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GENERAL

Part 2

File No. 3363-B-40

From 5-9-42
To 6-7-46

Subject:

REPATRIATION OF JAPANESE NATIONALS
FROM CANADA--EXPENSES RE

ATC

References to Related Files

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3363-40C	Exchange of Nationals other than Diplomatic or Official Personnel between Canada and Japan--Arrangements re

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LEONARD FRANK PHOTOS
VANCOUVER, B. C.

BRITISH COLUMBIA SECURITY COMMISSION

HASTINGS PARK CLEARING STATION

BRITISH COLUMBIA SECURITY COMMISSION

HASTINGS PARK CLEARING STATION

Vancouver, B.C.
15th July, 1942.

DR. COOKE (Superintendent) and DR. LYALL HODGINS (Hon. Superintendent)



BUILDING "K", MEN'S DORMITORY


EXHIBITION
FORUM
MAIN ENTRANCE

EAST ENTRANCE TO BUILDING "A" - HOSPITAL WING


NSERVATORY
NCTUARY.

BUILDING "A", HOSPITAL WARD



BUILDING "A", MILK LABORATORY, DIET KITCHEN


RECKITTS
BLUE
Reckitt's Bag Blue.

IN BUILDING "B", MEDICAL EXAMINING ROOM


DRESSING ROOM

BUILDING "A", DIET KITCHEN



BUILDING "E", MAIN KITCHEN


NO SMOKING IN KITCHEN
禁煙
FIRE EXIT
ALL HELP OTHER THAN KITCHEN STAFF MUST STAY OUTSIDE OF COUNTER.

BUILDING "E" (Basement) BAKESHOP



BUILDING "E", MEAT PREPARATION ROOM


MEAT FOOD PR
SWIFT CANADA
CANADA

BUILDING "E", MEN'S DISH-UP COUNTER IN MEN'S DINING ROOM


FIRE EXIT

BUILDING "E", MEN'S MESS HALL



BUILDING "E", WOMEN'S DINING HALL



BUILDING "E", MEN'S DINING ROOM



BUILDING "A", CHILDREN'S DINING ROOM



BUILDING "G", "KINDERGARTEN"


MANUFACTURERS BUILDING

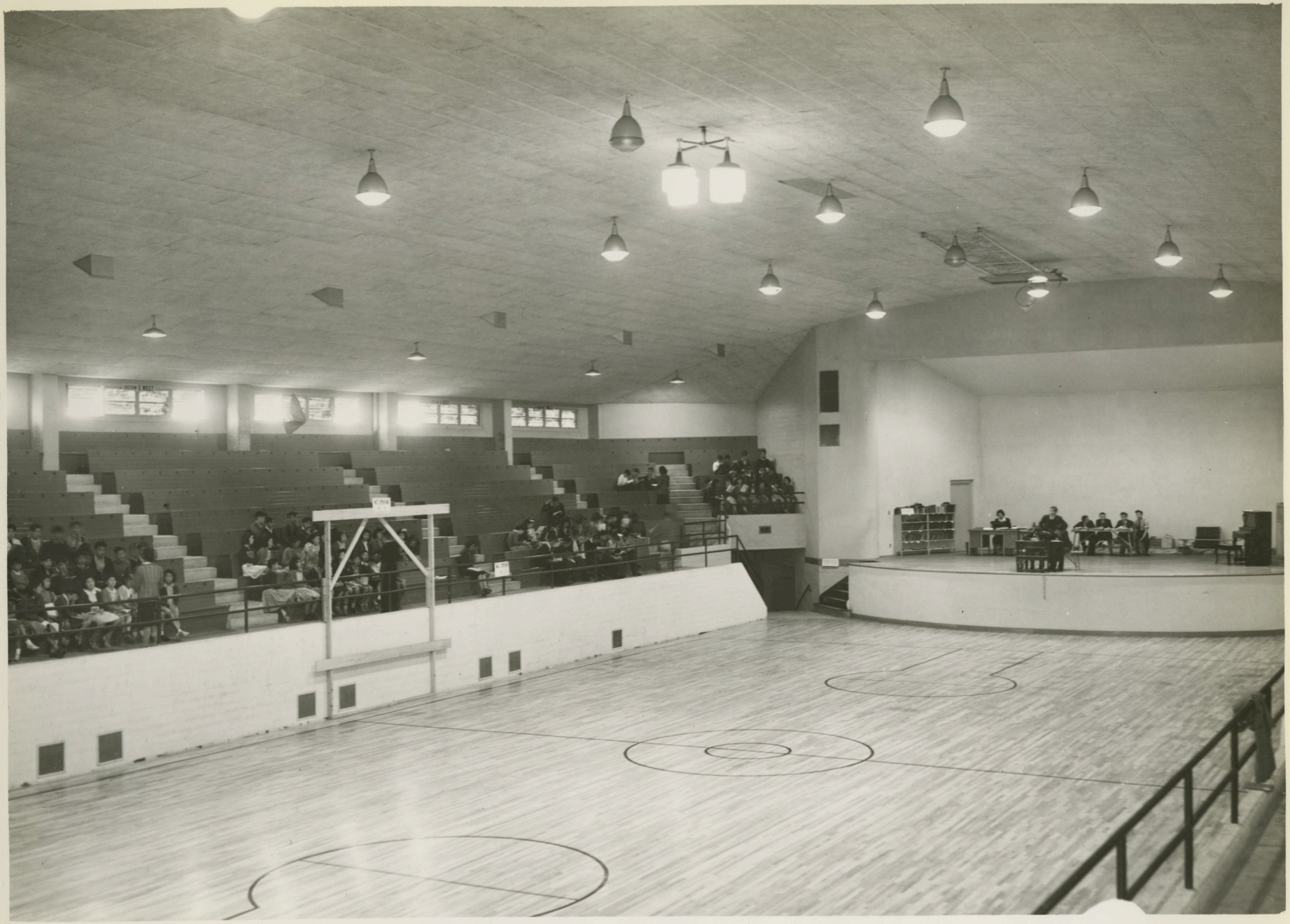
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(Class)


B.C. ELECTRIC

BUILDING "L", EDUCATIONAL BUILDING


NO PARKING
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BUILDING "L", EDUCATIONAL BUILDING
(Class Groups)



BUILDING "L", SCHOOL


658
583
601
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BUILDING "A", BLANKET ROOM



BUILDING "A", SECTION OF WOMEN'S DORMITORY


Q

HEATING UNIT IN BUILDING "F"


B

BUILDING "F", MEN'S WASH ROOM



BUILDING "D", LAUNDRY



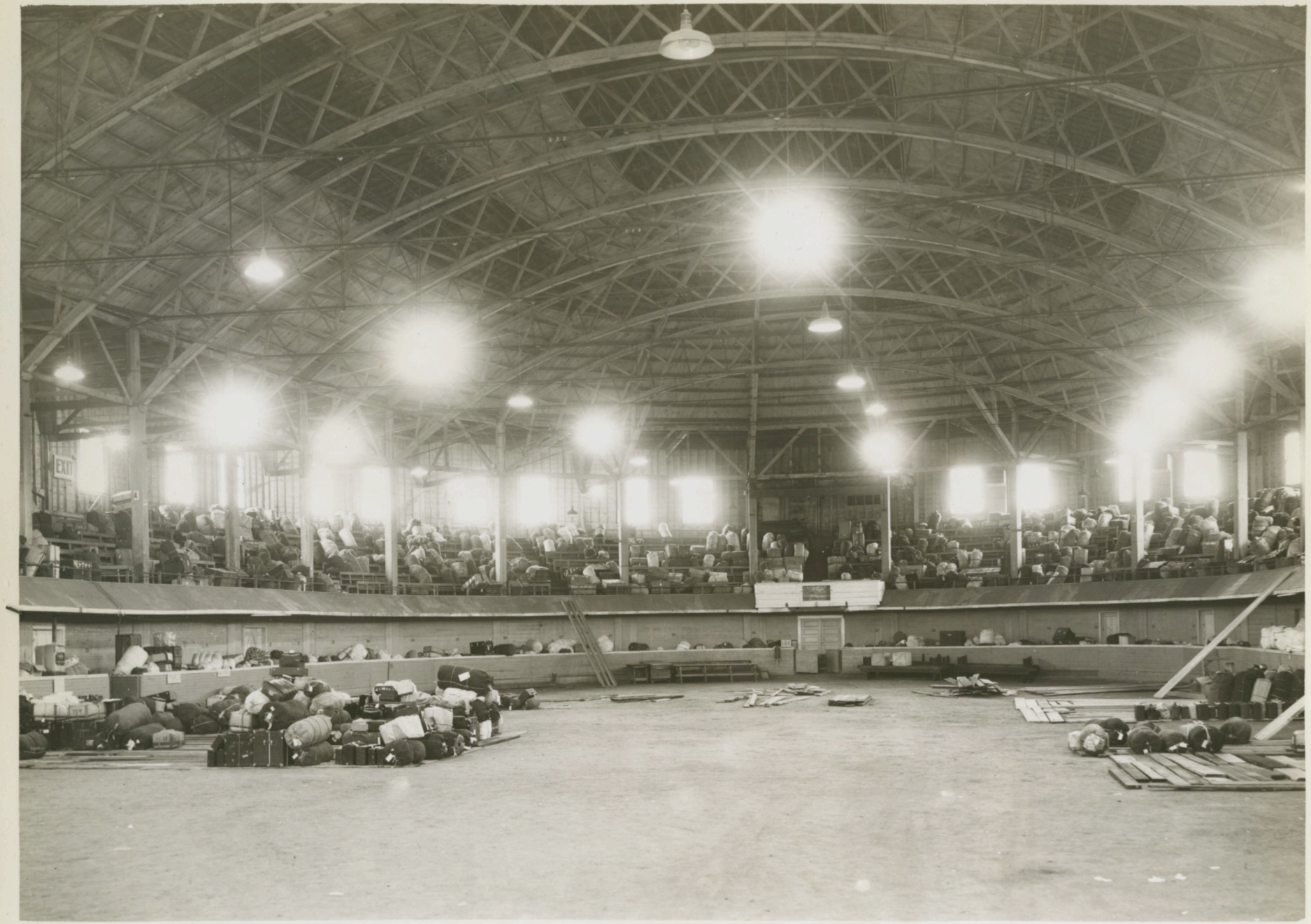
BUILDING "D", SHOE REPAIR SHOP



BUILDING "D", CANTEEN


SWEET CAPORAL
CIGARETTE TOBACCO
"It's Mild"
Ogden's
FINE CUT
TOBACCO
THORENS
FLINTS
PHILIP MORRIS MIXTURE
Profits will be used for vocational and recreational purposes amongst the Japanese.
OLD VIRGINIA
FINE CUT
WINGS
ORANGE KIST
AND OTHER KIST BEVERAGES

BUILDING "B", BAGGAGE ROOM


EXIT

BUILDING "B", REGISTRATION and CUSTODIAN DEPARTMENTS



BUILDING "M", GUARD ROOM



EXTERNAL AFFAIRS RECD
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TELETYPE

From THE CANADIAN AMBASSADOR TO THE UNITED STATES

To THE SECRETARY OF STATE FOR EXTERNAL AFFAIRS, CANADA

Copy or 3363-D-40C

TELETYPE
WA-2726

WASHINGTON, July 6th, 1946.

1 copy referred to Deputy Minister of Labour
8-6-46
RGR:McK

WA-2726. Japanese repatriation. Further to our WA-2666 of 1st of July, 1946, and WA-2707 of 4th July, 1946. Please pass the following message to the Deputy Minister of Labour, Begins:

1. I am pleased to inform you that Mr. C.H. McGuire of WSA called and said that a ruling has been made in our favour and the American President Lines have been requested to reduce the rates and send out a revised invoice. Therefore, Mr. Pickersgill should be receiving a revised account within a few days. The amount for the Asiatic adults carried in the open compartments will be $138.00 and not $137.50 as you anticipated. It is apparently their practice to fractionize to the nearest dollar.

