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January 26th, 1944.

Mr. Heishiro AOYAMA,
Registration No. 01218,
Leaverleigh Farm,
R. R. #1,
Port Credit, Ontario

Dear Sir:

Will you please tell us whether you were ever employed by Brownsville Sawmills Limited, New Westminster? Were you working for them in the first part of 1941?

The reason we ask you this is that we have on our records the name of Mr. AOYAMA who worked for the Brownsville Sawmills Limited and we have not been able to identify him.

We enclose a stamped, addressed envelope and should be very glad to have your reply by return mail.

Yours truly,

D. M. Chope,
Administration Department.

DMC/HSS
Enc.

Letter was originally sent on December 14th 1943,
returned and readdressed to the above address.

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Mr. D. M. Clope,
Administration Department,
Vancouver B.C.

Dear Sir:

According to your letter dated Jan. 26th 1944,
You are looking for a man name Aoyama.
My name is also Aoyama, Heishiro by the first name.
I have had it changed under the "Change of name
act," in March 3 1941, from Heishiro Okuten to
Heishiro Aoyama.

I had been an employment of Matsuyama
Shotai for last fifteen years until the
evacuation started.

I am a man of no experience in sawmill
as well in Brownsville Sawmill Ltd. New
Westminster B.C.

Unfortunately you are addressing a wrong person.
and I am sorry I could not be any help to you.

Yours truly,
Heishiro Aoyama

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March 10th, 1944

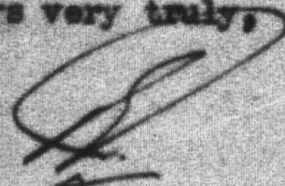
Brownville Sawmills Ltd.,
New Westminster, B. C.

Dear Sirs:

We have received from the Provincial Govern-
ment a certain sum of money for a man by the name of W. Aryama
and they advise us that this man was in your employ during the
year 1941. We also understand that he lived at the Riverside
Apartments in New Westminster. So far, however, we have been un-
able to identify this person and we are of the opinion that you
may help us to identify him by telling us whether or not he was
a Japanese, if not if he is still employed by you.

Any assistance you may be able to give us
in this connection will be greatly appreciated.

Yours very truly,


B. Good
Comptroller

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LETTER NO.

TO

March 11th, 1944

Department of Secretary of State,
506 Royal Bank Building,
Vancouver B.C.

Miss Stevenson

Dear Sirs:-

We acknowledge receipt of your letter

dated March 10th Re A. Aryana and would inform you that *cheque*
this man was born in the Punjab, India on May 3rd 1886
and he is still in our employ. His address is still
Riverside Apartments, New Westminster, B.C.

Trusting this is the information you

desire.

Yours truly,

BROWNSVILLE SAWMILLS LIMITED.

10% Wage deduction
Per. *H.H. Postell*

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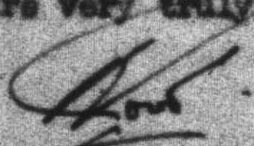
March 15th, 1944

Brownville Sawmills Ltd.,
New Westminster, B. C.

Dear Sirs:

We beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 11th instant and thank you for the information contained therein. We now enclose, herewith, our cheque for \$4.77 payable to Mr. A. Aryama and would ask you to kindly deliver this cheque to him and at the same time advise him that this represents a refund of the 1% Wage Deduction by the Province of British Columbia for the first six months of 1941.

Yours very truly,


B. Good
Comptroller

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