55908 [Pt 4.1] Japanese Property Claims Commission

3508 University St.
Montreal, P.Q.
October 14, 1947

Justice H.I. Bird
Justice for the Court of Appeal
for the Prov. of B.C.
C/O Office of Custodian
Royal Bank Bldg.
Vancouver, B.C.

Dear Sir:

I have noted with a great deal of interest on your appointment to investigate property losses amongst the Japanese Canadians who had their goods stored with the Custodian.

This is all well and good but could you please let me know whether there will be any investigations on the terrible losses incurred amongst people who, in their tragic state of dilemma, turn their stores and factories to their employees instead of leaving their property with the custodian?

We had a soft drink factory known as "The Van Brothers" which in brief consisted of:

(1) a three story building
(2) a recent bottling machine
(3) four new two ton trucks, as well as a one tone truck, 1941 Pontiac sedan and 1940 Super Buick
(4) all the equipments to make thousands of Lion's Drinks such as Jamaica Ginger Ale, Jersey Creme, Lime Rickey, etc. (about eighteen flavours)
(5) Equipments to make Apple cider
(the press, thousands of barrows, etc.)
(6) Eqipment to make fountain syrup (around 12 different flavours)

(7) Equipment to make lemon powder, fountain soda water, etc., etc.

My parents had estimated the value of the above property to be about $80,000 at the minimum. (to say nothing about the loss of business we might have had in the last six years)

For this property, we only received $6,000.00 from our former foreman who was the only person we were able to turn to during the turmoil of an unexpected shocking order to evacuate. You will perhaps wonder why we did not turn our company over to the Custodian at this time. The answer to this was, that we did not have any ready money with which to evacuate on our own to the interior part of British Columbia..

It has been over five years since my parents evacuated and in order to exist they have had to do a farm-labourer's work within the last three years; a thing they have never done before! They are over sixty years old and instead of resting and enjoying the fruits of their earlier year's endeavours, they have had to live an endurable hardship.

I realize that your authority is limited only to the provisions in the "Order in Council", but could you please make note of this case and let me know or give me some advice on what can be done?

Your Honour, I am not trying to make a melodrama out of our case, but am stating real facts. I hope that you can help us.

Thanking you.....

Yours respectfully

K. J. Momose

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COPY for A.G.Virtue, K.C.,
Lethbridge, Alberta.

Law Courts,

VICTORIA, B.C

4th Oct.1947.

John W.C.Hunter, Esq.,
Barrister,etc.,
Toronto, Ontario.

Dear Mr.Hunter:

Thanks for your letter of the 3rd inst. enclosing copy of Mr.Brewin's letter of the 29th ult.

I do not think there is any good reason why the closing date for filing claims should be put forward. If that is done we may reasonably anticipate that it will further delay the opening of the Commission hearings. In view of the "escape" provision in the advertisement I agree that no real hardship should result.

I think there will be advantages in holding an open session at which counsel concerned may present their views in regard to the procedure to be adopted in the conduct of future sessions.

It is,I think,undersirable that I should make any comment at this time on the suggestions made in this regard by Mr. Brewin. These are matters upon which I hesitate to express any advance opinion. There may be matters upon which counsel can agree, such as early production of documents.

It may be desirable for me to appoint one or more persons who are recognized as authorities on property values, to make an investigation of the value of individual properties in the areas in which the Japanese were located. My present information is insufficient to permit me to reach any conclusion in that regard. If you or Mr. Brewin desire to express your views on that subject by mail, I would appreciate your assistance.

Mr.Brewin appears to assume that he and his associates will be representing the majority of the Japanese claimants. If that were so I would have less doubt about making advance rulings, after hearing from Mr.Brewin and yourself. However, in view of communications which I have had from A.G.Virtue K.C. of Lethbridge, Alberta, and Eric G.Adams, of Montreal, it would appear that these gentlemen expect to represent the majority of prospective claimants in Alberta and Quebec, respectively. Consequently it would appear undesirable that any final decision should be made in regard to such matters as Mr.Brewin suggests until all counsel have been heard at an opening session.

600 claims

3400.

I gather from the information which Mr. Shears has given me that the evacuated Japanese are distributed across Canada roughly as follows: British Columbia 5000; Alberta 700; Saskatchewan 500; Manitoba 1000; Ontario 6000; Quebec 1000.

If one is safe in assuming that claims will be filed by persons resident in these Provinces roughly in proportion to the total number of evacuated Japanese in each, I can see no reason for opening the hearings in Eastern Canada. In fact there appear to me to be advantages in Vancouver which would permit of a physical examination of some of the areas where the Japanese lived when in British Columbia, and particularly the small farm properties which I understand were the subject of the investigation by the Public Accounts Committee. Having opened in Vancouver, the more practical move would be to proceed to Kamloops and perhaps Kelowna and Nelson, in British Columbia, in that order, for subsequent sessions.

Once the individual claimants resident in British Columbia have been heard the Commission could then proceed to one or other of the Eastern cities in such order as is then found convenient.

I conclude from my discussions with Mr. Shears, yourself, and Mr. McMaster that it will not be practicable finally to dispose of all the evidence relating to any of the claims at any one session, due to the fact that the Japanese claimants reside elsewhere than Vancouver, and the supporting testimony which they will introduce must come from Vancouver, or, in any case, British Columbia. Moreover, all of the records of the custodian's office being in Vancouver, it would be very inconvenient for the custodian or the Government to present their testimony at any point other than Vancouver.

Consequently I have reached the tentative conclusion that the following procedure should be adopted:

1. To hear the evidence of the respective claimants who have filed claims at the point most convenient to them, which I take it will be the point nearest the claimant's present residence.

2. To hear supporting testimony which each claimant desires to adduce at Vancouver after the testimony of all claimants has been taken.

3. To hear the testimony which the custodian or Government counsel desires to introduce in reply to each of the claimant's claims at Vancouver.

I appreciate that this will create a somewhat awk-
ward situation from my own point of view and perhaps also
12. for claimants or their counsel, but in the circumstances
I can see no alternative to this procedure.

I feel strongly that the testimony of each claim-
ant should be completed at the time when he is first heard.
Also that the claimant's supporting testimony should all
be put in at one time. Likewise that the custodian's reply
13. should be put in at one time. If this course is not adop-
ted I am likely to be faced with the necessity of going
back on various matters which should have been dealt with
on the occasion when the particular witnesses were first
called, which, in the circumstances, appears to me to be
quite impracticable.

I will be ready to open in Vancouver at any date
convenient to counsel after November 30th. I feel, in
view of the fact that many of the counsel who are likely
14 to be concerned are resident elsewhere than in British
Columbia, that it would be inconvenient to counsel to
open much later than December 1st, otherwise the proximity
of the Christmas season will prevent any effectual start
being made until after the New Year.

I have had an extra copy of this letter made for
15 Mr.Brewin, and will also send a copy to Mr.Virtue in Leth-
bridge.

You might take it that the views which I have ex-
pressed on the various matters raised by Mr.Brewin are
16 tentative and subject to such representations as any
counsel desires to make. It would be highly desirable
immediately to clear the ground as much as possible.

Will you, Mr.Brewin and Mr.Virtue write me here
17. if you desire to comment on the foregoing.

Yours truly,

"H.I.BIRD"

254 Windsor Road West
North Vancouver B.C
1st October 1947

The Hon: Mr Justice H.I.Bird,
1003 Wolfe Ave
Vancouver B.C

Sir -,

With respect to the Royal Commission under your Chairmanship in connection with the disposal of Japanese properties, I am writing in the hope that it may be possible for myself to secure a position in view of the fact that I have certain qualifications which may fit me for such a post .

I was born in Japan and lived in the Orient for some 34 years and am well conversant with the Japanese language. From May 1940 to December 1942 I was employed by the Royal Canadian Mounted Police as Japanese Interpreter and in Intelligence work generally during which time I was conversant with all measures taken in respect to security of this Province and all matters which came within the scope of Government control of enemy aliens of Japanese origin, both under the B.C.Security Commission and the R.C.M.P.

During the Royal Commission on the "Black Dragon" enquiry, under Mr Justice Cameron, I was actively employed in Court by the R.C.M.P as will be evidenced by the printed Report on the Proceedings of this enquiry.

In December 1942 I was commissioned as Lieutenant (S.B.) in The Royal Canadian Volunteer Reserve, in the Japanese Intelligence and Security section until discharged (owing to ill health) in 1945.

Assuming there may be a vacancy,any enquiries you may desire to make in respect to myself could be obtained from the R.C.M.P in the persons of Superintendent J.Fripps, Lt Col C.H.Hill (now on the Police Commission) and Assistant Commission (now retired) F.J.Mead.

Trusting my application may be accorder favourable consideration,

I am, Sir,
Yours faithfully,

G.N.R.UPTON

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MR JUSTICE BIRD

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R J MCMASTER

unable fix date for opening of commission hearings until claims filed - notice & forms published ~~on~~ ~~sept~~ 6th

September 22. 1947.

Dear Mr. Virtue:

With further reference to my letter of September 16, I am now enclosing copy of Order-in-Council P.C. 3737 which amends Order-in-Council P.C. 1810.

Yours very truly.

Mr. A. Gladstone Virtue, K.C.,
Messrs. Virtue & Russell,
Barristers, etc.,
LETHBRIDGE, Alta

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Encl.

that no claim shall be considered in respect of property lost, destroyed or stolen while under the custody, control or management of any person other than the Custodian, appointed by the owner of the property."

2. By striking out the words "for failure of the Custodian to exercise reasonable care" from Clause numbered 2.

A.D.P. HEENEY
Clerk of the Privy Council

COPY

P/12 P.C. 3737

Certified to be a true copy of a Minute of a Meeting of the Committee of the Privy Council, approved by His Excellency the Governor General on the 17th September 1947.