Mr. McGuire states that if the revised account is not received in a reasonable period of time to inform him and he will take action to have the matter expedited, although his feelings are that it will not be necessary as he spoke to the Vice President of the American Lines, who accepted the ruling and there should, therefore, be no difficulty in this connection. No doubt you will be informing us when this revised account is received in order that we may appropriately thank Mr. McGuire for his assistance.

2. Thank you for you wire of 4th July giving the up-to-date figures of voluntary repatriates. These figures are being communicated to the State Department at the earliest opportunity, which will be Monday. Ends.

CHARGE D'AFFAIRES

DEPARTMENT OF
LABOUR

CANADA

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BRITISH COLUMBIA SECURITY COMMISSION

360 Homer Street,
Vancouver, B. C.,
March 16th, 1944.

The Under-Secretary of State
for External Affairs,
Department of External Affairs,
OTTAWA, Ontario.

Dear Sir:

20/3/44

Atten: Mr. W. D. Matthews,
Chief Administrative Officer

This will acknowledge your letter dated March 10th, wherein you query our Recoverable Invoice #1243, and we beg to advise that charges of $18.65 plus $2.80 tax and $11.19 plus $1.80 tax, respectively, are in order as the first mentioned amount covers first-class transportation and the second item covers coach fare at the regular Japanese rate.

Trusting this will clear the matter up, we are,

Yours truly,
B. C. SECURITY COMMISSION

D. W. Simmons
Comptroller

RS:fa

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Ottawa, March 10th, 1944.

Dear Sir:

With reference to your account #1243 covering cost of transportation for repatriated Japanese, there appears to be a discrepancy in connection with fares charged from Nelson to Vancouver. One item on your account covers two adult fares, Nelson to Vancouver and the charge is $18.65 each plus $2.80 tax, while another item on your account covers three adult fares, Nelson to Vancouver, and the charge is $11.90 each plus $1.80 tax.

I should be obliged to hear from you regarding this apparent discrepancy in order that we might pass your account for payment.

Yours very truly,

W. D. MATTHEWS

W. D. Matthews,
Chief Administrative Officer.

The Accountant,
British Columbia Security Commission,
V A N C O U V E R , B. C.

PMJ/MR

Mrs Jones

Cross thing. RCMP

how kind not to think

we were as well pro This one -

be sorry the present RCMP might

give the whole question which would

be awkward at this time of year

CD

DEPARTMENT OF LABOUR

CANADA

EXTERNAL AFFAIRS RECORDS
File No. 3363-B-40
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Evacuation of Jap. Nationals

RECOVERABLE INVOICE

PLACE OTTAWA, B.C. DATE Feb. 20/46.

M. SECRETARY OF STATE,

OTTAWA, ONT.

In Account with

BRITISH COLUMBIA SECURITY COMMISSION

VANCOUVER, B.C.

SHIPPED VIA

DATE		PARTICULARS	UNIT PRICE	AMOUNT
		Re Transportation for Repatriated Japanese.		
Sept.	12/42.	C.P.R. File No. 44550-4	Fare Tax	
"	6	Form 31 - No. 70467 - 2 Fares Salem to Vancouver (Mrs. T. Yoshida #70459 and Mrs. O. Yoshida #70460)	12.05 .60	12.65
"	22/42	File No. 44705-4 C.P.R.		
"	5	Form 31 - No. 70468 - 3 Coach Fares Kelowna to Vancouver (T. Kanda #70737, T. Onuki #70776 & T. Hinto #70965)	2.00 .30	2.25
		C.P.R. Sept. 12/42. File 44551-4		
Sept.	8	(Form No. 70466 - 3 Adults & 1 ½ Fare Salem to Vancouver (2 ♂ 1 ♀ 1 ½ child) T. Fujino #70459, F. Fujino child) 2. Tsuruga #70465 & H. Hirano #70467	11.00 1.50 / 0.95 .05	37.55
			TOTAL	52.45

Certified Correct R. Armstrong

(Cheques to be made payable to Receiver-General of Canada)

Quadruplicate
Retained by Issuer

DEPARTMENT OF
LABOUR

CANADA

GENERAL

No 1243

RECOVERABLE INVOICE

PLACE VANCOUVER, B.C. DATE Feb. 29/44.

M. SECRETARY OF STATE,

OTTAWA, ONT.

In Account with

BRITISH COLUMBIA SECURITY COMMISSION

VANCOUVER, B.C.

SHIPPED VIA

DATE	PARTICULARS	UNIT PRICE	AMOUNT
	To Transportation for Repatriated Japanese.		
Sept. 12/42.	C.P.R. File No. 44569-4	Plus Tax	
" 6	Form 51 - No. 730467 - 2 Fares Nelson to Vancouver (Rev. T. Tatibana #02899 and Mrs. O.Tatibana #04332	@ $18.65	$37.30
" 23/42	File No. 44795-1 C.P.R.		
" 5	Form 51 - No. 740339 - 3 Couch Fares Hdig to Vancouver (Y.Yamada #00737, U.Onaka #09776 & Y. Minato #06965	@ 2.35 @ .30	7.05
	C.P.R. Sept. 12/42. File 44561-4		
Sept. 5	(Form No. 730466 - 3 Adults & 1 ½ Fare Nelson to Vancouver	11.90 1.20	
	(2 @ 5.95 .90		47.95
	S.Hajiro #05250, F.Hajiro (1 child) T.Masuago #14436 & H.Masuago #06436	TOTAL	97.90

Certified Correct

(Cheques to be made payable to Receiver-General of Canada)

Copy on
423.40

Ottawa, January 22nd, 1944.

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The Chief Treasury Officer,
East Block, Ottawa.

I have to request that the following transfers be made:

1. Credit: Vote #37-Rep'n Abroad-Pretoria- $117.08 (£26.5.11)
Debit : War Appropriation - Evacuation of Japanese nationals- $117.08.

This amount covers the cost of questionaires and is covered by Vo. No.4 appearing in the Pretoria account for the month of November.

2. Credit: Vote #37-Rep'n Abroad-Pretoria-$6.99(£1.11.4)
Debit : War Appropriation -Evacuation of Japanese Nationals $ 6.99

This amount covers the cost of one telephone call and two telegrams sent to the American Consulate at Port Elizabeth and is covered by Voucher No. 14 appearing in the Pretoria account for the month of November.

W.D. Matthews

Chief Administrative Officer.

Department of External Affairs
Attention: Mr. Miles
O[redacted]A.

NATIONAL FILM BOARD

OTTAWA, CANADA

December 1st, 1943 No. 2255

DA	YOUR ORDER	OUR ORDER	PARTICULARS	PRICE	TOTAL
1943 Dec. 1st		SA-362	50 8 x 10 glossy enlargements	.35	$17.50

JAPANESE REPATRIATION

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War - Evac. of Jap. Nationals

Controller & Secretary

MAKE REMITTANCE PAYABLE TO
THE RECEIVER GENERAL OF CANADA

REMIT TO: ~~CHIEF TREASURY OFFICER~~.
NATIONAL FILM BOARD.
OTTAWA.

CANADA

DEPARTMENT OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE

OFFICE OF THE CUSTODIAN

3363-B-40

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ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO THE CUSTODIAN'S OFFICE

PLEASE REFER TO

FILE No.....

Victoria Building,
7 O'Connor Street,
Ottawa, Ontario.

November 15, 1943.

The Under Secretary of State
for External Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario.

Dear Sirs:

Re: Japanese Repatriation

I have your letter of November 12th enclosing cheque for $475.00 payable to The Western Trust Company and wish to thank you for same. This cheque is today being forwarded to Winnipeg.

Yours very truly,

for G. W. McPherson
Executive Assistant.

GWMcP/FC.

EXTERNAL AFFAIRS RECORDS
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Ottawa, November 12, 1943.

Dear Sir:

With reference to your letter of the 3rd instant addressed to the Under-Secretary of State for External Affairs I am enclosing for transmission, a cheque in favour of the Western Trust Company for $475.00 in payment of their account covering cost of services rendered in connection with the repatriation of 61 Japanese in August last.

Yours very truly,

W. D. MATTHEWS

W. D. Matthews,
Chief Administrative Officer.

G. W. McPherson, Esquire,
Executive Assistant,
Department of the Secretary of State,
Victoria Building,
7 O'Connor Street,
O T T A W A , Ontario.

War-Evac. of Japanese Nationals

MR/

CLM/CdN

November 4, 1943.

THE DEPARTMENT OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS
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NOTE FOR MR. MATTHEWS

Japanese Repatriation

Attached is a letter from the Custodian dated November 3rd and account of the Western Trust Company, Winnipeg, for fees for services performed at the time of the repatriation of Japanese from Canada last August.

C.L.M.

file m.R.

C A N A D A
Department of the Secretary of State
Office of the custodian

Victoria Building,
7 O'Connor Street,
Ottawa, Ontario.

November 3, 1943.

The Under Secretary of State
for External Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario.

Dear Sirs:

Re: Japanese Repatriation

On the instructions of the Custodian I wish to refer to you the account of the Western Trust Co. of Winnipeg, Manitoba, for services rendered in connection with the repatriation of 61 Japanese in August last.

The Custodian understands that this account will be paid out of the funds available to your department for the repatriation of these persons. The amount of the account has been approved by the Custodian as being reasonable in view of all the circumstances.

Yours very truly,

(sgd) G.W. McPherson
Executive Assistant.

Original letter sent to Miss Craig with account, Nov 10/43
P.M.J.

Winnipeg, Man.,
October 15th, 1943.

The Custodian,

OTTAWA, Ont.

IN ACCOUNT WITH

THE WESTERN TRUST COMPANY

Re: JAPANESE REPATRIATION.

Attending conference of Officials at R.C.M.P. Headquarters. Subsequent conferences with R.C.M.P.Officers.

Interviewing 46 adult Japanese evacuees, taking and checking statements of their affairs. Taking custody of prohibited property, including cash in excess of amount allowed.

Taking custody of $14,282.73 (Canadian dollars). Attending Royal Bank of Canada to exchange same for $12,867.20 (U.S.dollars). Paying over the latter amount to repatriates and taking individual receipts therefor.

Taking delivery of and placing in storage personal belongings taken from repatriates by Customs' Officials.

Reporting each case to Custodian's Vancouver Office, including remittances of surplus cash (Canadian), and to pay debts due by repatriates.

Correspondence, telegrams, Postage and Excise stamps, Stationery, etc.

OUR FEE HEREIN ..... $ 475.00

CLM/CdN
October 18, 1943

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NOTE TO MR. W. D. MATTEWS

Repatriation Japanese from Canada

Attached is a letter and enclosures received from Treasury Office, Department of Pensions and National Health in regard to cost of vaccine supplied for inoculation of Japanese repatriates.

G.L.M.

Department of External Affairs,
OTTAWA, Ontario.

Attention: Mr. Miles

NATIONAL FILM BOARD

OTTAWA, CANADA

October 16th, 1943

No 1964

DATE	YOUR ORDER	OUR ORDER	PARTICULARS	PRICE	TOTAL
1943 Oct. 16th		S-18002	9 4 x5 glossy prints	.15	$ 1.35
			JAPANESE REPATRIATION - WINNIPEG		

War - Evacuation of Japanese Nationals
Pd. Oct 21/43
M.R

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MAKE REMITTANCE PAYABLE TO
THE RECEIVER GENERAL OF CANADA

REMIT TO: Controller & Secretary
CHIEF TREASURY OFFICER,
NATIONAL FILM BOARD.
OTTAWA.

CANADA

TREASURY OFFICE
DEPARTMENT OF
PENSIONS AND NATIONAL HEALTH

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IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO FILE NO.

OTTAWA, Ontario,
October 12, 1943.

