

1678

OFFICE OF THE CUSTODIAN

JAPANESE SECTION

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

PERSONAL INFORMATION

NAME: KISHIMOTO, NATSUGHOME ADDRESS: Port Essington, B.C.REGISTRATION NUMBER 11176 SEX: Male AGE: 28OCCUPATION: Storekeeper

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

EMPLOYER: selfMARRIED? NoNAME OF WIFE OR HUSBAND: NoneADDRESS OF WIFE OR HUSBAND: NoneNAMES OF ANY LIVING CHILDREN: NoneADDRESS OF CHILDREN: NoneAGE OF CHILDREN: None

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

1. LOCATION AND DESCRIPTION: Lot 6, Block 3, Subd. D.L. 45, Plan 537,
Port Essington Townsite, B.C.

2. BUILDINGS AND OTHER IMPROVEMENTS: 5 Room Frame Building and Store
Port Essington, B.C.

3. INSURANCE (Give particulars; state where policies are) None

4. TAXES (Amount and where payable) \$51.12 payable to Prince Rupert
Assessment District. Taxes paid to end of 1940.

5. ENCUMBRANCES (Including any unregistered claims or deposit of title deed)

Brother EIJI KISHIMOTO has half interest.

6. OCCUPANCY AND LEASES (If vacant so state) self

7. STATE WHEREABOUTS OF TITLE DOCUMENTS: Land Registry Office, Prince Rupert

8. STATE IF ANY OTHER PERSON HAS ANY INTEREST: Brother Niji Kishimoto

9. IF FARM LAND STATE CROPS SOWN none

STATEMENT OF REAL PROPERTY OCCUPIED

1. LOCATION AND DESCRIPTION: dwelling house and store, Prince Rupert, B.C.

2. LANDLORD'S NAME AND ADDRESS: Dr. W.T. Kergin

3. PARTICULARS OF LEASE AND RENT AND DATE TO WHICH PAID: \$40.00 per month

paid to date

4. STATE WHEREABOUTS OF LEASE: none

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

none

6. IF FARM LAND, PARTICULARS OF CROPS SOWN:

none

STATEMENT OF PERSONAL PROPERTY OWNED:

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

1 Motor boat "Kobe" value \$375.00 in custody at Prince Rupert, B.C.

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

none

3. GIVE THE NAME AND ADDRESS OF ANY PERSON HAVING ANY INTEREST IN, OR

CLAIM ON ANY SUCH PROPERTY none

4. INSURANCE CARRIED ON ABOVE PROPERTY: none

5. MORTGAGES, LIENS AND OTHER CLAIMS ON PROPERTY IN POSSESSION OF
OTHERS: none

6. MONEYS OWING TO YOU (State if any of these debts assigned and if so, to whom)

none

7. BONDS, DEBENTURES, SHARES, STOCKS OR OTHER SECURITIES (State whereabouts)

1 \$100 Victory Bond, 1951 series K-4A545452 in owner's possession

1 \$5.00 War Savings Certificate in owner's possession.

8. BANK ACCOUNTS: none

9. LIFE INSURANCE: Manufacturers Life Insurance issued in Vancouver, B.C.

25 year endowment for \$1,000.00. Beneficiary is Ko Kishimoto. in his possession

10. INTEREST IN ANY ESTATES OR TRUSTS: none

11. SAFETY DEPOSIT BOX: none

LIABILITIES:

1. PERSONAL DEBTS: none

2. TRADE DEBTS: none

REMARKS: none

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

Dated this 24th day of March 1942.

K. Kishimoto

(Signature)

K. Kishimoto

Witness

FOR DEPARTMENTAL USE

INFORMATION FROM R.O.M.P.

Date

June 7/43
May 28/48

Our File No.

167

Full Name

KISHIMOTO, Matsuo
(Surname in Block Letters)

Registration No.

11176

Male - Female
(check)

Age

July 20, 1914

Former Address

Port Essington B.C.

Date Evacuated

22/8/42

Naturalized - Canadian-Born - National
(check)

Present Address

Slocan B.C.

Married - Single
(check)

Name of Wife

Name of Husband

Name of Mother

KISHIMOTO, Han

Name of Father

Kiyoshi (Dead)

Names of Children under 16

Requested by

Slocan

Registered with Custodian

yes
(Yes or No)

Additional Information

Storekeeper

LIABILITIES SUMMARY

File 1678.

Natsuo KISHIMOTO.

Reg. No. 11176.

THERE ARE NO CLAIMS RECORDED IN THIS FILE.

The above summary is certified to be in accordance with the information on file.

11th September, 1946.

Michael

RMB/P.

(Information supplied by Ins. Co.)

LIFE INSURANCE

Name Natsuo Kishimoto

File No. 1678

Reg. No. 11176

Company Manufactures Life Ins. Co.

Agency Vancouver

Policy No. 796,168

Premium - \$36.50

Payable: Annually, Semi-annually or monthly

Month August

Day 28th

REMARKS:

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Letter sent 16/9/42

EXHIBIT No. 1289-12
DATE NOV 24 1946
FILLED BY R. A. Christie

REAL PROPERTY SUMMARY

Catalogue No. 745.

File No. 1678)
1382

Natsuo KISHIMOTO
Eiji KISHIMOTO

Reg. No. 11176.
11123.

Address: Port Essington, B. C.

Legal Description: Lot Six (6), Block Three (3), Townsite of Port Essington,
Map 537.

Classification: Main building (25' x 50') used as Store, with 2-rooms upstairs;
Small 4-room Building at rear.

Registered in the names of: EIJI KISHIMOTO and NATSUE KISHIMOTO.

State of Title (No. 28449-I): Clear.

Sold to: GEORGE HENRY DOUGLAS and JOSEPHINE DOUGLAS (Joint Tenants).

For: \$750.00 Cash.

As at: May 22nd, 1946.

Title (No. 34845-I) delivered to new Registered Owners on: September 4th, 1946.

Net proceeds (\$714.94) released to credit of Eiji KISHIMOTO and Natsuo KISHIMOTO
(Joint Account 1382 & 1678) on: July 16th, 1946.

Completed sales statement to Evacuees sent on: April 10th, 1947.

Chattels: Not involved.

Insurance: None.

Administration: Port Essington having taken on the aspect of a ghost town, this property suffered the fate of others in this district and remained unoccupied, Custodian agent on the spot being unable to find a tenant. See Jan. 29/43 for H. J. Brown's report.

The above summary is certified to be in accordance with the information on file.

12th September, 1946.

M. S. S.

RGE/P.

NAME **WILLIAM, ELLI**

REGISTRATION NO. **4423**

FILE NO. 1302
1070

The following chattels were sold by public
 auction at ~~Fort Belknap & Prince Rupert~~ on ~~July 15, 22, 23, 1944~~

White table		\$ 1.00
White table		00.00
Blue vase		12.00
Paper clips		1.75
Box of needles		1.75
Iron bottle		3.00
Blue lamp		1.00
Wall paper		1.00
Platter		1.00
Platter		1.00
Curtain		0.30
3 Glass sets		0.30
White		0.60
White		0.30
White		0.30
Running shoes		1.00
White pants		1.00
White pants		1.00
On feet		2.75
White coat		0.30
Christmas decorations		0.15
Wig		0.10
Tablecloth (small piece)		0.10
Red cushions		0.50
Wig shoes		0.75
Box of soap		2.00
White		0.25
White		0.25
Total	Carried Forward	40 124.75

1. Introduction

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Methodological considerations

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NAME KIMOTO, M.J.
KIMOTO, Matsuo

REGISTRATION NO. 11123
11176

FILE NO. 1302
1070

The following chattels were sold by public
auction at Port Moresby & Prince Rupert July 19, 22, 29, 1944.

	Brought Forward	\$ 124.75
Christmas decorations		0.30
Christmas decorations		0.30
Washboard		0.20
Wash tub		1.00
2 Pot lids		0.80
Pot lids		1.80
Paper bags		0.60
Woven paddles		0.35
Paddles		0.25
Vegetable graters		0.25
Vegetable graters		0.25
Glass juicer		1.25
Target		0.50
Target		0.50
Pen structure		0.80
Long plate		0.05
Christmas decorations		0.10
Glass jars		0.55
Ironing board		0.25
Toilet paper holder		0.10
Curtain		0.20
Bread box		0.10
Baskets		0.15
Store fixture		0.25
Gas furnace oil		0.10
Miscellaneous		1.50
Total	Carried Forward	\$ 136.45
Less Expenses:		\$
Net Proceeds Credited:		\$

Members of Custodian Staff Present.

Extracted from Auctioneering List No.

REMARKS.

NAME KISHIMOTO, Riji
KISHIMOTO, Riji

REGISTRATION NO. 11123
12276

FILE NO. 1382
1678

The following chattels were sold by public
 auction at Port Moresby & Prince Rupert on July 27, 28, 29, 1944

	Brought Forward	\$ 138.45
Fruit dish		0.50
3 Shannon files		2.00
Kettle		1.25
Kettle		0.25
Fruit basket		0.15
Colander		0.30
Aluminum pot		0.75
Coffee pot		0.30
Granite pot		0.30
Enamel pot		1.00
Platter and wash basin		0.75
Two basins		0.10
Pot		0.25
Frying pan		0.50
Dishes		0.30
Cups		0.15
Enamel dish		0.25
Aluminum pot		0.10
Enamel dish		0.25
Saki cups		0.50
Box of saki cups		0.75
Cigarette stand and lighter		1.25
T Square		0.40
Carpet tape		0.55
Wooden box		3.50
Plates		1.50
Total	Carried Forward	\$ 156.35
Less unpaid balance		\$
Net amount due		\$
Members of the Association		
Ext ended to the Association		
Res erved		

NAME _____ **STANDARD** _____

REGISTRATION NO. 11276

FILE NO. 1382
1075

The following chattels were sold by public auction at East Washington & Prince Street July 19, 22, 29, 1944

Brought Forward		\$ 150.00
Alarm clock		1.00
Coal bucket and shovel		1.00
6 Glasses		3.00
4 Glasses		2.00
3 Bells		1.50
3 Bells		1.50
Bells		1.00
Glass bowl		1.00
Shaving bowl		1.00
Tin		1.00
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Tin		1.00
Tin and bowl		1.00
One stone		1.00
Plastic holder		1.00
Bells		1.00
Bells		1.00
Plates		1.00
Ball roller		1.00
3 Glass tins		3.00
3 Bells		1.50
2 Bells		1.00
Bells		1.00
Bells		1.00
3 Bells		1.50
Bag		1.00
Total	Carried Forward	\$ 172.00
None Expended.		\$
None Proceeds Circulated.		\$
Number of Canadian Staff Present.		
Number from Rationing List No.		
Remarks.		

NAME KIMMOTO, HAJI
KIMMOTO, Satou

REGISTRATION NO. 11133
11176

FILE NO. 138
176

The following chattels were sold by public
auction at Port Moresby & Prince Rupert July 15, 22, 29, 1944.

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NAME KIYOHITO, Hiji
KIYOHITO, Hiji

REGISTRATION NO. 11129
11179

FILE NO. 1782
1079

The following chattels were sold by public
 auction at Port Essington & Prince Rupert on July 15, 22, 29, 1944

	Brought Forward	\$ 189.35
Glasses		0.25
Sugar bowl		0.25
Taper		0.25
4 Cups and saucers		0.25
3 Bells		0.25
Bowl		0.25
Vase		0.25
Set		0.25
Glass bowl		0.25
Cash box		0.25
Tray and bowl		0.25
3 Cushions		0.25
Mirror		0.25
Old dishes		0.25
Butter dish		0.25
Stool		0.25
Clothes rack		0.25
1 Chair		1.15
Cake plate		1.08
Woolen bag		0.25
Kitchen cabinet		25.00
Box		3.00
Card and wood		4.00
Platform scale		6.00
Toilet and seat		7.50
Oil burner		12.00
		7.00
Total	Carried Forward	\$ 264.70
Less expenses:		\$
Net proceeds credited:		\$

~~Members of Custodian Staff Present.~~

~~Extracted from Auctioneering List No.~~

~~Remarks.~~

NAME _____

REGISTRATION NO.

FILE NO.