PRIVY COUNCIL
CANADA

The Committee of the Privy Council have had before them a report dated 11th September, 1947, from the Secretary of State, stating that, after further consideration of the Order in Council P.C. 1810, 18th July, 1947, providing for an inquiry into property claims of Japanese persons evacuated from the coast of British Columbia as a war measure, he is of opinion that the terms of reference should be expressed in terms in line with the Fourth Report of the Standing Committee of the House of Commons on Public Accounts, which Report dealt with the general administration and liquidation of property owned by Japanese evacuees and was concurred in by the House of Commons.

The Committee, therefore, on the recommendation of the Secretary of State, advise that the terms of reference contained in the Order in Council P.C. 1810 aforesaid be amended:

1. By striking out paragraphs (a) and (b) of Clause numbered 1 and substituting the following:

"(a) that real and personal property vested in the Custodian pursuant to the above mentioned Orders was disposed of by the Custodian for less than the fair market value thereof at the time of sale resulting in loss to the Claimants equal to the difference between the amounts received from the sale and the fair market value aforesaid; and

(b) that personal property vested in the Custodian pursuant to the above mentioned Orders was lost, destroyed or stolen while in the possession or under the control of the Custodian or some person appointed by him, with the result that the claimant suffered a loss equal to the fair market value of the property at the time when the same was lost, destroyed or stolen: provided that no claim shall be considered in respect of property lost, destroyed or stolen while under the custody, control or management of any person other than the Custodian, appointed by the owner of the property."

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P.C. 1810

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The Committee of the Privy Council have had before them a report dated 14th July, 1947, from the Secretary of State, representing:

That during the war persons of the Japanese race were evacuated from the protected areas of British Columbia and by Order in Council P.C. 1665 of March 4, 1942, as amended by Order in Council P.C. 2483 of March 27, 1942, it was provided that all property situated in any protected area of British Columbia belonging to any person of the Japanese race (except fishing vessels subject to Order in Council P.C. 288 of January 13, 1942, hereinafter referred to, and deposits of money, shares of stock, debentures, bonds or other securities) delivered up to any person by the owner pursuant to an Order of the Minister of Justice or which was turned over to the Custodian by or on behalf of the owner, or which the owner on being evacuated from the protected area was unable to take with him, should be vested in and subject to the control and management of the Custodian as defined in the Regulations Respecting Trading with the Enemy,

That by Order in Council P.C. 469 of January 19, 1943, it was provided that whenever the Custodian had been vested with the power and responsibility of controlling and managing any property of persons of the Japanese race evacuated from the said protected areas, such power and responsibility should be deemed to include and to have included from the date of the vesting of such property in the Custodian, the power to liquidate, sell or otherwise dispose of such property;

That by Order in Council P.C. 6247 of July 20, 1942, it was provided that all vessels and equipment not disposed of by the committee established by the said Order in Council of January 13, 1942, should on and after the first day of August, 1942, be vested in and be subject to the control of the Custodian;

That pursuant to the above mentioned Orders real and personal property of persons of the Japanese race was disposed of and claims have been made by persons of the Japanese race that in respect of such disposition of their property they have suffered pecuniary loss and

That it is deemed advisable to appoint a Commissioner under Part I of the Inquiries Act to investigate the said claims and to make recommendations with respect thereto

. . . . . .

The Committee, therefore, on the recommendation of the Secretary of State, advise:

1 That the Honourable Mr. Justice Henry Irvine Bird be appointed a Commissioner pursuant to the Inquiries Act, chapter ninety-nine of the Revised Statutes of Canada, 1927, to inquire into the following claims of persons of the Japanese race who are resident in Canada at the date of this Order, namely -

(a) that real and personal property vested in the Custodian pursuant to the above mentioned Orders was disposed of by the Custodian for less than the fair market value thereof at the time of sale resulting in loss to the claimants equal to the difference between the amounts received from the sale and the fair market value aforesaid: and

(b) that personal property vested in the Custodian pursuant to the above mentioned Orders was lost, destroyed or stolen while in the possession or under the control of the Custodian or some person appointed by him, with the result that the claimant suffered a loss equal to the fair market value of the property at the time when the same was lost, destroyed or stolen: provided that no claim shall be considered in respect of property lost, destroyed or stolen while under the custody, control or management of any person, other than the Custodian, appointed by the owner of the property.

setting forth the claims, if any, opinion of the Commissioner are well-founded and the amount which, in his opinion would fairly and reasonably compensate the claimant ~~for failure of the Custodian to exercise reasonable care~~.

3. That the Commissioner shall give public notice in such manner as he deems advisable of the time for the filing of claims and for the hearing of evidence and that all claims shall be in writing, verified by statutory declaration and filed in the Office of the Custodian at Vancouver, British Columbia.

4. That the Commissioner be authorized to engage the services of such counsel, technical advisers or other experts, clerks, reporters and assistants as he may deem necessary or advisable.

5. That the expenses of and incidental to the said inquiry be paid out of money appropriated by Parliament.

for Raoul Pelletier
A. D. P. Heeney
Clerk of the Privy Council.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE

OFFICE OF THE CUSTODIAN

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1947 SEP 19 AM 10:13

September 19, 1947

UNDER SECRETARY OF STATE

MEMORANDUM FOR DR. COLEMAN

RE: Japanese Claims

I enclose herewith copy of Order in Council P.C. 3737, dated 17th September, 1947, amending Order in Council P.C. 1810 of July 18th last.

I also enclose copy of the advertisement relative to Japanese claims. This advertisement was approved by Mr. Varcoe last night and forwarded to Mr. Shears.

K. W. WRIGHT

KWW/JF
Encl.

for Custodian
Sec 22/9/47 KWW JFC.

that no claim shall be considered in respect of property lost, destroyed or stolen while under the custody, control or management of any person other than the Custodian, appointed by the owner of the property."

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Clerk of the Privy Council

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The Committee, therefore, on the recommendation of the Secretary of State, advise that the terms of reference contained in the Order in Council P C. 1810 aforesaid be amended:

1. By striking out paragraphs (a) and (b) of Clause numbered 1 and substituting the following:

"(a) that real and personal property vested in the Custodian pursuant to the above mentioned Orders was disposed of by the Custodian for less than the fair market value thereof at the time of sale resulting in loss to the Claimants equal to the difference between the amounts received from the sale and the fair market value aforesaid; and

(b) that personal property vested in the Custodian pursuant to the above mentioned Orders was lost, destroyed or stolen while in the possession or under the control of the Custodian or some person appointed by him, with the result that the claimant suffered a loss equal to the fair market value of the property at the time when the same was lost, destroyed or stolen: provided that no claim shall be considered in respect of property lost, destroyed or stolen while under the custody, control or management of any person other than the Custodian, appointed by the owner of the property."

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Clerk of the Privy Council

NOTICE

To persons of the Japanese Race evacuated from the Protected Area of British Columbia, resident in Canada as at July 18, 1947.

TAKE NOTICE THAT by Order in Council P.C. 1810 dated July 18, 1947, as amended by Order in Council P.C. 3737, dated September 17, 1947, His Excellency The Governor-General in Council has authorized the appointment of The Honourable Mr. Justice Henry Irvine Bird, A Justice of the Court of Appeal for the Province of British Columbia as a Commissioner under the Inquiries Act R.S.C. 1927 to inquire into and report upon the following claims of persons of the Japanese Race resident in Canada as at July 18, 1947:

(a) that real and personal property vested in the Custodian was disposed of by the Custodian for less than the fair market value thereof at the time of sale resulting in loss to the claimants equal to the difference between the amounts received from the sale and the fair market value aforesaid; and

(b) that personal property vested in the Custodian was lost, destroyed or stolen while in the possession or under the control of the Custodian or some person appointed by him, with the result that the claimant suffered a loss equal to the fair market value of the property at the time when the same was lost, destroyed or stolen: provided that no claim shall be considered in respect of property lost, destroyed or stolen while under the custody, control or management of any person other than the Custodian, appointed by the owner of the property.

I am now directed by the Commissioner to give public notice to intending claimants to file their respective claims, in duplicate, written in the English or French language and verified by statutory declaration, at the Office of the Custodian, Royal Bank Building, Vancouver, B. C., on or before November 30, 1947.

Claimants are required to prepare their claims in the following form:

1. Name of claimant in full.

2. Claimant's address at the time of his evacuation from the Protected Area.

3. Claimant's present address.

4. In the case of claims relating to real property:

   (a) Civic address of real property.

   (b) A legal description sufficient to identify the property.

(c) Type of real property, i.e. farm, residence, commercial, etc., and short description of it.

(d) Title or interest held by claimant in the real property.

(e) Fair market value of real property at date of sale.

(a) Land
(b) Buildings

5. In the case of claims relating to personal property:

(a) Location at which property was left by the claimant at date of evacuation.

(b) Type of premises in which property was left by the claimant and the manner in which that property was stored or packed at the time of evacuation.

(c) In whose care was property left by the claimant at date of evacuation.

(d) Itemized and detailed description of the property which is the subject of the claim and itemized value thereof at the time of sale, loss or destruction.

Subject to change following receipt of claims, it is proposed that sittings of the Commission in respect of claims filed at the Office of the Custodian will be held at:

Vancouver, B. C.
Kamloops, B. C.
Nelson, B. C.
Lethbridge, Alberta
Moose Jaw, Saskatchewan
Winnipeg, Manitoba
Toronto, Ontario
Montreal, Quebec

and such other places as may be determined by the Commissioner, at the times and locations to be fixed by the Commissioner, notice whereof will be given to the claimant.

Claimants will indicate at which of the above cities they prefer to be heard and whether or not the services of an interpreter will be required.

Claims filed subsequent to November 30, 1947, will not be considered unless special leave is granted by the Commissioner upon good cause shown.

The attention of claimants is directed to the terms of reference quoted above. The Commissioner's authority is limited to consideration of claims as therein defined.

Dated at Vancouver, British Columbia, September 1947.

By authority of the Commissioner.

A. Watson, Secretary to the Commission.

WH/10 P.C. 3737

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Secretary of State

UNDER SECRETARY OF STATE

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2. By striking out the words "for failure of the Custodian to exercise reasonable care" from Clause numbered 2.

A. P. Sherry.

Clerk of the Privy Council

The Honourable
the Secretary of State.