DEPARTMENT OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS
CANADA
OCT 14 1943

Department of External Affairs,
East Block,
Ottawa,
Ont.

Attention of: Miss Mc Closkey

Accounts Receivable

The following invoices, covering services rendered by this Department, are enclosed for your attention, approve for payment if correct.

War. Evac. of Jap. Nationals.
Pd Oct 31/43
M.R.

Invoice No. 43 - $ 31.13

L. S. Whitley

L. S. Whitley,
for Chief Treasury Officer,

LSW:M

DEPARTMENT OF PENSIONS AND NATIONAL HEALTH

Invoice No. 43 Ottawa, September 194 3.

Department of External Affairs.

in account with
DOMINION OF CANADA

REMITTANCE TO BE MADE IN FAVOR OF RECEIVER GENERAL OF CANADA

DATE	PARTICULARS	AMOUNT	TOTAL
10.9.43	To Medical Supplies as per attached copy	26.[illegible]8	
	10% Handling Charges	2.64	
	Sales Tax 8%	2.11	$31.13
	V. No. K5/6891.		
	Ordered by telegram.		
	for Japanese Nationals.		

P. & N.H. 524 4M-9-42 Req. 619

VOUCHER

DEPARTMENT OF PENSIONS AND NATIONAL HEALTH

CENTRAL MEDICAL STORES - OTTAWA

Your File No.....

DATE 10.9.43.

Sheet No. 1

CHARGE DEPARTMENT OF External Affairs.

Voucher No. X.5/6851.

SHIPPED TO Chief Medical Officer,
Deer Lodge Hospital,
Winnipeg, Man.

Requisition No. 9

Ordered by telegram -
for Japanese Nationals.
(Exchanged Prisoners)

VIA.....

TRIPLICATE

NOTE:- This shipment has been carefully packed, and accepted by the transportation company in good condition. We are not responsible for loss or breakage in transit.

QUANTITY ORDERED	CHARGE X00 SO. 142 DESCRIPTION	QUANTITY SUPPLIED	UNIT OF PRICE	PRICE	AMOUNT	
17 vials	Cholera Vaccine - 10 c.c. vials.	17 vials	lot		11	22
7 pkgs.	Smallpox Vaccine - 10 point pkgs.	7 pkgs.	ea.	.86	3	92
9 vials.	T.A.B.T. Vaccine - 25 c.c. vials.	9 vials	lot		11	24
					26	38
		10% Handling Charges			2	64
		Sales Tax 8%			2	11
					31	13

Assembled by.....

Checked by.....

Packed by.....

CERTIFIED CORRECT.
Chief Purchasing Agent,
Dept. P. & N. H.

Per.....

P. & N.H. 60 10M-12-41 Req. 1033

DEPARTMENT OF PENSIONS AND NATIONAL HEALTH

Invoice No. 43 Ottawa, September 194 3.

Department of External Affairs.

in account with
DOMINION OF CANADA

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	10% Handling Charges	2.64	
	Sales Tax 8%	2.11	$31.15
	V. No. 19/6891.		
	Ordered by telegram		
	for Japanese Nationals.		

P. & N.H. 524 4M-9-42 Req. 619

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DEPARTMENT OF PENSIONS AND NATIONAL HEALTH

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9 viels.	T.A.B.T. Vaccine - 25 c.c. viels.	9 viels	lot		11	84
					26	98
		10% Handling Charges			2	64
		Sales Tax 8%			2	11
					31	13

Assembled by.....

Checked by.....

Packed by.....

CERTIFIED CORRECT,
Chief Purchasing Agent,
Dept. P. & N. H.

Per.....

P. & N.H. 60 10M-12-41 Req. 1033

EXTERNAL AFFAIRS RECORDS

Department of Mines and Resources

IMMIGRATION BRANCH

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 2217
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File m.R

DIRECTOR OF IMMIGRATION

OTTAWA, October 1st, 1943.

The Under-Secretary of State for External Affairs, Ottawa.

Attention: Mr. Matthews

With reference to your telephone call regarding the charges incurred in connection with Japanese who were accommodated in the Immigration building at Winnipeg, I am forwarding an account certified by our officer in Winnipeg for the amount of $8.25 payable to the Peerless Laundry in that city. This would appear to complete the expenses incurred in connection with this matter.

enc.

A.L. Jolliffe
Acting Director

Pd. Oct-18/43
War - Evacuation of Japanese Nationals
m.R.

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Ottawa, September 28th, 1943.

Dear Sir:

With reference to your letter of the 7th September addressed to the Department of Immigration, Immigration Hall, Winnipeg, I am enclosing a cheque in your favour for $8.00 covering photographing, developing and enlarging pictures taken in the Immigration Building, Winnipeg.

Yours very truly,

W. D. MATTHEWS

W. D. Matthews,
Chief Administrative Officer.

War - Evacuation of Japanese Nationals

Scott Morrison, Esquire,
180 Lanark Street,
Winnipeg, Manitoba.

PMJ/MR

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Ottawa, September 25th, 1943.

Dear Sir:

I am enclosing a cheque in your favour for $168.90 in payment of the attached account covering 563 meals supplied to Japanese Repatriates in Winnipeg during the month of August.

Yours very truly,

W. D. MATTHEWS

W. D. Matthews,
Chief Administrative Officer.

Louis Gagginni, Esquire,
Proprietor,
The Depot Lunch,
Higgins Avenue,
WINNIPEG, Man.

PMJ/MR

TREASURY OFFICE

IMMIGRATION BRANCH

DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND RESOURCES

File — M.R.

FILE No. 2217 Japan

CANADA

OTTAWA, September 16th, 1943.

W. D. Matthews, Esq., Chief Administrative Officer,
Department of External Affairs.

THE DEPARTMENT OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS CANADA

Dear Mr. Matthews:

As you were good enough to state in our telephone conversation yesterday that your Department would take care of the account of Scott Morrison for photographs of the Immigration Building at Winnipeg in the amount of $8.00, I am enclosing same herewith, in duplicate. These pictures were taken in connection with the return of a party of Japanese, which is fully explained in the Acting Director's letter of the 14th instant to Mr. Robertson.

encl.

Chief Treasury Officer.

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File M.R.

7th September, 1943,

180 Lanark St.,

Winnipeg, Man.

Dominion Government,
Dept. of Immigration,
Immigration Hall,
Winnipeg, Man.

c/o Mr. R. N. Munroe

To photographing, developing and enlaring pictures taken in Immigration Building, Winnipeg (Eight Dollars) $8.00

Sincerely yours,

"Scott Morrison"

Having reference to the report of Sept. 7th from Winnipeg office, Ottawa File 2217 Japan, respecting accommodation and services furnished to Japanese repatriates assembled in the Immigration Hall, Winnipeg.

I certify that the above expenditure was incurred on Government business, that the prices charged are fair and just, that the goods charged were received and that the work charged was performed.

W E Scatty
Immigration Officer.

Checked and Examined

Mrs Jones
change repatriation
DJ of Nobuds

DEPARTMENT OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS

Sept 4/43.

Dr. Matthews

East Block.

Account from Immigration Branch of Mr. Louis Gagnini Winnipeg in connection with Japanese repatriation.

T. L. K.



Ottawa,

Department of Mines and Resources

IMMIGRATION BRANCH

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 2217 Japan

DIRECTOR OF IMMIGRATION

OTTAWA, September 1st, 1943.

EXTERNAL AFFAIRS RECORDS
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Under-Secretary of State for External Affairs, Ottawa.

Attention: Mr. Miles

12841

Subject - Japanese Repatriation

3363-40C

Referring to your letter of July 28th, in which it was agreed upon to accept the recommendation of the District Superintendent, Winnipeg, whereby meals were to be furnished at a local restaurant in Winnipeg at the rate of thirty cents (30¢) per meal for Japanese who were being repatriated to Japan in exchange for Canadians, I am attaching hereto, in duplicate, an account as submitted by the Proprietor of the restaurant in question covering 563 meals at thirty cents (30¢) per meal, for a total amount of $168.90.

It would be appreciated if you would forward a cheque to the Proprietor, Mr. Louis Gagginni, Depot Lunch, Winnipeg, as soon as possible.

A. L. Jolliffe
Acting Director.

File No. 3363-B-40
Sub. 3 Chron. 13 14

Ottawa, July 20th, 1943.

Dear Sir:

I am enclosing copy of an account which we have received from the National Film Board covering cost of books of photographs of Japanese settlements in the West. We are today paying this account and I should be obliged to receive your cheque in favour of the Receiver General of Canada for $12.78 covering three copies which were supplied to your Department. Actually your Department received four sets of these photographs but one set was unmounted, for which there appears to be no charge.

Yours very truly,

W. D. MATTHEWS

W. D. Matthews,
Chief Administrative Officer.

Cheque for 12.78 received and deposited Sept. 11/43 p.m.j.

The Chief Treasury Officer,
Department of Labour,
Confederation Building,
O T T A W A.

PMJ/MR

SMS/BCF
June 29, 1943.

NOTE TO MR. MATTHEWS

The attached bill from National Film Board has been sent to me. These are books of photographs of Japanese settlements in the West. We sent 3 to Spanish Consul General, 3 to Red Cross, we kept 2 and Labour got 4. I am sorry this does not add up to 10 but I can't help it. We should pay for ours, Schwartz' and Maag's. Mr. Pammett of Labour tells me that they will pay for their 4 sets.

Actually 12 sets were sent to us 2 of which were unmounted and for which they do not seem to have charged us. I think it will be just in this case to charge Labour only for 3 since one of the unmounted sets (if not both of them) went to Labour.

acct. sent to Treasury Office for payment July 2/43. M.R.

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March 3rd, 1943.

Please refer to our
File No. 3363-B-40.

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Dear Sir:

I wish to acknowledge receipt of your letter of January 23, enclosing your final account for the housing of Japanese repatriates for the period of November 10 to January 22, 1943. In settlement thereof, I am enclosing a Government cheque for One Thousand Three Hundred and Sixty-Eight 90/100 Dollars, in full discharge of all liabilities arising out of our agreement of December 29, 1942.

In forwarding this cheque in final settlement of our obligations, I should like to add that your cooperation in putting your establishment at the disposal of the Government of Canada for important purposes in connection with the war, is fully appreciated by this Department as a valuable public service.

Yours sincerely,

Under Secretary of State
for External Affairs.

Claude Hoskin, Esquire,
The Grove,
Beaconsfield, P.Q.

Extract *from the minutes of a meeting of the Honourable the Treasury Board, held at Ottawa, on the* EIGHTEENTH *day of* FEBRUARY, *19*43

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EXTERNAL AFFAIRS

The Board approve payment of the sum of $1,368.90 to "The Grove", Beaconsfield, Quebec, for expenses in connection with the evacuation of Japanese Nationals from Canada, chargeable to funds allotted from the War Appropriation, 1942-43, for expenses of such evacuation.

For Secretary.

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TO

THE HONOURABLE THE TREASURY BOARD

Referring to Treasury Board Minute 234740 of the 4th December, 1942, approving payment of accounts for expenses in connection with the evacuation of Japanese Nationals from Canada, I have the honour to forward a further account as noted below, for authorization of payment from the War Appropriation 1942-43 - allottment for Expenses in connection with the Evacuation of Japanese Nationals from Canada.

"The Grove", Beaconsfield, Que. - $1,368.90

N.A. ROBERTSON

Under-Secretary of State
for External Affairs

Ottawa, February 11th, 1943.

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"THE GROVE"

Beaconsfield, Que., Canada.

File No. 3383-B-40 Jan.23rd, 1943.

Department of External Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario, Canada.

Dbtr. to Claude Hoskin, Proprietor, Grove Hotel,
for board & lodging, for Japanese repatriates.

For November 10th to Nov. 30th inclusive, 21 days.