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NAME KIMMINGS, HAJI
KIMMINGS, Hajime

REGISTRATION NO. 11153
11176

FILE NO. 1782
1878

The following chattels were sold by public
auction at Paul Livingston & Prince Rogers on July 15, 22, 29, 1944

	Brought Forward	\$
Small cups		0.15
Small cups		0.15
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Small cups		0.15
Plate dish		0.15
Stove price kit		0.15
Plate		0.15
Platter		0.15
Bowl		0.15
Vase		0.15
Box		0.15
Bowl and lid		0.15
Bowl and lid		0.15
6 side dishes		0.15
6 side dishes		0.15
3 side dishes		0.15
Paper holder		0.15
Bedroom		0.15
Bedroom		0.15
Dresser		0.15
Linen		0.15
Washstand (broken)		0.15
Mirror		0.15
Small kitchen cabinet		0.15
Tray		0.15
Total	Carried Forward	\$ 10.15
Less expenses:		\$
Net proceeds credited:		\$

~~Members of Custodian Staff Present:~~

~~Extracted from Auctioneering List No.~~

~~Remarks:~~

NAME KISHIMOTO, Miji
KISHIMOTO, Sakae

REGISTRATION NO. 11123
11176

FILE NO. 1382
1678

The following chattels were sold by public
auction at Ward's Auctioneers & Prince Rupert on July 15, 22, 29, 1944

	Brought Forward	\$
Potato peeler		2.00
Potato peeler		2.00
Baseball bats		1.00
Gloves, socks and suit		1.00
Back burner		1.00
Whistle		1.00
Drawing paper		1.00
Toy bird whistle		1.00
Willet rolls		1.00
Syrup		1.00
Miscellaneous wall paper		1.00
Lamp glasses		1.00
Box of fly catchers		1.00
Calendar		1.00
Vase		1.00
Grassmat		1.00
Shovel		1.00
Clothes pins in bag		1.00
Pot cleaner		1.00
Spacers		1.00
Flag		1.00
Stove pipe		1.00
File box		1.00
Tub		1.00
Bedroom		1.00
Lamp		1.00
Shades		1.00
Total	Carried Forward	25.00
Less Expenses:		\$
Net Proceeds Credited:		\$

Members of Custodian Staff Present.

Extracted from Auctioneering List No.

Remarks.

NAME KISHIMOTO, Haj
KISHIMOTO, Hajime

REGISTRATION NO. 11123
11170

FILE NO. 1702
1070

The following chattels were sold by public
auction at Post-Exchange & Prince Auction on July 15, 22, 29, 1944

	Brought Forward	\$ 325.05
Curtain rods		0.16
Miscellaneous		1.00
Ballot paper holder		0.60
2 Chairs		1.80
Stool		0.35
Chair		0.60
Stool		0.25
Cupboard		0.80
Warder		1.80
Curtain and rod		2.80
Ten bottle		0.80
Box (small)		1.00
Ward		0.25
Cup bar		0.75
Small table		4.80
Picture		0.25
Warder		0.80
Curtain rods		0.25
Warder		2.80
Ward		0.80
Stool under warder		0.80
Ward mat		0.80
Ward		0.80
Chair		1.80
Linoleum		2.80
Table cloth		1.25
Small ten pot		0.80
Total	Carried Forward	\$ 361.30
Less expenses		\$
Less proceeds credited		\$
Number of custodian cash present		
Exempted from Auctioneering List No.		
Remarks:		

NAME KISHIMOTO, HAJI
KISHIMOTO, Hajime

REGISTRATION NO. 11123
11176

FILE NO. 1388
1078

The following chattels were sold by public
auction at Port Robinson & Prince Rupert on July 15, 22, 23, 1944

	Brought Forward	\$ 302.38
Porcelain mugs		
Curtains		
Quilts (all)		
6 mirrors		
6 small bowls		
Scale (incomplete)		
6 small whiskey glasses		
6 small whiskey glasses		
4 small whiskey glasses		
6 bowls		
China hot water bottle		
2 bowls		
Pair of vases		
Quilted mattress (3)		
3 quilted mattresses		
3 drinking glasses		
Calumet lamp		
1 brown small bowl		
Glass jars and lids		
Graphophone needles		
Steel		
Mirrors (old)		
6 bowls		
Sugar bowl		
Quilts		
Small mirror		
Total	Carried Forward	\$ 302.38
Less Expenses:		
Net Proceeds Credited:		

Members of Custodian Staff Present.

Extracted from Auctioneering List No.

Remarks.

NAME KIMMOTO, M.J.
KIMMOTO, M.J.

REGISTRATION NO. 11153
11176

FILE NO. 1982
1678

The following chattels were sold by public
 auction at Port Jackson & Prince Rupert on July 17, 22, 27, 1944

	Brought Forward	\$ 369.85
Stove lifters (2)		0.10
6 bowls		0.10
Quilt batting		0.10
Sheet		1.10
Rice bowls		0.10
Basket		0.10
Rollers		0.10
Aerial wire		0.10
Curry dishes		0.10
Soup and dishes (6)		0.10
2 China vases		0.10
2 Basins		0.10
Elastic shoe case		0.10
Bowls (4)		0.10
Paper towels		0.10
Pie dish		0.10
Box		0.10
Shoe case		0.10
Bedroom		0.10
Curtains		0.10
Sheet		1.10
Sheet (single)		0.10
Sheet		0.10
Sheet		0.10
Shirt		0.10
Cotton batting		0.10
Cotton batting		0.10
Total	Carried Forward	\$ 367.20
Insurance		\$
Net proceeds		\$

~~Monetary Statement of the Present~~

~~Excluded from Auctioning List No.~~

~~Remarks~~

NAME KISHIMOTO, Hajj
KI-SHIMOTO, Hajime

REGISTRATION NO. 11103
11170

FILE NO. 1302
1070

The following chattels were sold by public
auction at East Kensington & Prince Rupert July 12, 22, 29, 1944

	Brought Forward	\$307.20
Shooting		0.30
Blanket		0.25
Seat cushion		0.25
Curtain remnant		0.25
Stove		0.25
Radio		0.25
Radio		0.25
Radio, pot, pressure etc.		0.25
2 dinner plates		0.25
Chair		0.25
Kitchen utensils (3)		0.25
Radio		0.25
The pot and 2 bowls		0.25
Radio and amplifier		0.25
Radio and amplifier		0.25
Toy dolls		0.25
Box		0.25
Paint brush		0.25
12 glasses		0.25
12 glasses		0.25
Teapot		0.25
Radio		0.25
Radio		0.25
Radio		0.25
1 dinner bowl		0.25
Teapot		0.25
Total	Carried Forward	<u>\$307.20</u>
Less Expenses:		\$
Net Proceeds Credited:		<u>\$</u>
Members of Canadian Staff Present:		
Excluded from Auctioneering List No.		
Remarks:		

NAME

ELIMINATO, EL 11

EXHIBIT 1

1332

1992

1970

The following chattels were sold by public

Brought Forward

\$ 379.82

6 numbers
 Tray
 1 linen book
 Book
 Monograph
 Will not
 Marshall's shoe cover
 Jacket
 Shrub
 Jacket of flannel
 Coffee Pot
 Cotton bedding
 Pie Plates
 Toy books
 Toys
 Wax
 Gentle rollers
 Tea Pot
 Jacket
 Lamp oil
 Book
 Cotton bedding
 Miscellaneous goods
 Cider
 Bread tin
 2 old wheel trucks

Carried Forward

438,000

LESS EXPENSES:

1

Net Proceeds Credited:

1

MEMBERS OF CUSTODIAN STAFF PRESENT.

Extracted from Auctioneering List No.

REMARKS.

NAME KISHIMOTO, Haj
KISHIMOTO, Hajime

REGISTRATION NO. 13173
13176

FILE NO. 1383
1379

The following chattels were sold by public
auction at Port Washington & Police Bureau on July 11, 22, 29, 1944

	Brought Forward	\$
1. 1st lot		22.00
2. 2nd lot		22.00
3. 3rd lot		22.00
4. 4th lot		22.00
5. 5th lot		22.00
6. 6th lot		22.00
7. 7th lot		22.00
8. 8th lot		22.00
9. 9th lot		22.00
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25. 25th lot		22.00
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31. 31st lot		22.00
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33. 33rd lot		22.00
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42. 42nd lot		22.00
43. 43rd lot		22.00
44. 44th lot		22.00
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92. 92nd lot		22.00
93. 93rd lot		22.00
94. 94th lot		22.00
95. 95th lot		22.00
96. 96th lot		22.00
97. 97th lot		22.00
98. 98th lot		22.00
99. 99th lot		22.00
100. 100th lot		22.00

Total		\$ 422.00
Less Expenses:		\$ 197.56
(Auctioneer's Fee)	\$42.10	
(Advertising)	9.22	
(Shipping)	109.64	
Net Proceeds Credited:		\$ 263.44

Members of Custodian Staff Present. Mrs. E. H. Arnold

Extracted from Auctioneering List No. Prince Rupert 1

Remarks. See Jan 1342 - Hoko Pines

EXHIBIT No. 1289-12
DATE NOV 24 1946
FILED BY R. A. Christie

PERSONAL PROPERTY SUMMARY

File 1678.

Natsuo KISHIMOTO

Reg. No. 11176.

This 26-year old Canadian-born Storekeeper from Port Essington, signed a "JP" declaration form on the 24th March, 1942. He was single at the time he was evacuated, on the 22nd August, 1942.

Personal Property: No personal effects were declared. Proceeds from sale of furniture, equipment and stock-in-trade of Store were credited to Joint Account with brother, both parties confirming the balance therein (as per statement dated May 23rd, 1947), and the transfer of respective shares to their individual Personal Accounts.

Specified Articles: See Fishing Vessel Summary, dated Aug. 28/44, for particulars of Fishing Vessel, "Kobe", sold (Oct. 30/42) for \$175.00; net proceeds, \$151.24, credited to this account.

Bills Receivable: Refund of transportation expenses in connection with the delivery of Fishing Vessel "Kobe", was received from Canadian Government and credited (Apr. 12/45) to this account, in the sum of \$5.00.

Bonds, Shares, etc.: A Victory Bond (\$100.00) and War Savings Certificate (\$5.00) declared (Mar. 24/42) to be in owner's possession, did not come under Custodian's administration.

Bank Accounts: None.

Life Insurance: A Manufacturers Life Insurance policy (\$1000.00) declared to be in owner's possession, did not come under the administration of this office. Premiums were paid by this office from time to time, as requested by owner.

Funds: This account's interest in Joint Account 1382/1678 (Eiji and Natsuo KISHIMOTO) was liquidated (May 23/47) by transfer of \$370.78 to Personal Account, which in turn is being closed following the remittance today of the balance (\$498.32) standing at the credit thereof.

There is no other personal property interest in this file.

The above summary is certified to be in accordance with the information on file.

11th August, 1947.

[Signature]

RGB/P.

EXHIBIT No. 1269-7 ✓
DATE NOV 24 1944
FILLED BY RA Skinsie

SUMMARY TAKEN FROM VESSELS RECORDS

Date: August 28, 1944

Name: KISHIMOTO, Natsuo

Reg. No. 11176

File: 1678

Boat File No.: CUSTODIAN 1678

Name of Vessel: "Kobe" 28'x7'x3'6" (1930) Nash 60 HP (1926)

Lic. or Reg. No.:

Prince Rupert 610

Naval No.:

PR.082-H

Owner's Valuation:

\$375.00

JFVDC Valuation:

350.00 Survey #PR.65

Custodian Valuation:

150.00

Date of Sale:

Oct. 30, 1942

Purchaser:

Ross Richardson

Signature on Sales Papers:

Custodian

Selling Price:

\$175.00

Paid to ~~JFVDC~~ Custodian:

175.00

Supervision Costs:

23.76

Balance due Owner:

151.24

Paid to:

Cr. Account of Natsuo KISHIMOTO

Location of Boat at Sale:

Prince Rupert

Claims Against Canadian Govt.:

None

Additional Information:

*For Nathan
August 11/47*

Case No. 1289 - Matsuo Kishimoto, File 1678

Boat Claim: "Kobe" Prince Rupert Lic. #610 (28x7x3½)
purchased used 1939 at \$300.00
Engine installed 1940 60 HP Nash at \$175.00
Cabin built 1940 at \$50.00
Gear - 2 large storage batteries - \$30.00 (1940)
Gross Claim: \$450.00

Sale: By Custodian, October 30, 1942. Boat at Prince Rupert (Tucks Inlet)
Sale Price: \$175.00
Expenses: 23.76 (proportionate share)
Net Credit: 151.24

Valuation: O.W. Phillipson: \$350.00 ~~XXXXXXXXXXXXXXX~~
John Gould: \$150.00 (Est. Mkt. Value: \$175.00)

Damage & Loss: Naval Officer in Charge, Prince Rupert reported that removable stores were not taken with boats and that any deterioration while in custody was due to natural causes, not the result of improper handling.

