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## BUREAU HASTINGS PARK

FILE NO.

9160

OFFICE OF THE CUSTODIAN  
JAPANESE SECTION

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

NAME: **MACHIDA, Takeo.**HOME ADDRESS: **527 E. Cordova St., Vancouver, B. C.** REGISTRATION No. **08293**SEX: **Male**AGE: **19**MARRIED? **No.**OCCUPATION AND EMPLOYER: **Boxman in Mill. D. Machida, Pioneer Box Mill.**NAME OF WIFE OR HUSBAND: **None**ADDRESS: **None**NAMES OF LIVING CHILDREN: **None**ADDRESS: **None**

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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 **15th** day of **May** 1942.WITNESS: **O. Broadbent**

(Signature)

**J. Machida**

LIST OF LIABILITIES:

None

HOW DO YOU PROPOSE TO PAY THESE OFF?

FOR DEPARTMENTAL USE

INFORMATION FROM R.C.M.P.

Our File No. 9160 Date July 24, 1943

Full Name MACHIDA, James  
(Surname in Block Letters)

Registration No. 02293 Male - Female  
(check) Age 14 10, 1922

Former Address 527 E. Cordova St., Vancouver

Date Evacuated 2/5/42 Naturalized - Canadian-Born - National  
(check)

Present Address 65 Catherine St. Hamilton, Ont. 10/5/42  
Dept. B.C.

Married - Single   
(check) Name of Wife \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Husband \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Mother (deceased) Name of Father Torakichi #01541

Names of Children under 16 step mother Shigeko #01540

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

Additional Information Boy man in mill

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December 13, 1948.

Mr. Takeo Machida,  
219 West Avenue E.,  
Hamilton, Ontario.

Dear Sir:

RE: ESTATE OF MASA MACHIDA, Deceased.

Replying to your letter of December 9, we enclose a copy of a letter dated November 16, 1942, signed by your father. We can assure you that this office did not at any time receive the original letter signed by Masa Machida which your father stated had the effect of leaving her property to him. We received only a copy of that letter.

On December 21, 1942, we wrote to your father stating that a Will must be signed by two witnesses who saw it signed and who themselves signed it in the presence of the deceased before her death. On January 26, 1942, your father wrote stating that Shigetaka Inouye and Denkichi Machida had signed your mother's letter as witnesses, whereupon we supplied him with a declaration form which was signed by Denkichi Machida, now deceased, and Shigetaka Inouye, and returned to this office. The original of this declaration, together with a translation of your mother's letter, were sent forward to Mr. Moore, the Official Administrator. As noted in your father's letter, the original letter remained in his possession and Mr. Moore requires this in order to make application for administration.

If this letter cannot be found, we suggest that you write at once to Mr. Moore telling him that the original cannot now be found and asking him to tell you in detail what to do. We are giving him the copy made by your father which Mr. Moore may consent to use in place of the original but he will, no doubt, require to have this copy certified by your father or whoever actually made the copy.

We feel that we have co-operated in every possible way to effect distribution of this estate and will continue to do so if you will do your part in answering Mr. Moore's letters.

Yours truly,

A. G. McArthur,  
Office of the Custodian.

AGM/AG  
Enc. copy

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1020, 10th Ave.,  
Vancouver, B.C.  
Nov. 5, 1943.

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

Dear Sir:-

Enclosed herewith I am mailing you the list of Machineries  
I left behind on my properties.

With regard to Pioneer Halloch Box Co., I wish to state  
that "Pioneer Halloch Box Co." is only the trade name used by myself  
and that I am the sole owner of all the machineries etc. Hoping that  
the above information will be satisfactory to you, I remain.

Yours very truly,

"Denkichi MACHIDA"

K.M.

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Original on file 3025/1

Dec 17/45

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December 17th, 1945.

Mr. Takeo NACHIDA,  
Reg. No. 02293,  
65 Cathcart Street,  
Hamilton, Ontario.

AIR MAIL


Dear Sir:-      Re:- Pioneer Halloch Box Company

Please advise what interest or share if any, you have in Pioneer Halloch Box Company, 662 Alexander St., Vancouver, or if you at any time had any interest or share in same?

We are enclosing herewith a stamped addressed envelope to enable you to reply promptly to this letter.

Yours truly,

BRD/DD.  
Enc. 1.

 B.R. Dusenbury,  
Administration Department.

13179, 4215, 9536,  
2041, 9160  
Evacuee Section

507 Royal Bank Building,  
Vancouver, B. C.  
December 16, 1945

Mr. Terakichi Machida,  
Registration No. 01541,  
Tadino, B. C.

Re: Masa MACHIDA, Deceased

Dear Sir:

We are writing you at this time regarding the Estate of the above mentioned.