5 Japanese @ $3.00 per day each.....	$315.00
1 R.C.M.P. officer.....	$ 63.00
To province of Quebec Hospital tax.....	$ 12.60
Forward to Nov. 30th.....	$390.60

For December 1st to 31st, inclusive. 31 days.

4 Japanese to Dec.31st @ $3.00 per day.....	$372.00
1 Japanese to Dec. 28th.....	84.00
1 R.C.M.P. officer...31 days.....	93.00
To Province of Quebec Hospital Tax.....	18.30
Forward for Dec.month....	$567.30

For Jan. 1st, 1943 to Jan. 22nd inclusive..22 days.

4 Japanese @ $3.00 per day each.....	$264.00
1 R.C.M.P. officer.....	66.00
Hospital tax.....	11.00
To 2 weeks room rent as agreed.....	70.00
Forward for Jan. month....	$411.00

Final account Full Total Amount.....$1,368.90



"The Grove"

ALL YEAR RESIDENTIAL HOTEL AND TEA HOUSE

CLAUDE HOSKIN
PROPRIETOR

TEL. POINTE CLAIRE 307

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Beaconsfield, Que., Canada

Jan 23rd.1943

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N.A. Robertson Esq,
Under-Secretary of State.
Department of External Affairs,
Ottawa, Canada.

Dear Sir;

I herewith enclose the final account, for the Japanese repatriates, in full discharge of all liabilities, arising out of all agreements, from Sept.5th. I942. to Jan.22nd I943.

I must report however, that during the last few days, Mr Ito became very boastful and rude, making the following statements to members of my staff, and myself,(and quoting the Spanish Consul of Montreal) (I.) The Department of External Affairs was paying Mr Hoskin the sum of $60.00 per day for them, and that I was making a lot of money out of their predicament.
(2) He (Mr Ito) had a business in Toronto, under another name, also that he was going to open another in Montreal, and had sufficient money to look after his own affairs , for 4 years.

You will realize, that if this greatly exaggerated(I) statement is permitted to be spread around by Mr Ito, it will cast reflection on your Dept, and it will not be in my interest, in future business dealings , as I have already been reproached by an outsider.

I can assure you this information is given with good intent, and if I can be of any assistance to the Department at any time, here, or elsewhere, my services are at your command.

I would greatly appreciate a letter of reccommendation from The Department of External Affairs, for my small part in the rather unpleasant job, for I feel such a letter , when occasion demanded, adjust some nasty remarks & feelings, I have been subjected to.

At your service

Yours Sincerely

Claude Hoskin

Claude Hoskin.

Original copy of letter sent to Ottawa

Original sent to Treasury Board.

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1 R.C.M.P. officer.....	66.00
Hospital tax.....	11.00
To 2 weeks room rent as agreed.....	70.00
Forward for Jan. month....	$411.00

Final account Full Total Amount..... $1,368.90

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AT / *à* Lakeside Ont

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AT / *à* — Beaconsfield Que

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January 7, 1943.

Please refer to our
File No. 3363-B-40.

Dear Sir,

I have received your letter of December 31st, acknowledging receipt of our cheque for the amount of two thousand, three hundred and sixty-six, 50/100 dollars.

Attached to your letter is an account for the period November 10th, to December 31st. As the Ito family has not yet been removed from your establishment and may be expected to stay there for a few more days, I should be grateful if you would be good enough to delay the submission of your account until the date of the actual departure of the party. This would enable you to present the Department with a final account, and greatly facilitate its settlement from an administrative point of view.

Yours sincerely,

J. L. Read

Under Secretary of State
for External Affairs.

Claude Hoskin, Esquire,
The Grove,
Beaconsfield, P.Q.

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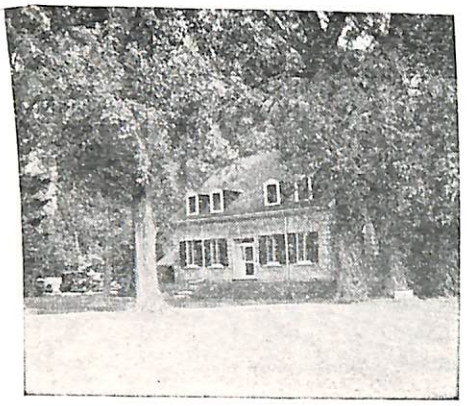
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NOTE FOR FILE 3363-B-40

I called Inspector Saul to ask him when he expected the Ito family to be removed from Pointe Claire. He referred me to Mr. McNamara's Office. Mr. Daly read a paragraph of a letter which his office addressed on January 4th to their representative in B.C. asking him to give priority to this party so that they might be put to work as soon as possible. Mr. Daly is confident that they will be removed from Pointe Claire within a fortnight or so.

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"The Grove"

ALL YEAR RESIDENTIAL HOTEL AND TEA HOUSE

CLAUDE HOSKIN
PROPRIETOR

TEL. POINTE CLAIRE 307

Beaconsfield, Que., Canada

File No.3363.B.40

December 31st. 1942

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N.A.Robertson Esquire,
Under-Secretary of State,
Department of External Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario, Canada,

Dear Sir;

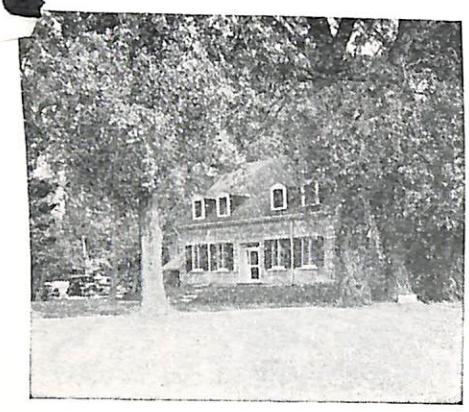
I beg to Acknowledge receipt of your letter the 14th. ultimo, with Government cheque for Two Thousand. three hundred and sixty-six 50/100 Dollars. ($2,366.50) enclosed, in full discharge of all liabilities arising out of the Agreement of September 5th.1942. to November 9th. noon. inclusive.

I herewith enclose account for the Japanese repatriates housed here, to December 31st, as requested.

Wishing you the compliments of the season.

Yours Sincerely

Claude Hoskin



"The Grove"

ALL YEAR RESIDENTIAL HOTEL AND TEA HOUSE

CLAUDE HOSKIN
PROPRIETOR

TEL. POINTE CLAIRE 307

Beaconsfield, Que., Canada

File No.3363. R.40.

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EXTERNAL AFFAIRS RECORDS
File No. 3363-B-40
Sub. 4 Filed

Department of External Affairs,
Ottawa,Ontario. Canada.

Dbtr, to Claude Hoskin, Proprietor, Grove Hotel,
for board & lodging for Japanese repatriates.

For. November 10th to Nov, 30th inclusive, 21 days.

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I R.C.M.P. officer @ $3.00 per day.....$ 63.00
To Province of Quebec Hospital Duty.....$ 12.60

Total to November 30th $390.60

For. December Ist to Dec.28th. Noon. 28 days.
5 Japanese @ $3.00 per day each..... $420.00
I.R.C.M.P. officer.@ $3.00 per day..... $ 84,00
To Province of Quebec Hospital Tax..... $ 16.80

Agreement of.Sept.5th) I942. Full total , discharging all liabilities to December 28th. Noon. I942..... $ 911.40

For. Ending of Year I942.to Dec,31st.Incl, 3 days.
4 Japanese. & I.R.C.M.P. officer.@ $3.00 per.day$ 45.00
To Province of Quebec Hospital Tax..... $ 1.50

Full Total $957.90.

EXTERNAL AFFAIRS RECORDS
File No. 3363-B-40
Sub. Chron.

PT/EG

December 29, 1942.

Please refer to our
File No. 3363-B-40.

Dear Sir,

Following your telephone conversation with Mr. Scott of this Department concerning the arrangement made with you for the housing of Japanese repatriates, I take note that our obligations under the agreement of September 5th, 1942 have now been discharged as from December 28th, at noon. In view of the fact that it has not been possible as yet to remove the Ito family and Mr. Suzuki, this Department agrees that the regular three dollars a day per boarder be paid as long as this party remains at your hotel.

It is also agreed that, as compensation, you be allowed room rent at one dollar a day per member of the party for a period of two weeks after their departure.

Yours sincerely,

N. A. Robertson

Under Secretary of State
for External Affairs.

Claude Hoskin, Esquire,
The Grove,
Beaconsfield, P.Q.

Dec.28,1942
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EXTERNAL AFFAIRS RECORDS
File No. 3363-B-40
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Copy to K.A.McCLOSKEY
SMS

NOTE TO LEGAL DIVISION

Mr. Hoskins of the Grove Inn telephoned to say that he had received our letter to the effect that after noon today we would not pay for his Japanese boarders. He proposed that he be paid the regular three dollars a day per boarder as long as they stayed, and that for a period of two weeks after their departure he be allowed room rent, which I understood to be one dollar a day per person. He pointed out that as long as there were any there he could not advertise or otherwise seek for custom. The total would be $64 beyond board, or $78 if he includes the policeman. I said I would put it to legal division -- and that he would be written to.

It sounds reasonable to me.

I telephoned R.C.M.P. and Labour encouraging them to get the ITO's on their way. SUZUKI has already gone.

Will legal division either write him or authorize me to do so.

S.M.S.

Dec.28,1942
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S.M.S.

OWNERS & PROPRIETORS
MR. AND MRS A. J. VERITY
(YORKS, ENGLAND)



14 MILES FROM MONTREAL
BY ROUTE 2
TELEPHONE: POINTE CLAIRE 69J

File no.
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Overlooking Beautiful Lake St. Louis

LAKESIDE, P.Q.

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Lcan Mr Robert

I hereby acknowledge receiving your letter with cheek enclosed, for the amount of $464-10 (Four Hundred and Sixty four dollars and Ten Cents) in full payment as Compensation, in connection with agreement regarding the Repatriation of Japanese

We thank you very much for Remembering us —

Respectfully

Mr & Mrs Verity

A J Verity

December 16, 1942.

Copy
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Dear Sir:

3363-B-40

Attention - Inspector Saul

Japanese Repatriates

It has been decided that the arrangement made with Mr. Hoskins of the "Grove" for the housing of Japanese repatriates shall be discontinued within the next few days. There are now five Japanese there. Four of them are in the Ito family and that family has cancelled its application for repatriation. Mr. Ito wants to go back to British Columbia, but you have expressed your opinion that he should not be allowed to do so. This Department is willing to accept whatever decision is come to in that regard by the Department of Labour and yourself. The family have now ceased to be potential repatriates and are no longer the special concern of this Department.

The fifth Japanese there is Suzuki. He was released from internment conditionally upon his repatriation. I presume he will go back to internment and that you will make the necessary arrangements with the Commissioner of Internment Operations, to whom a copy of this letter is being referred.

Mr. Hoskins will be notified within a day or two that his hotel will be no longer required and that no payments will be made to him after two weeks from the date of notification.

The Commissioner,
Royal Canadian Mounted Police,
O T T A W A, Ontario.

I am aware that the Royal Canadian Mounted Police have gone to a good deal of trouble to look after these five Japanese. This fact is thoroughly appreciated, but I am sorry that such an expenditure of effort by various Departments seems to have been in vain.

Yours sincerely,

Under-Secretary of State
for External Affairs.

EXTERNAL AFFAIRS RECORDS
File No. 3363-B-40
Sub. 4 Chron. 4 Filed

PT/EG

December 14, 1942.

Please refer to our
File No. 3363-B-40.

Dear Sir:

I have received your letter of November 11th, with regard to your claim for compensation under the arrangement for boarding and lodging Japanese undergoing repatriation, as set forth in the agreement of September 5th.

I am glad that the proposals suggested in my letter of November 2nd, for the period September 10th, to September 30th, as well as for the period October 1st to November 9th, have been accepted by you as a satisfactory basis for a settlement. Accordingly I am enclosing a Government cheque for Two thousand three hundred and sixty-six 50/100 Dollars ($2366.50), in full discharge of all liabilities arising out of the agreement of September 5, 1942.