VIA AIR MAIL

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FILE NO.....

506 Royal Bank Building,
Vancouver, B.C.

Special Delivery

18th September, 1947.

K. W. Wright, Esq.,
Counsel to the Custodian,
Office of the Custodian,
Victoria Building,
Ottawa, Ont.

Dear Mr. Wright:

The suggested newspapers for use in giving notice re filing of claims are as follows:

Vancouver
- Vancouver Daily Province - Victory Square (Conservative)
- Vancouver Daily Sun - 500 Beatty Street (Liberal)

Lethbridge
- The Lethbridge Herald, 323 - 6th Street (Liberal)

Moose Jaw
- Moose Jaw Times Herald, Moose Jaw, Sask. (Liberal)

Winnipeg
- Winnipeg Free Press, 300 Carlton Street (Liberal)
- Winnipeg Tribune, 257 Smith Street (Independent Conservative)

Toronto
- Toronto Daily Star, 80 Kings Street West (Independent Liberal)
- Toronto Globe & Mail (Conservative)

Montreal
- Montreal Gazette, 1000 St. Antoine Street (Independent Conservative)
- Montreal Daily Star, 241-245 James St. West (Independent Liberal)

It was only thought necessary to have one insertion in each newspaper, but in cases where there are two newspapers in the same city, the insertion of the advertisement to be on different days.

It was the intention to arrange publication of these advertisements through Messrs. J.J. Gibbons Ltd., through their representative, Mr. D.C. Crawford.

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K.W. Wright, Esq. 18th September, 1947

The advertisement would of course appear in the New Canadian and I intended to arrange this directly from this office, having the advertisement appear in the issues of two successive weeks.

Yours very truly,

F. G. Shears,
Director.

FGS/PMH

VIA AIR MAIL

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Dear Mr. Wright:

I have already mailed a letter giving you the names of the suggested newspapers. I did this as it did not appear that I would be able to contact Mr. Justice Bird before airmail time.

However, I have just had a talk with the Judge and he is very pleased to know that there will be a possibility of the draft advertisement being here in a day or so as apparently he is very desirous of getting this notice in the newspapers in order that the public will be aware that he is proceeding in this matter.

The Nelson News is published at Nelson and the Kamloops Sentinel at Kamloops and you may consider it desirable that advertisements should appear in those papers. Our original idea was that as far as British Columbia was concerned, the Vancouver newspapers and the notice which would appear in the New Canadian would be sufficient. However, you will kindly advise.

You will please keep me informed of the date you expect to arrive and I understand from your previous conversation that unless plans are changed, Mr. Hunter will arrive here by plane on Monday, September 29th.

Yours very truly,

F. G. Shears

F. G. Shears,
Director.

FGS/PMH

Victoria Bldg., 7 O'Connor St.,
Ottawa, Ontario
September 18, 1947

J-175

F. G. Shears, Esq.,
Director,
Office of the Custodian,
506 Royal Bank Building,
Vancouver, B. C.

Re: Japanese Claims

Dear Mr. Shears:

I enclose herewith copy of Order in Council P.C. 3737, dated September 17, 1947, amending P.C. 1810 of July 18th last.

We are busy today redrafting the advertisement in respect to claims of Japanese Evacuees and I hope to see Mr. Varcoe, Deputy Minister of Justice, in the morning.

I will keep you advised.

Yours very truly,

K. W. WRIGHT
COUNSEL TO THE CUSTODIAN

KWW/JF
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The Committee of the Privy Council have had before them a report dated 11th September, 1947, from the Secretary of State, stating that, after further consideration of the Order in Council P.C 1810, 18th July, 1947, providing for an inquiry into property claims of Japanese persons evacuated from the coast of British Columbia as a war measure, he is of opinion that the terms of reference should be expressed in terms in line with the Fourth Report of the Standing Committee of the House of Commons on Public Accounts, which Report dealt with the general administration and liquidation of property owned by Japanese evacuees and was concurred in by the House of Commons.

The Committee, therefore, on the recommendation of the Secretary of State, advise that the terms of reference contained in the Order in Council P C. 1810 aforesaid be amended:

1. By striking out paragraphs (a) and (b) of Clause numbered 1 and substituting the following:

"(a) that real and personal property vested in the Custodian pursuant to the above mentioned Orders was disposed of by the Custodian for less than the fair market value thereof at the time of sale resulting in loss to the Claimants equal to the difference between the amounts received from the sale and the fair market value aforesaid; and

(b) that personal property vested in the Custodian pursuant to the above mentioned Orders was lost, destroyed or stolen while in the possession or under the control of the Custodian or some person appointed by him, with the result that the claimant suffered a loss equal to the fair market value of the property at the time when the same was lost, destroyed or stolen: provided that no claim shall be considered in respect of property lost, destroyed or stolen while under the custody, control or management of any person other than the Custodian, appointed by the owner of the property."

2. By striking out the words "for failure of the Custodian to exercise reasonable care" from Clause numbered 2.

A. P. Henry.
Clerk of the Privy Council

THE SECRETARY OF STATE OF CANADA

Ottawa, September 16, 1947.

Dear Dick:

I received your letter of September 9th but did not reply at once as I was expecting that possibly your terms of reference might be extended.

Last week I had a long discussion with the Minister of Justice and eventually he agreed to recommend the extension of the terms to comply with the recommendations of the Public Accounts Committee which were concurred in by the House of Commons. This change, I think, will meet with the approval of the Japanese although it does not go as far as they would have liked in granting compensation for every conceivable loss.

I understand that Mr. Hunter and Mr. Wright are leaving next week to meet you in Vancouver and they will discuss with you the publication of an advertisement. I do not think that you could restrict the time limit to thirty days as the Japanese are widely scattered in Canada, although they are being represented by a limited number of Counsel. It would probably take the Counsel some considerable time to prepare a thousand or two claims.

I feel that the conduct of this enquiry should proceed under the auspices of the Minister of Justice and, consequently, I intend to refer correspondents to that Department.

You may have heard that last month I attended the Alpha Delta Convention in Chicago and, owing to the absence of the President, was called upon to preside. To my surprise, I was elected President for the coming year so will presumably have to attend again next year. The Vancouver Chapter had a fine delegation of three and they were very popular with the other delegates.

Yours sincerely,

The Honourable Mr. Justice H.I. Bird,
Supreme Court of British Columbia,
VICTORIA, B.C.

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Ottawa, Spptember 16, 1947.

Dear Sir:

On August 16th you wrote to the Prime Minister enclosing a resolution submitted by the Manitoba Japanese Canadian Citizen's Association. In the resolution it was recommended that Order-in-Council P.C. 1810 should be amended to extend the terms of reference.

I am happy to inform you that a further Order-in-Council has now been passed extending the terms of reference in accordance with the recommendation of the Public Accounts Committee which was approved by Parliament.

Yours very truly,

Harold A. Hirose, Esq.,
68 Kate Street,
WINNIPEG, Man.

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Ottawa, September 16, 1947.

Dear Mr. Oiye:

Some time ago, the Prime Minister forwarded me your letter of August 24th concerning Order-in-Council P.C. 1810 which appointed a Commissioner to investigate claims of Japanese Canadians from British Columbia.

The original Order-in-Council provided only for claims for losses arising from failure of the Custodian to exercise reasonable care and was considered to be too narrow in its application.

I have taken this matter up with the Minister of Justice and am glad to inform you that the original Order-in-Council has been amended to authorize the Commissioner to enquire into claims that real and personal property vested in the Custodian were disposed of for less than the fair market value at the time of sale resulting in loss to the claimants equal to the difference between the amounts received from the sale and the fair market value and also that personal property vested in the Custodian was lost, destroyed or stolen while in his possession or under his control with the result that the claimant suffered a loss equal to the fair market value of the property at the time when the same was lost, destroyed or stolen.

The Order further provides that no claim shall be considered in respect of property lost, stolen or destroyed while under the custody, control or management of any person, other than the Custodian, appointed by the owner of the property.

As you will see, the amended Order removes the necessity of proving that any loss sustained was through failure of the Custodian to exercise reasonable care and is ine line with the recommendation of the Public Accounts Committee which was approved by Parliament.

Yours very truly,

George Oiye, Esq.,
Hamilton Younger Nisei Organization,
139 Hunter Street, East,
HAMILTON, Ont.

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Ottawa, September 16, 1947.

Dear Mr. Virtue:

I refrained from replying to your letter of August 18th as consideration was being given to extending the scope of the terms of reference of the Commissioner appointed to investigate claims of Japanese Canadians.

An Order-in-Council has now been passed amending P.C. 1810, a copy of which will be forwarded to you in a few days. Under the amendment, the necessity of proving failure of the Custodian to exercise reasonable care has been deleted and the Commissioner is authorized to report on claims that real and personal property vested in the Custodian was disposed of by him for less than the fair market value thereof at the time of sale resulting in loss to the claimant equal to the difference between the amounts received from the sale and the fair market value and also that personal property vested in the Custodian was lost, destroyed or stolen while in his possession or under his control and that the claimant suffered a loss equal to the fair market value of the property at the time when the same was lost, destroyed or stolen.

There is a proviso that no claim shall be considered in respect of property lost, destroyed or stolen while under the custody, control or management of any person, other than the Custodian, appointed by the owner of the property.

I understand that the Commissioner will, in due course, publish an advertisement in respect to the filing of claims but no forms will be provided. The Commissioner will indicate the time limit for the filing of claims.

Yours very truly,

A. Gladstone Virtue, Esq., K.C.,
Messrs. Virtue & Russell,
Barristers, etc.,
LETHBRIDGE, Alta.

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Ottawa, September 16, 1947.

Dear Mr. Obata:

With reference to my previous letter to you dated the 10th of September, I am pleased to inform you that Order-in-Council P.C. 1810 has now been amended to extend the scope of the Commissioner appointed under the Enquiries Act.

