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FILE NO. 10818OFFICE OF THE CUSTODIAN
JAPANESE SECTION

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

NAME: TOKAIRIN, Hideo *single*
HOME ADDRESS: 362 Alexander St., Vancouver, B. C. REGISTRATION No. 01856 ✓SEX: male AGE: 22 MARRIED? noOCCUPATION AND EMPLOYER: Office clerk--Terminal Lumber Co., Ft. Commercial
Dr., Vancouver, B. C.NAME OF WIFE OR HUSBAND: ---- ADDRESS: ----NAMES OF LIVING CHILDREN: ---- ADDRESS: -------- ADDRESS: -------- ADDRESS: ----

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 17th day of June 1942.WITNESS: Marta Wilson(Signature) D. R. S. L.

INFORMATION FROM R.C.M.P.

Date July 14, 1943

Our File No. 10818

Full Name TOXAIRIN, Aides
(Surname in Block Letters)

Registration No. 01256

Male - Female
(check)

Age Aug 9, 1919

Former Address 1712 W. 3rd Ave., Vancouver, B.C.
622 C. Cordova St., Vancouver

Date Evacuated Oct 3, 1942 Naturalized - Canadian-Born - National
(check)

Present Address Vashone, B.C.
24/2/47 - 1648 Lincoln Ave., Montreal, P.Q.

Married - Single
(check)

Name of Wife -

Name of Husband -

Name of Mother (nee #02370) SHOJI, Iken

Name of Father Uhei #01783

Names of Children under 16 -

Requested by [Signature]

Registered with Custodian
(Yes or No)

Additional Information Office Clerk - Saw mill
has car

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File No. 10818

June 21st, 1944

CLAIMS DEPARTMENT

Hideo TOKAIRIN - Reg. No. 01856

CREDITORS:-

NO CLAIMS ON FILE.

NOTE: See Terminal Lumber and Fuel Co.
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File Nos:- 8457
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June 20th, 1944

CLAIMS DEPARTMENT

THE TERMINAL LUMBER AND FUEL COMPANY

Composed of:-

Ichise TOKAIRIN	- Reg. No. 07682	- File No. 8457
Eliseo TOKAIRIN	- Reg. No. 01856	- File No. 10818 ✓
Masaki YAMAMURA	- Reg. No. 07741	- File No. 11188

LOCATION - Foot of Commercial Drive, Vancouver, B. C.

CREDITORS:

1. Uhei Tokairin (deceased).....	\$ 700.00
2. Sueki (Suyeki) Marakami.....	75.00
3. Naoto Oikawa.....	150.00
4. B.C. Conveying Mach. Co.....	44.76
5. B.C. Junk Co.	30.84
6. Kenji Yamamura.....	175.00
7. Shurlgy-Deitrich-Atkins Co.....	339.73
8. Dominion Machinery Co.	253.45
9. Fleishman and Neagher.....	44.00
10. Workmen's Compensation Board.....	274.96
11. Haruo Abe..... (Paid 9/10/44).....	300.00
12. Mrs. Fusa Chaki.....	45.00
13. Williams and Mackie.....	11.40
14. Department of Nat'l Revenue (Income Tax Division).....	72.94

10/6/44 Credit Bal - \$11.59

END

FLEISHMAN & MEACHER
Barristers, Solicitors
Notaries Public

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314 Standard Bank Building

Vancouver, B.C.

January 2, 1942.

Custodian of Alien Enemy Property
1012 Royal Bank Bldg.
Vancouver, B.C.

Dear Sir:

RE: Terminal Lumber Co.

Pursuant to your request addressed to the above company, I have been requested to communicate with you and present the following information to you.

The above firm is a partnership consisting of Mas ki Yamamura, residing at 1541 West 6th Avenue, who has resided in this province for thirty years; Ichiso Tokairi, residing at 198 West 6th Avenue, who is married to a Japanese woman of Canadian Birth, and who have two children born in Canada, who has resided in this Province for 22 years, he being at this date, 40 years of age; Harold H. Tokarin, of 1712 West 3rd Avenue, born in Kelowna, in the Province of British Columbia, brother of Ichiso.

This firm owns and operates a sawmill plant at the foot of Commercial Drive, in the City of Vancouver, on which a Chattel Mortgage has been granted to Charles Thomas Coy, in the month of October, of 1941, in the sum of \$5,000.00, being made up of unpaid accounts and advances made to the partnership.

Should you desire any further information regarding the above mentioned company, I should be glad to accommodate you.

Yours truly,

FLEISHMAN & MEACHER

AHF/SI

Per: A.H.F. (signed)

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Vancouver, B.C.
January 5, 1942.

Fleishman & Menger,
Barristers, Solicitors,
314 Standard Bank Bldg.,
Vancouver, B.C.

Dear Sirs:

Re: Terminal Lumber Co.

On behalf of Mr. G. W. McPherson, we wish to
acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 2nd January,
1942, and thank you for the information given.

Yours faithfully,

ARTHUR PEARLE
PRESIDENT

MONTREAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY

TELEPHONE
PLATEAU 9151

P.O. BOX 50
STATION B

HEAD OFFICE - MONTREAL April 6, 1942.

Custodian of Enemy Property,
Ottawa,
Ontario.

Dear Sir:-

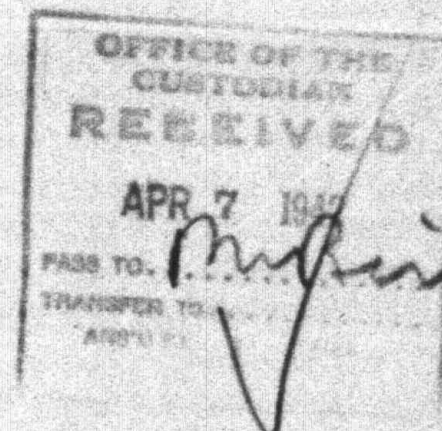
Policy No. 43038 - Tokairin, Ukei
Born 21/5/76 - Sekimoto-mura, Japan
c/o Terminal Lumber & Fuel Co.
Foot of Commercial Drive - Vancouver, B.C.

The above named has requested a cheque for the surrender value of his policy. Will you please advise whether it will be in order for us to issue this cheque.

Yours very truly,

[Signature]
Treasurer.

JAT:EH.



CANADA

DEPARTMENT OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE

OFFICE OF THE CUSTODIAN

RECEIVED ALL
COMMUNICATIONS
TO THE
DEPARTMENT'S OFFICE

PLEASE REFER
TO

FILE NO. 18744

Legal Section

FXAB/P

Victoria Building,
7 O'Connor Street,
Ottawa, Ontario,
April 15th, 1942.

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Dear Sir:- re Policy No. 43038 - Tokairin, Ukei

I enclose herewith the original of a letter dated April the 8th, 1942, sent to us by the Montreal Life Insurance Company.

As this matter had never been reported, I have advised the Company that this policy should be reported to you on Form "D" and that they should hold payment of the cash surrender value until they hear from you.

Yours truly,

F. X. A. Biron
(F. X. A. Biron)

For Assistant Deputy Custodian

G.W. McPherson, Esq.,
501 Royal Bank Building,
Vancouver, B.C.

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501 Royal Bank Bldg.,
Vancouver, B. C.
April 16, 1942.

Montreal Life Insurance Co.,
P.O. Box 50,
Station B,
Montreal, Que.

Dear Sirs:

Re: Ukei Tokairin.

Your letter dated April 6th, addressed to the
Custodian of Enemy Property, has been referred to this
office for attention.

Before replying definitely to your letter,
would you be kind enough to complete Form "D" and let
us have it as soon as possible.

Your courteous co-operation in this matter
will be greatly appreciated.

Yours faithfully,

Edgar T. Read.
(For C. W. McPherson)
Authorized Deputy of the Secretary
of State and/or Custodian.

ETR:MS

ARTHUR P. EARLE
PRESIDENT

MONTREAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY

HEAD OFFICE:
MONTREAL, QUE.

B. C. BRANCH:
614 WEST PENDER STREET
VANCOUVER

CYRIL GARDNER-SMITH,
PROVINCIAL MANAGER

PHONE PACIFIC 7387

April 25, 1942.

OFFICE OF THE CUSTODIAN
JAPANESE SECTION

RECEIVED
APR 27 1942

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

Dear Sir:

Attention Mr. C. L. Drewry
Re Hideo Tokairin, and Uhei
Tokairin of 622 E. Cordova St.

We have received application from
Hideo Tokairin for the cash surrender value of his
Policy No. 43,038 with us, in the amount of approx-
imately \$250.00.

On requesting cheque for this from
our Head Office in Montreal, they referred the matter
to the Government in Ottawa, who advised them to with-
hold payment until we had referred the matter to you
and obtained your approval. This man is very anxious
to obtain settlement of the policy, which matures in
September 1943 in any case, and we would appreciate it
if you would give us permission to pay this money out
to him.

