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FILE NO. 7989

New Westminster B.C.
OFFICE OF THE CUSTODIAN
JAPANESE SECTION

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

NAME: BABA Mrs. Hatsumi
HOME ADDRESS: 815 Agnes St., New Westminster
SEX: Female
OCCUPATION AND EMPLOYER: Housewife
NAME OF WIFE OR HUSBAND: over 16
NAMES OF LIVING CHILDREN: over 16
AGE: 66
MARRIED? Yes
REGISTRATION No. 06799
ADDRESS: -----
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I certify that the above information is true and complete and state that I have no property of any kind whatsoever in any protected area in British Columbia.
Dated this 6th day of May 1942.
WITNESS: J. J. Williams
(Signature) Mrs. H. Baba

LIST OF LIABILITIES:

HOW DO YOU PROPOSE TO PAY THESE OFF?

none

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INFORMATION FROM R.C.M.P.

Date Aug. 23/43.
May 31/43.

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Full Name BABA Hatsu (Mrs. Magosaburo)
(Surname in Block Letters) (Decid)

Registration No. 06799

Male - Female
(check)

Age July 25, 1876

Former Address

Acme Cannery, Eberne, B.C.
815 Agnes St. New West B.C.

Date Evacuated

May 17/42

Naturalized - Canadian-Born - National
(check)

Present Address

Decid Dec. 14/42.

Widow
Married - Single
(check)

Name of Wife

magosaburo (Decid)

Name of Husband

Name of Mother

Name of Father

Names of Children under 16

Requested by

C. Girard

Registered with Custodian

Yes
(Yes or No)

Additional Information

(see YAMAZAKA.)

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CLAIMS DEPARTMENT

May 24th, 1943.

Mrs. Hatsu BABA (deceased) - Reg. No. 06799

CREDITORS:

NO CLAIMS on file

[Handwritten signature]

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R. A. SARGENT

Barrister and Solicitor
Notary Public

TELEPHONE PACIFIC 9082

505 ROYAL TRUST BUILDING
826 WEST PENDER STREET

VANCOUVER, B. C.

15th February, 1943.

Attn. Mr. Gibson

The Custodian,
Japanese Section,
675 West Hastings,
Vancouver, B. C.

EVACUATION SECTION	
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File No.	7602-7889
Ans.	
Refer	Gibson

Dear Sir,

Mrs. Hatsu Baba died intestate at Kaslo on the 14th of December last at the age of 66. There is no real property of any kind, and the only assets of the estate are:

- (1) A membership certificate numbered A3488 in the B.C. Mutual Benefit Association, with a maximum benefit of \$2500.00.
- (2) Membership certificate No. 3441 in the Pacific Mutual Benefit Association, the amount of which is uncertain as it depends upon the membership.

The beneficiary under each certificate is a son, Shimpei Baba. The former residence of the deceased and beneficiary was Sea Island, B.C.

I have received a request to prepare the necessary documents in order to effectuate these claims. I take it it will be necessary for me to procure releases from the Probate Departments of both the Provincial and Dominion Governments?

The question arises as to whether the deceased and her son are internees or evacuees. I would be obliged if you would advise me in this respect, and at the same time instruct me as to how I am to carry the matter out.

Yours faithfully,

RAS/VH



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March 1, 1943.

R. A. Sargent, Esq.,
Barrister and Solicitor,
626 West Pender Street,
Vancouver, B. C.

Dear Sir:

Re: The late Mrs. Hatsu BABA, Reg. No. 06799, and
Mr. Shimpei BABA, Reg. No. 02826

Thank you for your letter dated February 15th. We presume that you have been requested to prepare the necessary documents by Mr. Shimpei Baba. Both the late Mrs. Hatsu Baba and Mr. Shimpei Baba are or were evacuees and not internees and the affairs of both of the Babas vest in the Custodian.

It is our understanding that it will be necessary for you to procure releases from the Probate Department of the Dominion Government.

After you have received amounts due under membership certificates Nos. A3488 and 3411, have deducted any amounts claimed by the Dominion Government and other probate expenses including your own fees, please forward us a cheque for the balance thereafter due to Mr. Shimpei Baba together with complete particulars and two copies of your receipted bill for professional services. The cheque should be made payable to the Custodian of Enemy Property.

You have, no doubt, settled with Mr. Shimpei Baba the amount of your fees and when sending us full particulars please provide us with evidence of such agreement. Alternatively, if you have not reached an agreement with Mr. Shimpei Baba as to your fees, kindly get into touch with us immediately before taking further steps in this matter.

Yours truly,

R. P. Alexander,
Manager.

RPA:MA

The Pacific Mutual Benefit Association

342 Denber Street West, Room 8

Vancouver, B.C.

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May 19th 1943.

Custodian of Enemy Property,
675 West Hastings Street,
Vancouver B.C.