As for the insurance question, I understand that you have been able to secure satisfactory coverage from the Royal Insurance Company although this protection does not extend to damages caused by sabotage and other malicious enterprises. You will of course understand that the undertakings given to you in this respect in earlier negotiations will continue, particularly the undertakings given by Mr. Scott in a telephone conversation with you on September 8th.

It has now been decided however to bring the present arrangement to an end and you are therefore requested to consider this letter as a two weeks' notice that all our obligations arising out of the agreement concluded with you on September 5th are to be discharged.

Claude Hoskin, Esquire,
The Grove,
Beaconsfield, P.Q.

Sent registered mail
D.M.

As for the period November 10th to the date of removal, I should be obliged if you would submit an account to the Department for final settlement.

Yours sincerely,

N. A. Robertson

Under Secretary of State
for External Affairs.

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Extract from the minutes of a meeting of the Honourable the Treasury Board, held at Ottawa, on the FOURTH day of DECEMBER, 19 42

Received by Miss M. C. Dec. 11/42 9.11

File No. 3363-B-40

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EXTERNAL AFFAIRS

The Board approve payment of the following accounts, chargeable to funds allotted from the War Appropriation, 1942-43, for Expenses in connection with the Evacuation of Japanese Nationals from Canada, as detailed hereunder:

The Maples Inn, Lakeside, Que.	$ 464.10
The Grove, Beaconsfield, Que. ——	2,366.50
	$2,830.60

For Secretary.

Registered.

Please refer to our
File No. 3363-B-40

2nd December, 1942.

EXTERNAL AFFAIRS RECORDS
File No. 3363-B-8
Sub. 4 Chron. 4 Filed

Dear Mr. and Mrs. Verity:-

May I refer to your letter dated October 9, 1942 with regard to your claim for compensation under the arrangement for boarding and lodging Japanese undergoing repatriation, as set forth in the agreement of September 5.

While the Department is not able to concede all of the points raised in your letter or involved in the account, it is thought that the amount claimed, namely $463.10, would be a fair settlement, taking into account all of the considerations involved.

Accordingly I am enclosing a Government cheque for Four hundred and sixty-three 10/100 Dollars ($463.10), in full discharge of all liabilities arising out of the agreement of September 5, 1942.

I should be obliged if you would let me have your receipt.

Yours sincerely,

Under-Secretary of State
for External Affairs.

Mr. and Mrs. Verity,
"The Maples Inn",
Lakeside, P.Q.

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SMS/CC
December 1, 1942

EXTERNAL AFFAIRS RECORDS
File No. 3363-B-40
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MEMORANDUM TO THE LEGAL DIVISION

JAPANESE "REPATRIATES" AT POINTE CLAIRE

The Consul General of Spain writes us November 30th that the Ito family are desirous of cancelling their application for repatriation and returning immediately to Bridge River, B.C., where employment is waiting for them. Mr. Ito will be asked to sign a form of Refusal of Repatriation. It is not proposed to pay his expenses back to B.C. The consent of R.C.M.P. has already been received and that of Department of Labour has been asked for. It seems probable, therefore, that the Ito family will depart from Pointe Claire.

This will leave Suzuki the lone inmate. He can easily be returned to internment from which he was released on condition of his repatriation.

Our present arrangement with Mr. Hoskins costs us $18.00 a day for board and rooms. In our letter to him we offered him two week's notice of removal. In his reply he asked for four week's notice. In our draft reply we have accepted the proposal, but this reply has not yet been sent in.

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It is evidently desirable to give Mr. Hoskins notice as soon as possible. Will the Legal Division please determine what length of notice should be specified in the communication.

Mr. Scott

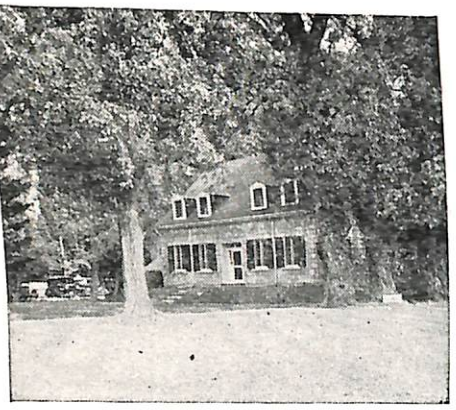
I spoke to the Legal Advisor about this and his views are:- S.M.S.

(a) A two week's notice will be sufficient and our proposed letter should be changed to that effect.

(b) We should wait until a decision has been made by the Treasury Board before sending the notice of removal to Hoskins.

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3363-B-40



"The Grove"

ALL YEAR RESIDENTIAL HOTEL AND TEAHOUSE

CLAUDE HOSKIN
PROPRIETOR

TEL. POINTE CLAIRE 307

Beaconsfield, Que., Canada

File No,3363.R.40.

December Ist. 1942.

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N.A.Robertson,
Under Secretary of State,
Department of External Affairs,
Ottawa. Canada.

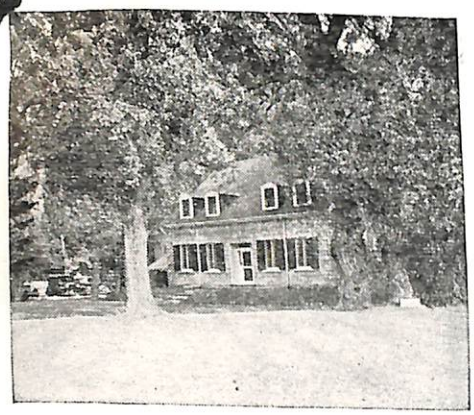
Dear Sir;

I herewith enclose account for the Japanese Repatriates, housed at The Grove Hotel, for period ending November 30th ,inclusive .

I would appreciate the Departments attention on this matter, at their earliest convenience.

Yours Sincerely

C. Claude Hoskin



"The Grove"

ALL YEAR RESIDENTIAL HOTEL AND TEAHOUSE

CLAUDE HOSKIN
PROPRIETOR

TEL. POINTE CLAIRE 307

Beaconsfield, Que., Canada

File No.3363 R.40. DecemberIst.I942.

Department of External Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario, Canada.

Dbtr, to Claude, Proprietor, Grove Hotel.
for Board & lodging for Japanese repatriates.

For November I0th to 30th inclusive, 2I days.

5 Japanese @ $3.00 per day.....	$3I5.00
I R.C.M.P. officer @ $3.00 per day.....	$ 63.00
To Province of Quebec Hospital Tax.....	$ I2.60
Total	$390.60

To account previously renderedNovember IIth,
covering period from September I0th I942
to November 9th,inclusive..... $2.366.50

Total $2.757.I0

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TO

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR GENERAL IN COUNCIL

The undersigned has the honour to inform Your Excellency that it was necessary to arrange to have accommodation available near Montreal for large numbers of Japanese nationals who were expected for repatriation by the SS GRIPSHOLM from New York, so that they might reach the point of embarkation within a few hours.

Arrangements were accordingly made with the "Maples Inn", Lakeside, and "The Grove", Beaconsfield, for billetting Japanese repatriates. The undersigned therefore recommends that the accounts submitted be authorized for payment from the War Appropriation as follows:

"Maples Inn", Lakeside

Sept. 5 - 29, 1942, inc.	-	$ 464.10

"The Grove", Beaconsfield

Sept.10 - 30, 1942, inc.	-	1,122.50
Oct. 1 - 31, " "	-	964.10
Nov. 1 - 9, " "	-	279.90
		$2,366.50

All of which is respectfully submitted.

Secretary of State for External Affairs.

OTTAWA, November 26th, 1942.

KAM/IN/PB

THE MAPLES INN

Lakeside, P.Q.

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Statement of Estimated Expenses incurred in Connection with Original Agreement regarding Japanese Accommodation

Extra Cook engaged from 5th of September to the 29th of September -	$140.00
5 guests cancelled accommodation with us, when they heard of Japanese Repatriates were coming- (Commuters Rate) 5 guests at $50.00 per month -	$250.00
Purchase of bed covers, pillows, camp cots -	51.60
Serving trays which we bought at Dollar Stores and Woolworth's which I have no receipts for. These trays were to be used by each person, cafeteria style -	22.50
	$464.10

THE MAPLES INN

Lakeside,P.Q.

In reply to yours of Sept. 25th and contents noted. Expenses for a Chef from Sept. 5th to Sept. 29th,1942 - to take care of the expected Japanese Repatriates, four weeks salary at $30.00 per week, also $5.00 Room & Board per week, including 3 days'n notice -

Total Salary -	$120.00
Room Board -	20.00
	$140.00

Sept. 29/42
Maples Hotel
Lakeside, P.Q.

(Sgd) A.J. Verity

"Release" to Chef Kehoe,

I hereby release W. Kehoe, chef, at his own request, from further duties in connection with The Maples Inn.

Signed satisfactory by

Yours truly,

(Sgd) A.J. Verity

(Sgd) W. Kehoe (chef)

"THE GROVE"
All Year Residential Hotel and Teahouse

Claude Hoskin
Proprietor

Beaconsfield, Que., Canada

November 12th, 1942.

Department of External Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario, Canada.

Dbtr. to Claude Hoskin, Proprietor, Grove Hotel
For Board & Lodging of Japanese repatriates

For.	Sept.10th,1942 to Sept.14th. 4 days at $90.00 per day.	$ 360.00
	Sept.14th to 30th. 17 days, 5 Japanese @ $3.00 per day.	$ 255.00
	Sept.10th to 30th. 20 days. 1 R.C.M.P. officer	$ 60.00
	Sept.14th to 30th. 17 days service charge for 25 reserved beds @ $2.00 per day	$ 425.00
	Province of Quebec Hospital Tax on Meals.....	$ 22.50
	September 10 to 30th inc. total	$1,122.50
For.	October 1st to October 31st inclusive. 31 days.	
	5 Japanese @ $3.00 per day.....	$ 465.00
	1 R.C.M.P. Officer.....	$ 93.00
	Service charge for 25 reserved beds @.50¢ day.....	$ 387.50
	Province of Quebec Hospital tax on meals.....	$ 18.60
	October 1st. to 31st inclusive total	$ 964.10
For.	November 1st to November 9th. inclusive. 9 days.	
	5 Japanese @ $3.00 per day.....	$ 135.00
	1 R.C.M.P. Officer.....	$ 27.00
	Service charge on 25 reserved beds..@ .50¢ per day....	$ 112.50
	Province of Quebec Hospital Tax.....	$ 5.40
	November 1st to November 9th Incl.	$ 279.90

September 10th to September 30th, 1942.....|	$ 1,122.50
October 1st to October 31st. 1942	$ 964.10
November 1st to November 9th.1942.	$ 279.90
Total from Sept.10th to Nov. 9th.1942	$ 2,366.50

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NOTE FOR THE LEGAL ADVISER

I have checked Mr. Hoskin's letter with the proposal contained in the Department's letter of November 2nd, and there seems to be no substantial variance over the proposed settlement. The points debated were as follows:-

Our Proposal	Mr. Hoskin's letter
Sept. 10 to Sept. 14 - 360.00	Agreed
Sept. 14 to Sept. 30 - 425.00 instead of 586.60	Agreed
Oct. 1st. to Oct. 31st:	
Service charge for 25 reserved beds at $0.50	Agreed
Nov. 1st to Nov. 9th:	
Service charge for 25 reserved beds at $0.50	Agreed

In his account Mr. Hoskin has added the P. Q. Hospital Tax on meals. The only points about which there is some variance are those concerning the insurance question and the length of the termination notice. Mr. Hoskin asks for a month's notice while we proposed a two weeks' notice. Mr. Hoskin now wants insurance coverage against sabotage and malicious damages which may be caused by the Japanese.