The beneficiary under the policy
is Uhei Tokairin, his father, who we believe has turned
over to you a list of his assets and liabilities. Our
cheque, of course, would be made payable to both Hideo
and his father.

Very truly yours,

Mary E. Blum

Cashier.

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Legal Section.

501 Royal Bank Bldg.,
Vancouver, B.C.,
April 28, 1942.

The Montreal Life Insurance Company,
Montreal.

Dear Sirs:

Ule,

Re: Ukri Tokairin.

In reply to your letter of the
23rd instant, we have no copies of Form
"D" here in this office, but these can
be obtained if you will write to the
Secretary of the Canadian Life Officer's
Association.

Yours faithfully,

Edgar T. Read,
for G.W. McPherson,
Authorized Deputy of the Secretary
of State and/or Custodian.

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ARTHUR P. EARLE
PRESIDENT

MONTREAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY

HEAD OFFICE:
MONTREAL, QUE.

B.C. BRANCH:
614 WEST PENDER STREET
VANCOUVER
PHONE PACIFIC 7367

CYRIL GARDNER-SMITH,
PROVINCIAL MANAGER

OFFICE OF THE CUSTODIAN
JAPANESE SECTION
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MAY 6 1942
RUSSELL A. HICKS,
ASSISTANT MANAGER

May 5, 1942.

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

Dear Sir:

Attention Mr. C. L. Drewry
Re Hideo Tokairin, and Uhei
Tokairin of 622 E. Cordova

On the 25th of April we wrote
you in the above connection asking for your authority
to pay out to the above mentioned the cash value
of Policy No. 43,038. We would appreciate it if
you would advise us when we may expect to receive
this permission.

Very truly yours,

M. E. S. S. S. S. S.

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Cashier.

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May 14, 1942

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The Montreal Life Insurance Company,
614 West Pender Street,
Vancouver, B. C.

Dear Sirs:

Thank you for your letters dated April 25th and May 5th regarding Hideo Tokairin and Uhei Tokairin. Please accept our apologies for our delay in replying.

The Custodian does not object to your paying the cash surrender value of the policy in question to the Japanese individuals involved.

Yours truly,

R. P. Alexander,
Assistant Manager.

RPA/PMH

Files Nos. 11186, 10815 & 8457

16th November, 1942.

REPLY - FILE

Re: Terminal Lumber & Fuel Company

Mr. Damore, File 11186, declares that he and Mr. Hideo Tokairin, File 10815 and Mr. Ichiro Tokairin, File 8457, are jointly liable for the payment of the following trade debts:

Y. Tokairin	\$700.00
S. Harukuni	75.00
Olson	150.00
(Sawmills Machine Co.	
(Lumber Saw Co.	900.00

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C O P Y.

HAMILTON READ & PATERSON.

470 Granville Street,
Vancouver, B.C.
November 23, 1942.

The Manager,
Japanese Evacuation Section,
Office of the Custodian,
506 Royal Bank Building
VANCOUVER B.C.

Dear Sir:

Re: Your file No. 11188
Re: Terminal Lumber & Fuel Company

Our client, Mr. C.T. F. Coy, has requested us to reply to your letter to him of the 16th instant and to furnish you with particulars of the transaction between himself and Terminal Lumber & Fuel Company as follows:-

1. By Indenture of Chattel Mortgage dated the 17th day of October 1941 Masaki Yamamura and Ichizo Tokairin and Harold H. Takairin granted and assigned the goods and chattels mentioned in the Chattel Mortgage to Mr. Coy to secure payment of the sum of \$5000.00 with interest as mentioned in the Chattel Mortgage, subject however to a proviso for redemption on payment of said sum of \$5000.00 and interest.

2. Mr. Coy, from time to time, advanced further moneys to Terminal Lumber & Fuel Company and these were secured by the said Indenture of Chattel Mortgage. As at the 28th day of February 1942 the amount owing by Terminal Lumber & Fuel Company to Mr. Coy exceeded \$7000.00. Mr. Coy was then requesting payment of the amount.

3. On the 28th February 1942, and in order to prevent any foreclosure proceedings, and probably to obtain a release of the personal liability on the part of the three Japanese to Mr. Coy, the Japanese offered to give to Mr. Coy a Bill of Sale of the said goods and chattels if Mr. Coy would give a Release to them of all his claims against them under the Chattel Mortgage. Mr. Coy discussed this matter with us and we pointed out to him the following:-

(a) He had the right to look to and recover from the three Japanese all moneys owing to him under the Chattel Mortgage.

(b) He had the right to look to his security, being said goods and chattels, for payment as well as retaining his rights against the three Japanese.

(c) The necessary proceedings would be either by foreclosure or by sale.

4. After the matter had been thoroughly canvassed by Mr. Coy and the writer, Mr. Coy decided to accept a Bill of Sale and give the Release and accordingly we prepared a Bill of Sale from the three Japanese and from Terminal Lumber & Fuel Company to Mr. Coy and the same was executed on the 28th February 1942 and registered in the County Court at Vancouver under Number 51663.

5. Mr. Coy entered into possession of the said goods and personal chattels on the 28th February 1942 and has been in possession of the same since then.

6. The three Japanese have no interest whatsoever in the said goods and chattels and the same are the sold property of Mr. Coy.

7. The premises, on which the goods and chattels (mill) are situate, are under the management of the Canadian Bank of Commerce as agents for the owner and the Canadian Bank of Commerce entered into a tenancy agreement with Mr. Coy in March 1942 and Mr. Coy has since that date paid the rent under the terms of the agreement for tenancy.

8. Mr. Coy informs us that the goods and chattels were not in February 1942 and are not now of a value in excess of \$5000.00 and we have been informed by mill men that the mill is not of a value anything like \$5000.00 and moreover it will require a considerable sum of money to be expended in order at the present time to put the mill in first class running order.

We now refer to the words - "now given over to Mr. Coy". No doubt the Japanese intended to mean that the mill had been transferred to Mr. Coy, which was of course a fact, but if the Japanese by said words meant that they had an interest in the mill, then the same is not a fact.

Yours truly

HAMILTON READ & PATERSON

Per

"Hamilton Read"

HR:MP

Files #11188, 10818 & 2457 - original in 11188)

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25th November, 1942.

Messrs. Hamilton Read & Paterson,
Barristers & Solicitors,
470 Granville St.,
Vancouver, B.C.

Dear Sirs:

re: Terminal Lumber & Fuel Co.

Thank you very much for your letter dated November 23rd in connection with the company mentioned above, in which you have dealt clearly with the steps under which the three individuals of the Japanese race mentioned in your letter obtained release of personal liability in exchange for Bill of Sale granted by them to Mr. Coy covering goods and chattels on which Mr. Coy held a chattel mortgage.

We are pleased to have your letter on file, as it will be of very great assistance if and when any of the three Japanese individuals claim any interest in the mill.

Yours truly,

R. P. Alexander,
Manager.

RPA:GF

HAMILTON READ & PATERSON

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1011-1014 Rogers Building,
470 Granville Street,
Vancouver, B. C.

November 26, 1942.

R. P. Alexander, Esq.,
Japanese Evacuation Section,
506 Royal Bank Building,
Vancouver, B. C.

Dear Sir:

Re: Terminal Lumber & Fuel Co.
Re: Your files 11188-10818-2457

We have to acknowledge receipt of your letter
of the 25th instant.

If and when any of the three Japanese individuals do make any claim to you in respect of an alleged interest in the mill, we shall be pleased to hear from you as our client might take the view that if the Japanese wish to be restored to their original position, he would be willing to accede to their wishes and so have restored to him their liability to him for a sum far in excess of the value of the mill and machinery.

Yours truly,

HAMILTON READ & PATERSON

per

"Hamilton Read"

HR/GAP

8457, 10818,
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2nd December, 1942.

Mr. Ichiso TOKAIRIN,
Registration No. 07682,
Blind Bay, B. C.

Dear Sir:

Thank you very much for your letter dated November 24th.

We have a record on file of the documents under which you and Mr. Hideo Tokairin and Mr. Masaki Yamamura obtained release of personal liability in exchange for Bill of Sale granted by all three of you to Mr. Coy covering goods and chattels (which previously belonged to the Terminal Lumber & Fuel Company) on which Mr. Coy held a chattel mortgage, relative documents having been executed on February 28th, 1942 and registered in the County Court at Vancouver under No. 51663.

When Mr. Hideo Tokairin registered his assets with us on June 17th he made no mention of his liability covering any obligations. We have, however, a record on file indicating that Mr. Hideo Tokairin received certain funds from the Montreal Life Insurance Company.