It will be necessary for you, as next-of-kin, to take certain action before proceeds from your wife's estate can be disbursed. We would suggest that you either consult a Solicitor or apply direct to the Official Administrator, Mr. Samuel A. Moore, Court House, Vancouver, B. C., for the administration of the Estate.

In order to facilitate your application, we are enclosing herewith an itemized list of particulars which a Solicitor or Mr. Moore will require, and this form should be completed and forwarded to either one of the aforesaid as soon as possible. Please send a copy of these particulars to this office for our information, and advise us regarding when you have written to in this connection.

Upon hearing from you that you have made application for administration of this Estate, we will supply the Solicitor or Administrator with all information relative to same which is recorded in our office.

Please give this matter your early attention.

Yours truly,

W. J. Johnston  
Administration Department

WJ/JF  
Encl.



65 Bathurst St.,  
Hamilton, Ont.

December 26, 1945

Office of the Controller  
Vancouver, B. C.

EVACUATION SECTION

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Ans.

Referred

*Resentbury*

Dear Sir:

This will acknowledge receipt of your letter  
of the 17<sup>th</sup> inst., re: Pioneer Hallack Box Co.  
Please be advised that "Pioneer Hallack Box Co."  
is only a trade name and that the late  
Mr. Sankichi Machida was the sole owner  
of the company.

Trusting that the above information will  
be satisfactory. I am,

Very truly yours

J. Machida

By # 02293

*Not for  
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SAMUEL A. MOORE  
Official Administrator

Court-House,  
VANCOUVER, B. C.

January 8th, 1946

W. J. Johnston, Esq.,  
Administration Department,  
509 Royal Bank Bldg.,  
Vancouver, B. C.

Re: Masa Machida, deceased

Dear Sir:

I am today in receipt of a letter from Torakichi Machida (reg. no. 01541) of Tashme, B. C., reporting the death of Masa Machida as of July 8th, 1936.

Enclosed in the letter is a statement giving the next-of-kin. Among them there is mentioned Torakichi Machida, who they say is 48 years old. They do not say whether he is the husband, the brother or child of the deceased.

They also mention that the deceased left a will. As the particulars they furnish are not sufficient to prepare the documents leading to the grant, would you kindly let me have whatever particulars you have as to the assets, debts, and next of kin, and also a statement of any funds of the estate that you hold.

They also mention that there is a house at 527 Cordova St. East. Has this house been sold?

Yours truly,

"Sam A. Moore"

Official Administrator.

SAM:MCB

1512, 1111, 973,  
1911, 1912, 1913  
Thomas Smith

307 Royal Bank Building,  
Vancouver, B. C.  
January 12, 1945

Donald A. Smith, Esq.,  
Official Administrator,  
Bankruptcy,  
Vancouver, B. C.

Re: Estate of Mrs. YUKIKI SMITH, Dec'd

Dear Sir:

We are in receipt of your letter of the 5th instant, and note contents.

In reply to your request for information, we wish to advise you that the above decedent was the wife of YUKIKI SMITH. Our files indicate that she also left her surviving the following:

Yuko Smith, Son, Registration No. 07723, Box 195, Coquitlam, Ontario,  
Age - 25 years.

Yuko Smith, Son, Registration No. 22273, 69 Cathcart St., Hamilton,  
Ontario, Age - 23 years.

Yuko Smith, Daughter, Registration No. 05004, Tashco, B. C., Age 21.

Yuko Smith, Son, Tashco, B. C., Age 16 years.

Yuko Smith, Son, Tashco, B. C., Age 4 years.

Mr. YUKIKI SMITH, widower, Registration No. 0111, resides at Tashco, and was born on December 15, 1887. We are informed by the U.S.R.F. that Mr. YUKIKI SMITH is a Naturalized Canadian and the children are Canadian born.

The only asset of which we have knowledge is a credit balance with the Canadian, amounting to \$133.14. These funds were derived from the rental and sale of property known as 527 West Cordova Street and described as lot 27, Block 23, District Lot 196, Group 1, New Westminster Municipality, Plan 194.

For your information, we are enclosing herewith copy of the account covering this estate as it appears on our books. So far as we are aware, there are no liabilities in connection with this matter.

1037, 415, 936  
1011, 980

Donald L. Davis, Esq.,

January 13, 1946

In connection with the Will, which you referred to in your letter, we are enclosing herewith an English translation of the document signed by the deceased on May 15, 1936, and the original Statutory Declaration, dated February 23, 1943, which we procured from the witnesses. We trust this will be of assistance to you in proving the Will as being valid.

Kindly forward a certified copy of Letters of Administration to this office so that we may remit the funds, now in our hands, to you.