Age: JFVDC "catalogue sheet" (January, 1942) states hull 11 years old, and engine 15 years old, at that time.

Owner's Valuation: JFVDC "catalogue sheet" shows value as \$375.00.

Phillipson estimated hull's age as 7 years, stated engine valueless.

Market Value: Although this boat was available for sale at \$375.00 (owner's price) or at \$350.00 (Phillipson's price) from January, 1942 to October, 1942, no sale was made until October 30, 1942, after Gould revalued the boat.

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CLAIM

November 20, 1944

CREDITOR: Natsuo KISHIMOTO, 11176 **FILE:** 1678

DEBTOR: Canadian Government

AMOUNT: \$5.00

Expenses incurred in connection with the seizure and
removal from Skeena River to Tuck's Inlet of the M/V
"Kobe"

Gm

*Paid -
Apr. 12/45.*

Extract from O.W. Phillipson's notebook. Survey #65 - Prince Rupert

Kobe PR 082H

Packer

Damaged boat - Nil

" engine- Nil

Boat new 650

Engine " No value - car engine

Extra -

Value new -

Value 1942 - \$350

Estimated age 7 years

EXHIBIT NO. 1289-bDATE NOV 24 1948FILLED BY K. A. Christie

JOHN GOULD
Marine Surveyor and Appraiser
VANCOUVER, B. C.

CABLES:
"GOULD" VANCOUVER, B. C.
TELEPHONE:
PACIFIC 9046

No. 9.P.R.

"Kobe"

Survey Report

To whom it may concern:

Official No.	No number	Type	Troller.
Owner			
Built by			
Age			
Dimensions	L. 30 ft. B. 7.5 ft. D. 3 ft.		
Tonnage	Gross: 6		
Material	Wood.		
Masts	None.		
Superstructure	Forward & after cabin.		
Engines	Gasoline. Aux. None.		
Make & H.P.	Truck, 6 cyl. 30 H.P.		
Built & Installed			
Fuel, No. of Tanks	Gasoline. 1.		
Location	Forward in Bow.		
Material & Capacity	Galvanized iron. 30 gallons.		
Filled & Vented	From deck.		
Carburetors	Hietson.		
Tailshaft	1 1/4" brass.		
Propeller	None.		
Pumps	1 on deck.		
Fuel line to engine	Copper		
Shutoff Valves	On tank.		
Lighting	Oil.		
Batteries	None.		
Wiring	None.		

Anchors	None.		
Chains	None.	Rope	None.
Compass	None.		
Tow Winch, Bitts	None.		
Boats	None.		
Exhaust Location	Up through cabin roof.		
Clear of Woodwork	Yes, Asbestos lapped.		
Stoves & Heaters	None.		
E R Ventilation	Side Ports & Companionway.		
Fire Extinguishers	None.		
Fire Hose	None.		
Sea Connections	1 flexible brass.		
Valuation	One Hundred fifty (\$150.00) dollars.		
Estimated Market Value	One Hundred seventy-five (\$175.00) dollars.		

Vancouver, B. C.

October 5, 1942.

John Gould
Marine Surveyor.

To the Secretary of State acting
in his capacity as Custodian.

1678

I KISHIMOTO N., Police
registration No. 1126, hereby request you to
release to me the under-noted property stored at HOME

Port Essington, B.C. B.C. Police

and I release you from any claim whatsoever with respect to
such property.

Description of Property:

Boxes of FOODSTUFF. (Canned Goods)

Dated this 13th. day of July 1942.

(Japanese sign here)

Approved

James A. Rose
B.C. SECURITY COMMISSION

NOTE:

The Custodian is advised that the B.C. Security Commission will pay transportation charges up to 1,000 pounds (which amount includes the free baggage allowed by railroad company on tickets), and any charges over this amount will have to be for the account of the individual Japanese evacuee.

1-12,
1382
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Jan. 21, 1943.

Mr. H. J. Brown,
Fort Easington, D. C.

Dear Sir:

Re: Hiiji KISHIMOTO, Reg. #11173.
Atsuo KISHIMOTO, Reg. #11176.

In reviewing the files of the above brothers we cannot trace having ever received a report on the parcel of land registered in their names, i.e. Lot 6, Block 3, Subdiv. of D.L. 45, Plan 537, Fort Easington Townsite, nor on the buildings situated thereon.

We note from your letter of the 11th of December that you are making up a report on the various houses in your district and hope this is on the way and contains the information desired. If not we would appreciate having a report from you on this property. For your information we might mention that in their JP report each declared a half interest in the above land and in a "5 room frame building and store" thereon. Hiiji Kishimoto (File 1382, Reg. #11173) declared ownership of "household furnishings and store fittings" as well as "\$1000 stock-in-trade". Atsuo Kishimoto (File 1678, Reg. #11176) declared having no interest under these headings.

Report on condition of building and contents should also include an estimate on rental value and prospect of securing a tenant.

Yours truly,

A. G. McArthur,
Administration Department.

RCD:AS

MEMORANDUM

File Nos.: 1382
1678
A/12

March 1st, 1943

To: Mr. R. G. Bell

From: Mr. H. F. Green

Re: KISHIMOTO, Eiji
KISHIMOTO, Natsuo

Herewith H. J. Brown's report of January 29th in which we are both interested. As far as this Department is concerned, there seems to be little more to do than to acknowledge this letter and ask that any offers for renting the premises be referred to us in order that the contents may be taken care of.

There is also the matter of the items sold to Brown's General Store as per my letter of December 21st authorization for which was given by Mr. Alexander. Money does not seem to have been received for this and if you have anything else to mention, perhaps you would include this in your letter. If not, please return to me and I will handle it.

In this connection, store stock and equipment is more usually handled by your Department.

HFG:IF

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March 4th, 1943

Mr. H. J. Brown,
Port Essington, B. C.

Dear Sir:-

Re: KISHIMOTO, Fijii
KISHIMOTO, Matsuo

Thank you very much for your letter and enclosure of January 29th which our Administration Department and the writer have jointly considered. For the time being it seems there is nothing more we can do than to ask that any offers for renting the premises be referred to us with recommendations as to the care of the equipment and stock-in-trade.

The only outstanding point at present is that covered in our letter of December 21st when we agreed to Brown's General Store taking the odd lines at a discount of 50% off retail. Please arrange for this to be done and send us a cheque for the proceeds payable to the Deputy Custodian.

Yours truly,

H. F. Green
Protection Department

Received by
✓
April 14

HFG:IP

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\$195.00 Cr.
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April 16th, 1943

Mr. H. J. Brown,
Port Essington, B. C.

Dear Sir:-

Re: KISHIMOTO, Matsuo
KISHIMOTO, 2111

Further to our letter of March 4th on
the above Japanese, we should like the matter of
these Japanese' odd lines of groceries which were to
be sold to Brown's General Store, cleared up as soon
as their and your time permits. Would you let us
know about this in the near future?

Yours truly,

H. P. Green
Protection Department

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HFG:IP

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June 16th, 1943

Mr. H. J. Brown,
Port Essington, B. C.

Dear Sir:-

Re: KISHIMOTO, Wiji
KISHIMOTO, Natsuo

This is just to remind you that we have not yet heard from you in connection with our letters of March 4th and April 16th dealing with the sale of these Japanese' odd lines of groceries. Please do not overlook this matter.

Please be sure to keep us currently advised of any fees for your services. We think a monthly account is best divided up into a charge for each Japanese with an indication of the time spent or work done on each case.

Yours truly,

H. F. Green
Protection Department

HFG:IP

1382 and 1678

June 24th, 1943.

Mr. H. J. Brown,
Port Essington, B. C.

Dear Sir:

Re: KISHIMOTO, Eiji and
KISHIMOTO, Natsuo.

Many thanks for yours of June 16th enclosing cheque for \$50.00 for which we are sending you herewith our receipt.

For our own records we would mention that this seems to clear up this case fairly well, the remaining items being as per your report of January 29th on our File No. 1382.

We note that you have so far not been able to rent these premises.

Yours truly,

H. F. Green,
Protection Department.

HFG:MAI.
Enclosure.

File No. 1582 and 1678

EXHIBIT No. 1289-11

DATE NOV 21 1943

FILLED BY K.A. Christie

Port Essington, B.C.

July 31st, 1943

Sold to- No. 4 Group Headquarters,
Royal Canadian Air Force,
Prince Rupert, B.C.

Property of Major KISHIMOTO, Reg. No. 11123
Natsu KISHIMOTO, " " 11176

Per instructions contained in letter from Major Kishimoto
dated April 1st. to me.

EVACUATION SECTION

Rec'd

AUG 9 1943

File No.

Ans.

Referred

July 31 2 only Pool Tables and appurtenances.

(as is.)

each \$45.00 \$ 90 00

Provisional receipt given for above.

L. Brown

COPY for File 1678

May 23rd, 1946.

MEMORANDUM

FILE NOS: 1382 and 1678.
NAMES: Wiji KISHIMOTO and Natsuo KISHIMOTO
CATALOGUE NO: 745
RE: Port Essington, B. C.
- Store and Dwelling.

CERTIFICATE OF ENCUMBRANCE:

Description of Property:	Lot 6, Block 3, Townsite of Port Essington, Map 537.
Encumbrances:	None.
Taxes:	1946 Taxes - \$22.72 paid.
Vested:	No. 8878.
VALUATION BY APPRAISER:	\$750.00.
AMOUNT OF BID:	\$750.00.
APPROVED BY ADVISORY COMMITTEE:	April 29th, 1946.
AMOUNT RECEIVED BY CUSTODIAN:	\$750.00.
NAMES OF PURCHASERS:	George Henry Douglas and Josephine Douglas (Joint Tenants).

Prepared by: *W. J. Kishimoto*

Approved by: *W. J. Kishimoto*

DAC:JS

1678

August 30, 1943

Mr. Natsuo KISHIMOTO,
Reg. No. 11176,
Slocan, B. C.

Dear Sir:

This is to advise you of the sale of the vessel "Kobe" for the sum of \$175.00. This was the value placed on this boat by the experienced and independent marine surveyor who appraised her.

No administration costs are charged in connection with the sale of these vessels. The only charges made were to cover wharfage, watchmen's fees, fire insurance, expert appraisal, etc. These charges amounted to \$23.76.

The balance of \$151.24 has been credited to your account with this office.

Yours very truly,

F. Matheson,
Specified Articles Department.

1382, 1078 & 7653.

October 2nd, 1943.

Provincial Collector,
Prince Rupert,
B. C.

Dear Sir:

Re: EIJI KISHIMOTO - Reg. 11123.
Natsuo KISHIMOTO " 11176.

We enclose our cheque for \$82.77 in payment of the following taxes:

\$39.48	taxes for 1941
4.00	interest on above
37.20	taxes for 1942
2.09	interest on above

We also enclose respective tax notices and shall be glad to receive your acknowledgment in due course.

There is another parcel of vacant land at Port Hesington known as: "Lot 9, Block 5, Sub-div. of D.L. 45, Plan 537" the registered owners of which are the above EIJI KISHIMOTO and Natsuo KISHIMOTO. The latter has not declared any interest in this property and the former in asking us to make the above payment, writes:

"As for (this property) we have decided to Quit Claim which we take to mean abandon it.

Yours truly,

R. G. Bell,
Administration Department.

RGB/P.
Encl.

DATE NOV 24 1944

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EXTRACT OF W. E. HORTON'S FORT HENRY
APPRAISAL (JUNE - JULY, 1944)

Fort Belvoir, D. C. Prince Rupert Land District.

Lots 50.00.
Lease 1100.00.