Nov. 16th/42

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"The Grove"

ALL YEAR RESIDENTIAL HOTEL AND TEAHOUSE

CLAUDE HOSKIN
PROPRIETOR

TEL. POINTE CLAIRE 307

Beaconsfield, Que., Canada

File PT

November 11th. 1942.

N.A. Robertson,
Under Secretary of State,
Department of External Affairs,
OTTAWA, Ont.

File No. 3363 R 40

Dear Sir:-

I beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 2nd. ultimo.

I will deal with the questions as outlined in your letter.

INSURANCE

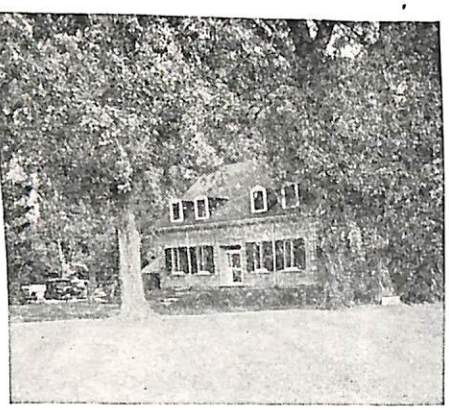
There seems to have been a complete misunderstanding on the insurance question. I approached the agents for a coverage on $4,000.00 and a rate of $56.00 plus $10.00 extra for War Insurance risk was quoted, but was advised the company did not care to take any additional fire risks on the property at that time, I certainly did not object to the rates. However, since receiving your letter I negotiated with the Royal Insurance Company and they have given me satisfactory coverage at a rate lower than previously quoted, however, they are emphatic that they cannot commit themselves on sabotage or malicious damage caused by the Japanese repatriates, who are and maybe billetted here. Stating that the war risk regulations do not cover that angle. I would therefore request that your Department arrange to cover me on those risks taken.

Past Accounts

I am fully prepared to accept your proposals in settlement of the account covering the period from September 10th. 1942 to November 9th. 1942 (inclusive) as agreed to by your Department in your letter of November 2nd. 1942, plus the Province of Quebec Hospital Tax on meals which was agreed on in the arrangement of September 5th. 1942. I herewith enclose the account.

FUTURE

I have already moved the five Japanese into the hotel proper and have accomodation available for fifteen more persons. This accomodation will be available at any time as my guests vacated when the Japanese moved



"The Grove"

ALL YEAR RESIDENTIAL HOTEL AND TEAHOUSE

CLAUDE HOSKIN
PROPRIETOR

TEL. POINTE CLAIRE 307

Beaconsfield, Que., Canada

in. Regarding your proposal I am prepared to accept the per diem rate as previously agreed to for the R.C.M.P. and Japanese repatriates who are here and may come later. I suggest that this arrangement be subject to termination by one month's notice on either side, as I know it will take at least a month for me to get the hotel business back to normal after the Japanese repatriates leave. (No service charges for vacant rooms)

Hoping these proposals will meet with your approval.

Yours sincerely,

Claude Hoskin

Claude Hoskin.

McDougall, Macfarlane, Scott & Hugessen
Advocates, Barristers &c.

Cable Address "FLEURAL"
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507 Place d'Armes

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Montreal 7 November, 1942.

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John E. Read, Esq.,
Department of External Affairs,
Ottawa,
Ont.

Dear Mr. Read:

Mr. Claude Hoskin has shown me Mr. Robertson's letter to him containing alternative proposals in connection with the billeting of Japanese repatriates, which I understand are in most respects satisfactory and to which Mr. Hoskin is himself replying.

I am glad that the Department has seen fit to improve on its original proposal because, as I explained to you, I feel that Mr. Hoskin is the loser in the whole transaction and inspired only by patriotic motives in doing this work.

With respect to the insurance, there still seems to have been a misunderstanding as Mr. Hoskin assures me that he never complained about the rates submitted by the Company, and in fact that the rates now quoted to him, and which he has accepted, are less than the rates originally proposed and with which he was satisfied. As there was no exchange of correspondence between Mr. Hoskin and the Company it is difficult to find out exactly what happened but from my conversations with the parties I am satisfied that the Company was not anxious to have this insurance and your intervention has been very helpful. Following a talk which I had with Mr. Beaudry subsequent thereto he agreed to accept the risk. His Company has, however, excluded any damage which may be caused by these Japanese guests and Mr. Hoskin quite properly will ask you to protect him against any such damage, which I am sure the Department will be willing to do.

Mr. Hoskin has told me that he has been asked to house them in the main building starting next week and he intends doing so but I trust the Department appreciates this further cooperation he is giving and the serious effect that it may have on his future normal business. I admire very much his spirit in this whole business.

I am writing this letter to you on a personal basis to thank you for your help. Mr. Hoskin's own letter will reply to Mr. Robertson's and the arrangement between the Department and him will be based upon the direct exchange of correspondence with him.

Yours very truly,

GMH:CD

Royal Insurance Company Limited
OF LIVERPOOL, ENGLAND
Fire Life Casualty Automobile Inland Transportation
Montreal.

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3rd November, 1942.

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John Read, Esq.,
Under Secretary of State for External Affairs,
Department of External Affairs,
OTTAWA.

Dear Mr. Read,

With reference to your letter of the 2nd instant, our Company representative has interviewed Mr. Miller Hyde this morning, and, after discussing the situation with him and finding that Mr. Hoskins still has no insurance, we have offered to cover the contents which belong to Mr. Hoskins at our normal rate, if he is willing to pay that price. We have asked for the privilege of inspecting the premises, for this property having been a seasonal hotel is now being kept running the year round and we wish to be satisfied that the heating arrangements are in order.

We have taken this action in a desire to help your Department, for, if Mr. Hoskins does not take out insurance with us, he has not the slightest grounds for making any claim against the Government.

Should Mr. Hoskins insure with us, we would like your Department to advise us should it ever contemplate disusing those premises for repatriation purposes, as it might be that we would, under those circumstances, be no longer interested in insuring Mr. Hoskins.

Yours very truly,

James Hudson

Manager.

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MEMORANDUM FOR THE SPECIAL SECTION

The Verity Account

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2. I have also given consideration to the documents relating to "The Grove" case, and I am assuming that the Department wants to have settlements that will not be embarrassing as between the two cases.

3. There would be difficulty in accepting the proposition made by the Verities in the letter of October 9. It would involve the acceptance of the principle of compensation for cancellations of other guests. The application of that principle to "The Grove" case would cause grave difficulties.

4. On the other hand, it would not be practicable to apply the same regime of settlement to the Verity case as to "The Grove". The Verities did not actually receive any of the Japanese who are being repatriated, and their claim is fundamentally one of compensation for holding fifty (50) reservations open and available for the latter part of September.

5. In my opinion the amount actually charged by the Verities, namely $463.10, would be fair compensation to them for their losses, taking all of the circumstances into consideration. I think, therefore, that they should be given a cheque for that amount in return for a release of all claims arising out of the arrangements concluded and set forth in the memorandum of September 5.

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November 2, 1942.

Please refer to our
File No. 3363-B-40

Dear Mr. Hoskin,-

May I refer to your letter dated October 3, 1942, concerning the account under arrangement as set forth in the memorandum of September 5, 1942, for accommodation of a party of Japanese awaiting repatriation.

We discussed this matter with Mr. Hyde earlier this week and there are two questions which require consideration:

The first question relates to the problem of insurance.

We discussed this matter with the Supervisor of War Damage Insurance, who is familiar with the insurance situation in Montreal. He has informed me that his company has insured "The Grove" for a number of years and that the property has been in the name of the Montreal Loan and Mortgage Company and that they still insure the building. Some time ago an inquiry was made for insurance on the contents. As the underwriter already had approximately $38,000 at risk on the building, there was a certain amount of reluctance to add to this by covering the furniture. On further request, however, a rate was quoted of $0.76% per annum in respect of your contents and I understand that you told the mortgage company that the rate was too high. It seems, therefore, that there is a difference of opinion and perhaps a misunderstanding with regard to the whole question of insurance on your furniture and equipment. Mr. Hyde seems to have misunderstood the facts, and I am sure that there will be no insuperable difficulty in obtaining coverage by commercial companies.

Claude Hoskin, Esq.,
Proprietor, "The Grove",
26 Lake Shore Road,
Beaconsfield, P.Q.

The second question is the account which is being dealt with in your letter of October 3.

You will understand that the Department is not in a position to admit liability on the basis as set forth in your letter. On the other hand, the Department would be willing to negotiate a new arrangement covering the past accounts and future action.

It would be convenient to deal with this matter in three parts:

The first would relate to the period up to and including September 30. This is covered in the tenth paragraph of your letter. We fully realise the difficulties with which you have been confronted, but do not feel justified in accepting your proposal in its entirety. We would, however, be prepared to work out a settlement which would include the full rate for a party of thirty, as suggested by you, from September 10 to September 14. From September 14 we would be prepared to pay at the full rate for each of the Japanese actually billeted, and a service charge of $1.00 per day for the twenty-five vacant beds. This, of course, would be in addition to the charge for the Royal Canadian Mounted Police officer accommodated at your hotel.

The second part of the account is dealt with in the fourteenth paragraph of your letter. For the month of October, up to November 9, the Department would be prepared to pay a service charge of .50 cents per day for the twenty-five vacant beds and the full rate for the R.C.M.P. officer and the five beds actually occupied.

The third part concerns the future. It has been ascertained that the quarters in the Annex are unsuitable for cold weather during the winter, and that you are prepared to move the five Japanese concerned into the main house under a temporary arrangement. It is proposed by the Department that you should charge for them on the per diem basis, in accordance with the provisions of the memorandum

of September 5, with no additional charge of any sort for unused quarters. The accommodation for the Royal Canadian Mounted Police would, of course, be on a different account. There is a probability that we may have another Japanese to put with this party at a later date and, in that case, it would be understood that he would be charged at the same per diem rate as the party of five who are now there. This arrangement would be subject to termination by two weeks' notice on either side. In the event that the Japanese were removed before the expiration of the period of notice, there would be a per diem service charge of $1.00, up to the date of expiration of the notice, for each person removed.

In making these proposals, I should like you to understand that your action in co-operating in this business is fully appreciated by the Department. We do not think that we would be justified, on purely legal grounds, in accepting the proposal put forth in your letter, and the counter-proposal put forward above is one which we hope you will regard as being an arrangement which would fairly remunerate you for undertaking this useful public service.

Yours sincerely,

[redacted]

Under-Secretary of State
for External Affairs.

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November 2, 1942.

Please refer to our
File No. 3363-B-40.

Dear Mr. Matson,

I am very much obliged to you for giving me such a clear explanation of the Hoskins' property in question, in your letter of October 30. I think that Mr. Hyde must have misunderstood the situation.

I think that your suggestion, that Mr. Hyde might see a representative of your office is most helpful.

I should be grateful, therefore, if you would arrange to have somebody communicate with Mr. Hyde directly, and I think that in this manner it might clear up the whole situation.

Yours sincerely,

J.E. READ.

Under Secretary of State
for External Affairs.

J. Matson, Esquire,
Supervisor of War Damage Insurance,
910-12 Transportation Bldg.,
Montreal, P.Q.

DOMINION OF CANADA

THE WAR RISK INSURANCE ACT, 1942

910-12 Transportation Bldg.,
Montreal, Que.,
Oct. 30, 1942.

John Read, Esq.,
Counsel to the Department of External Affairs,
East Block,
OTTAWA, Ont.

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Dear Mr. Read:-

With reference to my conversation of Wednesday, I returned to Montreal this morning and have got some information regarding this question of insurance on Mr. Hoskins' property. I thought you would like to know what has transpired to date.

We have insured his premises, The Grove, for quite a number of years and the property has been in the name of the Montreal Loan & Mortgage Company which is an old connection of ours. We still insure the building.