Under the amended Order, the Commissioner will enquire into claims that real and personal property vested in the Custodian was disposed of by the Custodian for less than the fair market value at the time of sale resulting in loss to the claimants equal to the difference between the amounts received from the sale and the fair market value aforesaid and also "that personal property vested in the Custodian was lost, destroyed or stolen while in the possession or under the control of the Custodian or some person appointed by him, with the result that the claimant suffered a loss equal to the fair market value of the property at the time when the same was lost, destroyed or stolen".

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As you will see, the amended Order removes the necessity of proving that the Custodian failed to exercise reasonable care and is in line with the recommendation of the Public Accounts Committee which was approved by Parliament.

Yours very truly,

Roger Obata, Esq.,
346 Merton Street,
TORONTO, Ont.

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1618 St. Luke,
Montreal, P.Q.,

September 16, 1947.

Office of the Custodian,
Department of the Secretary of State,
Victoria Building,
7 O'Connor Street,
Ottawa, Ontario.

Dear Sir:

May I request a copy of the latest amendment to Order in Council P.C. 1810, dated July 18, 1947, which was announced in press reports of September 13th.

Yours truly,

Kunio Hidaka

Kunio Hidaka.

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F. G. Shears, Esq.,
Director,
Office of the Custodian,
506 Royal Bank Building,
Vancouver, B. C.

Dear Mr. Shears:

Dr. Coleman has received the enclosed letter from the Deputy Minister of Justice, dated 11th instant.

This for your information.

Yours very truly,

K. W. WRIGHT
COUNSEL TO THE CUSTODIAN

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AIR MAIL

PLEASE REFER TO FILE NO.

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Secretary of State,
OTTAWA, Ontario.

Re: Canadians of Japanese Origin

Dear Sir:

We have observed with great interest and satisfaction that the scope of the powers of the Commission in this regard has been broadened.

We presume that some regulations have been or will be laid down regarding the manner in which claims are to be presented and possibly indicating the forms which are to be used in filing claims.

We have already deposited with you something over five hundred claims but we judge that in all probability the new regulations will make it necessary to refile these claims and possibly in a different form.

We wonder if you will be kind enough at this time to forward us:

(a) Copy of all regulations in this respect.
(b) Sufficient number of forms to enable us to file the claims of our six hundred clients. If possible we would like to be furnished with these forms in quadruplicate.

Thanking you for your attention to this matter,

we are,

Yours truly,

VIRTUE & RUSSELL

Per:

AGV/F

Victoria Bldg., 7 O'Connor St.,
Ottawa, Ontario
September 12, 1947

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F. P. Varcoe, Esq., K.C.,
Deputy Minister of Justice,
Department of Justice,
Ottawa, Ontario

Re: Japanese Claims

Dear Mr. Varcoe:

In accord with your request, I enclose herewith six copies of Order in Council P.C. 1810, dated July 18th, 1947, relative to the appointment of the Commissioner, Hon. Mr. Justice Bird, to investigate claims of Japanese Evacuees.

Yours very truly,

K. W. WRIGHT
COUNSEL TO THE CUSTODIAN

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Jap Lands Sales Inquiry Extended

Ottawa, Sept. 12 (CP).—Justice Minister Ilsley announced today that the Order-in-Council providing for an inquiry into the disposition of the property of Japanese on the west coast had been broadened to meet with suggestions made by the Public Accounts Committee in its report at the recent session of parliament.

Under the changes, the commissioner, Mr. Justice Bird of the British Columbia Court of Appeals, will be able to hear claims that the property of Japanese was disposed of for less than a fair market value.

He will also be able to hear claims that personal property vested in the custodian was lost, destroyed or stolen while under the control of the custodian or a person appointed by him.

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K. W. WRIGHT,
COUNSEL TO THE CUSTODIAN OFFICE OF THE CUSTODIAN,
VICTORIA BLDG, OTTAWA.

JUDGE AWAY ALL NEXT WEEK WOULD LIKE CONFERENCE SUGGESTED ON MONDAY TWENTY SECOND OR LATER IN THAT WEEK IF THAT DATE NOT SUITABLE STOP JUDGE IS CONTACTING ME MONDAY NEXT SO IF YOU CAN MAKE ANY DEFINITE ARRANGEMENTS BEFORE THEN PLEASE ADVISE.

F. G. SHEARS,
DIRECTOR.

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PLEASE ADDRESS
THE DEPUTY MINISTER OF JUSTICE
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DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE, CANADA

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UNDER SECRETARY
OF STATE

OTTAWA September 11, 19 47

I beg to advise you that the Minister of Justice has nominated Mr. J.W.G. Hunter of the firm of Reid, Allen, Hunter & Campbell, 38 King Street, W., Toronto as counsel in connection with the proposed inquiry into the operations of the Custodian in relation to property of the Japanese evacuated from the West coast.

I am advising Mr. Hunter of his nomination.

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F. P. Varcoe
Deputy Minister

The Under Secretary of State
Department of the Secretary of State
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Victoria Bldg., 7 O'Connor St.,
Ottawa, Ontario
September 11, 1947

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F. G. Shears, Esq.,
Director,
Office of the Custodian,
506 Royal Bank Building,
Vancouver, B. C.

Re: Japanese Claims

Dear Mr. Shears:

We have for acknowledgment your communication of the 8th instant and wish to advise that two copies of Hon. Mr. Justice Thorson's Reasons for Judgment were forwarded to you with our letter of September 8th.

I attended a meeting in Hon. Mr. Ilsley's office today and Hon. Colin Gibson, Dr. Coleman and Mr. F. P. Varcoe, Deputy Minister of Justice were also present. I expect to be contacting you by telephone before the end of the week.

Yours very truly,

K. W. WRIGHT
COUNSEL TO THE CUSTODIAN

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Ottawa, September 11, 1947.

Dear Mr. Robertson,-

I have received your letter of the 10th. The Secretary of State and the Minister of Justice each received a telegram in identical terms to that received by the Prime Minister and signed by Roger Obata, as President of the National Conference of Japanese Canadian Organizations. In all cases no address is given for reply.

This morning the Minister of Justice, the Secretary of State and officials of this Department and of the Department of Justice had a lengthy meeting. The consequence is that I believe the Minister of Justice and the Secretary of State are recommending to their colleagues in Council today certain amendments to the Order in Council of July last.

The two departments have been in communication with Mr. Justice Bird, the Commissioner appointed under the Order in Council of July and I know the Commissioner is withholding publication of any advertisement for claims until the Cabinet has reached a decision as to whether or not there will be any amendment to the terms of reference. As soon as the latter point is settled, which may probably be this afternoon, the Commissioner will insert appropriate advertisements as to the procedure to be followed in filing claims and as to the sittings of the Commission.

Yours sincerely,

R. G. Robertson, Esq.,
Secretary,
Office of the Prime Minister,
O t t a w a .

E. H. Coleman
Under Secretary of State.

MINISTER OF JUSTICE AND
ATTORNEY GENERAL OF CANADA

Ottawa, 11th September, 1947.

My dear Colleague,-

This is just a note to acknowledge your letter of September 10th, enclosing copy of a telegram from Mr. Roger Obata, President of the National Conference of Japanese Canadian Organizations. I received a similar message direct from Mr. Obata.

Yours very truly,

The Honourable C. W. G. Gibson,
The Secretary of State of Canada,
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OFFICE OF THE
SEP 13 1947
Secretary of State

Ottawa, September 10, 1947.

Dear Mr. Obata:

I have received your telegram of September 10th referring to a Resolution passed in Toronto by the National Conference of Japanese Canadian Organizations on the 2nd of September.

I am bringing your representations to the attention of the Minister of Justice for his consideration.

Yours very truly,

Roger Obata, Esq.,
346 Merton Street,
TORONTO, Ont.

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September 10, 1947.

My dear Colleague:

I am enclosing herewith copy of telegram received from Roger Obata, President of the National Conference of Japanese Canadian Organizations which met recently in Toronto.

As you will see, they strongly protest against the present narrow Terms of Reference under which the Commissioner will report on Japanese claims.

Yours sincerely,

The Right Honourable J. L. Ilsley,
Minister of Justice,
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MINISTER OF VETERANS AFFAIRS

CANADA

Ottawa, September 10th, 1947.

PRIVATE AND CONFIDENTIAL

My dear Colleague:

In connection with the investigation which I understand is soon to be undertaken by the Custodian of Enemy Estates, in connection with the disposal of Japanese property on the Pacific Coast, it is possible that appointments will be necessary of Counsel and other officials to assist Mr. Justice Bird in his Commission.

In this connection I am forwarding to you herewith a memorandum which outlines the experience of Major A. R. Mackenzie, Vancouver Club, Vancouver, who has, over a period of twenty years, had considerable experience in valuation in British Columbia.

In the event of there being room on the contemplated staff for a man of Major Mackenzie's ability, I take pleasure in bringing his name to your attention.

Yours sincerely,

The Honourable Colin Gibson,
Secretary of State,
Ottawa, Ontario.

	managed by that firm.
Aug.-Dec. 1934	Assisting F. Freer Brock, Investment Manager of the Great West Life Assurance Coy., Vancouver, B. C.
1935 - 1938	Licensed Real Estate Agent in Vancouver, B. C.
1939 - 1942	Valuator with the Real Estate firm of Boultbee, Sweet & Coy., Ltd., Vancouver, B. C.
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EXPERIENCE OF A. R. MACKENZIE

Registered Professional Engineer
of the Province of
British Columbia.