When Mr. Masaki Yamamura registered his assets with us on July 7th, 1942 he declared that all three of you gentlemen were equally responsible for payment of the following four obligations:

Y. Tokairin	\$700.00
S. Murakami	75.00
Oikawa	150.00
(Dominion Machine Co.	
(Atkins Saw Co.	900.00

When you registered your assets with us you made no mention of any of the obligations in question but your letter now indicates that the first sum amounting to \$700.00 is payable to you as successor to the late Mr. Uhei Tokairin. Please advise whether or not Letters of Administration were obtained for your late father.

Your letter indicates that the second item of \$75.00 is payable to a Mr. S. Murakami, and the third item of \$150.00 is payable to Mr. Oikawa. Kindly provide us with the full names and addresses last known to you of the two individuals in question.

COPY

December 7, 1942.

Mr. R. P. Alexander,
The Custodian's Office,
Department of the Secretary of State of Canada,
Vancouver, B.C.

Dear Sir:

Re: Terminal Lumber & Fuel Co.
File No. 8457, 10818, 11188

I have received your letter of the 2nd instant and have noted how everything is registered with you.

I had mentioned in my letter of November 24, that the sum of \$700.00 owing to Mr. Uhei Tokairin was payable to me being his eldest son and successor. You have asked me for a Letter of Administration. This I did not obtain as he had passed away all of a sudden. However, as it is customary among the Japanese that the eldest son takes responsible after his parent's death, and moreover, my mother, Den Tokairin, whom I am now looking after is still living, I think I am entitled to take responsible for collecting the sum of \$700.00 which formerly belonged to my father, Uhei Tokairin.

I have listed the name and the address of the two gentlemen to whom we owe some money. The first gentleman to whom we owe \$75.00 is Mr. Suyeki Murakami who formerly resided at 1522 West 3rd Avenue, Vancouver, B.C. The other gentleman to whom we owe \$150.00 is Mr. Oikawa, but I do not know his name. He formerly resided at the Corner of Clarke Drive and Powell Street in Vancouver.

We three, Masaki Yamamura, Hideo Tokairin, my brother, and myself, were evacuated from the Coast without any money or assets. I, myself, have a large family and am even worried how I could get by this winter. I think Mr. Yamamura is in the same position and also my brother, Hideo Tokairin, which I know for a fact. So I am sure that we are in no position to take any steps towards meeting the claim in the present situation.

Yours very truly,

I. Tokairin (Registration #07682)

(signed) I. Tokairin

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January 19th, 1943.

Mr. Sueki MURAKAMI,
Registration No. 01798,
Box Denver, B.C.

Dear Sir:

It appears from our records that the Terminal Lumber and Fuel Company, Foot of Commercial Drive, owes, or did owe, to you \$75.00. In order to complete our information in regard to this we shall be obliged if you will let us know if this amount is correct.

An early reply is requested.

Yours truly,

A. McAllister,
Claims Department.



January 23, 1943.

MEMORANDUM - MR. K. W. WRIGHT

Thank you very much for your memorandum dated January 19th in connection with the unauthorized occupation of Crown Lands at Blind Bay by certain individuals of the Japanese race.

Mr. Ichizo TOKAIRIN, Police Registration No. 07682, dealt with under Evacuee File No. 8457, age about 40, and Mr. Hideo TOKAIRIN, dealt with under Evacuee File No. 10818, and Mr. Masaki YAMAMURA, dealt with under Evacuee File No. 11138, previously operated the Terminal Lumber & Fuel Company at the foot of Commercial Drive in Vancouver.

All three of these individuals obtained release of personal liability in exchange for bill of sale granted by them to Mr. Coy covering goods and chattels (which previously belonged to the Terminal Lumber & Fuel Company) on which Mr. Coy held a chattel mortgage. Relative documents were executed on February 28, 1942, and registered at the County Court of Vancouver under No. 51665. The solicitors for Mr. Coy were Messrs. Hamilton Read & Paterson.

We have a number of claims on file and it is our understanding that the three individuals mentioned above are jointly and severally liable for payment of \$150.00 due to Mr. Oikawa; \$75.00 due to Mr. S. Murakami; \$900.00 due to the Dominion Machine Company and Atkins Saw Company; and \$700.00 to the Estate of the late Mr. Uhei Tokairin.

Additionally, we have on file a number of personal claims against each of the three men consisting of doctor's bills and other obligations.

On December 7, 1942, Mr. Ichizo Tokairin declared that he, his brother Hideo Tokairin, Mr. Masaki Yamamura and other family members had been evacuated from the Coast without any money or assets and that they saw no possibility of taking any steps towards meeting their financial obligations.

Consequently, I was very interested to observe copy of letter dated September 9, 1942 from the Forest Ranger in Salmon Arm to the District Forester in Kamloops that these same people apparently are again in the timber business and have installed improvements valued at \$1800.00 and have erected a saw mill containing equipment valued in excess of \$2000.00.

THE CUSTODIAN
DEPARTMENT OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE
VICTORIA BLDG., 7 O'CONNOR STREET
OTTAWA, CANADA

THE CUSTODIAN
REGULATIONS RESPECTING
TRADING WITH THE ENEMY (1939)

FORM "D"

Ref. No. Insurance
From the Company
Date of Discovery.

Particulars of Life Insurance Policies and Annuity Contracts on Life of an Enemy

N.B. Separate forms should be used for each policy
or annuity contract for each "enemy"

Policy No. 43038

Life Insured

- Name Hideo Tokairin
Born August 9, 1919
Address c/o Terminal Lumber & Fuel Co.
Foot of Commercial Drive, Vancouver B.C.

Owner - if third
party insurance

- Name Uhei Tokairin
Address c/o Terminal Lumber & Fuel Co.,
Foot of Commercial Drive, Vancouver B. C.

Beneficiaries

- Names
Addresses
Relationship to
Life Insured

Record of Current Assignments
(other than to company for
policy loan)

- give names and addresses -

Date of Policy (i.e., due date of first
regular premium) September 1, 1930

Plan of Policy 13 Year Endowment - Child "B"

Sum Assured or
Amount of Annuity \$1000.00

Premium - Amount \$46.68
How Payable Semi-annually
Due Dates March 1st and September 1st

Policy Loans (automatic or otherwise) Automatic Loan & Interest \$49.63
Policy loan & interest 697.87
Approximate Cash Value, if any, including
dividends, after deducting all policy
indebtedness \$132.85

Nature of Automatic Non-forfeiture
Provision Premium Loan

Approximate Cancellation Date under
Automatic Non-forfeiture Carries to Maturity

Special Notes:

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Japanese Camp,
New Denver, B. C.
Jan. 26, 1943.

Dear Sir:

After receiving the letter which you sent
me we agree that this amount, \$75.00 was lent to Terminal
Lumber and Fuel Company, foot of Commercial Drive. Therefore,
I would like to make an inquiry for it if possible.

Yours truly,

(Signed) S. Murakami

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New Denver, B.C.
Jan. 30, 1943.

The Custodian,
Royal Bank Building,
Vancouver, B.C.

Dear Sir:

Re Masaki Yamamura
File No. 11188
4632 A.

In answer to yours, I wish to state that the amount is \$95.00, and is for services rendered workmen at the Terminal Wood owned by Mr. M. Yamamura.

Hoping this will answer yours in full.

Yours truly,
(signed) Dr. M. Uchida.

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Dr. M. Uchida
7.12.43

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January 30th, 1943.

Mr. Naota OIKAWA,
Registration No. 04760,
Tashme, B.C.

Dear Sir:

We shall be obliged if you will let us know
if you have any claim against the Terminal Lumber and
Fuel Company, Foot of Commercial Drive, Vancouver, and
if so, what amount, and the particulars of the claim.

Awaiting an early response, we remain,

Yours truly,

A. McAllister,
Claims Department.

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IT:KK

Blind Bay, B. C.,
February 16, 1943.

B. C. Security Commission,
Marine Building,
Vancouver, B. C.

Sirs:

I, Ichiso Tokairin, #07682, had been employed as a Foreman by Squilax Lumber Mills Limited, since May to January 8, 1943. Since the 8th of January he layed me off saying that I was not satisfactory. I have not received the whole of my salary so I have enclosed herewith my statement showing what is coming to me. If you require any further detail I shall be glad to send it as soon as you instruct me.