No. 745. Lot 6 B. 3, B. 43. (N & S Kishimoto Store),
Store & live' etc. frontage about 60' built in sections, Old.
Main bldg. approx 24' x 36' with addn. to rear 24' x 16'
Side addn. 12' x 12'
Shed 12' x 36' at side used as junk storage etc.
Roofed with corr. cold. Iron sheets, that seems fair.
Main building is 1/2 story with bedrooms above, kitchen in addition
at back. Also store addition across rear. This could be a very old
building, and would extend beyond the lot limits, as the whole lot
was 70' or so, but as the lots have so little value, this would not
be a very serious matter, but I thought it should be mentioned. The
building here could be described as drab, especially rear and upper.
Some of the windows are broken, and Mr. Brown says entry has been
made, and some of the things could be missing from the original
lot. If the building could be sold for any purpose it should fetch
about \$750.00, but my have to go for salvage. There is quite a
quantity of stock left, but mostly such as would only appeal to the
Japanese. The store equipment includes basic table counters, shelving
consist of carts 5 of them, large tables with bins 4 on each side,
that has been 100 best days, as well as

1 Dayton type scale about 30 lbs. 1 safe small.
1 Fairbanks platform scale 500 lbs.
1 Kaiser mail stove 1 set. chairs and seats - stools -
some small items of hardware stock, Oil in cans, etc.

1 Cook stove small, 1 heater, 1 pants dresser, with drawers,
1 Bureau, 1 chair, 1 plate mirror about 36" x 48", fair, in frame.
The B.C. here may also be burst, as most of them are as even when
drained, the anti-siphonage channel holds sufficient water to burst
the bowl when frozen, it seems.

Very little here, rats are in control. Just 1 old bed, iron, and
small quantity books including 1 popular educator set.

Contains small quantity lumber, engine parts, ropes, etc.
Various assortment of old tools and such junk.
The equipment and furniture and junk could have quite a little
value, if placed in a receptive market, maybe \$400.00 or more.

The value of the building, should a buyer be available, I would
place at seven hundred fifty dollars - \$750.00.

Oct. 6, 1943.

Slocan City, B.C.

Custodian Office,
Vancouver, B.C.

EVACUATION SECTION	
Rec'd	5761 61 130
File No.	13828/1678
Ans.	RWB
Referred	Bill

Dear Sir:-

I acknowledge receipt of your letter
of the 2nd, informing us of over balance.
Would you mind please sending us
the remaining balance of ~~some~~ as we
need extra cash to get some warmer
clothings etc.

Hoping to receive above at your
earliest, we are,

Yours truly,

1382 *H. Kishimoto*
1678 *H. Kishimoto*

1678 & 1382.

October 18th, 1943.

Mr. Natsuo KISHIMOTO,
Registration No. 11176,
Slocan, B. C.

Dear Sir:

We are in receipt of your letter of the 6th instant, carrying the signature of both yourself and your brother, and asking for the remittance of the balance of your account for the purpose of purchasing clothing.

As advised you in our letter of the 2nd instant, addressed to your brother, the balance of your Joint Account has been reduced to \$21.45, and as your brother has already received more than his share, in the form of a life insurance premium paid for his account, we now enclose our cheque in your favour for \$21.45, thus leaving no funds in this account.

The only debt on file is for 1943 taxes (\$21.71) on your jointly owned property at Port Essington.

Yours truly,

R. G. Bell,
Administration Department.

RGB/P.
Encl. 1.

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August 9th, 1944.

Mr. Natsuo KISHIMOTO
& Mr. Eiji KISHIMOTO,
Reg. Nos. 11176 & 1123,
Slocan, B. C.

Dear Sirs:

Re: Fire Insurance

In connection with your property described as Lot 6, Block 3, Townsite of Port Essington on which there are two buildings which are described as a store and also a four room dwelling, I notice that there is no fire insurance covering on these buildings.

Apparently it has not been your practice to carry fire insurance, and as the buildings have not been rented, we have not placed any fire insurance to cover them. I wish to draw this matter to your attention and point out, that, if a fire should occur you would have to bear the loss.

Should you desire fire insurance placed, we will be glad to look after the detail for you but it will be necessary that you supply the money to pay for same, as there is no revenue from your property that can be used for that purpose. Or it could be paid from funds standing here to the credit of Natsuo KISHIMOTO, upon receipt of written authority to make payment from that account.

Yours truly,

S. M. Gibson,
Insurance Department.

SMG:OR

Aug 25 1944

Slocan City, B.C.

The Canadian Agent
Vancouver B.C.

EVACUATION SECTION	
Rec'd	AUG 31 1944
File No.	1078
Assn.	1078
Referred	Hillman

Dear Sir -

Will you please pay to the
Manufacturers Life Insurance Co. sum of
\$35.14 (Thirty five & fourteen cents) as in
payment of premium 1944 and please
place to my credit. (On Sale Book
"KOE".)

Also I need money very badly
for my marriage. I
want to send all the balance of
my money at your earliest convenience

Yours truly,

Natens Kishimoto

Slocan City

former residence

Van. B.C.

1678

September 5, 1944.

Mr. M. L. Brown,
Office Manager,
B. C. Security Commission,
360 Homer Street,
Vancouver, B. C.

EVACUATION SECTION	
Rec'd	SEP 12 1944
File No.	1678
Ans.	SM 5951
Reform	Gibson

sent to you

Dear Sir:

.....Natsuo KISHIMOTO #11176.....Japanese,
residing at... Gleason City, B. C......
requests the payment to... Manufacturers Life.....
of the sum of \$... 35.24.....

His credit balance on our books at the present time is
\$ 151.24.....

Kindly indicate whether you approve of this payment being
made, returning duplicate endorsed accordingly.

Yours truly,

S. M. Gibson

S. M. Gibson,
Insurance Department

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

Approval ~~is~~ ^{is} given for payment as above

Remarks: We have no objection to the above premium being

..... paid.....

Date.....
Sept 12th 1944

M. L. Brown
M. L. Brown
Office Manager.

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CANADA
DEPARTMENT OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE
OFFICE OF THE CUSTODIAN
JAPANESE EVACUATION SECTION

PHONE PACIFIC 6181
PLEASE REFER TO
FILE NO. **1678**

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

September 19th, 1944.

Mr. M. L. Brown,
Office Manager,
B. C. Security Commission,
360 Homer Street,
Vancouver, B. C.

EVACUATION SECTION	
Rec'd	SEP 22 1944
File No.	1678
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Dear Sir:

..... **Isamu KISHIMOTO #11176** Japanese,
residing at..... **Sloam City, B. C.**
requests the payment to..... **himself**
of the sum of \$..... **116.10 being total balance of funds held**
..... **by this office.**
His credit balance on our books at the present time is
\$..... **116.10.**

Kindly indicate whether you approve of this payment being
made, returning duplicate endorsed accordingly.

Office of the Custodian,
506 Royal Bank Building,
VANCOUVER, B. C.

Yours truly

..... **H. G. Bell,**
Administration Department.

Approval ~~is~~ ^{is not} given for payment as above

Remarks: ^{single} As the above named man is residing within
..... our Project we cannot recommend that his balance
..... in your hands be released to him.

Date..... Sept 21st 1944

..... **M. L. Brown**
Office Manager.

Steen City, B.C.
Sept. 20th, 1944

The Canadian Agent.
Vancouver, B.C.

EVACUATION SECTION
Rec'd SEP 22 1944
File No. 1678
Am.
Referred Bill

File No. 1678

Dear Sir:

In receipt of your letter dated Sept. 13th, I acknowledge in thanks that you had paid my insurance premium of \$35.00 and charged it to my account. In same letter, I asked you to send me the balance of money sum of around \$126.00 which has been placed to my credit. Unfortunately, you had overlooked the matter and you did not mention anything about in your letter. Today, I wish ask you again to send me your cheque to cover all my account soon as you can. I really in need of money these days because I have to ready for my marriage which will take place in this November. Trusting to hear cheque from you soon.

Yours truly,
Natus Kishimoto
Age 11176
Steen City, B.C.

1678.

September 22nd, 1944.

Mr. Matsuo KISHIMOTO,
Registration No. 11176,
Slocan City, B. C.

Dear Sir:

At the request of our Insurance Department,
we enclose herewith Manufacturers Life Insurance Company's
receipt for premium paid on your policy No. 796168.

As you are a resident in a B. C. Security Commission
Interior Housing Project, the request made in the last para-
graph of your letter of the 28th ultimo was referred to the
Commission and we are now in receipt of their reply to the
effect that they cannot recommend the release of the remaining
balance of your account, \$116.10.

Should you wish to follow up this matter, we would
ask you to do so through your local B. C. Security Commission
Supervisor.

Yours truly,

R. G. Bell,
Administration Department.

RGB/P.

Files 1472
1941

November 17, 1941.

MEMORANDUM

To: Accounting Department

From: Mr. Green

Re: SAJI KISHIMOTO #11123
and Naoko KISHIMOTO #11176

You were requested to hold funds,
being proceeds of auction sales at Pt. Hasing-
ton and Prince Rupert for the above named Jap-
anese, as there was some question of a third
Japanese being included with this.

However we have been unable to
identify any such third party and consider the
funds may now be unfrozen.

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The Custodian Office
Vancouver B.C.

EVACUATION SECTION	
Rec'd	OCT 1 1945
File No.	1698
Att.	
Returned	Bill not to open

Oct. 1st '45.

Slocan City B.C.

Dear Sir:-

Please pay to The
Manufactures Life Insurance Co.
for my yearly insurance premium
on their request and charge
amount to my account.

Yours truly,
Natsuo Kishimoto

P.S. Amount will be 34.92 or little over.

NATSUO KISHIMOTO.

11176.

SLOCAN CITY B.C.

1382, 1678

April 6th, 1946.

MEMORANDUM

To: Mr. Shears,

From: Ian Macpherson.

Re: Cat. # 745, Fort Hasting, Lot
6, Blk. 3, Townsite of Fort Hasting,
Map 137.

Title to this land is in the names of Riji KISHIMOTO and Hideo KISHIMOTO clear of all encumbrances except vesting by the Custodian number 8878, filed 1st December 1942.

These premises were reported to be in good repair by the Custodian Inspector on the 14th December 1943. There is no evidence on file that they were at any time leased or rented or at present occupied.

All stock of goods in condition for re sale were sold on the 12th June 1943 including the safe, two pool tables were sold on the 31st July 1943. Some of the personal effects of the owners were shipped to Slocan and the balance were sold by auction on the 15th, 22nd, and 29th of July 1944.

So far as the files show, the building is now unoccupied and all stock and effects removed. It appears there is nothing to prevent sale and immediate occupation.

IM:AL

1382/1678

29th April, 1946.

Messrs. E.C. Halgerson Ltd.,
Box 993,
Prince Rupert, B.C.

Dear Sirs:

Re: Catalogue No. 745
Port Essington, B.C.

We are in receipt of your letter of the 23rd instant in which you submit an offer to purchase the above property for the sum of \$750.00 on behalf of your client, George Douglas, and enclosed your cheque for \$75.00.

This matter is receiving our consideration and we will be writing you again in due course.

Our official receipt for \$75.00 is enclosed herein.

Yours truly,

F. G. Shears,
Director.

FSH

encl.

1382 & 1678

May 6, 1946.

Messrs. H. G. Halgerson, Ltd.,
Box 593,
Prince Rupert, B. C.

Dear Sirs:

Re: Catalogue No. 745
Port Essington, B. C.
6/3/Port Essington Township/537

Further to our letter of April 29th we have to advise you that we are prepared to recommend the acceptance of your offer, on behalf of your client, George Douglas, of \$750.00 for the above described property. Will you please forward to us a certified cheque for the balance of the purchase price, namely, \$675.00.

Kindly advise the full name, address and occupation of the person in whose name this property is to be registered and also state whether or not the proposed registered owner is a British Subject, using the enclosed form.

The necessary documents will then be prepared and forwarded to the Secretary of State at Ottawa, and if our recommendation is acted upon, they will be signed and returned.

After the documents have been registered a statement of adjustments of taxes, etc. will be prepared, including registration fees, and forwarded to you.

Yours truly,

F. G. Shears,
Director.

GP:EB
Enc. 1 - Information Form.

1362 & 1678

May 22, 1946.

Messrs. H. G. Helgeson, Ltd.,
Box 593,
Prince Rupert, B. C.

Dear Sirs:

Re: Catalogue No. 745
Port Essington, B. C.
6/3/Port Essington Township/537

This will acknowledge receipt of your letter of May 18th enclosing your cheque for \$675.00. We have now received a total of \$750.00, the full amount of the purchase price for the above property.

We note that you request this property to be registered in the names of George Henry Douglas, Fisherman, and his wife, Josephine Douglas, both of Port Essington, B. C., British Subjects, as Joint Tenants.

As previously advised, conveyance will be prepared and forwarded to Ottawa with our recommendation for acceptance, and if accepted, adjustments will be calculated as of the date of this letter.