A month ago, Mr. Hoskins must have made an inquiry for the insurance of the contents of the building, these contents being his own property, and we said at first that as we had approximately $38,000 at risk on the building - it is not an exceptionally good risk, that we felt we had enough and we heard no more about his inquiry for some time, but then the Montreal Loan & Mortgage Company came back again and asked if we could not quote a rate, and we quoted a rate of $0.76%per annum in respect of Mr. Hoskins' contents, and Mr. Hoskins told the Montreal Loan & Mortgage Company that the rate was too high. Since then we have heard nothing more about it.

This story does not fit in at all with the facts as you gave them, and I wonder whether there is anything else you would want me to do. I find that Mr. Miller Hyde is not the man that I thought he was, and I personally do not know him, but if you would like a representative of my office to go and see Mr. Hyde, that can easily be arranged.

Yours very truly,

J Watson

Supervisor of
War Damage Insurance (Finance)

JM:DKW

AVR/mm
Oct. 20/42

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26.10.42



MEMORANDUM:

INFORMAL COMMITTEE ON ACCOMMODATION FOR JAPANESE REPATRIATES.

In view of the apparently indefinite postponement of the sailing of the "Gripsholm" and of difficulties which have arisen with the management of at least one of the hotels which had been reserved near Montreal, I agree that something should be done to reduce the financial obligations to the two hotels to a minimum. However, I do not think it would be desirable without the approval of the Under Secretary to place the 6 Japanese who are at Point Claire in communities as if they were to stay in Canada as this I believe would be interpreted by the Consul General of Spain as an indication of a change of policy by the Canadian Government.

I agree that you should call a meeting with Inspector Saul and Miss McCloskey. I have spoken to Mr. Read and if you desire someone from his Division to attend the meeting and to give legal advice, he suggests that Mr. Tremblay should do so.

A.V.R

pre Pt Claire

meeting held on 26/10/42 at 11. a.m. in Miss McCloskey's absence

AVR/EN
Oct. 29/42

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16 October 42

Mr Wrong

I suppose this must await Mr. McCloy's return. Three arrangements were made in consultation with her

Oct 16

Mr. Rive. I don't think it can wait long, as it's getting expensive & there is no end in sight. I should be inclined to keep her arrangements, & look after her 6 (over)

Japanese in their
way. On a per capita
basis they are costing
a lot.

When we know that
their accommodation is marked
we can negotiate a
new arrangement

MW 16/x/42

SMS/LSTA
14/10/42

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MEMORANDUM

HOUSING FOR JAPANESE REPATRIATES

We are still reserving eighty beds for prospective Japanese repatriates near Montreal.

THE GROVE

We undertook to pay Mr. Hoskins $3 a day for each Japanese there and also for the R.C.M.P. guard. This runs to $18 a day. We also said we would repay him in out of pocket expenses for which he would submit vouchers. It has also been understood that we would pay him something for his trouble, if no more Japanese arrived. We proposed to Mr. Hoskins a new bargain for October under which he would be paid about $3.60 a day for the reserved beds in lieu of any expenses.

Mr. Hoskins has now submitted an itemized demand for about $1200 for the month of September of which only about $255 is for the Japanese actually there. He ~~covers~~ complies our October offer with a suggestion that he be paid four or five times as much as we offer.

THE MAPLE INN

We undertook to pay Mr. and Mrs. VERITY only for Japanese actually there and no Japanese have arrived there. But we also promised to pay his out of pocket expenses. We submitted to him a new offer to begin October first whereby we would pay him $4 a day for the option on fifty beds. We have had no reply nor have we had any bill from him. We have not pressed him for a reply as it may be

more profitable not to have an answer.

RECOMMENDATIONS.

1. That it be determined whether these empty beds are to be kept.

2. If there are not to be kept, Inspector Saul and myself with some help from the Legal Division are prepared to look for a reasonable figure to pay the proprietors. But neither of us pretends to be equipped either by experience or by temperament for this sort of ~~decoring~~ dickering.

3. If they are to be kept, we shall have to make a settlement for September. We will then have to see what is the Legal situation as to October, and finally reach a bargain.

P.S.:

Mr Verity of the Mayfair Inn has now written us refusing our October offer, & hinting he is out of the picture unless we want a long-term lease of the hotel. He asks £63 00 for expenses incurred.

OWNERS & PROPRIETORS
MR. AND MRS A. J. VERITY
~~(NORFOLK, ENGLAND)~~



14 MILES FROM MONTREAL
BY ROUTE 2
TELEPHONE: POINTE CLAIRE 59J

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THE MAPLES INN

Overlooking Beautiful Lake St. Louis

LAKESIDE, P.Q.

(1695)

Oct. 9th 1942

The Under-Secretary of State
for External Affairs,
Ottawa, ONT.

Dear Sir,

We are in receipt of your letter of the 25th. ult.,and have duly noted contents. We appreciate your recognition of extra expenses incurred by us,in connection with the original agreement and submit hereto attached statement., including therein extraordinary expenses which we leave to your judgment for adjustment.

We have given your new agreement very careful consideration and regret that for the following reasons we would be unable to accept:

1. The general public and our usual clientele would not avail themselves of our services if there were Japanese here.

2. Several of our permanent guests left immediately they heard of the proposal.

3.In view of the fact that if we only have a few permenant guests in residence at the time of the arrival of the Japanese, we would undoubtedly suffer loss by requesting their removal.

4.The proposed amount of $4.oo per day to retain the suggested option does not appear to be adequate under these circumstances.

OWNERS & PROPRIETORS
MR. AND MRS A. J. VERITY
[redacted]



14 MILES FROM MONTREAL
BY ROUTE 2
TELEPHONE: POINTE CLAIRE 59J

THE MAPLES INN

Overlooking Beautiful Lake St. Louis

LAKESIDE, P.Q.

5. No period is mentioned.,viz: The Japanese could be in residence one month or more during our busiest season. This we believe,you will admit,would be very detrimental to our business.

In view of the above reasons we believe that the only way that we could be of service to our Government under these circumstances would be on a complete rental basis. A lease of the entire Hotel for the duration, with or without the services of ourselves and staff.,this arrangement we feel would be more satisfactory. As you have no doubt been advised , the hotel is modern in every respect, ideally situated and could be used for many purposes in connection with War work.

Thanking you for your very kind consideration,and assuring you of our willingness to assist you in any possible way.

We remain,

Yours sincerely,

Albert J. Verity

Sales No

Mrs A. J. Verity
Bayfield Hotel
Lake Shore

L16 MT 81982 - 7

THE T. EATON Co LIMITED
OF MONTREAL

Pillow
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Am't of Sale	26	88
Am't Tax		54
Amount Deposit		
Amount Collect	27	42

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T. EATON CO. OF MONTREAL

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Maple Hotel
Lakeside
Lake Shore
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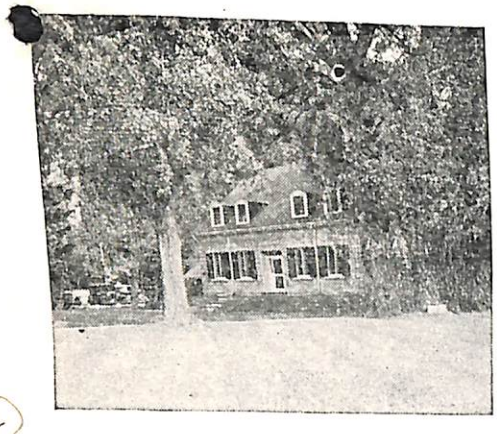
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"The Grove"

ALL YEAR RESIDENTIAL HOTEL AND TEAHOUSE

CLAUDE HOSKIN
PROPRIETOR

TEL. POINTE CLAIRE 307

Beaconsfield, Que., Canada

October 3rd, 1942.

(1554)

N.A.Robertson Esq.
Under Secretary of State for External Affairs,
Ottawa, Canada.

Dear Sir;

I beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 25th, ultimo.

As you state I have been put to considerable inconvenience and worry about this whole matter although I accept the same as arising out of the exigencies of war. It is apparent that I am still to have further difficulties and I trust that you will appreciate that I am only endeavouring to to face the matter in a business like manner, and hope that the same will be treated similarly by your Department.

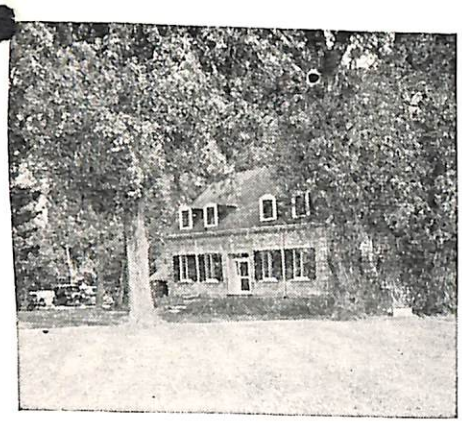
Under the agreement executed on September 5th,1942, between myself and your Department, represented bt Mr Morley Scott, it was agreed that I would furnish accommodation for a party of 30 Japanese from Sept.10th.1942 for an indefinite period of time, and my charge would be $3.00 per day for each Japanese, other than children in arms, the whole as appears in the agreement referred to. This arrangement was confirmed by your Dept,s telegram to me on September 6th. 1942.

I took immediate steps and made all arrangements to receive the party of 30 Japanese on September 10th. September, and as you are aware only 5 Japanese , and one R.C.M.P. officer arrived on Sept 11.th. I was led to believe that the balance of the party would arrive at any time.

Your letter of Sept. 25th. received on Sept. 28th. has suggested a different basis of operation as and from Sept.30th, and I will discuss such proposals further down in this letter. It would appear however that we must first settle the matter of compensation for the period from Sept.10t to Sept.30th.

According to the provisions of the above mentioned agreement of Sept. 5th, I consider that I am entitled to claim the sum of $1,800.00, being a charge for a party of 30 Japanese for 20 days. I think you will agree that if I were to insist on my rights under this agreement that I would be entitled to payment of that amount, I have no desire to take advantage of the Government for my personal profit and I will outline my proposal for a settlement of the matter, which I trust you will consider fair.

I have had to keep the whole of the buildings in which this party was to be accommodated and fed, free and available during the whole of this



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period, also had to engage extra staff to attend them and provide roo m and board for such staff. I have lost a number of regular guests in my Hotel and the fact that Japanese were billeted upon me has undoubtedly affected my patronage as it is impossible to keep their presence entirely a secret.

Furthermore, my Insurers have refused to give me any coverage as long as the Japanese are on the premises, and at the present time I am wholly unprotected against loss by fire or accident in all the buildings used or reserved, also the Hotel proper, you can understand this is a very serious concern for me.

As Mr Scott and Inspector Saul may have told you, I only agreed to enter into this agreement out of a sense of personal duty to my Country and the Government.

My proposal is that the Department pay me at the full rate of $3.00 per day for 30 persons, that is $90.00 per day, from Thursday Sept, I0th. at 6.a.m. to Monday Sept,I4th. at 6.a.m. mamely 4 days, a total of $360.00. The reason for this is that the accommodation had to be prepared before that date., and was ready, staff were engaged, food purchased and prepared for the week end. From Monday Sept.I4th. I would charge at the rate of $3.00 per day for each of the Japanese billeted here, and up to and including Sept,30th. total $255.00. and for the same period would only charge for the 25 vacant beds the value of the room accommodation at the rate of $I.50 per day for single rooms and $2.50 per day for double rooms amounting to $586.60. Adding these 3 items together makes a total of $I,20I.00. in addition to the charge for the R.C.M.P. officer who has been accommodated in the Hotel.

In order that you may realize that there is a proper basis for this charge, and that I am not profiting by the arrangement, I would explain to you that I had to turn out or lost I9 guest,s who had intended to remain until at least Sept.30. and some probably longer, involving a gross revenue loss of approximately $450.00. Cost off additional help for that period was $I77.75. Food & lodging for same staff in this period. $75.00, and I think it is quite a conservative statement to say that I have lost additional business for at least $250.00 during that period, without taking into consideration the loss of patronage which I am certain to suffer during the balance of the year, and possibly during the winter.