I have a large grocery bill at a store but unless I receive my salary I will not be able to pay it. I often write to Mr. Coy regarding this, but I do not get any reply. I am in a very awkward position and am not able to do anything. So I would appreciate it if you would investigate into this matter and settle this for me. Besides my salary, I have a car, 1941 Dodge Sedan, License #75543, Serial #9678597. (This is my private owned car which I bought from Curtis Motors in May, 1941, for the sum of \$1450.70. I paid \$850.70 on it until my evacuation in May 1942. When the law came out that no Japanese can own a car in the Coastal Area, my brother, Harold Hideo Tokairin, my friend, Masaki Yamamura, and I, all transferred our cars to Mr. Coy's name in order to sell it. In two or three months time my brother and Mr. Yamamura both found a buyer for their car, so Mr. Coy sold it for them, deducted the expenses, and gave them the balance. I also had a chance to sell my car, but at that time I was all prepared to come out here and I needed the car, so Mr. Coy drove it up for me. As soon as I arrived here, we were going to have it transferred back, but Mr. Coy said that the Japanese in the interior might get their cars taken away so it was better to leave it in his name. At that time I got this Foreman job at the above Company and I needed the car to do this work. It was still in his name until October, 1942, and had been used for mill purposes and serving as an ambulance, etc. I ran out of gasoline coupons in October, so Mr. Coy transferred my car to Squilax Lumber Mills Ltd. in order to get a preferred rating. I have not signed any Bill of Sale on my car to Mr. Coy, or signed anything giving him the authority to put it in the Company Asset. The car was just as if loaned to the Company. Since I was employed at the Company, I presume Mr. Coy had been making the payments on my car out of my salary. I have shown this on my statement deducting from my salary.

I have work in this district but unless I clean up the store bill I will not be able to start. So again, I appreciate very much if you would settle my salary and have my car transferred back to my name.

Yours very truly,

(Sgd) I. Tokairin.

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March 26, 1943.

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The Custodian of Enemy Property,
Claims Department,
675 W. Hastings Street,
Vancouver, B.C.

Dear Sir,

Further to our conversation by telephone re an outstanding account of Terminal Lumber Company, ft. of Commercial Drive, we are enclosing a copy of the last four invoices of goods purchased by them and a detailed statement covering the same.

As they kept a running account with us and made payments as they could we cannot supply an invoice to cover the outstanding balance of (\$11.40) eleven dollars and forty cents

However the enclosed should provide you with sufficient information and any efforts you may make in our behalf will be very much appreciated.

Yours very truly,

Williams and Mackie
for the former Williams Stationery Co.

(ms) *B. M. Williams*

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April 26, 1943.

Mr. C. T. Coy,
325 Howe Street,
Vancouver, B. C.

Dear Sir:

Re: Terminal Lumber and Fuel Company

We enclose copy of letter dated April 3rd which we received from Mr. Ichiso Tokairin in reply to a letter of ours dated the 26th of January, 1943, which letter enumerated the following claims on our files against the Terminal Lumber and Fuel Company:

Uhei TOKAIRIN (Deceased)
Sueki NURAMAE
SEIARA
B.C. Conveying Machinery Co.
B. C. Junk Company
Kenji YAMAMURA
Shurley-Deitrich-Atkins Co.
Dominion Machinery Co.
Fleishman & Seagher
Workmen's Compensation Board

We would refer you in particular to the third paragraph of Mr. Tokairin's letter wherein he states that you ^{advised you} had paid the amounts owing to the Dominion Machinery Company and the Workmen's Compensation Board. We would also draw your attention to the latter part of the second paragraph of the above letter, in which Mr. Tokairin states that when the Bill of Sale was signed in connection with the Terminal Lumber and Fuel Company, you agreed to pay off all debts owed by the three Japanese partners, viz., Ichiso Tokairin, Eideo Tokairin, and Masaki Yamamura.

Your comments at large on the attached letter and especially relating to the two points mentioned above will be appreciated.

Yours truly,

P. Douet,
Administration Department

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8457, 11186,
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May 8, 1943.

Messrs. Hamilton Read & Paterson,
Barristers and Solicitors,
470 Granville Street,
Vancouver, B. C.

Dear Sirs:

Re: Terminal Lumber & Fuel Company

Thank you for the information contained in your letter dated April 28th. We are forwarding a copy of your letter to Mr. Ichiso Tokairin so that he may clearly understand the views held by your client, Mr. Coy, in connection with the assertions made by Mr. Ichiso Tokairin.

The B. C. Security Commission have now forwarded to us copy of a letter to them dated February 16th from Mr. Ichiso Tokairin of which you will find a copy attached and in connection with which Mr. Coy will, no doubt, desire to make suitable comment either directly or through his solicitors.

May we thank you in conclusion for the pains you have taken to date in providing this office with detailed comments in connection with the affairs of Mr. Coy and the three Japanese partners in their mutual connections with the Terminal Lumber and Fuel Company.

Yours truly,

R. P. Alexander,
Manager.

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Enc.

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May 8, 1943.

Mr. Ichio TOKAIREN,
Registration No. 07682,
Blind Bay, B. C.

Dear Sir:

Re: Terminal Lumber & Fuel Company

Upon receipt of your letter dated April 3rd we forwarded a copy of your letter to Mr. Coy. Mr. Coy referred your letter to his solicitors, Messrs. Hamilton Reid & Paterson, from whom we have received a long letter of explanation.

Attached you will find a copy of the entire letter which will, we trust, make entirely clear to you the stand taken by Mr. Coy in connection with all of the points raised by you.

If any of the statements made by Mr. Coy's solicitors are not entirely clear to you, or if you disagree with the correctness of any of the statements made by Mr. Coy's solicitors, please send us complete particulars accompanied by documentary evidence, wherever available, in support of the contention you may have.

In a previous letter you indicated that both your brother and Mr. Yammura had sold their cars, from which we assume that they received sales proceeds. We note, however, that both your brother and Mr. Yammura have apparently failed to forward any money to the Custodian to aid in settlement of the obligations of the Terminal Lumber & Fuel Company for which all three of you are jointly and severally liable, and regarding which full particulars of the claims involved are in their possession, such as the claim of the Workmen's Compensation Board, the Dominion Machinery Company, etc.

Yours truly,

R. F. Alexander,
Manager.

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May 13, 1943.

Messrs. Hamilton Read & Paterson,
Barristers and Solicitors,
470 Granville Street,
Vancouver, B. C.

Dear Sirs:

Met. Terminal Lumber & Fuel Company

Please accept our thanks for your detailed letter dated May 10th. We agree with you entirely that altogether too much time and expense is being incurred in connection with the statements being issued by Mr. Ichise Tokairin and we are, therefore, forwarding a copy of your letter to Mr. Tokairin and are suggesting to him that any subsequent statements he wishes to issue should be made under oath.

Yours truly,

R. P. Alexander,
Manager.

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HAMILTON HEAD & PATRICK
Barristers and Solicitors
470 Granville Street
Vancouver, B. C.

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May 10, 1943.

R. P. Alexander, Esq.,
Japanese Evacuation Section,
506 Royal Bank Building,
Vancouver, B. C.

Dear Sir:

Re: Terminal Lumber & Fuel Company
Your files 8457, 11168 and 10818

We have to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 8th instant enclosing copy of letter of 16th February 1943 from I. Tokairin to the B. C. Security Commission. We have seen our client, Mr. Coy, in reference to such copy letter and he instructs us to reply to same on his behalf as follows:-

1. I. Tokairin was not employed as foreman by Squilax Lumber Mills Limited "since May to January 1943" nor at any other time.
2. Squilax Lumber Mills Limited was not incorporated until June 1943.
3. Tokairin was not laid off in January 1943. Tokairin had a cutting contract to cut the logs which were purchased by Mr. Coy and when he failed to carry out his contract to cut, Tokairin voluntarily quit.
4. Tokairin was not employed at a salary, but simply had a cutting contract to cut the logs and deliver the lumber on cars at Hetchill Station, C.P.R. The price was \$6.50 per M³. The contract price was based on cutting logs at \$5.00 per M³ and \$1.50 for hauling. Tokairin hired one F. Kobayashi to haul the lumber. I. Tokairin hired his own labour and Mr. Coy had nothing to do with the labour but was only concerned with receiving the output of the mill under the contract.
5. Mr. Coy stated that the first word he ever heard of any payroll being payable to I. Tokairin was a letter of the 15th February 1943 received by Mr. Coy from Tokairin in which he refers to a letter of the 8th February 1943 and which letter requests payment by Mr. Coy of \$427.48 salary and also requests his (Tokairin's) 1941 Dodge Sedan. By letter of the 19th February 1943 in reply to Tokairin's letter of 8th February 1943, Mr. Coy acknowledged the receipt of a statement showing \$427.48, two sheets of account, four statements showing a debit of \$66.65 and a statement with a concluding figure of \$2426.66. Mr. Coy in reply stated as follows:
 - (a) Tokairin was not employed by him as foreman or in any capacity.
 - (b) Tokairin entered into a contract to cut lumber

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- (c) Mr. Coy had nothing to do with the supplies purchased by Tokairin to carry on his operations under the cutting contract.
- (d) Mr. Coy permitted Mr. Tokairin to use the Dodge car for the purpose of carrying on the mill operations and he, Mr. Coy, had nothing to do with the purchase by Tokairin of gasoline, oil, etc.
- (e) Mr. Coy had nothing to do with moneys borrowed by Tokairin, for Tokairin to carry on his operations.

