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Inst. 16/43OFFICE OF THE CUSTODIAN
JAPANESE SECTION

To be completed by persons of the Japanese race having property in any protected area. The proper administration of this property requires such persons to give full particulars as requested in this form.

PERSONAL INFORMATION

NAME: *in full Omoto, Tokuyasu*HOME ADDRESS: *before evacuation 1672 4th Avenue West Vancouver, B.C.*REGISTRATION NUMBER *#03324* SEX: *Male* AGE: *62*OCCUPATION: *Retired*

(If any business or businesses carried on, state where, under what name and whether carried on by yourself or in partnership with anyone; if partnership, give partner's name.)

EMPLOYER: *Nil*MARRIED? *yes*NAME OF WIFE OR HUSBAND: *Omoto, Yume*ADDRESS OF WIFE OR HUSBAND: *1672 4th Avenue West, Vancouver, B.C.*NAMES OF ANY LIVING CHILDREN: *Omoto, Hisayo*ADDRESS OF CHILDREN: *1672 4th Ave., Vancouver, B.C.*AGE OF CHILDREN: *25*

STATEMENT OF ALL REAL PROPERTY (Each parcel must be mentioned and particulars given)

1. LOCATION AND DESCRIPTION: *Nil*2. BUILDINGS AND OTHER IMPROVEMENTS: *Nil*3. INSURANCE (Give particulars; state where policies are) *Nil*4. TAXES (Amount and where payable) *Nil*5. ENCUMBRANCES (Including any unregistered claims or deposit of title deed) *Nil*6. OCCUPANCY AND LEASES (If vacant so state) *Nil*

3. GIVE THE NAME AND ADDRESS OF ANY PERSON HAVING ANY INTEREST IN, OR CLAIM ON ANY SUCH PROPERTY *Nil*

2. HORSES, LIVESTOCK AND OTHER ANIMALS, POULTRY AND PETS *Nil*

1. GIVE BRIEF DESCRIPTION AND STATE LOCATION OF FURNITURE, FIXTURES, EQUIPMENT AND MACHINERY, STOCK IN TRADE AND PERSONAL EFFECTS: *Nil*

STATEMENT OF PERSONAL PROPERTY OWNED:

6. IF FARM LAND, PARTICULARS OF CROPS SOWN: *Nil*

5. SUB-TENANTS, IF ANY (Give name, address, rent and to what date paid) *Nil*

4. STATE WHEREABOUTS OF LEASE: *Nil*

3. PARTICULARS OF LEASE AND RENT AND DATE TO WHICH PAID: *Nil*

2. LANDLORD'S NAME AND ADDRESS: *Nil*

1. LOCATION AND DESCRIPTION: *Nil*

STATEMENT OF REAL PROPERTY OCCUPIED

9. IF FARM LAND STATE CROPS SOWN *Nil*

8. STATE IF ANY OTHER PERSON HAS ANY INTEREST: *Nil*

7. STATE WHEREABOUTS OF TITLE DOCUMENTS: *Nil*

4. INSURANCE CARRIED ON ABOVE PROPERTY: Nil5. MORTGAGES, LIENS AND OTHER CLAIMS ON PROPERTY IN POSSESSION OF
OTHERS: Nil6. MONEYS OWING TO YOU (State if any of these debts assigned and if so, to whom) Nil7. BONDS, DEBENTURES, SHARES, STOCKS OR OTHER SECURITIES (State whereabouts) Nil8. BANK ACCOUNTS: Nil9. LIFE INSURANCE: Monarch Life Insurance Co., Vancouver, B.C.
\$1000.00 Policy10. INTEREST IN ANY ESTATES OR TRUSTS: Nil11. SAFETY DEPOSIT BOX: Nil**LIABILITIES:**1. PERSONAL DEBTS: Nil2. TRADE DEBTS: Nil

I, the undersigned, hereby voluntarily turn over to the Custodian all my property in the protected area as set out above, excepting fishing vessels, deposits of money, shares of stock, debentures, bonds or other securities, if any.