1889 - 1893	Engineering apprenticeship in Inverness, Scotland.
1893 - 1896	Assistant Engineer with the Highland Railway Company, Inverness, Scotland.
1896 - 1907	Engineer on Railway location and construction with the Natal Government Railways, South Africa, terminating services as First Assistant Engineer.
1907 - 1909	Resident Engineer of Necaxa Hydraulic-fill Dam, Mexican Light and Power Company, Mexico.
1909 - 1911	Resident Engineer in Charge of the Construction of the Stave Falls Hydro-electric installation of the Western Canada Power Company at Ruskin, British Columbia.
1911 - 1916	In private consulting engineering practice in Vancouver, B. C.
1916 - 1919	Overseas, Major and Company Commander, 3rd Battalion, Canadian Railway Troops.
1919 - 1922	Harbour Commissioner of the Port of Vancouver, B. C.
1923 - 1925	Manager of the Vernon Irrigation District, Vernon, B. C.
1926 - 1928	Engineer to the Town planning Commission of the City of Vancouver.
1928 - 1929	By appointment of the City Council completely reassessed, for taxation purposes, the value of all lands in the City of North Vancouver, B. C., 11,000 parcels, assessed value $9,727,000.
1929 - 1930	By appointment of the City Council, Advisory Valuator to the Assessment Commissioner of the City of Vancouver.
1930 - 1931	In land valuation practice in Vancouver, B. C. Arranged, and gave evidence for the Appellants in, the only two successful Supreme Court Assessment Appeals of 1931.
1931 - 1934	In the employment of Macaulay, Nicolls, Maitland & Coy., Vancouver, handling the arrears of rent situation in respect of all down-town properties in Vancouver managed by that firm.
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THE HONOURABLE C W G GIBSON
SECRETARY OF STATE OTTAWA ONT 858

SIR: WE RESPECTFULLY BRING TO YOUR ATTENTION THE FOLLOWING RESOLUTION SUBMITTED BY THE NATIONAL CONFERENCE OF JAPANESE CANADIAN ORGANIZATIONS WHICH WAS CONCLUDED ON TUESDAY SEPTEMBER SECOND 1947 STOP

RESOLUTION WHEREAS, BY ORDER IN COUNCIL, P.C. 1810, THE GOVERNMENT HAS AUTHORIZED THE CLAIMS COMMISSIONER TO INVESTIGATE ONLY THOSE CLAIMS

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ROGER OBATA PRESIDENT

OFFICE OF THE PRIME MINISTER
CANADA

1947 SEP 11 AM 9:01
UNDER SECRETARY
OF STATE

Ottawa, September 10, 1947.

Dr. E. H. Coleman, K.C.,
Under Secretary of State,
Secretary of State Department,
Ottawa.

Dear Dr. Coleman:

I am enclosing herewith, a copy of a telegram which has been received from the President of the National Conference of Japanese Canadian Organizations. As no address is given and as the conference has apparently terminated, there would seem to be no need for any reply to be sent, but you will no doubt be interested in the resolution.

The Prime Minister receives from time to time letters and representations of this sort about the terms of reference of the Commissioner to investigate Japanese claims. In order to be better acquainted with the situation, I wonder if you could tell me whether anything further has been done about the Commission, either as to terms of reference or as to the initiation of ~~these~~ its proceedings. I believe that Mr. F. A. Brewin of Toronto was going to meet Col. Gibson and Mr. Ilsley some time ago to discuss the former point.

Yours sincerely,

R G Robertson

(R. G. Robertson)
Secretary.

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AND, AS WE ARE MINDFUL OF THE DEMOCRATIC PRINCIPLES UNDER WHICH WE ARE GOVERNED,

HEREBY DECLARE OUR STRONG PROTEST AGAINST THE PRESENT NARROW TERMS OF REFERENCE AND RESPECTFULLY STATE THAT ONLY A BROAD MEANS OF RESTITUTION WHICH WILL ENCOMPASS ALL ECONOMIC LOSSES SUFFERED AS A RESULT OF THE FORCED EVACUATION CAN JUSTIFY THE INTERPRETATION OF SIMPLE BRITISH JUSTICE AND FAIR PLAY PROMISED TO THE JAPANESE CANADIAN EVACUEES BY THE GOVERNMENT VERY SINCERELY YOURS

ROGER OBATA PRESIDENT.



Victoria B.C.

Sept 9th. 47

My dear Colin.

Can you give me any information as to developements on Brewin's application to yourself for a broadening of the terms of reference in the Japanese matter.

The court opens its fall session today. I'm anxious to let the other members of the court know when the Commission will

Take me away from my ordinary court duties.

In any event I will sit here until the appeals in three capital cases are disposed of. These will probably keep us busy for the better part of the next two weeks.

I'm ready to publish the advertisement for Jurors immediately I hear from your department in regard to the terms of reference

I think that a minimum of thirty days from the publication of the advertisement should be given intending claimants to file their formal claims. I do not propose to receive claims subsequent to the expiration of that period unless some reasonable explanation is furnished for the delay. Have you any comment to make on this time limit.

It follows that the hearings cannot open until mid October at the earliest. I've not heard of the appointment of counsel. Would the glad to hear from you on these points. So soon as may be convenient.

Kind regards.

Sincerely,

A. L. Smith

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UNDER SECRETARY OF STATE

MEMORANDUM FOR DR. COLEMAN

RE: Japanese Claims

In the course of a telephone call with our Vancouver Office this morning, Mr. Shears stressed that Hon. Mr. Justice Bird is concerned about claims lodged by Japanese for losses sustained for personal property which was lost, destroyed or stolen while under Custodian control.

Mr. Shears referred to the following situation:

The goods of two persons of the Japanese race were removed by the Custodian to our warehouse at 992 Powell Street, Vancouver. The first lot was sold at auction and the Japanese received a fair market price. Numerous articles in the second lot were stolen with resultant loss to the original owner.

I informed Mr. Shears that I would bring this to your attention.

Evidence of Custodian's officials will prove that night patrols were engaged by the Custodian and that the local police were asked to take every precaution to protect the premises. In the face of this, I think it would be difficult for the Commissioner to find that the Custodian failed to exercise reasonable and proper care as provided for in P.C. 1810, dated July 18, 1947 (copy of which is attached), and yet the Japanese admittedly suffered a loss.

You will note that the Order in Council provides that the Commissioner shall examine into each claim and make a report to the Governor in Council. I do not think there will be a large number of cases such as Mr. Shears refers to, and therefore suggest that the Commissioner be advised to make a special report on these claims and recommend to the Governor in Council that on compassionate grounds, claimants should be awarded sums to cover their losses. The Commissioner should, of course, be asked to determine the amount which, in his opinion, would reasonably compensate the claimant in each case.

K. W. WRIGHT

KWW/JF
Encl.

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8th September, 1947.

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K. W. Wright, Esq.,
Counsel to the Custodian,
Office of the Custodian,
Victoria Building,
Ottawa, Ont.

Dear Mr. Wright:

Mr. Justice Bird returned from Dutch Lake Guest Ranch on Sunday and telephoned to me in the evening. He was leaving for Victoria where the Court of Appeal is sitting to review three murder cases and he thinks that he may be away about two weeks.

The Judge wrote to Dr. Coleman on August 23rd stating that before advertising for claims he would await the possibility of any change in the Terms of Reference as a result of further consideration which might be given by the Cabinet after Mr. Brewin's interview with Ministers Ilsley and Gibson. I advised him that I had not heard anything from Ottawa in this connection and he asked me to contact him in Victoria should I receive any information in the near future.

Mr. Justice Bird asked if I would write to the Registrar of the Exchequer Court and ask, on his behalf, for a copy of Judge Thorson's Reasons in the Judgment which we understand was recently delivered. I promised to do this, but it occurs to me that it would be more in order for Dr. Coleman, or the Ottawa office, to make this request. Will you see that some action is taken in this regard and advise me regarding same. It would be appreciated if this judgment could be sent to me and after perusal I would hand it to Mr. Justice Bird.

Yours very truly,

F G Shears

F. G. Shears,
Director.

FGS/PMH

September 8, 1947

MEMORANDUM FOR DR. COLEMAN

I enclose herewith two copies of Hon. Mr. Justice Thorson's reasons for judgment in Nakashima v. His Majesty The King; Wakabayashi v. His Majesty The King, and Tanaka v. His Majesty The King.

K. W. WRIGHT

KWW/JF
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MEMORANDUM FOR DR. COLEMAN

A letter has been received from Mr. Shears, as follows:

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This for your information.

K. W. WRIGHT

KWW/JF

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Victoria Bldg., 7 O'Connor St.,
Ottawa, Ontario
September 8, 1947

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F. G. Shears, Esq.,
Director,
Office of the Custodian,
506 Royal Bank Building,
Vancouver, B. C.

Dear Mr. Shears:

We have for acknowledgment your communication of the 4th instant.

Sorry that due to pressure of work it was not possible to send you copies of Mr. Justice Thorson's reasons for judgment earlier. Two copies are enclosed (one for Hon. Mr. Justice Bird). These are self-explanatory.

I will write you later respecting Japanese claims, as Dr. Coleman informed me in the course of an interview this morning that he would discuss the matter with Colonel Gibson and advise as to what action, if any, may be taken in regard to the terms of reference.

Yours very truly,

K. W. WRIGHT
COUNSEL TO THE CUSTODIAN

KWW/JF
Encl.

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The Secretary of State,

Ottawa, Ontario.

Dear Sir:

Re: Japanese commission

We enclose a copy of our airmail letter of August 18th and shall much appreciate hearing from you in this regard.

Thanking you, we are,

Yours truly,

VIRTUE & RUSSELL,

Per:

AGV/mh

Enc.

COPY

August 18, 1947.

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The Secretary of State,
Ottawa, Ontario.

Dear Sir:

Re: Japanese Commission

We presume that some regulations will be passed under P.C. 1810 and some form set up for filing claims.

We shall feel obliged if you will kindly furnish us with a half dozen copies of the Regulations and approximately one thousand copies of the form to be used for filing claims. From correspondence already on file you will notice that we expect to present some five hundred or six hundred claims.

Also let us know if any further steps have been taken since the publication of the Order-in-Council on the 18th day of July.

Thanking, you, we are,

Yours truly,

VIRTUE & RUSSELL,

Per:

AGV/mh

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Vancouver, B. C.,
September 4, 1947.

K. W. Wright, Esq.,
Counsel to the Custodian,
Office of the Custodian,
Victoria Building,
7 O'Connor Street,
Ottawa, Ontario.

Dear Ken:

I presume Miss Foy will have returned to Ottawa and will have reported on our visit with Miss Secchi to Vancouver Island.