Mr. Coy did not receive a reply to the said letter of the 19th February 1943 and by letter of February 25th 1943 from Mr. Coy to Tokairin, Mr. Coy sent a statement of the account as between himself and Tokairin containing credits and debits and in said letter Mr. Coy dealt with the logs purchased by him and delivered to Tokairin for cutting. The letter of the 25th February 1943 from Mr. Coy is a very long one but you can be supplied with a copy if you desire. The letter deals at length with regard to the Dodge sedan and refers to Chattel Mortgage of the 17th October 1941. Mr. Coy states that he did not receive a reply to the letter and has never heard one word from Tokairin since.

We now continue and deal with the balance of the letter of the 16th February 1943 from Tokairin to the B. C. Security Commission and state as follows:-

- 6. Mr. Coy understands that I. Tokairin does owe a grocery bill but Mr. Coy is not concerned with the debts of I. Tokairin.
- 7. Mr. Coy has not received any further letters from Tokairin and it is untrue to say that he has.
- 8. Re 1941 Dodge Sedan: As our client dealt with this car in his letter to Tokairin of the 25th February 1943, we think we cannot do better than to quote an extract from such letter and the same is as follows:-

"With regard to the Dodge Automobile you will remember that in February 1942 I held a chattel mortgage dated 17th October 1941 of the mill machinery and equipment belonging to you and your partners. You and your two partners then offered to give me a bill of sale of the mill machinery equipment and of the Dodge automobile, Pontiac Coupe and Ford Tudor if I would give you and your two partners a release of my claims under the Chattel mortgage. You will remember that instructions were given to my solicitors, Messrs. Hamilton Read & Paterson to prepare the necessary document and that on the 28th February 1942 a bill of sale was executed by you and your two partners of the mill machinery and equipment and of the said three automobiles. The automobiles are shown as subject to respective Conditional Sale Agreements. It was always in my contemplation that upon payment by you of the moneys paid to me under the respective Conditional Sale Agreements and any expenses I was put to, I would on repayment of such amounts either by you or your two partners give to each of you a bill of sale of the respective cars and it is upon this account

May 10, 1943.

that I have charged you up with the instalments and expenses as shown in the enclosed account. On payment to me in cash of moneys I have expended as shown in the account I shall be only too pleased to give you a bill of sale of the Dodge car but unless and until you do pay me such moneys I consider I am the owner of the car."

The foregoing extract should dispose of the question of the car.

In regard to the two cars of Hideo Tokairin and Masaki Yamamura, you will observe that the matter of these two cars are dealt with in the above extract from the letter of the 25th February 1943 from Mr. Coy to Tokairin. Mr. Coy states that he found purchasers for the two cars of H. H. Tokairin and H. Yamamura and transferred the same and took a loss on the Yamamura car but received a small balance in respect of the H. H. Tokairin car and this balance was actually paid over to H. H. Tokairin.

9. It is true that Mr. Coy drove the said car of I. Tokairin to the mill but it was driven by him on his own account and certainly was not driven to the mill for use by Tokairin except in connection with the business of the mill. There never was any question of transferring the car back to I. Tokairin and it was never suggested. Mr. Coy states that it is absolutely untrue that he ever told I. Tokairin or anyone that the cars might be taken away from him and that it was better to leave the cars in his name.

10. I Tokairin was not foreman for the Company and in fact was never employed as foreman or in any other capacity by the Company. It is true that I. Tokairin had permission to drive the car until January 9 1943 when Mr. Coy took the car from him and he then authorized P. Kobayashi who then had a cutting contract with Squilax Lumber Mills, Limited to use the car but on no account to allow the car to be used by I. Tokairin. It is true that Mr. Coy transferred the car in question to Squilax Lumber Mills Limited as otherwise and in view of the fact that Mr. Coy had another car, a preferred rating would not have been given for the gasoline to be used to drive the Dodge car.

11. With regard to the statement by I. Tokairin that he has not signed any bill of sale of the car in question, we have in this office a bill of sale of the cars mentioned duly executed by I. Tokairin, H. H. Tokairin and H. Yamamura. The car was not in any sense of the word loaned by I. Tokairin to the Company and was in fact the property of Mr. Coy. Again I. Tokairin was never at any time employed by the Company. Mr. Coy states that he has made the payments on the car in question under the conditional sale agreement. It is useless for I. Tokairin to give credit on his statement for moneys paid in respect of the car. The only credit that I. Tokairin can give on his account, is a credit for cutting and delivering lumber at \$6.50 per M'. Mr. Coy's account sent to I. Tokairin shows clearly the payment of the moneys under the Conditional Sale Agreement. Mr. Coy's account shows a debit against I. Tokairin of \$2623.63.

Mr. Coy states that he has been credibly informed that I. Tokairin has been running this car around and eventually the Police stopped him as he was running the car with two flat tires and Tokairin was warned by the Police not to drive the car on the road.

R. P. Alexander, Esq.

May 10, 1943.

We have written you at great length. We have answered all your former letters and given the fullest particulars possible and needless to say our client's file and our files are open to you at any time and a perusal of such files we feel sure will inform you fully of all matters in relation to I. Tokairin. May we suggest that before our client is put to any more trouble and annoyance in connection with this Japanese, the Japanese should be required to make a statement under oath by such document as will in his opinion support such statements.

It seems to us that the sooner I. Tokairin is "pinned down" to some concrete statement under oath the better for our client and certainly for us, as neither our client nor we have time to answer the repeated untrue statements made by I. Tokairin.

Yours truly,

HAMILTON READ & PATTERSON

PER "Hamilton Read"

HR/CAP

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May 13, 1943.

Mr. Ichio TOKAHEE,
Registration No. 07682,
Blind Bay, B. C.

Dear Sir:

Attached you will find copy of a letter to us dated May 10th from Messrs. Hamilton Head & Peterson, solicitors for Mr. Coy, which will, we trust, be entirely self-explanatory, and which will, we hope, go a long way towards clearing up the misunderstandings you have been having and your partners have been having with Mr. Coy.

Your attention is drawn to the second to the last paragraph of the letter from Messrs. Hamilton Head & Peterson and we request that you be guided accordingly.

Yours truly,

R. P. Alexander,
Manager.

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For File No. 10818

THE WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION BOARD

Vancouver.

October 26, 1943.

Mr. G. W. McPherson, Custodian,
Japanese Evacuee Section,
507 Royal Bank Building,
Vancouver, B.C.

Dear Sir:-

Re: Masaki Yamamura, Harold H. Tokai &
Ichizo Tokai; Terminal Lumber & Fuel Co.,
Vancouver, B.C. Firm #23774-1

On April 30th 1942 we filed a claim with you against the above named in the amount of \$237.31. Information is on hand which warrants refiling the claim in the amount of \$274.96 and we are enclosing Medical Aid and Assessment Notices showing how this amount is made up.

We would call your attention to the fact that the amount due is a Crown Debt and is given priority on the assets of the Debtor under Section 47 of the Workmen's Compensation Act.

Trusting that we will shortly receive a cheque in settlement.

Yours truly,
THE WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION BOARD

(signed) A. H. Bain

Legal Department

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For File 10818

THE WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION BOARD

Vancouver, B.C.

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April 10, 1942

Masaki Yamamura, H.H. Tokai & Ichyo Tokai,
Terminal Lumber & Fuel Co.,
Ft. of Commercial Dr.,
Vancouver, B.C.

Due

April 20, 1942

ADJUSTMENT OF ASSESSMENT FOR THE YEAR 1941

	Sawmill Class		Medical Aid Dues (Total No. of Days or Parts of Days worked)
Pay Roll	10,310.56		
Proportion of Payroll	10,310.56	Forward	124.29
Assessed	3.60	Penalties	6.90
Basic Rate		accrued	
			\$131.19
Net Assessment	371.18		
Add 1/10	37.12		36.20
	408.30		
Amount Paid	40.83		
Overpaid	367.47		
	288.00		
Overpaid	79.47		
Underpaid			36.20
Penalties on 64.80	5.18		3.44
	84.65		39.64

Overpayment to be credited on your assessment for the year

Amount due from Employer to be paid on or before April 20, 1942 - \$124.29

The amount shown as due from the Employer is assessed by the Board in pursuance of the "Workmen's Compensation Act." The amount thereof is payable at the Board's Offices, Vancouver, British Columbia. Failure to pay when due incurs a penalty of 5% of assessment and 1% a month thereafter, until paid, also liability for the cost of all accidents to employees during default.

PLEASE RETURN THIS COPY WITH YOUR REMITTANCE

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For File No. 10818

THE WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION BOARD

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Vancouver, B.C.

Oct. 26th, 1943

Due

"FORTWITH"

MASAKI YAMAMURA, HAROLD H. TOKAI, ICHIRO TOKAI,
& CHARLES T. COY, SUCCESSOR,
TERMINAL LUMBER & FUEL CO.,
104 - 325 HOWE ST.,
VANCOUVER, B.C.

ADJUSTMENT OF ASSESSMENT FOR THE YEAR 1942.