Yours truly,

F. G. Shores,
Director.

/EB

1382 & 1678

May 22, 1946.

Messrs. Riji and Matsuo KISHIMOTO,
Registration Nos. 11123 and 11176,
Sloven City, B. C.

Dear Sirs:

Re: Catalogue No. 745
Port Essington, B. C.
6/3/Port Essington Townsite/537

Please be informed that the above property is in course of sale on the basis of a valuation independently made and following directions issued from Ottawa. The price obtained is \$750.00 which will be subject to the usual charges for the sale of any real property. The net proceeds of this sale will be credited to your joint account and will be available to you when the sale is completed. A detailed statement of the transaction will be sent to you when the matter is concluded.

Yours truly,

George Peters,
Administration Department.

/EB

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Catalogue No. 745.

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June 14th, 1946.

REGISTERED MAIL

The Registrar,
Land Registry Office,
Prince Rupert, B. C.

Dear Sir:

Lot 6, Block 3, Townsite of Port Essington, Map 137.

Enclosed herewith please find Transmission and Deed from the Honourable the Secretary of State acting in his capacity as Custodian to George Henry Douglas and Josephine Douglas - Joint Tenants.

We are also enclosing registration applications in duplicate for the Transmission and Deed. The registration fees amounting to \$8.00 are included in our cheque No. 1200, which is also enclosed.

Will you please be good enough to stamp the duplicate applications, showing the numbers on both the Transmission and Deed, and return same.

As soon as the title has been issued, please forward it to the applicant at this office.

Thanking you for your co-operation.

Yours truly,

D. A. Cramer

D. A. Cramer
(Conveyancer)

DAC:JS
5 Encls.

for 1678 - file
File Nos. 1382 & 1678.
Catalogue No. 745.

July 23rd, 1946.

MEMORANDUM

TO: Mr. George Peters

FROM: Mr. D. A. Cramer

ELIJ KISHIMOTO
Etsuo KISHIMOTO
Lot 6, Blk. 3, Townsite of
Fort Belknap, Map 537.

With reference to the above property which was recorded in the
Prison Report Land Registry Office, July 2nd, 1946, we attach herewith
the following documents in connection therewith:

1. Copy of application number 34844-I, dated June 14th, 1946,
registering the property in the name of the Custodian
(Transmission).
2. Copy of application number 34845-I, dated June 14th, 1946,
registering the property in the names of George Henry Douglas
and Josephine Douglas - Joint Tenants (Deed).
3. Duplicate of Transmission dated May 31st, 1946.
4. Duplicate of Deed dated May 31st, 1946 - Secretary of State
to George Henry Douglas and Josephine Douglas - Joint Tenants.
5. Certificate of Indefeasible Title number 34845-I, dated
July 2nd, 1946, covering the above property in the names of
George Henry Douglas and Josephine Douglas - Joint Tenants.

D. A. Cramer

DAC:JS
Attn.

1362 & 1678.
Cat. No. 745.

April 10th, 1947.

Mr. Eiji KISHIMOTO,
Registration No. 11123,
Iron Springs, Alta.
and
Mr. Natsuo KISHIMOTO,
Registration No. 11176,
c/o Mr. Frank Leiden,
Vineland Station, Ontario.

Dear Sirs:

Re: Lot 6, Block 3, Townsite of Port Essington, Map 537.

The sale referred to in our letter of the 22nd May, 1946, has been completed and for your information we enclose a complete statement of the transaction, showing the net proceeds (\$714.94) transferred to the credit of the Joint Account in which the property is carried.

We also enclose our Accounting Department's statement of this Joint Account (Eiji and Natsuo KISHIMOTO), including the above item, and showing a balance of \$729.24 standing at the credit thereof. We shall be glad to supply further information regarding any item that may not be quite clear to you.

Yours truly,

R. G. Bell,
Office of the Custodian.

RGB/P.
Encl. 2.

c.c. to Dept. of Labour, Japanese Div.

FILE NO. 1382 + 1678
CATALOGUE NO. 745

MEMORANDUM... *Chas. Bell*

Re: Sale of property... *Expt. Cassington, B.C.
13/10/1937*

Sale of the above property has been completed and relevant papers have been removed to a special real property file now sent to you with the master file. You will wish to review this for the proper continuation of your administration of the assets disclosed. This file is now restored to general circulation.

EB

The Custodian of the
Immigration, B.C.

EVACUATION SECTION	
Rec'd	MAY 22 1947
File No.	1676
Ans.	Refused
Referred	sur to Matheson

May 17th, 47
502 Clinton St.
Toronto, Ont.

Dear Sir:

Two weeks ago, I wrote you a letter to ask to send me a cheque for which you are holding amount as my personal account. Unfortunately, I have not heard from you ^{since} yet. As I need them soon as possible, please check up the matter and if you are not sure to do so. Kindly act at once.

Yours truly,

N. Kishimoto

address

N. KISHIMOTO #11176
502, CLINTON ST.
TORONTO, ONT.

Reply # 11176

1678.

mailed 27/5/47

May 23rd, 1947.

REGISTERED MAIL.

Mr. Natsuo KISHIMOTO,
Registration No. 11176,
502 Clinton Street,
Toronto, Ontario.

Dear Sir:

We are in receipt of your letter of the 2nd instant requesting the remittance of the balance standing at the credit of your Personal Account.

This request has necessitated a review of your file and we take advantage of this opportunity to give you a brief resume of our administration of your affairs.

As you know, the policies in regard to the management and subsequent liquidation of your property were decided upon by the Government of Canada, and while the problem was a difficult one for all concerned, we can assure you that it has been the aim of this office to carry out these policies in as careful and fair a manner as possible.

Real Property: The Port Essington property (Cat. 745) in which you have a half-interest was sold (May 22/46) for \$750.00, as advised you at the time. The net proceeds (\$714.94) from the sale was credited (July 16/46) to the Joint Account of the co-owners (1382/1678--Eiji KISHIMOTO and Natsuo KISHIMOTO), a complete statement of the transaction being forwarded to you on the 10th April, 1947.

Specified Articles: Your fishing vessel, the "Kobe" was sold (Oct. 30/42) for \$175.00, the net proceeds (\$151.24) being credited to your account on the 7th April, 1943.

Bills Receivable: Refund of transportation expenses connected with delivery of the above fishing vessel was collected from the Government and credited (Apr. 12/45) to your account in the sum of \$5.00.

Life Insurance: A Manufacturers Life Insurance policy for \$1,000.00 declared by you, remained in your possession and did not come under Custodian administration.

Funds: We are enclosing two statements of account, (A) Joint Account 1382/1678 in the names of Eiji and Natsuo KISHIMOTO, showing how the credit balance has been liquidated, and account closed, by the transfer to the respective Personal Accounts concerned of the share due each; (B) Your Personal Account showing transfer of final balance from Joint Account, making a final balance in your Personal Account of \$498.32.

We are today sending a statement of the Joint Account to Eiji KISHIMOTO, and if you will both confirm the correctness of the transfers made in liquidation of

(Over)

Mr. Natsuo KISHIMOTO.

Page 2.

May 23rd, 1947.

the balance in this account, we shall be pleased to remit you the total balance standing at the credit of your Personal Account.

This would appear to account for all property of every kind left by you in the protected area which vested in the Custodian, and in order that you may confirm this, we enclose a stamped addressed envelope for your convenience.

Yours truly,

R. G. Bell,
Office of the Custodian.

RGB/P.
Encl.

The Station Office
Hennepin St.

EVACUATION SECTION	
Rec'd	1941
File No.	1678
Ans.	118
Referred	118

July 5th, 1941.
Sic. Arthur S. Hendrix

Re. July 21, 1938.

As I have been contact with my brother in
Alaska, I am sorry to delay in answer. As I
really am out of money, please send me check
to cover all of my personal account so you, please
advise.

Yours truly,

John Hendrix
Hennepin

Address
Vasoo Hendrix
502 Canton St.
Tokyo, Ore.

502 Clinton St.,
Toronto, Ont.
Nov. 27, 1947.

The Custodian Office,
Vancouver B.C.

EVACUATION SECTION	
Rec'd	NOV 28 1947
File No.	1678
Ans.	
Referred	Bell

Dear Sir:-

Soon after evacuation, you said you will hold our stores' sales record book, which we handed over to your care. Would you mind please forwarding the book to us right away, as it is urgent.

Yours truly,

Netsu Kishimoto

My brother, Eiji, has okayed this request.

1382 and
1678.

January 9th, 1948.

Mr. Natsuo KISHIMOTO,
Registration No. 11176,
502 Clinton Street,
Toronto, Ontario.

Dear Sir:

Re: Store Sales Record Book.

We are in receipt of your letter of the 24th November, requesting us to send you your Store Sales Record book. Your brother, Eiji (File 1382) has made a similar request.

A search of our records has failed to locate this book but before stating definitely that it has disappeared we propose making an effort to find it in the only storage space now left for the use of this office - a single room at 604 Cordova Street.

We might mention that as each property used by the Custodian for the storage of evacuee effects has been sold it has been found necessary to reduce the volume of goods transferred to other accommodation, either by sale, if having sale value, or discard if of no sale value, or too little to justify the expense of further handling.

Yours truly,

R. G. Ball,
Administration Department.

RGB/JS

cc: Sent to Eiji KISHIMOTO, File 1382.

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 Please refer to "Certificate" of British Registry in filling this blank; special attention is required in cases of "Length", "Width" and "Depth".
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Name of Vessel (船 名)	ROBE	Official Number (登 記 番 號)	610	Naval Control Number (海 軍 省 ノ 番 號)	FR 062 H
Port of Registry (登 記 港 名)		Date of Registry (登 記 期 日)			
Gross Tonnage (總 噸 數)		Net Tonnage (キック噸數)			
Length (長サ)	29'	Width (幅)	7'	Depth (深サ)	5' 6"
Make of Engine (Present) (機 械 ノ 名) (現 在 ノ)	Wash	Date When Re-installed (若シ入替ヘキ場合ハ其ノ期日)			(15 yrs. old)
Horse Power (馬 力)	60 H.P.	Knot (Speed) (速 力)			
When Hull Built (船体建造期日)	11 yrs. old	When Hull Rebuilt (若シ改造ノ場合ハ其ノ期日)			
Type of Vessel: (船 ノ 型)	Seiner ☐ Packer ☐ Gill-Netter ☒ Troller ☐ Trawler ☐ Other ☐				
Formerly Used as (従来ノ用途)	Gill-netter	Value (Replacement) (船價) (建造スル場合)			
Date When Surveyed Last (最近ノサマシキ検査期日)		Value (Present) (船價) (現 在 ノ)			\$375.00
Place of Operation (使 用 區 域)	Sikoea River	Value (Insured) (船價) (保額ヲ附スル場合)			
Charter Rate: 1940 (賃船料金率)	Own use	Chartered To: 1940 (賃 船 先)			1941
Amount of Mortgage, If Any (抵 當 額 ノ 金 額)	Nil	Mortgaged To: (抵 當 額 借 入 先)			
Registered Owner's Name (登録船主名)	Natsuo Kishimoto	Actual Owner's Name (実 質 所 有 者 名)			Natsuo Kishimoto
ADDRESS (住所)	P.O. Box 1285, Prince Rupert, B. C.	ADDRESS (住所)			P.O. Box 1285, Prince Rupert, B. C.

Remarks: Filed up at New Westminster, B. C. (Prince Rupert)
 (注)

506 Royal Bank Bldg.,
Vancouver, B. C.,
July 26th, 1950.

1382 & 1678

E. W. Wright, Esq., K.C.,
Chief Counsel,
Office of the Custodian,
Victoria Building,
7 O'Connor St.,
Ottawa, Ont.

Dear Mr. Wright:

Re: Japanese Property Claims Commission.
Kiji Kishimoto, Case No. 694
Natsuo Kishimoto, Case No. 1289.

This is one of the cases which the Commissioner recommended for special consideration and concerns a property at Port Essington. The property was owned jointly by the above Japanese and each owner filed a claim for a one-half interest. The entire property was sold for \$750.00. Mr. Virtue states that "At the present time nothing has been allowed in the actual award covering the loss on this particular property". This is not correct as under cases 694 and 1289 appearing in Appendix I to the Commissioner's report an award of \$62.50 is recommended to each owner. This amount represents an award of 10% above the sale price plus a refund of charges.