I understood from Miss Foy that your holiday was cut short very soon after you went away. I was very sorry to hear this and hope you were able to get away again. I am wondering what cropped up to upset your arrangements.

Mr. MacLennan was speaking to me on the telephone and I understand that Judge Thorson has delivered a judgment in favour of the Custodian. I will be interested to hear from you in this connection. Two of the three cases involved are desiring to sell their property at a set price and I have informed them that we will have no objection if they will request Norris & MacLennan to so advise us.

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September 4, 1947.

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How did Douglas get along at the office during the summer? I hope you are feeling well and that Mrs. Wright enjoyed her holiday.

Yours sincerely,

Frank G.

FGS/AC

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506 ROYAL BANK BLDG.
HASTINGS AND GRANVILLE
VANCOUVER, B. C.

September 3, 1947.

The Honourable Mr. Justice Henry I. Bird,
Court House,
Vancouver, B. C.

Dear Mr. Justice Bird:

For your information, the following appeared in the New Canadian this week:

"BREWIN URGES INQUIRY TERMS SHOULD BE ON U.S. PATTERN
Cabinet to Meet on Matter and Make Early Decision.

"TORONTO. - Andrew Brewin, legal counsel for the Toronto Co-operative Committee on Japanese Canadians, discussed the evacuation losses inquiry with Minister of Justice J. L. Ilsley and Secretary of State Colin Gibson, in an interview in Ottawa this week, Tuesday, August 26.

"Mr. Brewin again presented the Co-operative Committee's contention that the present terms of reference under which the Commissioner, Mr. Justice Henry I. Bird, is to conduct the inquiry, was too narrow and did not do Justice.

"He urged that the order-in-council setting up the Commission be amended so as to provide that all losses reasonably and naturally arising out of the evacuation orders should be compensated for on the same lines as in the evacuation claims bill before Congress as presented by the government of the United States.

"Mr. Brewin also pointed out the terms of reference were considerably narrower than that which was indicated in the statement made by the Prime Minister on January 24, 1947, and the recommendation by the Public Accounts committee.

"The Ministers discussed the question thoroughly with Mr. Brewin and intimated that the matter would be referred to the Cabinet and an early decision would be made whether the orders would be amended or not.

"Mrs. Hugh MacMillan of the Co-operative Committee, and George Tanaka, chairman of the Toronto Japanese Canadian Committee for Democracy, accompanied Mr. Brewin to Ottawa"

Yours very truly,

F. G. Shears,
Director.

FGS/AC

Ottawa, September 3, 1947.

Roger Provost, Esq.,
Provincial Secretary,
CCF - Quebec Section,
307 York Building,
1502 St. Catherine Street West,
Montreal 25, Quebec.

Dear Sir:

I wish to acknowledge your letter of September 2nd which you addressed to the Prime Minister on behalf of the Quebec Section of the Cooperative Commonwealth Federation, with reference to the Commission set up by the government to investigate claims of losses resulting from the sale by the Custodian of property owned by persons of Japanese origin, and urging that as fair a settlement as possible be made by the government.

Yours sincerely,

G. J. Matte,
Private Secretary.

Ottawa, September 3, 1947.

Rev. A. Lloyd Smith,
Dominion-Douglas Church,
The Boulevard and Lansdowne Avenue,
Westmount, Quebec.

Dear Sir:

I wish to acknowledge your letter of August 25th which you addressed to the Prime Minister, with reference to the Commission set up by the government to investigate claims of losses resulting from the sale by the Custodian of property owned by persons of Japanese origin, and urging that as fair a settlement as possible be made by the government in all cases where a loss was suffered whether before or after the Custodian of Enemy Property was appointed.

I have been directed to advise that note has been made of your representations.

Yours sincerely,

G. J. Matte,
Private Secretary.

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September 2, 1947

Rt. Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King,
Prime Minister of Canada,
Ottawa, Ontario

Dear Sir:

The Quebec Section of the Cooperative Commonwealth Federation would like to join its plea to the pleas of other fair-minded Canadians who are urging the Government to accord just treatment to Canadian citizens of Japanese origin who were forced to suffer loss of property due to evacuation from British Columbia coastal areas.

As the situation now stands, the Government, although it has gone on record as being prepared to remedy injustice where property of these Canadians has been sold at less than fair market value, is allowing claims only where loss can be proved to have been incurred "by reason of the failure of the Custodian to exercise reasonable care".

The CCF - Quebec Section feels, in common with many other individual citizens and groups of citizens, that in justice the Government should, rather, provide compensation in all cases where property has been disposed of at less than a fair market value. Where loss occurred, suffering from that loss was equally great whether it was due to a failure of the Custodian of Alien Property to exercise reasonable care or whether it occurred in spite of the care exercised by the Custodian, and it is this loss which should be compensated.

We trust that the Government will review its stand on this question and adopt a method of procedure more in keeping with principles of justice.

Very truly yours,

CCF - QUEBEC SECTION

Roger Provost

Roger Provost,
Provincial Secretary

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MOTOR VEHICLES

	File No.	Case No.	Vehicle	Make	Model	Year	Gross Claim	Appraiser	Appraisal	Sale Price	Date of Sale
1 comp	8645	17 ✓	T.46	Ford Panel Del.	B	1933	350.00	Grone-McDermott Motors	145.00	145.00	Sept. 14/42
	4599	✓ 24 ✓	V.15	Plymouth Sedan	P8	1939	1,000.00	W.A.Davis,Davis-Drake Motors	735.00	667.25	Oct.21/42
	13086) 14095)	56 ✓	T.125	Chevrolet Panel Del. (¾-1 TON	1604	1936	500.00	Grone-McDermott Motors	320.00	270.00	Sept. 2/42
	12966	57 ✓	T.97	Stewart 1-ton		1929	750.00	Grone-McDermott Motors	130.00	130.00	Sept. 21/42
	3353	58	T.62	Dodge Truck (2 TON Express	DB 116	1940	1,500.00	Grone-McDermott Motors	750.00	750.00	May 16/42
	3353	✓ 58 ✓	C.109	Dodge Sedan	D 13	1939	1,250.00	Cruise-Cons. Motors (Grone #625	800.00	625.00	July 20/42
no comp	9379	60 ✓	T.137	Ford 2-ton Platform		1940	1,000.00	Grone-McDermott Motors	700.00	700.00	May 16/42
	5552	✓ 68 ✓	C.65	Chevrolet Sedan	Int.	1929	200.00	Cruise-Cons.Motors	25.00	25.00	Sept. 21/42
	5552	68 ✓	T.120	International ½-ton	C 35	1937	800.00	Grone-McDermott Motors	525.00	525.00	May 16/42 570-m
	5552	68 ✓	T.121	International ½-ton	A 2	1933	375.00	Grone-McDermott Motors	175.00	201.75	Aug.15/42 240-m
	6681	✓ 93 ✓	C.28	Ford Sedan	V8	1939	850.00	Cruise-Cons. Motors (Grone	650.00 (525	475.00	Aug.20/42
	4685	116 ✓	T.41	Chevrolet ¾-1-Ton Platform		1927	150.00	Grone-McDermott Motors	35.00	30.00	Sept.21/42
	681	117 ✓ +	C.38	Pontiac Coach	6-29	1929	150.00	Cruise-Cons. Motors	~~30.00~~ 50.00	40.00	Oct. 1/42
	7857	✓ 159 ✓	C.22	Chevrolet Coach	Nat.	1928	150.00	Cruise-Cons. Motors	50.00	50.00	Aug.17/42
	4741	161 ✓	T.66	International ¾-1 Ton	CA 1	1934	700.00	Grone-McDermott Motors	195.00	200.00	Aug.22/42 200-m
	10735	✓ 163 ✓	C.98	Plymouth Coupe	P.3	1937	895.00	Cruise-Cons. Motors	550.00	495.00	Sept.14/42
	10735	✓ 163 ✓	C.104	Graham Coupe	Std.6	1929	250.00	Cruise-Cons. Motors	25.00	25.00	Aug.18/42
	10735	163 ✓	T.136	Studebaker Wrecker	Big 6	1928	750.00	Grone-McDermott Motors	105.00	95.00	Sept.22/42

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File	Case	Vehicle Make		Model	Year	Gross Claim	Appraiser	Appraisal	Sale Price	Date of Sale
1380	170	T.65	International Panel ½ ¾-1 TON	C-1	1935	700.00	Grone-McDermott Motors	270.00	260.00	Sept.9/42 200-M
8684	199	T.20	International platform	K.3	1941	1,300.00		1,100.00	1,100.00	July 23/42 1300-M
8047	210	C.141	Chevrolet Coach	IND	1931	200.00	Cruise-Consol.Motors	25.00	80.00	Aug.17/42
9609	211	C.42	Dodge Sedan	D 11	1938	1,000.00	Cruise-Consol. Motors	700.00	600.00	Aug.21/42
1 Comp 6775	229	T.33	Chevrolet Pickup ½ - ¾ TON	155	1934	300.00	Grone-McDermott Motors	175.00	175.00	Aug.21/42
7882	244	C.72	Ford Coach	A	1931	325.00	Cruise-Cons. Motors	200.00	175.00	Sept.2/42
9602	251	C.23	Mercury Sedan	09A	1940	1,150.00	Cruise-Cons.Motors	900.00	785.00	May 27/42
2316	258	T.61	International Pickup ¾ TON	K2	1941	1,200.00	Grone-McDermott Motors	865.00	900.00	Aug.21/42 900-M
11007	334	C.79	Chrysler Coupe	72	1928	200.00	Cruise-Cons. Motors	75.00	75.00	Sept.19/42
1460	391	C.15	Chevrolet Coupe	160	~~1924~~ 1934) Claim:	350.00	Cruise-Cons. Motors	25.00	125.00	Sept.1/42
11114	392	T.240	Ford Truck ~~3-ton~~ platform 2 - 2½ TON		1938	1,250.00	Grone-McDermott Motors	600.00	600.00	May 24/42
8710	429	T.156	Chevrolet Conf.Delivery ½ - ¾ TON		1932	175.00	Grone-McDermott Motors	95.00	125.00	Sept. 8/42
1 comp 3925	462	T.40	Ford Light Delivery ½ - ¾ TON		1929	150.00	Grone-McDermott Motors	50.00	50.00	Aug.26/42
4965	464	T.231	International Truck platform	D.15 ¾ ~ 1	1938	725.00	Grone-McDermott Motors	400.00	375.00	Sept.27/42 500-M
comp 5440	470	T.92	Ford Light Delivery ½ - ¾ TON	81-C	1938	674.40 ?	Grone-McDermott Motors	405.00	385.00	Sept.2/42
		(Claim is for $300.00, the amt. pd. by claimant on purchase price of car - the lien was $374.40)								
3445	473	T.213	Chevrolet Light Del. ½ - ¾ TON	155	1933	500.00	Grone-McDermott	175.00	188.12	P.C.U.Sale
2877	479	T.198	International ½ T 1 - 1½ TON platform	C.30	1936	900.00	Grone-McDermott	526.00	564.45	P.C.U.Sale 400-M

