b) in which
you state,

"Mrs. Kutsukake's sewing machine was in Mrs. Teranishi's
care. Here, in this case you sent my aunt, Mrs. Teranishi
\$149 for six sewing machines when she should have claimed
four machines including Mrs. Kutsukake's."

In your original declaration you declared 12
sewing machines. In your letter of May 7th, 1943, to the Custodian, you
acknowledge that the six machines which were declared by Mrs. Teranish were
included in the twelve which you declared. If, according to your letter of
December 15, 1946, Mrs. Teranishi is only entitled to four machines and one
of these belongs to Mrs. Kutsukake, it would appear that Mrs. Teranishi has
been over-paid for two sewing machines. We would appreciate an explanation.
Referring to the balance of the six sewing machines, one sewing machine was
shipped to you by freight on May 12, 1943, and we still have six sewing
machines credited to your account. Who does the extra machine belong to.

Answering your paragraph 3, in which you state no
clothing belongs to Mrs. Teranishi, left in your care, your letter of May 7th,
1943, states that you are unable to send us a list of the furniture, bedding,
utensils and dressmaking materials which belong to your sister. In amongst
your effects, removed by the Custodian, were numerous pieces of cloth which
have been auctioned and credited to your account. Does any of this cloth
which was found in your former home belong to your sister, Mrs. Teranishi.

According to your file, all goods which were found
in your house have been now liquidated. This included the desk and chair
set which you refer to.

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January 17th, 1947.

Personal articles such as diplomas, books, and photographs were separated, packed and stored in the Buddhist Temple at Steveston, B.C., and we regret very much that the Buddhist Temple was broken into and badly pilfered. All the parcels which we had so carefully packed were opened and strewn over the floor, making it practically impossible for this office to now identify their owners.

As soon as we hear from you with reference to the cloth and questions requested, regarding sewing machines, we will forward the balance of the funds to your mother, as soon as possible, as formerly requested by you.

Yours truly,

George Peters,
Office of the Custodian.

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6 Sumach Street,
Toronto, Ont.,
Feb. 5, 1947.

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Rec'd	FEB 12 1947
File No.	5366
Ans.	Peters
Referred	

Mr. George Peters,
Office of the Custodians,
Vancouver, B. C.

Dear Sir:

I shall answer to the best of my ability your letter
of January 17th.

- (1) My Aunt has been overpaid for the machines, but
my aunt and my mother are sisters so they will
take care of this.
- (2) The extra machine is ours as no one would have
brought a machine to our house without our
knowledge.
- (3) No cloth belongs to Mrs. Teranishi.

I hope you will find this satisfactory.

Thank you very much, I am,

Yours truly,

(Mrs.) Paul Miki

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File 15633

January 16, 1947.

MEMORANDUM.

Re: Estate of Chonosuke MORISHITA, Deceased.

I have discussed with Mr. Sheppard the matter of paying out to Yayoi Morishita now aged 18, the sum of money due her from the estate of her father and he advises that we adhere to the suggestion made to Mrs. Morishita in our letter of December 13, 1946.

If Mrs. Morishita or her daughter write again requesting this money they should be advised to consult a solicitor, or obtain advice from Mr. Samuel A. Moore.

"A.G.M."

A. G. McArthur.

AGM:AH