Yours truly,

D. J. Johnston  
Administration Department

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July 18th, 1946.

Mr. Takeo MACHIDA,  
Reg. No. 02293,  
65 Cathcart Street,  
Hamilton, Ont.

Dear Sir:-

This will acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 9th instant.

In reply we wish to say that owing to the extra amount of work in the office occasioned by many repatriates leaving for Japan, necessitating the examination of records in their behalf, and owing to the summer vacation of members of the Staff, the completion of the review of your father's file and affairs that have vested with the Custodian will be a little further delayed. However we wish to say that we shall place his name among the first to be attended to on our return from vacation.

Yours truly,

B.R. Dusenbury,  
Administration Department.  
BR:

DD.

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EVACUATION SECTION

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By 29, 146 -  
Cathcart St.  
Hamilton Ont.

Mr. B. J. [unclear]  
Administration Dept. [unclear] Johnston

Dear Sir -  
I appreciate your immediate  
reply, acknowledging receipt of my  
letter

You state that my father's files  
& affairs will be attended to as  
soon as possible.

I do not intend to be unhelpful  
or anything but my father is in  
financial difficulty & is urgently  
in need of money.

So I'm requesting you to attend  
to his affairs & notify me of  
the outcome, as soon as possible.

Thanking you again, I remain,  
Yours truly

J. Amachi  
#02293...

13139, 4215, 9536,  
2041, 9160 -Estate Sec.

509 Royal Bank Building,  
Vancouver, B. C.  
August 15, 1946

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

Re: Estate of Haseo MACHIDA, Dec'd

Dear Sir:

We duly received your letter of the 19th ultimo and in reply regret to have to advise you that we are not in possession of the original Bill of the above deceased or any account covering funeral expenses. Any accounts in connection with funeral expenses were probably paid in 1936, subsequent to the date of death and it is possible that Mr. Torakichi Machida may still have the receipts.

Mr. Torakichi Machida has removed to Hamilton, Ontario, and it may be that your letters have not reached him. His new address is 258 Haldub Street, Hamilton, Ontario, and if you do not receive a reply to a further letter, we will endeavour to contact him through the Department of Labour, Japanese Division.

Yours very truly,

H. J. Johnston  
Administration Department

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1329, 1331, 1333,  
1335, 1337 - Western Ave.

309 Royal Bank Building,  
Washington, D. C.  
August 26, 1946

Mr. Tetsu Kubota,  
Registration No. 2227,  
45 Belmont Street,  
Seattle, Oregon

Re Estate of Mrs. MURIEL DODD

Dear Sir:

Reference is made to your letters of the 9th and 29th ultimo,  
in which you make inquiry regarding the disposition of funds relating to  
the above estate.

For your information, we wish to advise you that Mr. Donald L.  
Hovey, Official Administrator, advised us by letter, dated January 5, 1946,  
that your father, Tetsuichi Kubota, had written to him regarding this  
letter and he requested us to send him all particulars which we had in our  
office. We immediately reviewed the files of the decedent and Mr. Tetsuichi  
Kubota and replied to his letter, under date of January 12, 1946, containing  
information respecting assets, liabilities, etc., and stated that as far as  
we knew there were no liabilities. We also forwarded, with our letter, an  
English translation of the document signed by the decedent on May 15, 1945,  
and also the original Japanese declaration, dated February 7, 1945, which  
was made by the witnesses who were present when the document signed said  
decedent.

On July 19, 1946, Mr. Hovey wrote us to the effect that he had  
written your father for further information but had received no replies to  
his letters. It may be that your father has not been receiving Mr. Hovey's  
correspondence as a result of relocation in the West. We have advised him  
of the new address.

Mr. Hovey is particularly anxious to obtain the original Will and  
all accounts in connection with funeral expenses of the decedent.

It is impossible for us to assist you further in this matter as  
the provisions of the law must be complied with, and disbursement of funds  
cannot be made until Mr. Hovey has completed his administration of this  
estate.

Yours truly,

V. J. Johnston  
Administrator

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Aug. 29th, 46

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Ans.	
Retired	

Cathcart St.  
Hamilton Ont.

Dear Sir,

This is the 3rd letter I've written you in regards to my father's affairs. I have not received any information about his affairs as yet. In fact there has been no answer to my second letter. If no answer to this letter is received, I shall be compelled to seek legal advice as I have mentioned in my first letter.

hoping to feel that steps have been taken to settle his affairs, I remain,

Yours truly,  
T. Machida

(T. MACHIDA)

ENEMY SECTION	
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Ans'd	

Cathcart St.  
Hamilton Ont.

See ltr Aug 26/46