It is quite impossible to deal with this matter on a basis of receipted vouchers and it appears to me that my proposal is entirely reasonable



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under all the circumstances. I would , therefore, say to you that I am prepared to accept the sum of $I,20I.00 in settlement of all my claims under the agreement between the Department and myself of September 5th. for everything that transpired up to and including September 30th.I942. plus the charges for the R.C.M.P. Officer billeted in the Hotel.

This offer is subject to the Department,s acceptance within a reasonable period of time, failing which I reserve the right to claim the full amount of $I,800.00 under the terms of the agreement. In the eve event of the Department failing to accept this offer, I reserve the right to withdraw the same at any time in a written notice to you.

Now with regard to the proposals contained in your letter of September 25th, for the month of October. I am prepared to accept your proposal with the sole exception of the proposed allowance of I5¢ per day for each room reserved , but not used. this amount is entirely inadequate, I am obliged to reserve these buildings exclusively for their use, besides a dining room, recreation room, and grounds , also heat the buildings. Although I see no reason why I should not receive the regular rates , I am prepared to reduce this to $.75¢ per day for single rooms, and $I.00 per day for double roms that are reserved, but not used, furthermore, I would ask you to arrange for the Government to give me full coverage for loss by fire or riot or accident, for personal effects, office & Hotel furnishings and equipment, whilst the Japanese are billeted here. I am naturally prepared to pay the normal premium for the coverage.

I trust that the above proposals will meet with your approval, but if they do not, I think that the only way to handle the matter would be for an authorised representative of your Department to come down and discuss the same with me in person. For the size of my establishment, the amount involved is an important one.

I would like to be able to tell you of some of the things that I have been up against in connection with this affair, very few people seem to realize the necessity of looking after these Japanese, some even consider I am in sympathy with the Japanese for doing so. I know that someone has to look after them, and probably the treatment of our own Nationals in Japan is linked up with our treatment of these here.

Yours Sincerely

Claude Hoskin

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September 25, 1942.

SPECIAL DELIVERY

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Dear Mr. and Mrs. Verity:

On September 5th, an officer of this Department and an Inspector of the R.C.M.P. had several conversations with you respecting the housing of Japanese repatriates. For various reasons, into which it is not necessary to enter, the movement of Japanese for repatriation has not yet taken place, and accordingly no use has been made of your premises. It remains uncertain whether the Government will need accommodation for Japanese or at what date.

Meanwhile it is likely that you have been put to certain expenses in expectation of the plan being carried out. If you care to submit an itemized account of such expenses, supporting it by vouchers, this account will be submitted to the appropriate ~~authorities of~~ Offices Government who will determine what reimbursement should be made. Your account should include, of course, only expenses over and above the ordinary costs of operating the hotel which have been incurred in expectation of the arrival of the Japanese.

In view of the uncertainties the Government does not wish to hold you to the obligation into which you entered. Nor is the Government willing to undertake, after the date of receipt

Mr. & Mrs. Verity,
The Maples Inn,

LAKESIDE, P.Q.

of this letter to reimburse you further for out-of-pocket expenses under the present agreement. Nevertheless, as accommodation of this sort may be required in the future the following new agreement is proposed to you. Will you please give it your immediate and careful attention, and let me have your views as to its acceptability, or as to any changes which you think should be made in it, as soon as possible:

1. The agreement come to on September 5, 1942, is to be of no further validity.
2. Government will retain an option on beds for fifty persons in the Maples Inn. More persons may be accommodated by common agreement, should there prove to be space and need.
3. At least four days notice will be given by Government of the arrival of Japanese. Prior to the actual arrival of the first Japanese, the rooms shall be completely at your disposal.
4. From the arrival of the first Japanese, the following space will be at the exclusive disposal of Government:
   a. the second and third floors of the Inn, including the balcony, except rooms 14 and 25.
   b. the Annex usually occupied by the staff.
   c. the "Cabin" and the sun-room opening off the "Cabin".
   d. the beach.
5. For this accommodation Government will pay $40.00 a day from the arrival of the first Japanese to the departure of the last Japanese. Government will pay $1.00 a day additional for every Japanese above fifty accommodated.
6. Such arrangements as may be necessary for security reasons may be made by the R.C.M.P.

7. Suitable linen and bedding, and attendance such as has ordinarily been provided guests, will be furnished. However, the R.C.M.P. will have authority to instruct the Japanese to do some part of their own work if necessary.
8. Meals are to be provided for all guests and for the necessary guards and are to be equal in quality and quantity to those ordinarily served to resident guests.
9. Government will pay $2.00 a day for meals for each person other than babes in arms, with proportionate rates for fractions of days.
10. During the duration of the agreement, and pending the arrival of the first Japanese, Government will pay $4.00 a day for the sake of retaining the option. (This is ten per cent of the full daily rental; the amount is suggested subject to further discussion in the light of specific information as to out-of-pocket expenses to be furnished by you).
11. The Government may withdraw from this agreement on giving ten days' notice.

Doubtless this proposed agreement may not cover all possible contingencies, but it is supposed that with good faith on both sides any difficulties may be overcome. My request to you to submit a statement of the losses you may have suffered under the previous agreement, will, I believe, show that you may be assured that you will be treated fairly.

Yours sincerely,

Under-Secretary of State
for External Affairs.

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September 25, 1942.

SPECIAL DELIVERY

REGISTERED

Dear Mr. Hoskins:

On September 5th, an officer of this Department made an agreement with you respecting the housing of Japanese repatriates. For various reasons, into which it is not necessary to enter, the general movement of Japanese for repatriation has not yet taken place, and it remains uncertain when it will occur. In the meantime you have had for some days five Japanese at "The Grove" for whom you have been providing board and lodgings, as well, I believe, as a constable of the Mounted Police.

The present arrangement, with its uncertainties is, I dare say, not very satisfactory to you. It may be that you have been put to some expenses, in expectation of a larger number of Japanese arriving than have actually come. You have already been promised, in a telephone conversation with an officer of this Department, that you would be re-imbursed for any out-of-pocket expenses. I have to request, therefore, that you submit to this Department a statement fully itemized, and accompanied by vouchers, of such expenses, which statement will be scrutinized by the proper officers of government and reasonable claims satisfied. It should be understood that this statement should include only expenses over and above the ordinary costs of running your hotel.

Mr. Claude Hoskins,
Proprietor, "The Grove",
26 Lakeshore Road,

BEACONSFIELD, P.Q.

I have now to propose that the present agreement, that is, the one signed by you and by Mr. Morley Scott, acting for this Department, on September 5th, be concluded and be replaced by one in the following terms, this new agreement to subsist till the end of October, should the Japanese not by that time have been embarked for repatriation:

1. You will continue to keep beds for thirty people at the disposal of government
2. You will continue to board and lodge the Japanese already with you, as well as any others who arrive, up to the total of thirty (including guards in this number).
3. The Japanese will not mingle with the occidental guests in the hotel, but will be accommodated in a separate building and will dine at different hours.
4. Any arrangement thought necessary for security by the R.C.M.P. will be carried out.
5. The per diem charge for each Japanese other than children in arms will be three dollars, exclusive of tax. This will include bed and bedding adequate to the season, attendance as for ordinary guests and food equal in quality and quantity to that ordinarily served. However, the R.C.M.P. will be authorized to instruct the Japanese to do some of their own work if necessary.
6. In addition to being paid at the above rate for the Japanese present at "The Grove" you will be paid 15¢ a day for each place reserved for government which is not used. For example, if no more than six persons should arrive, you will be paid 24 times 15 ¢ a day, or $3.60 a day. This figure would be designed to compensate you for out-of pocket expenses, and would, it is believed, do away with the need for further itemized accounts being submitted by you.

Government would not, after this agreement is made, be obligated to reimburse you for any such expenses, other than by the per diem payments mentioned. This figure is suggested as a basis for discussion, and may be adjusted after further exchange of views, supported by more detailed statements of your probable expenses.

It is realized that you may have been, and may be, put to considerable inconvenience and worry by the uncertainties of the situation, but I wish you to believe that however unspectacular and unromantic it may appear, this is a necessary piece of war work, and that your co-operation has been and will be much appreciated.

Will you please write me your views on this proposed agreement as soon as you possibly can.

Yours sincerely,

Under-Secretary of State
for External Affairs.

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September 9, 1942.

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M E M O R A N D U M

The following telegram was sent on September 6th to Mr. C. Hoskin "The Grove", 26 Lakeshore Road, Beaconsfield, P.Q.

"Portions of the hotel property "The Grove" are urgently desired by the Government of Canada for important purposes in connection with the war. It would be very much appreciated if you would make every effort to admit to your hotel next week in the number required by the Government the particular persons who will be assigned to that location."

UNDER-SECRETARY OF STATE FOR EXTERNAL AFFAIRS.

S.M.S.

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September 8, 1942.

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MEMORANDUM

ACCOMMODATION FOR JAPANESE REPATRIATES

Mr. Hoskin, proprietor of "The Grove" telephoned me collect to say:

1. It would be necessary for him to hire enough additional help to look after thirty people beginning Thursday. If very few came he would loose much money. I told him to keep careful track of such expenses and get receipts and we would see he did not lose money.

2. His insurance did not cover such things as wilful damage or riot damage. In such case would we protect him. I said for him to show the R.C.M.P. man the whole place and all bedding, etc. at the very beginning and to report any such damage at once to R.C.M.P. and to get R.C.M.P. to agree in writing that the damage had been caused. We would reimburse him.

I asked him to write us to this effect and we would confirm above in writing.

Doubtless we can be imposed on, but I think Hoskin is an honest man. It is very likely he will lose money and that we will have to pay him perhaps quite a lot. If we ever hope to get such accommodation in that region again we must do the proper thing.

S.M.S.

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September 5th. 1942

It is agreed between the Department of External Affairs, of the Government of Canada represented by Mr. Morley Scott on the one hand and Mr. Claude Hoskin, proprietor of the "THE GROVE", Beaconsfield, P.Q. on the other hand:-

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4. The per diem charge for each Japanese other than children in arms will be Three Dollars ; exclusive of tax. This will include bed and bedding adequate to the season, attendance as for ordinary guests and food equal in quality & quantity to that ordinarily served.

5. Transportation from Pointe Claire Station to the Hotel and return will be defrayed by Mr.Hoskin who will be reimbursed at the rate of .30¢ (thirty cents) per person per round trip.

6. It is understood that the Department of External Affairs may withdraw from the conditions of this agreement at any time upon reimbursing Mr.Hoskin for expenses incurred to date of cancellation; such expenses to be submitted in an itemized account for Governmental audit.

7. Mr.Hoskin is authorized to make preparations to receive this party on Thursday, September 10th. 1942; provided he has not received official instructions to the contrary by ~~9 a.m.~~ noon of ~~Wednesday~~ Tuesday, September 8th. 1942.

Claude Hoskin

W. Morley Scott

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THE MAPLES INN

LAKESIDE, P.Q.

September 5, 1942

We, the undersigned, hereby agree to furnish rooms and meals for a minimum of fifty (50) persons, principally repatriates of the Japanese race, as from about the 14th of September in accordance with terms mutually agreed upon between the Department of External Affairs of Canada as represented by Mr. Morley Scott and Mr. and Mrs. A.J. Verity, proprietors of the Maples Inn, Lakeside, P.Q. at the following rates:-

Rent:- Forty ($40) dollars per diem from the first arrival of the Japanese until their final departure from Maples Inn with one dollar per diem additional for every person accommodated in excess of fifty persons.

Meals:- Two ($2) dollars per diem for each person other than babies in arms.

The above agreement to be amplified in an official memorandum within four days.

Albert J. Verity
Violet Bradly Verity



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Norley Scott
Claude Hoskin

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