Dear Sir,

re Certificate, # 5441.
Mrs Hatsu Baba. deceased.

EVACUATION SECTION	
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out to Alexander

A death claim has arisen under the above Certificate and an amount of \$520.00 is payable to the beneficiary, George S. Baba, of Kaslo, B.C. Is it necessary to obtain your authority, permitting us to pay this amount to the beneficiary?

Your early advices will oblige.

Yours very truly,

PACIFIC MUTUAL BENEFIT ASSOCIATION,

per:

J. E. Rice
Secy-Treasr.

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May 26th, 1943.

Mr. J. E. Rice,
Secretary-Treasurer,
The Pacific Mutual Benefit Assn.,
342 West Pender Street,
Vancouver, B. C.


Dear Sir:

Re: Certificate No. 5441.
Mrs. Hatsu BABA (Deceased)

In reply to your favour of the 20th instant, we
have to advise you that insofar as the Custodian is concerned,
you are free to pay direct the amount due George S. Baba, as
beneficiary under the above mentioned certificate.

Thanking you herein, we are

Yours very truly,


W. J. Johnston,
Administration Department.

WJJ/P.

June 8, 1943.

MEMORANDUM - MR. JOHNSON

Attached is the file. I notice your letter dated May 26th to Mr. J. S. Rice authorizing remittance by the Pacific Mutual Benefit Ass'n. of \$320.00 direct to Mr. George S. Raba. Paragraph 3 of letter dated May 19th from Mr. E. A. Cargent indicates that the administrator was dealing with the Pacific Mutual Benefit Ass'n. If by "administrator" Mr. Wilfred Raba is the man involved, it would appear to be in order, but if by "administrator" the Public Administrator is intended, further action is apparently necessary. Was Dominion Succession Duty clearance obtained by the Pacific Mutual Benefit Ass'n?

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WPA:MA

MEMORANDUM

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File No. 7989.

TO: Mr. Alexander.

FROM: Mr. Johnston.

June 8th, 1943.

Re: Certificate #5441. Pacific Mutual Benefit Ass'n.
and Mrs. Retsu BABA (Deceased)

Thanks for your Memorandum of this date. Particulars regarding this item were verified before letter of May 26th went forward. The above Association dealt directly with George Shimpel BABA and the Dominion Succession Duties clearance had been obtained.

The writer has returned the file to Charlotte Girard as per her request.

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July 29, 1943.

R. A. Sargent, Esq.,
Barrister and Solicitor,
905 Royal Trust Building,
Vancouver, B. C.

Dear Sirs:

Re: The late Mr. Hatsu BABA, #06799,
and Mr. Shinsai BABA, #02826

Thank you for your letter dated July 26th, for sending us
your receipted account for \$100.00, and for sending us also your cheque
for \$2,400.00. Attached please find our receipt No. 5816 which we
trust you will find to be in order.

Yours truly,

R. P. Alexander,
Manager.

RPA:MA

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July 29, 1943.

Mr. Shimpei BABA,
Registration No. 02826,
Kaslo, B. C.

Dear Sir:

Re: The late Mrs. Hatsu BABA

Please note that we have received from Mr. R. A. Sargent the sum of \$2,400.00 which we have credited to your account with the Custodian. This sum of \$2,400.00 represents proceeds of policy for \$2,500.00 with the B. C. Mutual Benefit Association on the life of the late Mrs. Hatsu Baba, less fees of \$100.00 charged to you by Mr. Sargent as agreed upon between you and Mr. Sargent.

The Custodian has credited this sum of \$2,400.00 to your account and we look to you for an indication of your wishes as to what disposition you desire the Custodian to make on your behalf of the amount standing to your credit with us.

This opportunity is taken to again call your attention to the fact that R. Tagashira & Company have filed a claim with us against you of \$20.08 regarding which we would appreciate receiving your comments. If you agree with the correctness of the amount claimed, we shall be glad to effect settlement on your behalf. It is our understanding that in connection with this claim the amount originally was \$70.08 against which \$50.00 was paid by the Acme Cannery leaving a balance still owing of \$20.08.

We must also call your attention to the fact that we are in receipt of a claim from Mrs. Shimpei (Etsuko) Baba against you for alimony, the claim when filed calling for payment of eighteen months' alimony. Your comments in connection with this obligation will also be very much appreciated.

Generally speaking, it is the current policy of the Custodian to release funds for maintenance at a rate not to exceed \$100.00 per month, in the absence of special circumstances or in the absence of specific needs. If you desire a monthly remittance at a rate of more than \$100.00, kindly provide us with complete particulars together with complete particulars of any need you may have for any lump payments in excess of \$100.00.

Insofar as our files covering the late Mrs. Hatsu Baba are concerned, there appears to be no further action required by the Custodian and we are accordingly closing our files in connection with her estate.

Yours truly,

H. P. Alexander,
Manager.

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