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OFFICE OF THE CUSTODIAN
JAPANESE SECTION

To be completed by persons of the Japanese race having property in any protected area. The proper administration of this property requires such persons to give full particulars as requested in this form.

PERSONAL INFORMATION

NAME: AFIYAMA, Tomeji
HOME ADDRESS: Paldi, B. C.
REGISTRATION NUMBER 09185 SEX: Male AGE: 53
OCCUPATION: Sawmill hand,

(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: Mayo Bros. Lumber Co., Paldi, B. C.

MARRIED? Widower

NAME OF WIFE OR HUSBAND: None

ADDRESS OF WIFE OR HUSBAND: None

NAMES OF ANY LIVING CHILDREN: None

ADDRESS OF CHILDREN: None

AGE OF CHILDREN: None

Discard and see original file

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

1. LOCATION AND DESCRIPTION:

2. BUILDINGS AND OTHER IMPROVEMENTS:

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

4. TAXES (Amount and where payable)

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

6. OCCUPANCY AND LEASES (If vacant so state)

7. STATE WHEREABOUTS OF TITLE DOCUMENTS:

8. STATE IF ANY OTHER PERSON HAS ANY INTEREST:

9. IF FARM LAND STATE CROPS SOWN

STATEMENT OF REAL PROPERTY OCCUPIED

1. LOCATION AND DESCRIPTION:

Dwelling house, Paid, B. C.

2. LANDLORD'S NAME AND ADDRESS:

The Mayo Bros., Lumber Co., Paid, B. C.

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

Monthly rental \$4.00, paid to April 30, 1942.

4. STATE WHEREABOUTS OF LEASE:

None

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

None

6. IF FARM LAND, PARTICULARS OF CROPS SOWN:

None

STATEMENT OF PERSONAL PROPERTY OWNED:

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

~~Stumps, 1 box kitchen utensils, left in care of Mayo Bros. Lumber Co.~~

~~Paid, B. C.~~

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

None

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

CLAIM ON ANY SUCH PROPERTY

None

- 4. INSURANCE CARRIED ON ABOVE PROPERTY: _____
- 5. MORTGAGES, LIENS AND OTHER CLAIMS ON PROPERTY IN POSSESSION OF OTHERS: _____
- 6. MONEYS OWING TO YOU (State if any of these debts assigned and if so, to whom) _____
- 7. BONDS, DEBENTURES, SHARES, STOCKS OR OTHER SECURITIES (State whereabouts) _____
- 8. BANK ACCOUNTS: _____
- 9. LIFE INSURANCE: _____
- 10. INTEREST IN ANY ESTATES OR TRUSTS. _____
- 11. SAFETY DEPOSIT BOX: _____

LIABILITIES:

- 1. PERSONAL DEBTS: _____
- 2. TRADE DEBTS: _____

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 22th day of April 1942.
(Signature) T. Kiyama

H. Logan
Witness

FOR DEPARTMENTAL USE _____

Handwritten mark

INFORMATION FROM R.C.M.P.

Date 3/6/43 Jan 7/44

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Our File No. 6833

Full Name AKIYAMA, Tomiji
(Surname in Block Letters)

Registration No. 09185 Male - Female
(check)

Age Apr. 4, 1888

Former Address

Paldi, B.C.

Date Evacuated

29/6/42

Naturalized - Canadian-Born - National
(check)

Present Address

Slocan City, B.C.

Passmore, B.C. July 30/47

widower
Married - Single
(check)

Name of Wife ^{nee} LANCASTER - Rose
(decd)

Name of Husband _____

Name of Mother

deceased

Name of Father

deceased

Names of Children under 16 _____

Requested by

C. Girard

Registered with Custodian

yes
(Yes or No)

Additional Information

Sawmill land

GENERAL SUMMARY

File No. 6833

September 16, 1947.

Re: Issei AKIYAMA, Reg. No. 09185

This man signed a declaration to the Custodian on April 29, 1942. He was evacuated on June 29, 1942.

CHATELS

In his declaration he reported two trunks and a box of kitchen utensils left in care of Mayo Brothers Lumber Company, Paldi. A release form dated May 19, 1942, requests shipment of the trunks and box. A letter from the Lumber Company, dated September 23, 1942, states that it was the understanding that the Japanese could store their chattels in the Hall and the Company would ship out anything they order if it was possible. From this it is assumed that AKIYAMA received his goods. There is no further request on file for shipment of these goods.