I certify that the above information is true and complete and fully discloses all my property of every description in any protected area in British Columbia and sets forth all my liabilities direct and indirect.

Dated this 22nd day of July 1943(Signature) Isotang's Emoto.

Rayson
Witness

FOR DEPARTMENTAL USE

INFORMATION FROM R.O.M.P.

DATE April 28, 1943.

On File No. 14396

Name OMOTO, Tokujiro
(Surname in Block Letters)

Registration No. 03324

✓
Male - Female
(Check)

Age 2/2/1881

Former Address 1672 West 4th Ave., City.

Date Evacuated 31/3/42

Naturalized - Canadian-Born - National
(Check)

Present Address

Ind. Chm. 4/7/45
Sandwich, B.C. *Tashiro BC*

Married - Single
(Check)

Name of Wife (YAMOSHITA) Mrs #03325

Name of Husband

Name of Mother (OMOTO) Tami Same Surname

Name of Father Yasaburo (Dec'd)

Names of Children under 16

Requested by R.C.T.

Registered with Custodian
(Yes or No)

Additional Information Gardener.

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(Information supplied by Ins. Co.)

LIFE INSURANCE

Name Omoto Tokujiro

File No. 14396

Sanson, B.C.

Reg. No. *03324*

Company Monarch Life

Agency Vancouver

Policy No. 89306

Premium - \$ 66.05

Payable: Annually, Semi-annually or monthly

Month May Day 22

REMARKS:

Letter sent 10/9/43

File No. 14396.

CLAIMS DEPARTMENT

July 22nd, 1943.

Tokujiro OMOTO - Reg. No. 03324

CREDITORS:

C. K. Blakeney \$241.00 plus costs
Judgment)

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No. B. 1977/31.

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF VANCOUVER

HOLDEN AT VANCOUVER

BETWEEN:

C. K. BLAKENEY,

Claim
Plaintiff,

AND:

S. NISHIMARU, S. TATERE and T. MAIDA
and T. OMOTO, carrying on business
under the firm name and style of "NECO"
SPRAY CHEMICAL MANUFACTURING COMPANY,
and the said NECO SPRAY CHEMICAL
MANUFACTURING COMPANY,

Defendants.

BEFORE HIS HONOUR :

JUDGE RUGGLES :

TUESDAY, November 10th,
A. D. 1931.

THIS ACTION coming on for trial the 16th day of October, A. D. 1931, and after being partly heard being adjourned until the 27th day of October, A.D. 1931, and being further adjourned until the 4th day of November, A. D. 1931, in the presence of C.F. MacLean, Esquire, of Counsel for the Plaintiff, and J. R. Nicholson, Esquire, of Counsel for the Defendants, AND UPON HEARING READ the Pleadings and Proceedings herein and the evidence adduced by and on behalf of the Plaintiff and the Defendants, and what was alleged by Counsel aforesaid, and this Court being pleased to reserve Judgment until the date hereof;

THIS COURT DOTH ORDER AND ADJUDGE that the Plaintiff do recover Judgment against the Defendants and each of them in the sum of \$241.00, and the costs of this action in the manner hereinafter provided.

AND THIS COURT DOTH FURTHER ORDER AND ADJUDGE that the costs of and incidental to this action prior to

the Plaintiff's application to amend his Plaint herein on the 16th day of October, A.D. 1931, be costs to the Defendants and do be set off against this Judgment, and that the costs of this action subsequent to the 16th day of October, A. D. 1931, be costs to the Plaintiff.

Form approved
"J.R.H."

(signed) "H. D. Ruggles"
"C.C.J."

By the Court,

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Registrar.

Minutes filed

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July 23, 1943.

Mr. Takujiro OMOTO,
Reg. No. 03324,
SANDON, B. C.

Dear Sir:

Will you please complete and return to us the enclosed forms as quickly as possible.

We have your wife's registration forms in which she declared personal property but we require a separate registration from each person.

Yours truly,

DMC/HS

D. M. Chope,
Administration Department.

Sandon, B. C.
July 29, 1943.