As mentioned by Mr. Virtue, the Commissioner did indicate that if it is proposed to pay compensation in addition to the sum recommended, the additional sum should not be greater than 50% of the difference between the assessed value and the selling price. Mr. Virtue states that the property was assessed at \$2625.00. The evidence shows that this was the assessment in 1940, but that in 1944 it had been reduced to \$1150.00.

Assuming that the Commissioner's suggestion is carried out, depending on which assessment is used, the result for an award covering the entire property would be as follows:

Assessment	\$2625.00	\$1150.00
Sale Price	750.00	750.00
	<u>1875.00</u>	<u>400.00</u>
50% recommended by Commissioner	937.50	200.00
Present award	125.00	125.00
Additional award	<u>812.50</u>	<u>75.00</u>
50% for each owner	406.25	37.50

1382 & 1678

While the evidence indicates that Port Essington was somewhat of a ghost town by 1944, the Commissioner in discussing this matter with Counsel for the claimants on May 2nd, 1949, stated as follows: "My understanding of the Port Essington situation is that at the time of the removal of the Japanese, the Port Essington community was virtually a ghost town due to the fact the canneries had all moved lower down the Skomna River". The Commissioner also stated on April 4th, 1950, "The evidence establishes that commencing in 1940 the population of the community had decreased progressively due to the removal of certain cannery plants the last of which was removed about 1944, consequently Port Essington was reduced to a status of a ghost town by 1944 when the policy of liquidation was adopted..... Sales of real property which were made by the Custodian between 1944 and 1946 are shown to have been made at figures substantially lower than Provincial Government assessments, a situation which, in my opinion, was attributable in part to the changes brought about by the removal of canneries and in part to the evacuation of persons of the Japanese race".

It can be assumed, therefore, that it was on account of the changed conditions brought about by circumstances prior to evacuation which was the cause of the reduction in assessed valuations.

In view of the fact that this property was sold in 1946 at which time the assessed valuation was \$1150.00, the recommendation made by the Commissioner would appear to call for a further award of \$ 37.50.

Yours very truly,

FOS/js

F. G. Shears,
Director.

CANADA
THE SECRETARY
OFFICE OF THE CUSTODIAN

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

July 28th, 1950.

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

EVACUATION
Rec'd AUG
File No.
Ans.
Referred

Dear Mr. Shears:

Re: Japanese Property Claims Commission
Eiji Kishimoto, Case No. 694
Natsuo Kishimoto, Case No. 1289

I have for acknowledgment your communication of the 26th instant.

I note your suggestion that in view of the fact that the property was sold in 1946 the further award would amount to \$37.50 to each owner - this figure being arrived at on the basis of the 1944 assessment.

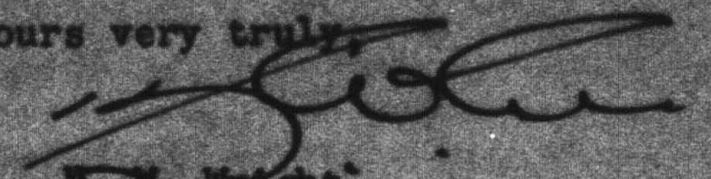
I suggest that you write to Mr. Virtue along this line in order to obtain an expression of his views. No doubt he will insist on payment of an award based on the earlier valuation.

There is some doubt in my own mind as to the reduced valuation being brought about by circumstances prior to evacuation. I incline to the Commissioner's view that removal of Canneries and Evacuation contributed to reduced assessments.

You may wish to speak to Mr. Justice Bird before writing to Mr. Virtue.

Please indicate to Mr. Virtue that my holidays commence next week and that the matter will not be determined until I return to the office early in September.

Yours very truly,


R. N. Wright,
Chief Counsel.

KWW/G

1382, 1678, 3873,
6/73.

August 1st, 1950

Mr. A. G. Virtue, E.C.,
Messrs. Virtue, Russell & Morgan,
Barristers & Solicitors,
McFarland Building,
Lethbridge, Alberta.

Dear Mr. Virtue:

Re: Japanese Property Claims.

I have been asked to write in regard to cases which were outside the terms of reference but which the Commissioner recommended should receive some consideration and to advise you that it is not expected that these matters will be determined until the Fall. Mr. E. W. Wright, who will review these cases, is leaving for his holidays next week but will endeavour to give his attention to these matters in September.

I understand that you have referred several cases to Ottawa and as indicated these will be reviewed in due course by Mr. Wright.

In regard to the KISHIMOTO cases number 694 and 1289, the Commissioner has already recommended an award of \$62.50 to each owner. The Commissioner has also indicated that if it is proposed to pay compensation in addition to the sum recommended the additional sum should not be greater than 50% of the difference between the assessed valuation and the Custodian selling price. On the basis of the assessment at the time of sale the award would be as follows:

Assessment	\$1150.00
Sale Price	<u>750.00</u>
	<u>400.00</u>
Award of 50% recommended by the Commissioner	\$ 200.00
Already recommended	<u>125.00</u>
Additional award	75.00

This would mean an additional award for each owner of \$37.50. I understand that a settlement on this basis would be approved for payment.

I have been asked to secure certain information in regard to claims filed by MOTOTSUNE and the Western Canada Hop for submission

Page 2.

Mr. A.G. Virtue, K.C.

to Mr. Wright when he returns.

I wrote you on July 27th asking for a list of case numbers in which you were interested. If you have not already sent this you might advise if the following is the correct list:

324
456 to 483 incl.
505
506
512
518
640 to 642 incl.
644 to 801 incl.

Yours truly,

F. G. Shears,
Director.

FGS/js

CANADA
DEPARTMENT OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE
OFFICE OF THE CUSTODIAN

FORWARD ALL
COMMUNICATIONS
TO THE
CUSTODIAN'S OFFICE
PLEASE REFER
TO
FILE NO.

EVACUATION SEC

Rec'd AUG 4 1950

File No.

Ans.

Referred

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

August 3rd, 1950.

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

Dear Mr. Shears:

Re: Japanese Property Claims
Commission
Eiji Kishimoto
Matsuo Kishimoto

Enclosed herewith you will find
copy of communication received from Messrs.
Virtue, Russell & Morgan.

It would be appreciated if you
would reply indicating that letter has been
transferred to you as I am leaving on my
holidays tomorrow. You may also explain the
present position of the matter.

Yours very truly,


K. W. Wright,
Chief Counsel.

KW/G
Enc.

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VIRTUE, RUSSELL & MORGAN
BARRISTERS, SOLICITORS
AND NOTARIES PUBLIC
MacFarland Building, Opposite Court House
Lethbridge, Alberta.

Please Refer to File 3212 - 59

1st August, 1950

K. W. Wright, Esq.,
Chief Counsel,
Department of Secretary of State,
Victoria Building,
7 O'Connor Street,
Ottawa, Canada.

Dear Sir:

Re: JAPANESE PROPERTY CLAIMS COMMISSION
Eiji Kishimoto
Matsuo Kishimoto

We refer to your letter of July 7th, and
trust that you have had an opportunity of looking
into this claim.

We shall appreciate hearing from you
in due course.

Yours truly,

VIRTUE, RUSSELL & MORGAN

Per

1873, 1876, 1922
and 6/73.

August 4th, 1950.

Messrs. Virtue, Russell & Morgan,
Barristers and Solicitors,
McFarland Building,
Lethbridge, Alberta.

Dear Mr. Virtue:

Re: Torase MOTOTSUNE - Case No. 506
Haji KISHIMOTO - Case No. 694)
Hajime KISHIMOTO - Case No. 1289)
Western Canada Inc. - Case No. 481

Your individual letters of August 1st, addressed
to Mr. Wright at Ottawa, in connection with the above three cases
have been referred to me.

You will doubtless have received my letter also
dated August 1st indicating that the review of these cases will
be dealt with sometime after Mr. Wright returns from his holidays.
In due course you may therefore expect to hear further in regard
to the above.

Yours truly,

F. G. Shears,
Director.

FOS/js

DEC - 2 1947

IN THE MATTER OF a Commission to Investigate Claims of Japanese Canadians for Property Losses.

TO: The Commissioner,
Office of the Custodian,
Royal Bank Bldg.,
Vancouver, B.C.

1678

Pursuant to the notice issued on the 26th day of September, 1947, I submit the following claim:

- (1) NAME Kishimoto Hatsuo (RCMP) Reg. No. 11176
(Print) Surname Given Name
- (2) Pre-Evacuation Address Port Essington, B.C.
- (3) Present Address 502 Clinton Street, Toronto, Ontario.
- (4) REAL ESTATE
- (a) Street Address (if any) Port Essington, B.C.
City or Municipality, Province
- (b) Legal description (lot number, block number, section number, etc.)
Lot 6, Block 3, Certificate No. 28449, Map 537, Port Essington,
B.C.
- (c) Type of Real Property (cross out words which do not apply):
(i) Farm
(ii) Residence Type of business General Store and Residence (2nd floor)
(iii) Business
(iv) Any other type of property (describe)
- (d) What was your interest in the property (e.g., sole owner, life tenant, joint tenant, owner of one half or one third interest, leasehold, etc.) owner of one-half interest - other half
owned by brother, Elji Kishimoto, Reg. No. 11123, Iron Springs, Alberta
- (e) Fair market value at date of sale (estimate this to the best of your ability): May 22nd 1946
- | | | |
|---|-----------|---|
| (i) Land | - - - - - | \$ <u>3000.00</u> |
| (ii) Buildings | - - - - - | \$ |
| (iii) If business, put value on business as going concern (including land and buildings, tenancies, chattels, fixtures, stock-in-trade, goodwill and accounts receivable) | - - - - - | \$ <u>2000.00</u> |
| (iv) Total value (if you cannot give separate values for lands and buildings just fill in total value) | - - - - - | \$ |
| (v) Amount at which Custodian sold property and credited your account | - - - - - | \$ <u>800.00</u> |
| (f) Loss (This figure is arrived at by deducting item (v) from item (iv)) | - - - - - | \$ <u>4200.00</u>
(One-half this amount) |
- (5) PERSONAL PROPERTY
- (a) Place or places at which property was left by the claimant at date of evacuation
Port Essington, B.C.
- (b) Type of premises in which property left (e.g., house, warehouse, garage, shed, church basement, etc.)
Store and House
- (c) How stored or packed at time of evacuation Stored in store and house without
packing - store and house were boarded and padlocked.

(over)

(d) In whose care was property left at date of evacuation by the claimant. (This question refers to the terms of reference which exclude claims where the property was lost, destroyed or stolen under the custody, control or management of any person other than the Custodian appointed by the owner of the property. It involves some definite arrangement whereby you appointed someone to take care of the property and such person accepted the responsibility of so doing. Unless such an arrangement was made the question should be answered "in no one's care")

Left property in care of Mr. C. D. Pofson (Postmaster and J.P.)
Port Essington, B.C.

(e) Itemized description of personal property which is the subject of the claim:	Estimated Value \$
1. Goods and Furniture - See attached	
2. List - Value \$1022.00 - $\frac{1}{2}$ interest	300.50
3. Sold by Custodian for \$421.00	
4. 2 Pool tables - value \$135.00	
5. Custodian's price - \$90.00 + $\frac{1}{2}$ interest	22.50
6. 1 boat Kobe - (used for delivery)	
7. 27' long - 7' beam - 60 Hp. Nash	
8. Engine - Value \$450.00	
9. Custodian's price \$175.00	275.00
10. Estimated Value \$	
TOTAL CLAIM FOR PROPERTY LOSS \$	598.00

N.B.—If you cannot list all the items here prepare a separate list with values set out opposite each item and attach it to the form. The item "personal property" includes shares, bonds, mortgages, loans, notes and all other forms of property not included in real estate.

(f) Total claim including real and personal property (this figure can be arrived at by adding items 4(f) and 5(e))

(g) (a) Place at which claimant prefers to be heard.
(b) Do you require the services of an interpreter at the hearing? Yes or no

N.B.—This Declaration must be sworn before a Commissioner, Notary Public or other person entitled to take declarations. All lawyers are qualified to do so.

DOMINION OF CANADA
County of York
TO WIT:

I, Matsuo Kishimoto
of Toronto
DO SOLEMNLY DECLARE THAT:

The information set out in the form above is true and correct to the best of my knowledge, information and belief and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing it to be true, and knowing that it is of the same force and effect as if made under oath, and by virtue of "The Canada Evidence Act".
DECLARED before me at the City
of Toronto
in the County of York
this 25th day of November
A.D. 1947.