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	File	Case	Vehicle Make		Model	Year	Gross Claim	Appraiser	Appraisal	Sale Price	Date of Sale
	5439	489	C.96	Nash Sedan	Adv.	1926	250.00	Cruise-Consol. Motors	25.00	25.00	Sept.3/42
	2865	490	-	Ford Truck		1929	175.00	(Owner accepted price of $125.00)		125.00	Sept.20/43
1 Comp	8642	508	T.59	Chevrolet Pickup ½-¾ TON	1503	1936	600.00	Grone-McDermott Motors	300.00	300.00	Aug.27/42
	3413	522	T.23	Ford Light Delivery ½-¾ TON		1936	475.00	Grone-McDermott Motors	245.00	295.00	Sept. 1/42
	3851	528	T.34	Chevrolet Truck 1 TON platform	1433	1939	1,025.00	Grone-McDermott Motors	650.00	625.00	Aug.14/42
	3885	559	T.89	Federal Truck ¾-1 TON Express	F.W.	1927	150.00	Grone-McDermott Motors	20.00	20.00	Sept. 11/42
	3885	559	T.90	Federal Truck 2½-3 TON platform	18	1936	1,800.00	Grone-McDermott Motors	400.00	1,235.00	Aug.22/42
	3107	565	C.99	Ford Touring Fordor		1935	650.00	Cruise-Consol. Motors	375.00	360.00	Aug.17/42
	3107	565	T.103	Ford Truck ½-2 TON platform	817T	1938	1,100.00	Grone-McDermott Motors	550.00	550.00	May 20/42
	5305	596	T.122	Graham Paige Truck ¾-1 TON Express	615	1929	335.00	Grone-McDermott Motors	10.00	10.00	Sept. 19/42
1 Comp	3947	610	T.31	Ford Light Delivery	A	1929	175.00	Grone-McDermott Motors	65.00	55.00	Sept. 4/42
	4703	618	C.32	Chevrolet Sedan	12.19	1937	600.00	Cruise-Consol. Motors	600.00	510.00	Dec.1/42
	3847	626	T.11	Chevrolet Truck Int.Util.Exp. 1 TON		1929	200.00	Grone-McDermott Motors	45.00	40.00	Sept.21/42
	4531	653	C.8	Buick Sedan	30-47	1929	200.00	Cruise-Consol. Motors	75.00	65.00	Sept.4/42
Comp	9632	655	T.100	Ford Light Delivery	V.8	1935	450.00	Grone-McDermott Motors	250.00	250.00	Sept. 10/42
	5554	706	C.24	Pontiac Spec.Sedan	402	1932	300.00	Cruise-Consol.Motors	150.00	130.00	Aug.21/42
	5554	706	T.54	Rugby Truck 1-1½ TON platform	616-B	1934	400.00	Grone-McDermott Motors	95.00	80.00	Sept.21/42
	5554	706	T.55	Chevrolet Truck ½ TON platform	157 Std.	1932	300.00	Grone-McDermott Motors	105.00	105.00	Sept.10/42

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2 comp	5176	725	T.50	Ford Light Delivery 1/2 ton	67	1936	500.00	Grone-McDermott Motors	320.00	260.00	Sept.3/42
	4533	730	C.13	Ford Sedan	A	1928	200.00	Cruise-Consol.Motors	75.00	65.00	Aug.21/42
	4844	764	C.89	Pontiac Sedan	22-19	1941	1,250.00	Cruise-Consol.Motors	900.00	900.00	May 29/42 RCMP
	9518	814 only	T.64	International Truck 3/4 ton panel	C-1	1937	600.00	Grone-McDermott Motors	365.00	380.00	Aug.15/42 300-24.
1 comp	4833	830	T.242	Chevrolet Light Del. 1/2 ton	155	1934	700.00	Grone-McDermott Motors	250.00	275.00	Aug.17/42
5 comp	3765	834	T.26	Chevrolet Light Del.	13-14	1938	700.00	Grone-McDermott Motors	525.00	576.00	Aug.19/42
comp	2857	835	T.165	Ford Light Delivery	A	1929	200.00	Grone-McDermott Motors	90.00	96.75	P.C.U.Sale
	8664	836	T.29	Chevrolet Pickup 1 TON platform	1503	1936	550.00	Grone-McDermott Motors	425.00	475.00	Aug.20/42
	3265	851	T.232	Dodge Truck 1 TON platform	ME31	1937	540.00	Grone-McDermott Motors	400.00	400.00	Sept.10/42
	4943	852	T.104	G.M.C.Pick-up Truck 1/2 ton - 3/4 ton	93.14	1940	900.00	Grone-McDermott Motors	675.00	707.00	Aug.19/42
	5963	854	T.77	Ford Light Delivery	77	1937	500.00	Grone-McDermott Motors	320.00	300.00	Sept.8/42
	4235	855	T.9	Ford Pickup 1/2 ton	Ø 1 T	1939	700.00	Grone-McDermott Motors	500.00	550.00	Aug.18/42
	4206	960	T.8	Ford Light Delivery	V-8	1937	500.00	Grone-McDermott Motors	331.00	305.00	Aug.24/42
	8619	991	C.1	Ford Town Sedan	A	1930	275.00	Cruise-Consol.Motors	100.00	90.00	Sept.9/42
	~~7712~~ 7026	1026	T.22	International Truck 1 TON Express	A.W.I. 3/4	1930	250.00	Grone-McDermott Motors	105.00	105.00	Sept.15/42 75-M
	5060	1046	T.202	Ford Light Delivery	A	1938	275.00	Grone-McDermott Motors	75.00	80.62	P.C.U.Sale
	9208	1083	T.21	Chevrolet Truck 1 1/2 TON platform	131	1931	200.00	Grone-McDermott Motors	75.00	80.00	Sept.4/42
	4829	1330	C.25	Pontiac Coach	26.11	1937	700.00	Cruise-Consol.Motors (also Grone	550.00 / 375.00	375.00	Aug.17/42

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6659	1333	✓	T.144 Chevrolet Conf.Truck 1½ TON platform		1932	600.00	Grone-McDermott Motors	95.00	175.00	Sept.9/42
2887	1356	✓	C.9 Chevrolet Coach		1927	150.00	Cruise-Consol. Motors	25.00	25.00	Aug.21/42
2977	1357	✓	C.94 Ford Sedan	H	1938	500.00	Cruise-Consol.Motors	575.00	296.00	Apr.7/43 Why not sold?
11191	1361	✓	C.17 Oldsmobile Sedan	36.19	1940	1,400.00	Cruise-Consol Motors	1,000.00	850.00	Sept.2/42
2 Camp 11191	1361	✓	T.58 Chevrolet Panel ½-¾ TON	16-04	1937	500.00	Grone McDermott-Motors-Grone	2 750 380.00	310.00	Sept.4/42
3889	1363	✓	C.16 Studebaker Sedan		1938	1,200.00	Cruise-Consol. Motors	850.00	650.00	Sept.14/42
10897	1365	✓	C.5 Auburn Sedan	8.77	1928	300.00	Grone Cruise-Consol.Motors	2 425 25.00	30.00	Aug.21/42
2341	1379	✓	T.93 Chevrolet Delivery 1 TON platform	16-21	1936	450.00	Grone-McDermott Motors	310.00	310.00	Sept.11/42
10465	862	✓	T.226 Ford Truck 1½-2 TON platform	DB51	1936	650.00	Grone-McDermott Motors	326.50	350.95	P.C.E.Sale
5453	91	✓	T.221 International Lgt.Del. ½	D2	1939	850.00	Grone-McDermott Motors	525.00	475.00	Sept.3/42 -300-2m
3953	495	✓	T.15 Ford Express ¾-1 TON	2B	1941	1,250.00	Grone-McDermott Motors	660.00	660.00	Aug.14/42
3953	495	✓	T.16 International Truck 1½T 1½-2 TON platform	D.30	1939	1,150.00	Grone-McDermott Motors	750.00	750.00	May 19/42 650-2m
3953	495	✓	T.17 Star Truck	T1.U.R.	1925	50.00	Grone-McDermott Motors	10.00	Abandoned	
4073	605	✓	T.2 Dodge Truck -Express ¾-1 TON	R.D.21	1938	800.00	Grone-McDermott Motors	475.00	380.00	Aug.25/42