SAWMILL
Class 1/5

MEDICAL AID DUES
(Total No. of Days
of Parts of Days
worked)

Pay Roll	3,057.36
Proportion of Payroll	3,057.36
Assessed	
Basic Rate	4.00

Net Assessment	122.30
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Overpaid	
Underpaid	122.30
Penalties on 105.08	11.56
	133.86

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Overpayment to be credited on your assessment for the year

Amount due from Employer to be paid	"FORTWITH"	\$143.77
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The amount shown as due from the Employer is assessed by the Board in pursuance of the "Workmen's Compensation Act." The amount thereof is payable at the Board's Offices, Vancouver, British Columbia. Failure to pay when due incurs a penalty of 5% of assessment and 1% a month thereafter, until paid, also liability for the cost of all accidents to employees during default.

PLEASE RETURN THIS COPY WITH YOUR REMITTANCE

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DOMINION OF CANADA
PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA
CITY OF VANCOUVER

TO WIT:

IN THE MATTER OF THE WORKMEN'S
COMPENSATION ACT AND IN THE MATTER
OF TERMINAL LUMBER & FUEL CO.,
Firm #23774 - 1

I, FOSTER PARKER ARCHIBALD, of the City of Vancouver, in the
Province of British Columbia, do solemnly declare:

1. That I am the Secretary of the Workmen's Compensation
Board, a Commission having its Head Office at 411 Dunsmuir Street,
in the City and Province aforesaid:

2. That there is due and owing by the said Masaki Yamamura,
Harold M. Tokai and Ichyo, trading as Terminal Lumber and Fuel
Company, to the Workmen's Compensation Board, for assessment made
under the authority of the Workmen's Compensation Act, the sum of
Two Hundred Twenty-Five Dollars and Forty-One cents (\$225.41), as
based on the audit of the payrolls of the said Terminal Lumber &
Fuel Company, and also the sum of Forty-Nine Dollars and Fifty-Five
Cents (\$49.55) due under Section 34 of the Workmen's Compensation
Act for Medical Aid, making a total due of Two Hundred Seventy-Four
Dollars and Ninety-Six Cents (\$274.96).

3. That the Board aforesaid holds no security for the said
indebtedness except that provided by the Workmen's Compensation Act.

AND I MAKE THIS SOLEMN DECLARATION conscientiously believing
it to be true and knowing that it is of the same force and effect as I
made under oath and by virtue of the Canada Evident Act.

DECLARED BEFORE ME at the
City of Vancouver, in the
Province of British Columbia,
this Twenty-Sixth day of October 1943.)

"F. P. Archibald"

"A. H. Bain"

A Commissioner for taking Affidavits
within British Columbia

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October 29th, 1943.

Mr. C. T. Coy,
325 Howe Street,
Vancouver, B.C.

Dear Sir:

re: Terminal Lbr. and Fuel Co. v.
Workmen's Compensation Board - File #23774 - 1

We are just in receipt of a letter and statements, with declaration, from the Workmen's Compensation Board setting forth a claim against the above named company for \$274.96 for the years 1941 and 1942. We enclose copy of same to you herewith.

It is noted in a letter from your attorneys, Messrs. Hamilton Read & Paterson, dated April 28th, 1943, that paragraph 9 of same says:

"It is true that our client charged the partners with an alleged debt owing to Dominion Machinery Company and also charged the partners with the amount claimed by the Workmen's Compensation Board."

We shall be glad to have your comments.

Yours truly,

B. R. Dusenbury,
Claims Department.

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November 8, 1943.

Mr. C. T. Coy,
325 Howe Street,
Vancouver, B. C.

Dear Sir:

Re: Terminal Lumber and Fuel Co.

With reference to our letter of the 29th instant, we have received a further letter dated November 1st from the Workmen's Compensation Board with regard to their receiving payment of the \$274.96 claim against the above Company.

We shall be glad to know if it is your intention to settle this claim, in view of past correspondence with yourself and your Solicitors, Messrs. Hamilton, Read & Paterson.

Yours truly,

P. Doust,
Administration Department.

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November 8, 1943.

The Workmen's Compensation Board,
411 Dunsmuir Street,
Vancouver, B. C.

Dear Sirs:

Re: Terminal Lumber & Fuel Co. -
File #23774 - 1

With reference to your letters of the 26th of October and the 1st instant relating to the above and which have been passed on to us by our Claims Department, we would advise that as the business of the Terminal Lumber and Fuel Company was taken over by a Mr. C. T. Coy, and matters relating to this business are being dealt with by Messrs. Hamilton Read & Paterson, Solicitors for Mr. Coy, the question of your claim has had to be referred back to these parties. As soon as we have any definite information for you, you will be advised.

Yours truly,

P. Douet,
Administration Department.

PD:BS

6457, 10818,
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December 7th, 1943.

Mr. C. T. Coy,
325 Howe Street,
Vancouver, B. C.

Dear Sir: Re: Terminal Lumber & Fuel Co.

With reference to our Claims Department's letter of October 29th and this Department's letter of November 8th, we regret that up to the time of writing we have had nothing from you in connection with the claim of \$274.97 by the Workmen's Compensation Board against the Terminal Lumber & Fuel Company. As we are being pressed by the Board to give them some definite information as to when payment will be made of their claim, we must ask you to kindly give this matter your prompt and careful attention.

Thanking you,

Yours truly,

P. Deuet,
Administration Department.

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10622, 8457, 11188

June 15th, 1944.

Inspector of Income Tax,
769 Hastings Street West,
Vancouver, B. C.

Dear Sir:

Re: Terminal Lumber & Fuel Co.

With reference to your letter of April 26th we regret that we have as yet nothing definite to report regarding the amount of \$72.94 owing by the Deceased to you in connection with the above, but this matter is receiving our early attention and we hope to be able to write you fully in the near future.

We must apologize for the delay that has occurred due to pressure of work in this office.

Yours truly,

P. Drost,
Administration Department.

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June 15th, 1944.

Mr. A. H. Bain,
Legal Department,
The Workmen's Compensation Board,
411 Dunsuir Street,
Vancouver, B. C.

Dear Sir:

Re: Terminal Lumber & Fuel Co.
Your Reference #23774 - 1.

With reference to your letters of April 26th and June 6th, we regret that we still have no definite information to give you regarding the possibility of the Evancee owners connected with the above being in a position to clear off the account owing to you.

The above is mainly due to heavy pressure of work in this office, but we are making a special point of going thoroughly into this matter in the very near future and will communicate with you at an early opportunity.

Apologising for the delay that has occurred,

Yours truly,

P. Donet,
Administration Department

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June 27th, 1944.

The Workmen's Compensation Board,
411 Dunsmuir Street,
Vancouver, B.C.

ATTENTION MR. A. H. BAIN

Dear Sirs:

re: Ichiso TOKAIRIN & Hideo TOKAIRIN & Masaki YAMAMURA
Trading as The Terminal Lumber and Fuel Co.
Your Firm No. 23774 - 1

On reviewing our files dealing with the above we note that you have requested certain information in regard to the possibility of your receiving payment of your claim amounting to \$274.96.

We will give you below all the information which we have on file and which might possibly assist you.

The three Japanese mentioned above, when they registered with the Custodian, showed no assets of any kind whatsoever, and as far as our files go there is nothing to disprove their statement.

With regard to the company, some months ago a small claim owing to them, and amounting to \$11.59, was remitted to this office, and that constitutes all the funds in the name of the company of which we have any knowledge. Our records show that a Mr. C.F. Coy, 325 Howe Street, Vancouver, B.C., had a Chattel Mortgage on the mill machinery belonging to the Terminal Lumber and Fuel Co., and instead of foreclosing his Chattel Mortgage he received from the partners named above a Bill of Sale, which we understand covered all the mill machinery.

For your information we might add that there ^{is} are a large number of creditors whose claims, as far as we are aware, are still unsettled.

As we have no funds and no assets belonging to the Terminal Lumber and Fuel Co. we regret that we are unable to do anything further to assist you. We are giving you below the addresses of the three partners concerned, and we have given you above Mr. Coy's address.

Ichiso TOKAIRIN,
Reg. No. 07682,
Blind Bay, B.C.

Hideo TOKAIRIN,
Reg. No. 01856,
Tashme, B.C.

Masaki YAMAMURA,
Reg. No. 07741,
Tashme, B.C.

Yours truly,

A. McAlister,
Claims Department.

AMcA:DE

10818; 8457;
11188.

June 27th, 1944.

The Inspector of Income Tax,
789 Hastings Street West,
Vancouver, B.C.

Dear Sir:

re: Ichiso TOKAIRIN & Hideo TOKAIRIN & Masaki YAMAMURA
Trading as The Terminal Lumber and Fuel Co.
Your reference 6 W.M.