A large quantity of goods were sold under the name of AKIYAMA at Duncan Auction 6 for the net sum of \$52.77, and two cartons belonging to AKIYAMA were inventoried by Mr. Wills at 604 E. Cordova on May 8, 1945. The contents of these boxes were sold at Vancouver Auction 63 for the net sum of \$1.69. The total proceeds, \$54.46, were credited to AKIYAMA's account. However, as AKIYAMA did not declare anything other than the items which were shipped to him, we wrote to him on July 30, 1947, advising him that some goods found at the storage hall at Paldi were believed to belong to him or his family, and if he or any of his family had left goods at the hall which have not been shipped, to let us know what the articles were. He was told that we were holding the funds from the sale of these goods until we found the owner. As AKIYAMA did not reply to this letter within a month and a half, the proceeds were transferred to Chattel Suspense on September 16, 1947.

This file reveals no other property of any kind.

This file reveals no liabilities.

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

Frances May
September 16, 1947.

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MEMORANDUM

TO: Miss C. Girard
FROM: Miss F. May
RE: Tosai AKIYAMA, Reg. No. 09185, File No. 6833

September 16, 1947.

Would you please transfer to Chattel Suspense all proceeds of Duncan Auction 6 and Vancouver Auction 63 on the file of the above named man?

As all goods declared by AKIYAMA have been shipped to him, and as he did not answer our letter in regard to these additional chattels, it has been decided to transfer the goods out of his account.

Francis May

Accounting Department

Charge to File 6833 and credit to Chattel Suspense Account - UNIDENTIFIABLE - T. AKIYAMA - Paldi.

Vancouver 63 - Realized: \$2.50 -- Less Expenses: \$0.81 -- Credited: \$1.69

Duncan 6	\$73.40	\$20.63	<u>\$52.77</u>
			\$54.46.

Transferred, September 16, 1947.

C. Girard

NAME AKIYAMA, Toshi

REGISTRATION NO. 60125

FILE NO. 6877

The following chattels were sold by public
auction at 72 E. Hastings St. Vancouver, B.C. on April 30th, 1946

Box & iron
Curtains

✓ Kimonos
Coat
Hats
Hats
Flaps

Transferred to Chattel

Suspense A/c -

Unidentifiable

T. AKIYAMA -

Paldi -

16/9/47

C.G.

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Total

Less Expenses:

Net Proceeds Credited:

(Auctioneer's fee \$.31
(Advertising \$.30
(Moving \$.21

\$ 2.50

\$.81

\$ 1.69

Members of Custodian Staff Present. Mr. Wills

Extracted from Auctioneering List No. Vancouver 63

Remarks.

NAME AKIYAMA, Toseji

REGISTRATION NO. 09185

FILE NO. 6833

The following chattels were sold by public
 auction at Duncan, Vancouver Island on March 15, 1945.

- Hammer and capper	<i>Transferred to Chattel</i>	\$ 2.00
- Tub etc.		1.50
- 2 Fry pans and beans		1.50
- Fall and odds		0.29
- 2 Falls and washboard		0.50
- Tree lights		2.00
- Tree decorations		1.00
- Tub stand		3.75
- 2 Trays		1.50
- Saucepan and kettle		2.50
- Flower pot and vase	0.80	
- Kettle etc.	2.00	
- Lamp and tub	1.00	
- Basket china	1.00	
- Oak table	8.00	
- Cutlery	0.50	
- Bowls and basket	0.75	
- Bowls	1.25	
- Bowls	0.75	
- Plates and saucers	0.75	
- Dishes	0.60	
- Table	1.00	
- Mattress	3.50	
- Bed couch	30.00	
- Blinds and table	1.25	
- 2 Hops and broom	1.75	
- Bed ends and mattress	2.00	

Total	(Auctioneer's Fees \$ 7.34	
	(Advertising 1.60	
Less Expenses:	(Movings 10.64	\$ 73.40
	(Rent 1.05	\$ 20.63
Net Proceeds Credited:		\$ 52.77

Members of Custodian Staff Present.

Extracted from Auctioneering List No. Duncan 6.

Remarks.

Auction records show that these were owned by Akiyama. This man & his children only persons of that name

File No. 100

April 29th, 1943.

MEMORANDUM FOR THE DIRECTOR

Mr. Small (alias), Police Registration #10000, declared to the Committee on April 29th, 1943, that he was a winner. According to information supplied by the U. S. N. P., he was previously married to Mrs. [Name], deceased, a Canadian.

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

I AKIYAMA, T., Police
 registration No. 09185, hereby request you to
 release to me the under-noted property stored at _____

Mayo Japanese Hall, Paldi, B. C.
 and I release you from any claim whatsoever with respect to
 such property.

Description of Property:

3 pieces - 2 trunks and 1 box kitchen utensils.

Dated this 19th day of May 1942.

T. Akiyama
 (Japanese sign here)

Approved

J. 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.