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10824	34	C55	Chevrolet Sedan	12.19	1941	1,050.00	Cruise-Consol.Motors Grone-McDermott Motors	900.00 875.00	875.00	Aug.31/42
10824	34	C.56	Chevrolet Sedan	12.19	1941	1,050.00	Cruise-Consol.Motors Grone-McDermott Motors	900.00 875.00	875.00	Aug.31/42
10824	34	C.57	Chevrolet Sedan	12.19	1941	1,050.00	Cruise-Consol.Motors Grone-McDermott Motors	900.00 875.00	875.00	Aug.31/42 RCMP
10824	34	C.58	Chevrolet Sedan	12.19	1941	1,050.00	Cruise-Consol.Motors Grone-McDermott Motors	900.00 875.00	875.00	Aug.31/42
10824	34	C.59	Chevrolet Sedan	12.19	1941	1,050.00	Cruise-Consol.Motors Grone-McDermott Motors	900.00 865.00	865.00	Aug.31/42
8698	1110	T.134	Ford Truck with Hydraulic Hoist ½-¾ Ton	A	1931	200.00	Grone-McDermott Motors	75.00	100.00	Sept.2/42
8694	1121	Misc.	Ford Sedan	V8	1938	800.00	Not known	575.00	490.00	Nov.10/42
9011	1122	T.18	Chevrolet Truck Pickup	13-14	1939	600.00	Grone-McDermott Motors	400.00	400.00	Aug.27/42
8786	1138	T.106	Chevrolet Pickup	14.23	1940	850.00	Grone-McDermott Motors	725.00	725.00	May 20/42
3050	1114	C.139	Ford Deluxe Coach	V.8	1933	350.00	Cruise-Consol. Motors	150.00	140.00	Sept.22/42
6366	172	C.47	Ford Sedan Fordor	A	1930	300.00	Cruise-Consol.Motors	75.00	95.00	Aug.19/42
9341	216	T.35	Willys Panel Truck		1937	450.00	Grone-McDermott Motors	275.00	275.00	Sept.10/42
9341	216	T.37	Chevrolet Panel ½-¾ TON	112	1934	600.00	Grone-McDermott Motors	235.00	200.00	Aug.24/42
5302	113	C.100	Ford Tudor Coach	78	1937	600.00	Grone-McDermott Motors	280.00	255.00	Aug.21/42
4460	218	T.99	Federal Knight Truck		1926	75.00	Grone-McDermott Motors	25.00	25.00	Sept.16/42
3769	309	Misc.	Steward Truck 3 Ton		1929	1,250.00	Grone-McDermott Motors	250.00	500.00	May 31/42
3769	309	Misc.	Federal Truck 3 Ton	18F	1937	2,500.00	Grone-McDermott Motors	822.00	822.00	March/43

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13004	525	T.45	Ford Light Delivery	A	1929	150.00	Grone-McDermott Motors	35.00	40.00	Sept.4/42
6892	530	T.3	Ford Truck 1½-2 TON platform	81-T	1938	850.00	Grone-McDermott Motors	550.00	550.00	May 19/42
11730	569	T.80	Chevrolet Pickup	15-03	1937	750.00	Grone-McDermott Motors	330.00	365.00	Aug.25/42
5956	614	Misc.	Federal Truck 2 ton (repair #68115)	1½	1937	1,200.00	Grone-McDermott Motors	284.85	750.00	Auction-Apr.18/44
6456) 15647)	1089	C.147	Chevrolet Sedan	12.19	1941	1,350.00	Cruise-Consol.Motors Grone-McDermott Motors	1,025.00 900.00	900.00	Aug.31/42 RCMP
10108	29	C.21	Buick Sedan	4499S	1936	900.00	Cruise-Consol.Motors	600.00	525.00	Sept.4/42
9364	408	T.214	Chevrelet Truck 1½Ton	Int.	1932	150.00	Grone-McDermott Motors	65.00	69.87	P.C.U.Sale
1445	164	Misc.	Willys Knight Sedan		1928	400.00	Golleur, Steveston	60.00	56.00	Auction Mar.31/44
5129	165	C.84	Dodge Coupe	D20	1941)	2,275.00	Cruise-Consol.Motors	1,000.00	975.00	Aug.6/42
5129	165	T.145	Dodge Panel	DD 116	1941)		Grone-McDermott Motors	1,025.00	950.00	Aug.14/42
5162	474	Misc.	Ford Light Delivery	T	1921	50.00	Not known		15.00	Sept.12/42
5162	474	Misc.	Ford Truck	V8	1935	800.00	Not known (Gross Claim for 2 trucks $868.00-Transcript gives values shown)		375.00	Sept.12/42
3877	604	C.36	Ford Sedan		1937	700.00	Cruise-Consol.Motors	550.00	300.00	Aug.22/42
4986	637	T.71	Ford Truck ½ TON platform	B	1933	348.00	Grone-McDermott Motors	165.00	270.00	Aug.19/42
11185	588	T.151	Stewart Truck ¾-1 TON express	21X	1929	200.00	Grone-McDermott	15.00	15.00	Sept.11/42
7042	585	C.137	Dodge Sedan	C.4	1936	750.00	Cruise-Consol. Motors	550.00	475.00	Aug.27/42
3921	526	T.73	InternationalTruck 2 Ton	K.5	1941	1,500.00	Grone-McDermott	1,025.00	1,025.00	May 20/42
11495	402	Misc.	Fargo Panel Delivery	F.D.1	1936	650.00	Dezall's Garage,	125.00	125.00	Dec.1/42
11495	402	Misc.	Dodge Sedan	D.15	1940	1,000.00	Dezall's Garage	800.00	800.00	Nov.11/42

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XI.249	1068	Misc.	Plymouth Custom Sedan	P12	1941	1,369.50	R.A.Berry,City Service	1,000.00	875.00	Sept.1942
936	1165	C.126	Buick Coach	44-11	1937	1,350.00	Cruise-Consol.Motors	600.00	550.00	Sept.15/42
5961	1162	T.160	Ford Light Del.	18 11	1941	900.00	Grone-McDermott Motors	653.00	701.97	P.C.U.Sale
7025	1157	V.12	Mercury Sedan		1941	1,660.00	Davis, Davis-Drake Motors	1,150.00	1,075.00	Aug.27/42
2751	950	T.148	Chevrolet Light Delivery		1930	125.00	Grone-McDermott Motors	25.00	25.00	Sept.9/42
1508	942	M.4	Indian Motorcycle	QUAD	1930	500.00	Grone-McDermott Motors	120.00	175.00	Aug.20/42
8060	933	C.150	Ford Std.Coupe	85	1937	650.00	(Transferred by claimant to A.Williams.Repossessed by lien-holder)			
3913	932	T.48	International Truck 2 TON platform	C-30	1936	800.00	Grone-McDermott Motors	300.00	500.00	Aug.22/42
12234	927	V.22	Chevrolet Coach	12-11	1937	600.00	Davis, Davis-Drake Motors	345.00	345.00	Oct. 10/42
2763	924	C.138	Nash Sedan	880	1931	275.00	Cruise-Consol.Motors	50.00	50.00	Oct.24/42
4208	909	T.14	Ford Light Delivery	V-8	1936	450.00	Grone-McDermott Motors	225.00	225.00	Sept.11/42
5282	532	T.28	Ford Pickup		1940	850.00	Grone-McDermott Motors	525.00	525.00	May 20/42
690	679	C.80	Studebaker Coach	FC	1929	200.00	Cruise-Consol. Motors	25.00	25.00	Sept.18/42
6625	681	C.134	Chevrolet Sedan	12.19	1939	950.00	Grone-McDermott Motors Pitt, of Duncan, B.C.	719.00 450.00 -500.00	560.00	June 1/43
5441	697	T.227	Fargo Express	FD116	1936	450.00	Grone-McDermott Motors	245.00	235.00	Sept.19/42
8695	864	T.241	Dodge Truck -Com.Express	LC	1936	500.00	Grone-McDermott Motors	300.00	280.00	Aug.21/42
3830	961	T.7	Ford Light Delivery	81-C	1938	600.00	Grone-McDermott Motors	420.00	350.00	Sept.2/42
8273	115	T.27	Ford Truck 1 TON platform	91Y81	1939	800.00	Grone-McDermott Motors	500.00	410.00	Sept.4/42

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	5166	106	Misc.	Chevrolet Truck		1934	400.00	-	-	225.00	Sept.14/42
Camps	5166	106	Misc.	Ford Truck -Pickup	V8	1938	525.00	.		525.00	Auction Dec.1/43
	5166	106	Misc.	Ford Truck		1936	525.00	-	-	380.00	Auction Nov.5/45
X	2282	729	C.35	Studebaker Sedan		1930	385.00	Cruise, Consol.Motors	75.00	80.00	Aug.24/42
XXX	3977	1167	C.122	Ford Tudor Coach		1941	1,100.00	Cruise, Consol Motors Grone, McDermott Motors	950.00 695.00	695.00	Aug.31/42

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12787	1389	C.118	Pontiac Sedan	2219	1942	1,396.00	Cruise, Consol. Grone, McDermott	1,400.00 1,025.00	1,025.00	July 23/42
4597	1214	C.85	Chrysler Sedan	52	1928	150.00	Cruise, Consol.	25.00	25.00	Sept.18/42
7531	1212	C.10	Ford Coach	A	1928	125.00	Cruise, Consol.	50.00	65.00	Aug.21/42
14372	1209	T.56	International Truck	X	1932	450.00	Grone, McDermott	10.00	10.00	Aug.24/42
10107	1206	C.62	Dodge Sedan	D.P.	1933	350.00	Cruise, Consol.	300.00	300.00	Aug.22/42
11014	1205	C.77	Dodge Sedan	D.16	1940	1,200.00	Grone, McDermott Cruise, Consol.	800.00 850.00	800.00	July 23/42
11014	1205	T.153	International Truck	AWI	1933	350.00	Grone, McDermott	25.00	25.00	Sept.11/42
5421	1208	T.197	Dodge Truck 2 Ton		1942	1,800.00	..... Trans. to P.C.U. - released to lien-holder			
6618	1195	C.63	Nash Sedan		1929	150.00	Cruise, Consol.	50.00	40.00	Sept.30/42
~~8020~~	XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX	V.19	XXXXPlymouth Sedan	XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX	~~1937~~					
XI.253	1152	Madill	Buick Sedan	44.19	1939	1,100.00			750.00	Feb.27/42
4208	909	T.14	Ford Truck		1936	450.00	Grone, McDermott	225.00	225.00	Sept.11/42
3293	404	T.67	Chevrolet Pickup	~~1929~~	1929	300.00	Grone, McDermott	30.00	30.00	Sept.21/42