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BUREAU HASTINGS PARK

FILE NO. 12467

OFFICE OF THE CUSTODIAN
JAPANESE SECTION

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

NAME: NATSUSHITA, Yabei

HOME ADDRESS: Now at Hastings Park, Vancouver, B. C. REGISTRATION No. 10953

From Cassiar Cannery, Skeena River, B. C.

SEX: male

AGE: 60

MARRIED? Widower

OCCUPATION AND EMPLOYER: Cannery worker--Cassiar Cannery, Skeena River, B. C.

NAME OF WIFE OR HUSBAND: ----

ADDRESS: ----

NAMES OF LIVING CHILDREN: Ikuo (F) 14

ADDRESS: Hastings Park, Van., B. C.

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 24th day of August 1942.

WITNESS:

[Signature]

(Signature)

Yabei Natsumita

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INFORMATION FROM R.C.M.P.

Date May 20/42

File No. 12269

Name MATSUSHITA, Yahei (Mr)
(Surname in Block Letters)

Registration No. 10953

Male - Female
(check)

Age Dec. 16, 1886

Residence Address

Cassia Cannery, Skeena River, B.C.

Date Evacuated

Mar. 17/42

Naturalized - Canadian-Born - National
(check)

Residence Address

Died. Oct. 19/42

Widower
Married - Single
(check)

Name of Wife

Keiye (Died)

Name of Husband

Died

Name of Mother

Died

Name of Father

Died

Names of Children under 16

Shue (F) Mar 5/1928

Requested by

N. Lundy

Registered with Custodian

yes

(Yes or No)

Additional Information

Cannery Worker

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June 18, 1943.

Mr. E. L. Brown, Office Manager,
D. C. Security Commission,
Dick Building,
360 Essex Street,
Washington, D. C.

Attention Mr. D. W. Simmons
Chief Accountant

Dear Sir:

Re: Yoshi MATSUHITA - Deceased
Registration No. 10049

When the late Mr. Matsuhita registered with the Custodian on August 22th, 1942, he declared that he had no assets and that he had also no liabilities.

Mr. Matsuhita died on October 19th, 1942, and in your letter dated November 18th, 1942, you filed with us a claim for \$50.00 covering Mr. Matsuhita's funeral expenses.

In this particular case we have postponed any action because of the possibility that some other individual of the Japanese race might subsequently declare to us that he was indebted to the late Mr. Matsuhita which might result in our obtaining funds for the Estate of the late Mr. Matsuhita with which to meet your claim for funeral expenses. No such individuals of the Japanese race have been forthcoming and in consequence we have now reached the conclusion that it is reasonable to assume that there is no further action the Custodian can take in connection with the matter of your claim. We are, therefore, providing you with this information and are closing our files in connection with the Estate of the late Mr. Matsuhita.

In closing we may state that insofar as our records are concerned, Mr. Matsuhita's father, mother, and wife are all deceased also. He is believed to have a daughter, Kayo, at present aged fifteen whose whereabouts and present situation are not known to this office.

Yours truly,

B. P. Alexander,
Manager.

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BRITISH COLUMBIA SECURITY COMMISSION

355 BARRARD STREET

VANCOUVER, B.C. November 18, 1942.

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Mr. A. McAllister,
Claims Department,
Office of the Custodian,
506 Royal Bank Building,
Vancouver, B. C.

Dear Sir:

Re: Yahei MATSUSHITA,
No. 10953 - Deceased

We wish to make claim for recovery of the sum of \$50.00 from the estate of the above deceased, being the cost of funeral expenses as paid by this Commission.

Mr. Matsushita died at Hope-Fourteen Mile Ranch, Tashme, October 19th, 1942.

Thanking you for your kind co-operation in this matter, we are,

Yours very truly,

BRITISH COLUMBIA SECURITY COMMISSION

D. W. Simmons
D. W. Simmons,
Chief Accountant.

DWS:MF