N.B.—THIS FORM FULLY COMPLETED AND SWORN BEFORE A COMMISSIONER SHOULD BE MAILED BY REGISTERED MAIL TO THE COMMISSIONER, c/o THE OFFICE OF THE CUSTODIAN, ROYAL BANK BLDG., VANCOUVER, B.C., BEFORE NOVEMBER 30th, 1947, IF YOU CANNOT MAIL IT BEFORE THIS DATE SET OUT BELOW REASONS FOR THE DELAY.
A Commissioner, etc.
A.D. 1947.

Name **Kishimoto, Niji**
Kishimoto, Matsuo

Registration No. **II123**
II176

File No. **1308**
1078

The following chattels were sold by public auction
 at Fort Huxington & Prince Rupert on July 18, 22,
 29, 1944.

	Auction price	Net Value
Wade Scale 30 lbs. Gross - 1/2 spring	85.00	100.00
Taylor Safe	80.00	125.00
Shaw case	15.00	60.00
Paper clips	1.75	3.50
Tin of Sundries	1.25	2.00
Iron bottle	3.00	5.00
Shoe last	0.50	1.00
Nail puller	1.00	1.50
Platter	1.00	2.00
Platter	1.00	2.00
Corsets	0.25	0.75
3 Straw hats	0.30	0.75
Baskets	0.10	0.25
Baskets	0.80	0.75
Running shoes	1.00	1.50
Rubber pants	1.00	1.50
Rubber pants	1.25	1.75
Gun boots	2.75	4.00
Rubber coat	0.50	1.50
Christmas decorations	0.15	0.50
Yarn	0.10	0.25
Salicloth (small piece)	0.10	0.25
Foot cushions	0.50	1.00
Baby shoes	0.75	1.25
Basket of cups	5.00	10.00
Baskets	0.25	0.50
Baskets	0.25	0.50
carried forward	154.75	325.75

NAME KISHIMOTO, RIJI
KISHIMOTO, NATSUO

REGISTRATION NO. 11123
11176

FILE NO. 1382
1478

The following chattels were sold by public auction
 at Port Essington & Prince Rupert on July 15, 22, 29, 1944.

	<u>AUCTION PRICE</u>	<u>NET PRICE</u>
Brought Forward	\$124.75	\$329.75
Christmas decorations	0.30	0.50
Christmas decorations	0.50	0.75
Washboard	0.10	0.50
Wash tub	1.00	1.75
8 Pot lids	0.80	1.25
Pot lids	3.00	6.00
Paper bags	0.30	0.75
Wooden paddles	0.35	0.75
Paddles	0.25	0.50
Vegetable graters	0.25	0.50
Vegetable graters	0.30	0.60
Glass juicer	1.25	2.50
Teapot	0.50	0.75
Teapot	0.95	1.50
Pen shooters	0.50	1.00
Lamp globe	0.05	0.15
Christmas decorations	0.10	0.25
Glass jars	0.55	1.00
Ironing board	0.25	0.50
Toilet paper holder	0.10	0.25
Curtain	0.20	0.50
Bread box	0.10	0.25
Baskets	0.15	0.50
Store fixture	0.25	0.50
Can Russian oil	0.10	0.25
Linoleum	1.50	10.00
Total	Carried Forward \$ 138.45	\$ 364.50

NAME KIRKWOOD, RUTH
WILLIAM KIRKWOOD

REGISTRATION NO. 11123
11176

FILE NO. 1382
1878

The following chattels were sold by public auction
 at Ross Eslington & Prince Rupert on July 15, 22, 29, 1944.

	<u>AUCTION PRICE</u>	<u>NET PRICE</u>
Brought Forward	\$138.45	\$364.50
Fruit dish	0.50	0.75
3 shannon files	2.00	4.50
Kettle	1.25	2.00
kettle	0.25	0.50
Fruit basket	0.15	0.30
Colander	0.30	0.60
Aluminum pot	0.75	1.25
Coffee pot	0.30	0.75
Granite pot	0.30	0.75
Enamel pot	1.00	1.50
Platter and wash basins	0.75	1.25
Two basins	0.10	0.25
Pot	0.25	0.50
Frying pan	0.50	0.75
Dishes	0.30	0.50
Cups	0.15	0.30
Bouillon Dish	0.25	0.50
Aluminum pot	0.10	0.25
Bouillon Dish	0.25	0.50
Saki cups	0.50	1.00
Box of saki cups	0.75	2.00
Cigarette stand and lighter	1.25	3.00
T Square	0.40	1.00
Carpet tape	0.55	1.00
Wooden box	3.50	10.00
Plates	1.50	3.00
Total		
Carried Forward	<u>\$ 156.35</u>	<u>\$ 403.00</u>

NAME REINHOLD, HET
REINHOLD, HET

REGISTRATION NO. 11123
1176

FILE NO. 1332
1375

The following chattels were sold by public auction
 at Port Kempton & Prince Rupert on July 15, 22, 29, 1944

Brought Forward	AUCTION PRICE	NET PRICE
Alarm clock	\$156.35	\$403.00
Coal bucket and shovel	1.25	3.00
6 Glasses	2.50	5.00
4 Glasses	0.65	1.50
3 Bowls	0.25	1.00
3 Bowls	0.15	0.75
Bowls	0.70	2.10
Glass Bowl	0.25	1.00
Shaving bowl	1.20	2.50
Tray	0.05	0.15
Teapot	0.50	1.50
Teapot	0.05	0.75
Teapot	0.20	0.50
Tray and bowl	0.20	0.50
Gas stove	0.05	0.25
Pic-dish holder	1.25	5.00
Dishes	0.25	0.75
Dishes	0.25	0.75
plates	0.55	1.00
Mail puller	0.10	0.25
3 Cake tins	2.00	4.00
3 Bowls	0.90	1.50
2 Bowls	0.60	1.25
Bowls	0.10	0.50
Bowls	0.50	1.50
Bowls	0.45	1.00
3 Bowls	0.10	0.30
Rug	1.25	5.00
Total	Carried Forward	
	<u>\$ 172.65</u>	<u>\$ 445.30</u>

NAME KISHIMOTO, RYU
KISHIMOTO, NAORUO

REGISTRATION NO. 11123

FILE NO. 1382

1478

The following chattels were sold by public auction
 at Port Essington & Princess Rupert on July 15, 22, 29, 1944.

	<u>AUCTION PRICE</u>	<u>NET PRICE</u>
Brought Forward	\$172.65	\$445.30
Rug	3.75	10.00
Suit case	0.75	3.00
Shells	0.85	1.50
2 Vases	0.30	1.00
Bread tin	0.30	0.50
Pie Plates	0.45	1.00
Funnel, cake-tin and strainer	0.10	0.50
Grater	0.20	0.50
Grater	0.20	0.50
Saucepan and pie plate	0.10	0.25
Spoon	0.05	0.15
Metal hot-water bottle	0.10	0.50
Kitchen utensils	0.10	0.25
Hair clippers	1.05	2.50
Wooden keg	0.30	0.50
Kitchen utensils	0.65	1.00
Flower vase	0.25	0.50
Wooden keg	0.50	1.00
Bread box	0.25	0.50
Chest	3.50	10.00
Bed pan	0.50	1.00
Pair of skates	1.50	3.50
Wastepaper basket	0.15	0.50
Vase	0.30	0.75
2 Muffin tins	0.50	1.00
Total Brought Forward	<u>\$ 189.35</u>	<u>\$ 487.70</u>

NAME KISHIMOTO, RIJI
KISHIMOTO, NATSUO

REGISTRATION NO. 11123
11176

FILE NO. 1532
1578

The following chattels were sold by public auction
 at Port Essington & Prince Rupert on July 15, 22, 29, 1944.

Brought Forward	AUCTION PRICE	NET PRICE
Glasses	\$189.35	\$ 487.70
Sugar bowl	0.10	0.25
Teapot	0.25	0.50
4 Cups and saucers	0.25	0.50
3 Bowls	0.50	1.00
Bowls	0.45	0.90
Vase	0.25	0.50
Set	0.25	0.90
Glass Bowl	0.50	1.00
Cash box	0.80	1.50
Tray and bowl	0.75	2.00
3 Cushions	0.15	0.50
Dishes	0.50	1.50
Odd dishes	0.25	0.50
Butter dish	0.30	0.50
Stool	0.60	1.00
Clothes rack	0.15	0.50
1 Chair	1.10	2.50
Cake plate	1.00	2.00
McClary Range	0.50	1.00
Kitchen cabinet	25.00	55.00
Heater	5.00	15.00
Cord and 1/2 wood	4.00	10.00
Platform scale	6.00	12.00
Toilet and seat	7.50	15.00
Oil Burner	12.00	21.00
	7.00	12.00
Total	\$ 264.70	\$ 646.75
Carried Forward		

NAME KISHIMOTO ELJI
KISHIMOTO MATSUO

REGISTRATION NO. 11123
11178

FILE NO. 1382
1678

The following chattels were sold by public auction
 at Port Essington & Prince Rupert on July 15, 22, 29, 1944.

Brought Forward	AUCTION PRICE	NET PRICE
Step ladder	0.50	1.00
Waste basket	2.00	3.50
Water tank	3.00	5.00
Candy pail	0.10	0.25
Wash tub	0.50	1.50
Small show case	1.00	5.00
Small show case	1.00	5.00
Cup and saucer	0.50	1.00
Cup and saucer	2.00	4.00
Cups and saucers	0.35	0.70
Cups and saucers	1.00	2.00
Cups and saucers	0.25	0.50
Dishes	0.20	0.50
Bowls	0.10	0.25
12 Bowls	0.60	1.20
Drawing Paper	0.30	0.75
Ring game	0.20	0.50
Can of putty	3.00	5.00
11 Plates	2.00	4.00
Bowls	0.30	0.50
Oil can	0.25	0.50
Miscellaneous tools	0.30	0.50
Pipe wrench and keyhole saw	0.60	1.50
Frying pan	0.75	1.25
Frying pan	0.70	1.00
Green jug and tea pot	0.25	0.50
Coat hangers	0.05	0.25
Total	Carried Forward \$ 286.50	\$ 694.40

NAME KISHIMOTO HIJI
KISHIMOTO MATSUO

REGISTRATION NO. 11123
11176

FILE NO. 1382
1676

The following chattels were sold by public auction
at Port Essington & Prince Rupert on July 15, 22, 29, 1944.

Brought Forward	AUCTION PRICE	NET PRICE
Saki cups	\$ 256.50	\$ 694.40
Saki cups	0.25	0.50
Saki cups	0.30	0.75
Saki cups	0.30	0.75
Saki cups	0.30	0.75
Saki cups	0.30	0.75
Saki cups	0.30	0.75
Pie dish	0.55	1.00
Stove price kit	0.25	0.50
Plate	1.00	2.50
Platter	0.60	1.00
Bowls	0.35	0.60
Vases	0.20	0.50
Dish	0.10	0.25
Bowls and lids	0.25	0.50
Bowls and lids	1.00	2.00
6 Side dishes	0.25	0.50
6 Side dishes	0.15	0.60
3 Side dishes	0.15	0.60
Paper holder	0.10	0.30
Mattress	0.50	0.75
Mattress	0.75	2.00
Mattress	0.50	1.00
Dresser	8.00	15.00
Linoleum	3.00	10.00
Washstand (broken)	0.10	0.25
Mirror	3.80	15.00
Small kitchen cabinet	0.50	1.50
Tray	0.10	0.25
Total	<u>\$ 310.15</u>	<u>\$ 755.00</u>
Carried Forward		

NAME KISHIMOTO RYU
CHUNDO MATSUO

REGISTRATION NO. 11123
11176

FILE NO. 1362
1376

The following chattels were sold by public auction
 at Port Essington & Prince Rupert on July 15, 22, 29, 1944.