Dept. of the Secretary of State
Office of the Custodian
506 Royal Bank Building
Granville & Hastings
Vancouver, B. C.

EVACUATION SECTION	
Rec'd	AUG 2 1943
File No.	
Ans.	<i>McAlister</i>
Referred	<i>McAlister</i>

Attention: Mr. A. McAlister, Claims Dept.

Gentlemen:

Re: G.K. Blakeney. Your File Number 14396.

Referring to yours of 22nd inst., re the claim made by the above-named party for the sum of \$241.00 for judgment, plus costs, I wish to inform you as follows.

I do not know the said Mr. Blakeney, but am familiar with the case which happened some thirteen years ago.

I had been employed by Mr. Seishiro NISHIMURA of Nichol Spray Company, Vancouver, B. C., some thirteen years ago at the salary of \$40.00 a month. Owing to the financial conditions of this Company, myself and few other Japanese employees and an occidental couple were paid only half month's salary for two months of employment. This occidental couple, the man working as salesman and wife as typist, filed a suit against Mr. Nishimura for their unpaid salaries, and Mr. Nishimura lost the case. Mr. Nishimura had some years ago left for Japan, and is now deceased.

At that time claims were made against myself and other Japanese employees as being partners of Mr. Nishimura, and, therefore, liable for court expenses, but as mentioned before, since we were only employed by Mr. Nishimura, this claim against us was dropped.

Three years after court proceeding, a lawyer approached me again on this matter, but with the same result, therefore, I see no reason why this claim should be filed against me at this time. I would appreciate your stressing to Mr. Blakeney the fact that I was only an employee and not the partner of Mr. Nishimura.

I am enclosing one copy only of your Registration Form since I do not own any real asset and all personal properties have been registered by my wife prior to evacuation.

*put in file
OTB.*

Trusting that the above information will clear the matter, I remain,

Yours very truly,

Tokujiro Omoto.
Tokujiro OMOTO, Serial #03324.

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August 6th, 1943.

Mr. C.K. Blakeney,
1210 Harwood St.,
Vancouver, B.C.

Dear Sir:

With reference to your call at this office and your judgment claim of \$241.00 plus costs against certain Japanese, we wrote to OMOTO and TATEBE as you are aware.

We have not yet received a reply from TATEBE.

We have received a reply from OMOTO dated the 29th of July 1943, copy of which we are enclosing herewith. We should appreciate receiving your comments on OMOTO's letter in due course.

We will advise you when and if we receive a reply from TATEBE.

Yours truly,


AMcA:DE

A. McAllister,
Claims Department.

Encl.

EVACUATION SECTION	
Rec'd	SEP 18 1943
File No.	
Ans.	104-34 File
Referred	J. O. Moto

Sandon, B.C.

September 14, 1943

Office of the Custodian
506 Royal Bank Building
Hastings & Granville
Vancouver, B. C.

Gentlemen:

Re Letter #118; #14396.

With reference to your letter of the 10th inst., re life insurance premium, I wish to advise you that arrangements have been made between the Monarch Life Assurance Company and myself to make periodical payments on my policy. I have, on August 30, remitted the sum of \$10.00 to the Vancouver branch.

Trusting the above is satisfactory, I re-

main,

Yours very truly,

J. O. Moto
Tokujiro Omoto, Ser. #03324.

THE MONARCH LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY

HEAD OFFICE, WINNIPEG, CANADA.



R. F. R. BOREHAM
BRANCH MANAGER

PLEASE REFER TO POLICIES AND MORTGAGES BY NUMBER
AND ADDRESS COMMUNICATIONS TO THE COMPANY
DEPARTMENT

801-8 ROGERS BLDG.,
VANCOUVER, B.C.

Rec'd Aug 2/45

August 3, 1945.

Office of the Custodian
Royal Bank Bldg.
Vancouver, B. C.

Re: Policy 89306
Rokujiro Omoto

Dear Sirs:

We enclose cheque for \$19.20 being the cash value of this policy and also attach discharge form which we would require completed by the assured and beneficiary, providing it is not possible for them to endorse the attached cheque. If, however, cheque can be endorsed the completion of the discharge form will not be necessary.