On reviewing our files dealing with the above we note that you have requested certain information in regard to the possibility of your receiving payment of your claim amounting to \$72.94. We will give you below all the information which we have on file and which might possibly assist you.

The three Japanese mentioned above, when they registered with the Custodian, showed no assets of any kind whatsoever, and as far as our files go there is nothing to disprove their statement.

With regard to the company, some months ago a small claim owing to them, and amounting to \$11.59, was remitted to this office, and that constitutes all the funds in the name of the company of which we have any knowledge. Our records show that a Mr. C.F. Coy, 325 Howe Street, Vancouver, B.C., had a Chattel Mortgage on the mill machinery belonging to the Terminal Lumber and Fuel Co., and instead of foreclosing his Chattel Mortgage he received from the partners named above a Bill of Sale, which we understand covered all the mill machinery.

For your information we might add that there ^{is} a large number of creditors whose claims, as far as we are aware, are still unsettled.

As we have no funds and no assets belonging to the Terminal Lumber and Fuel Co., we regret that we are unable to do anything further to assist you. We are giving you below the addresses of the three partners concerned, and we have given you above Mr. Coy's address.

Ichiso TOKAIRIN,
Reg. No. 07682,
Blind Bay, B.C.

Hideo TOKAIRIN,
Reg. No. 01856,
Tashme, B.C.

Masaki YAMAMURA,
Reg. No. 07741,
Tashme, B.C.

Yours truly,

A. McAlister,
Claims Department.

AMcA:DE

10818; 11188;
2306; 8497.

June 27th, 1944.

Mr. Naoto OIKAWA,
Registration No. 04760,
Tashme, B.C.

Dear Sir:

re: Ichiso TOKAIRIN & Hideo TOKAIRIN & Masaki YAMAMURA
Trading as The Terminal Lumber and Fuel Co.

With reference to your claim of \$150.00 against the above named company, we have drawn the attention of the three above parties to your claim but they have not been able, or seen fit, to do anything about it.

The only known asset of the company as far as our records in this office show is an amount of \$11.59, and there are a very large number of claims lodged against the company.

Under the circumstances we regret that we cannot do anything further to assist you in getting satisfaction of your claim. We suggest that you might contact the partners concerned with the hope of arriving at some settlement.

Their addresses are:

Ichiso TOKAIRIN,
Reg. No. 07682,
Blind Bay, B.C.

Hideo TOKAIRIN,
Reg. No. 01856,
Tashme, B.C.

Masaki YAMAMURA,
Reg. No. 07741,
Tashme, B.C.

Yours truly,

AMcA:DE

A. McAlister,
Claims Department.

457; 10812;
11188.

June 27th, 1944.

Messrs. B.C. Conveying Machinery Co.,
123 Pender Street West,
Vancouver, B.C.

Dear Sirs:

re: Ichiso TOKAIRIN & Hideo TOKAIRIN & Masaki YAMAMURA
Trading as The Terminal Lumber and Fuel Co.

With reference to your claim of \$44.76 against the above named company, we have drawn the attention of the three above parties to your claim but they have not been able, or seen fit, to do anything about it.

The only known asset of the company as far as our records in this office show is an amount of \$11.59, and there are a very large number of claims lodged against the company.

Under the circumstances we regret that we cannot do anything further to assist you in getting satisfaction of your claim. We suggest that you might contact the partners concerned with the hope of arriving at some settlement.

Their addresses are:

Ichiso TOKAIRIN,
Reg. No. 07682,
Blind Bay, B.C.

Hideo TOKAIRIN,
Reg. No. 01856,
Tashme, B.C.

Masaki YAMAMURA,
Reg. No. 07741,
Tashme, B.C.

Yours truly,

A. McAllister,
Claims Department.

AMai:DE

10818; 11188
13891; 8457

June 27th, 1944

Mr. Soshi MURAKAMI,
Registration No. 01798,
New Denver, D. C.

Dear Sir:

re: Ichise TOKAIRIN & Hideo TOKAIRIN & Masaki
YAMAMURA - Trading as The Terminal Lumber
and Fuel Company

With reference to your claim of \$75.00 against the
above named company, we have drawn the attention of the three
above parties to your claim but they have not been able, or seen
fit, to do anything about it.

The only known asset of the company as far as our records
in this office show is an amount of \$11.59, and there are a very
large number of claims lodged against the company.

Under the circumstances we regret that we cannot do any-
thing further to assist you in getting satisfaction of your claim.
We suggest that you might contact the partners concerned with the
hope of arriving at some settlement.

Their address are:

Ichise TOKAIRIN,
Reg. No. 07682,
Blind Bay, B.C.

Hideo TOKAIRIN,
Reg. No. 01856,
Tashme, B.C.

Masaki YAMAMURA,
Reg. No. 07741,
Tashme, B.C.

Yours truly,

AMCA:ED

A. McAllister,
Claims Department.

8497; 10818;
11188.

June 27th, 1944.

Messrs. B.C. Junk Co.,
135 Powell Street,
Vancouver, B.C.

Dear Sirs:

re: Ichise TOKAIRIN & Hideo TOKAIRIN & Masaki YAMAMURA
Trading as The Terminal Lumber and Fuel Co.

With reference to your claim of \$30.84 against the above named company, we have drawn the attention of the three above parties to your claim but they have not been able, or seen fit, to do anything about it.

The only known asset of the company, as far as our records in this office show, is an amount of \$11.99, and there are a very large number of claims lodged against the company.

Under the circumstances we regret that we cannot do anything further to assist you in getting satisfaction of your claim. We suggest that you might contact the partners concerned with the hope of arriving at some settlement.

Their addresses are:

Ichise TOKAIRIN,
Reg. No. 07682,
Blind Bay, B.C.

Hideo TOKAIRIN,
Reg. No. 01896,
Tashme, B.C.

Masaki YAMAMURA,
Reg. No. 07741,
Tashme, B.C.

Yours truly,

AMcA:DE

A. McAllister,
Claims Department.

8457; 10818;
7291; 11188.

June 27th, 1944.

Mr. Kenji YAMAMURA,
Registration No. 02449,
Slocum, B.C.

Dear Sir:

re: Ichizo TOKAIRIN & Hideo TOKAIRIN & Masaki YAMAMURA
Traders as The Terminal Lumber and Fuel Co.

With reference to your claim of \$175.00 against the above named company, we have drawn the attention of the three above parties to your claim but they have not been able, or seen fit, to do anything about it.

The only known asset of the company, as far as our records in this office show, is an amount of \$11.99, and there are a very large number of claims lodged against the company.

Under the circumstances we regret that we cannot do anything further to assist you in getting satisfaction of your claim. We suggest that you might contact the partners concerned with the hope of arriving at some settlement.

Their addresses are:

Ichizo TOKAIRIN,
Reg. No. 07682,
Blind Bay, B.C.

Hideo TOKAIRIN,
Reg. No. 01896,
Tashoo, B.C.

Masaki YAMAMURA,
Reg. No. 07741,
Tashoo, B.C.

Yours truly,

ALB:DE

A. Hallister,
Claims Department.

10818; 11188;
8497.

June 27th, 1944.

Messrs. Smurly-Dietrich-Atkins Co. Ltd.,
1642 Pandora Street,
Vancouver, B.C.

Dear Sirs:

re: Ichise TOKAIRIN & Hideo TOKAIRIN & Masaki YAMANURA
Trading as The Turninal Lumber and Fuel Co.

With reference to your claim of \$339.73 against the above
named company, we have drawn the attention of the three above parties
to your claim but they have not been able, or seen fit, to do anything
about it.

The only known asset of the company, as far as our records
in this office show, is an amount of \$11.99, and there are a very large
number of claims lodged against the company.

Under the circumstances we regret that we cannot do anything
further to assist you in getting satisfaction of your claim. We suggest
that you might contact the partners concerned with the hope of arriving
at some settlement.

Their addresses are:

Ichise TOKAIRIN,
Reg. No. 07682,
Blind Bay, B.C.

Hideo TOKAIRIN,
Reg. No. 01856,
Tachno, B.C.

Masaki YAMANURA,
Reg. No. 07741,
Tachno, B.C.

Yours truly,

AMeA:DE

A. Hallister,
Claims Department.

8457; 10818;
11188.

June 27th, 1944.

Messrs. Dominion Machinery Co. Ltd.,
Granville Island,
Vancouver, B.C.

Dear Sirs:

re: Ichise TOKAIRIN & Hideo TOKAIRIN & Masaki YAMAMURA
Trading as The Terminal Lumber and Fuel Co.

With reference to your claim of \$253.45 against the above named company, we have drawn the attention of the three above parties to your claim but they have not been able, or seen fit, to do anything about it.

The only known asset of the company, as far as our records in this office show, is an amount of \$11.59, and there are a very large number of claims lodged against the company.

Under the circumstances we regret that we cannot do anything further to assist you in getting satisfaction of your claim. We suggest that you might contact the partners concerned with the hope of arriving at some settlement.

Their addresses are:

Ichise TOKAIRIN,
Reg. No. 07682,
Blind Bay, B.C.

Hideo TOKAIRIN,
Reg. No. 01856,
Tashme, B.C.

Masaki YAMAMURA,
Reg. No. 07741,
Tashme, B.C.

Yours truly,

AMcA:DE

A. McAllister,
Claims Department.

6457; 10818;
11188.

June 27th, 1944.

Messrs. Fleishman & Hougher,
Barristers and Solicitors,
314 Standard Bank Building,
Vancouver, B.C.

Dear Sirs:

re: Ichiso TOKAIRIN & Hideo TOKAIRIN & Masaki YAMAMURA
Trading as The Terminal Lumber and Fuel Co.

With reference to your claim of \$44.00 against the above
named company, we have drawn the attention of the three above parties
to your claim but they have not been able, or seen fit, to do anything
about it.

The only known asset of the company, as far as our records
in this office show, is an amount of \$11.49, and there are a very large
number of claims lodged against the company.

Under the circumstances we regret that we cannot do anything
further to assist you in getting satisfaction of your claim. We suggest
that you might contact the partners concerned with the hope of arriving
at some settlement.

Their addresses are:

Ichiso TOKAIRIN,
Reg. No. 07682,
Blind Bay, B.C.

Hideo TOKAIRIN,
Reg. No. 01874,
Tashme, B.C.

Masaki YAMAMURA,
Reg. No. 07741,
Tashme, B.C.

Yours truly,

AMH:ME

A. McAllister,
Claims Department.

8457; 10816;
11188; 8823A.

June 27th, 1944.

Mrs. Fusa CHAKI,
Registration No. 02740,
Greenwood, B.C.

Dear Madam:

re: Ichise TOKAIRIN & Hideo TOKAIRIN & Masaki YAMAMURA
Trading as The Terminal Lumber and Fuel Co.

With reference to your claim of \$45.00 against the above named company, we have drawn the attention of the three above parties to your claim but they have not been able, or seen fit, to do anything about it.

The only known asset of the company, as far as our records in this office show, is an amount of \$11.59, and there are a very large number of claims lodged against the company.

Under the circumstances we regret that we cannot do anything further to assist you in getting satisfaction of your claim. We suggest that you might contact the partners concerned with the hope of arriving at some settlement.

Their addresses are:

Ichise TOKAIRIN,
Reg. No. 07682,
Blind Bay, B.C.

Hideo TOKAIRIN,
Reg. No. 01856,
Tashme, B.C.

Masaki YAMAMURA,
Reg. No. 07741,
Tashme, B.C.

Yours truly,

AMH:BE

A. McAllister,
Claims Department.

8457; 10818;
11168.

June 27th, 1944.

Messrs. Williams & Mackie,
611 West Pender Street,
Vancouver, B.C.

Dear Sirs:

Re: Ichise TOKAIRIN & Hideo TOKAIRIN & Masaki YAMAMURA
Trading as The Terminal Lumber and Fuel Co.

With reference to your claim of \$11.40 against the above named company, we have drawn the attention of the three above parties to your claim but they have not been able, or seen fit, to do anything about it.

The only known asset of the company, as far as our records in this office show, is an amount of \$11.79, and there are a very large number of claims lodged against the company.

Under the circumstances we regret that we cannot do anything further to assist you in getting satisfaction of your claim. We suggest that you might contact the partners concerned with the hope of arriving at some settlement.

Their addresses are:

Ichise TOKAIRIN,
Reg. No. 07682,
Blind Bay, B.C.

Hideo TOKAIRIN,
Reg. No. 01856,
Tashme, B.C.

Masaki YAMAMURA,
Reg. No. 07741,
Tashme, B.C.

Yours truly,

AMcA:DE

A. McAlister,
Claims Department.

File No. Internee 940.
Examine 8477, 10818, 11188.

June 28th, 1944.

MEMORANDUM

To: Mr. Wright

From: Major McAllister

re: Ichiro TOKAIRIN & Hideo TOKAIRIN & Masaki YAMAMURA
Trading as The Terminal Lumber and Fuel Co.

With reference to the claim of \$300.00 lodged by your internee Haruo ABE against the above named company, this department has no assets, with the exception of \$11.79, and there are a large number of claims lodged against the company amounting to approximately \$2500.00.

In view of the above we cannot do anything further to assist ABE in getting satisfaction of his claim.

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For File No. 10818.

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DEPARTMENT OF NATIONAL REVENUE

Income Tax Division,
739 W. Hastings Street,
Vancouver, B.C.

July 4th, 1944.

Your File:-

10818 H. Tokairin
8457 Ichiso Tokairin
11188 Masaki Yamamura

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

Dear Sirs:

Re: Terminal Lumber & Fuel Co.

We beg to thank you for your letter of June 27th and for the information contained therein.

We note that the sum of \$11.59 was remitted you in payment of a claim to the above company. As tax deductions are subject to payment in priority to all others in accordance with Subsection 7, Section 92 of the Income War Tax Act, we would ask you to remit the above amount as a payment on account of tax deductions due as per letter of February 23rd, 1944.

Yours faithfully,

(signed) D.H. Sheppard

INSPECTOR OF INCOME TAX.

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8457; 11128;
10618.

July 7th, 1944.

The Workmen's Compensation Board,
411 Burrard Street,
Vancouver, B.C.

ATTENTION MR. A. H. BATH

Dear Sirs:

re: Ichise TOKAIRIN & Hideo TOKAIRIN & Masaki YAMAMURA
Trading as The Terminal Lumber and Fuel Co.
Your File No. 2377A - 1

With reference to your claim of \$274.96 against the above named, and further to our letter of the 27th ult. to you in this connection, we have now received the following letter from the Department of National Revenue, Income Tax Division:

"We beg to thank you for your letter of June 27th and for the information contained therein.

"We note that the sum of \$11.99 was remitted you in payment of a claim to the above company. As tax deductions are subject to payment in priority to all others in accordance with Subsection 7, Section 92 of the Income War Tax Act, we would ask you to remit the above amount as a payment on account of tax deductions due as per letter of February 23rd, 1944."

We would appreciate your comments on the letter from the Income Tax Division at your very earliest convenience.

Yours truly,

A. McAllister,
Claims Department.

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File No. 10818.

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THE WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION BOARD

July 19, 1944.

Mr. A. McAllister, Custodian,
Japanese Evacuee Section,
506 Royal Bank Building,
Vancouver, B.C.

Dear Sir:-

Re: Your File #8457; 11188; 10818
Terminal Lumber & Fuel
Our Firm #23774-1

With reference to yours of July 7th the Board are prepared to admit the priority of the claim of the Department of National Revenue for Income Tax deductions made from employees' earnings. Consequently if there is a claim of this nature against this Estate you would be entitled to pay it in priority to our claim.

We note in your previous letter that the partners in this firm appear to have no assets and accordingly we are writing Mr. C. T. Coy, the mortgagee, with reference to our account. We presume, however, that you will keep a record of our claim and if at any future time the partners of the above firm should have any funds available these will be applied towards payment of our account.

Yours truly,
THE WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION BOARD

(signed) A. H. Bain

AHB:M

Legal Department

Original in File No. 8457.

DEPARTMENT OF NATIONAL REVENUE

ADDRESS REPLY TO
INSPECTOR OF INCOME TAX



TAXATION

730 HASTINGS STREET WEST
VANCOUVER, B.C.

QUOTE
THIS REFERENCE

March 1st 1946

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

Your file:-
10818 E.H. Tokairin
8457 Ichizo Tokairin
11188 Masaki Yamamura

Dear Sir:

Re: Terminal Lumber & Fuel Company

With reference to our previous correspondence will you please be good enough to advise if there is any likelihood of anything further being remitted to us on account of the abovenamed.

Yours faithfully,

A. C. Sheppard

INSPECTOR OF INCOME TAX *h.*

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Please attach part of the red sticker to your reply.

10818 - 8457 - 11188

March 4th, 1946.

Attn: D. H. Sheppard

Inspector of Income Tax,
739 Hastings Street West,
Vancouver, B.C.

Dear Sirs: Re: Terminal Lumber & Fuel Company
 Hideo TOKAIRIN, Reg. #01856 - File 10818
 Masaki YAMANURA, " #07741 - File 11188
 Ichiso TOKAIRIN, " #07682 - File 8457

We are in receipt of your letter of March 1st, your reference 6/WH, and would advise that we have no funds at all relating to the above Company or the three Evacuees mentioned, who were connected with the Company in question.

The only remaining funds we had, namely \$11.59, were forwarded to you in July 1944. We believe that you are already aware that there are a large number of claims lodged against the Terminal Lumber & Fuel Company, amounting to over \$2,500.00, and it would appear unlikely that any funds will be available.

Yours truly,

P. Doust,
Administration Department

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