Yours truly,

BRANCH SECRETARY.

LAK/MW
Encl.

Statement of Settlement

ITEMS	AMOUNT	TOTAL
Cash Value (basis 6 policy years)	151.00	
		151.00
Deductions		
Loan - - - - -	124.24	
Loan Interest - - - - -	7.56	
Premium due - - - - -		
Interest - - - - -		
Total Deductions - - - - -		131.80
Net Cash Proceeds - - - - -		19.20

Persons to sign discharge:—

Tokujiro Omoto and Hisaye Omoto

Discharge

In connection with Policy P89306 hereinafter called the "contract" issued by The Monarch Life Assurance Company, Head Office, Winnipeg, Canada, hereinafter called the "Company", in consideration of the sum of One Hundred and Fifty-one 00/100 Dollars being in full settlement, as shown in the Statement of Settlement above, of all claims under the said contract, the undersigned, and if more than one person, each of them jointly and severally, does:

1. Hereby surrender to the said Company the said contract and all benefits and advantages in connection therewith; and
2. For the undersigned (and if more than one person, each of them) and the successors, heirs, executors, administrators or assigns of the undersigned (and if more than one person, each of them) hereby release and forever discharge and agree to save harmless and indemnify the said Company from and against all claims, demands, actions or causes of action, both at law and in equity, of every kind and nature whatsoever, which have arisen or may arise under or by reason of the said contract or any cause, matter or thing whatsoever contained in the said contract; and
3. Hereby declare that no person other than the undersigned person or persons has any right, title, claim or interest in, to or under the said contract; and
4. Hereby authorize the said Company to apply the proceeds of the said contract as shown in the above Statement of Settlement and to issue a cheque for the net cash proceeds of

Nineteen 20/100 Dollars

5. Hereby declare that he or she is of legal age and otherwise competent and that he or she is not a subject of a state or sovereign at War with His Majesty.

SIGNED AND SEALED at _____ this _____ day of _____ 19____
In the Presence of

_____ Witness	_____ (Seal)
_____ Witness	_____ (Seal)
_____ Witness	_____ (Seal)

August 3rd, 1945.

Mr. Tokujiro OZOTO and
Miss Hideo OZOTO,
Eng. Nos. 03324 and 01923,
Tachino, B. C.

Dear Sir & Madam: Re: Research Life Policy 69306

We enclose cheque for \$19.20 just received from The Research Life Insurance Company, Winnipeg, relating to the above policy. The cheque is made out to Tokujiro Ozoto and Hideo Ozoto and both signatures on the back of the cheque will be necessary in order to obtain the cash.

We also enclose copy of statement from the above Company showing how the \$19.20 is arrived at, and we presume this is satisfactory. It is assumed that you are both beneficiaries under this life insurance policy and that is why the cheque is made out to both of you. From your file only the one name is mentioned, namely Tokujiro Ozoto.

The insurance company enclosed a form of Discharge which would have to be signed if the cheque cannot be endorsed by both of you, but we are assuming that it will be endorsed by you both.

Please acknowledge safe receipt of this cheque in the enclosed stamped and addressed envelope.

Yours truly,

P. Douet,
Administration Department

PD/EP
Enc.

cc to Department of Labour, Japanese Division
cc to The Research Life Insurance Company, Vancouver.

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August 4th, 1945.

Mr. C. K. Blakeney,
1210 Harwood Street,
Vancouver, B. C.

Dear Sir:

Re: Tokujiro OMOTO,
Reg. No. 03324,
Tachno, B. C.

The file of the above Evacuee came to the writer's notice in connection with another matter and we observe that on the 6th August, 1943 we wrote you respecting your judgment claim of \$241.00, plus costs, against certain Japanese, and we sent you a copy of a letter dated July 29th, 1943 which we received from the above Evacuee wherein he explained his position in this matter, namely, that he was only an employee of Nishimura.

Not having heard from him further since the above date, we presume this matter has been dropped. We observe that same goes back to 1931.

Yours truly,

F. Douet,
Administration Department

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