	AUCTION PRICE	NET PRICE
Brought Forward	\$ 310.15	\$ 755.00
Potato peeler	0.20	0.50
Potato peeler	0.15	0.25
Baseball bats	1.00	5.00
Gloves, muck and mit	2.00	15.00
Snack banners	5.50	10.00
Whistle	1.30	2.50
Drawing paper	0.05	0.10
Toy bird whistle	0.60	1.25
Toilet rolls	0.10	0.25
Syrup	0.25	0.50
Miscellaneous wall paper	0.10	0.25
Lamp glasses	0.20	0.50
Box of fly catchers	0.25	0.50
Calendar	0.20	0.50
Vases	0.10	0.50
Cornucopia	0.10	0.25
Steel	0.10	0.25
Clothes pins in bag	0.40	1.00
Foot cleaner	0.10	0.25
Sealers	0.15	0.30
Flag	0.35	0.75
Stove pipe	0.25	0.50
File box	0.30	0.50
Tubs	0.50	1.50
Mattress	0.50	2.00
Lamp	0.25	0.50
Shades	3.40	1.50
Total Carried Forward	\$ 325.35	\$ 901.90

NAME RIGHTWOOD BLT
RIGHTWOOD BLT

REGISTRATION NO. 1125
1176

FILE NO. 1382
1678

The following chattels were sold by public auction
 at Port Kempton & Prince Rupert on July 15, 22, 29, 1944.

	<u>AUCTION PRICE</u>	<u>NET PRICE</u>
Brought Forward	\$ 325.85	\$ 801.90
Curtain rods	0.10	0.25
Miscellaneous	1.00	2.00
Toilet paper holder	0.60	1.00
2 Chairs	1.20	2.50
Steel	0.35	0.75
Chair	0.65	1.25
Stand	0.10	0.25
Congoleum	6.50	9.50
Heater	3.50	7.00
Curtain and rod	2.50	5.00
Ten Kettle	0.30	0.75
Rag (small)	1.05	2.50
Broom	0.25	0.50
Crow bar	0.75	1.50
Small table	4.50	10.00
Picture	0.25	1.00
Shades	0.50	1.00
Curtain rods	0.25	0.50
Shades	2.50	5.00
Rods	0.20	0.50
Stand under heater	0.50	1.50
Door mat	0.80	1.50
Bed	0.50	0.75
Chair	1.30	3.00
Linoleum	2.00	5.00
Table cloth	3.25	7.00
Small tea pot	0.05	0.15
Total Carried Forward	<u>\$ 361.30</u>	<u>\$ 873.55</u>

NAME KYUNGKONG HUI
WONGKONG HUI

REGISTRATION NO. 11123
11176

FILE NO. 1382
1678

The following chattels were sold by public auction
 at Port Essington & Prince Rupert on July 15, 22, 29, 1944.

Brought Forward	AUCTION PRICE	NET PRICE
Potato masher	\$ 361.30	\$273.55
Curtains	0.10	0.25
Cushion (milk)	0.30	0.75
6 Sauces	1.00	3.00
6 Small bowls	0.10	0.60
Scale (incomplete)	0.10	0.60
6 Small whiskey glasses	1.00	2.00
6 Small whiskey glasses	0.25	0.60
4 Small whiskey glasses	0.25	0.60
6 Bowls	0.10	0.40
China hot water bottle	0.30	0.60
2 Bowls	0.25	0.50
Pair of vases	0.05	0.10
Cookie cutter (3)	0.10	0.25
3 Cookie cutters	0.10	0.30
3 Drinking glasses	0.10	0.30
Calumet lamp	0.15	0.30
1 Brown small bowl	1.50	5.00
Glass jars and lids	0.25	0.60
Gramophone needles	0.25	0.60
Stool	0.10	0.25
Magnifying (old)	1.00	2.50
6 Bowls	0.25	0.50
Large bowl	0.25	0.60
Sauces	0.25	0.50
Salt shakers	0.25	0.50
Soap shaker	0.10	0.25
	0.10	0.25
Total	Carried Forward	
	\$ 362.35	\$ 296.25

NAME WILLIAM D. BULL
WILLIAM D. BULL

REGISTRATION NO. 11123
11176

FILE NO. 1332
1678

The following chattels were sold by public auction
 at Fort Washington & Prince Rupert on July 15, 22, 23, 1944.

	AUCTION PRICE	NET PRICE
Brought Forward	\$ 289.85	\$ 396.28
Stove lifters (2)	0.20	0.30
8 Bowls	0.50	0.80
Quilt batting	0.50	1.00
Sheet	1.50	2.50
Rice bowls	0.40	0.30
Basket	0.50	1.00
Rubbers	0.10	0.25
Aerial wire	0.30	0.75
Berry dishes	0.10	0.25
Boys' seed dishes (5)	0.10	0.60
2 China vases	0.10	0.25
2 Bins	0.55	1.00
Elastic shoe case	0.50	1.00
Bowls (4)	0.10	0.40
Paper towels	0.25	0.50
Pic dish	0.20	0.50
Axe	0.50	1.50
Shoe case	6.50	15.00
Needlework	0.10	0.25
Curtains	0.25	1.00
Sheet	1.40	2.50
Sheet (single)	0.35	1.50
Sheet	0.25	0.75
Sheet	0.80	1.25
Shirt	0.25	0.75
Cotton batting	0.50	1.00
Cotton batting	0.55	1.00
TOTAL Carried Forward	\$ 387.20	\$ 934.65

NAME KISHIMOTO KIJI
KISHIMOTO HARUO

REGISTRATION NO. 11123
11176

FILE NO. 1382
1678

The following chattels were sold by public auction
 at Port Essington & Prince Rupert on July 15, 22, 29, 1944.

Brought Forward	AUCTION PRICE	NET PRICE
Sheeting	\$ 337.20	\$ 934.85
Remnant	0.50	1.00
Boat cushion	0.15	0.25
Curtain remnant	0.10	0.25
Strap	0.50	1.00
Saucers	0.10	0.25
Saucers	0.25	0.50
Jars, pot, peeler etc.	0.15	0.30
2 Dinner plates	0.15	0.50
China	0.60	0.80
Kitchen utensils (3)	0.20	0.40
Bowls	0.15	0.30
Tea pot and 2 bowls	0.25	0.50
Beaks and atomizer	0.10	0.25
Dominion Educator	0.25	0.50
Toy dolls	4.00	10.00
Vase	0.10	0.25
Paint brush	0.05	0.10
12 saucers	2.00	5.00
12 saucers	0.50	0.75
Lampshade	0.40	0.60
saucers	0.25	0.50
saucers	0.25	0.50
Bowls	0.65	0.90
1 dozen bowls	0.20	0.40
Teapot	0.65	1.20
	0.15	0.30
Total	\$ 392.85	\$ 961.95
Carried Forward		

NAME KISHIMOTO RIJI
KISHIMOTO NATSUO

REGISTRATION NO. 11123
11176

FILE NO. 1392
1676

The following chattels were sold by public auction
 at Port Moresby & Princes Rupert on July 15, 22, 29, 1944.

Brought Forward	AUCTION PRICE	NET PRICE
6 Cameras	\$ 399.85	\$ 961.95
Tray	0.15	0.30
1 Dozen Bowls	0.10	0.25
Bowls	0.10	1.00
Himeograph	0.30	0.70
Gill net	2.25	5.00
Biscuit show cases	1.00	3.00
Packet of floods	2.50	15.00
Coffee pot	0.50	1.00
Cotton Batting	0.10	0.25
Pie Plates	0.50	1.00
Car Locks	0.25	0.50
Toys	0.50	1.00
Vase	0.15	0.30
Cookie cutters	0.10	0.20
Ten pot	0.15	0.50
Basket	0.20	0.40
Laquer bowl	0.05	0.10
Bowls	0.20	0.50
Cotton Batting	0.20	0.40
Miscellaneous goods	0.50	1.00
Chairs	3.00	5.00
Wend tin	2.25	5.00
2 Old wheel trucks	0.30	0.60
Basket	3.00	10.00
Starch	0.10	0.20
	2605	0.10
Total Carried Forward	\$ 418.80	\$ 1017.25

NAME KISHIMOTO MITSUO DAIJI
KISHIMOTO MITSUO DAIJI

REGISTRATION NO. 11123
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FILE NO. 1332
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The following chattels were sold by public auction
 at Port Eslington & Prince Rupert on July 15, 22, 29, 1944.

Brought Forward	AUCTION PRICE	NET PRICE
Cornment	\$ 418.80	\$ 1017.25
Tin show case	0.25	0.50
Vases	0.25	0.75
Card of buttons	0.35	0.75
Old Axe	0.25	0.50
Wooden keg	0.10	0.25
2 wooden kegs	0.50	1.00
	<u>0.00</u>	<u>1.00</u>

Total

\$ 421.00 \$ 1022.00

Less Expenses:

Auctioneer's Fee: \$42.10
 Advertising: 5.82
 Moving: 102.64

\$ 157.56

Net Proceeds Credited:

\$ 263.44

Members of Custodian Staff Present. Mrs. E. H. Arnold

Extracted from Auctioneering List No. Prince Rupert 1

Remarks. Holds Funds

IN THE MATTER OF THE "IMMIGRATION ACT"
PART I, REVISED STATUTES OF CANADA 1927, CHAPTER 99

JAPANESE PROPERTY CLAIMS COMMISSION

BEFORE

HIS HONOUR, JUDGE H. A. MILLER, SUB-COMMISSIONER

Toronto, Ontario,

November 24, 1948

IN THE MATTER OF THE CLAIM OF

NAOTO KIMURA

PROCEEDINGS AT HEARING

APPEARANCES:

K. A. CHRISTIE, Esq., K.C.,

appearing for
the Dominion
Government

R. A. REPT, Esq.,

appearing for
the Claimant

A. SMITH, Esq.,

Secretary

D. J. HANFORD, Esq.,

Official Inter-
preter

J. B. McNEIL, Esq.,

Official Reporter.

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W. Kishimoto,
Ex-ent.

the claimant herein, having
been first duly sworn, testified
through the interpreter as
follows:

EXHIBIT EXAMINATION BY MR. HEST:

Q. Is that your signature? A. Yes.

Q. Was that form prepared upon your
instructions? A. Yes.

Q. Do you swear the contents are true?

A. Yes.

Q. I should explain, your honour, that this
claim, a large part of it, is for a store building
and apartments over it, together with a general store
business and the stock in trade of that business at
Port Essington, B.C., about 25 miles from Prince Rupert.

THE SUB-COMMISSIONER: Stock in trade of the
business in question?

MR. HEST: Yes. The claimant's brother has
already made a claim before the Sub-Commissioner in
Lethbridge, late in September of this year, with
respect to everything except the boat for which this
man is claiming. I think they dealt with the real
estate and this man says he is prepared to be bound by
the evidence before the Sub-Commissioner in Lethbridge.

MR. CHERNIE: I have heard nothing of the
case being heard in Lethbridge nor have I seen anything
of the evidence. The stock-in-trade claim is outside
the terms of reference.

MR. HEST: Your honour, I don't want to take
my friend at a disadvantage here, but I think I should

H. Kishimoto,
In chf.

explain we had one or two similar cases before
Mr. Justice Bird last spring, and both Mr. Brown
and myself argued strenuously that to adhere to the
letter of the Order-in-Council would do a grave injus-
tice to a man such as this claimant.

This is an isolated district up the Coast,
and it is a fact that these people were ordered to
get out on very short notice by the R.C.M.P. There
was no opportunity for the sale of their businesses as
going concerns and the Custodian was at a like
disadvantage since he just appointed some local man
to act as his agent and went in and took stock.

THE SUB-COMMISSIONER: In the hearing in
Lethbridge did they deal with the matter of a going
concern?

MR. BENT: We have not the transcript here.

THE SUB-COMMISSIONER: In any event you do
not propose to put in any evidence on that point?

MR. BENT: Perhaps in order to clear the point,
and since my friend has taken that defense I will change
my grounds and say I do. This is one of those points
argued before Mr. Justice Bird. We admit prima facie
this property was not sold as a going concern but our
point is that it should have been sold as a going
concern. I don't want to take advantage of Mr. Christie
since he wasn't here before Mr. Justice Bird, but the
final upshot of the matter was that Mr. Justice Bird
said he could conceive there were certain cases where
that would be so and he was going to give it his
earnest consideration. He did not give us a straight

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H. Kishimoto,
in chf.

1 ruling that we couldn't claim for it. He did not
2 disallow it but on the other hand he didn't say he
3 would allow it.
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5 THE SUB-COMMISSIONER: I will admit the
6 evidence subject to Mr. Christie's objection.

7 MR. CHRISTIE: Your honour, whether this was
8 heard before Mr. Justice Bird, and what my friend
9 interpreted any comment's of Mr. Justice Bird, the fact
10 remains that the terms of reference were made and they
11 wrote down certain decisions and one of the decisions
12 was that if the business was not sold as a going
13 concern, no evidence of value of good will is admissible.

14 THE SUB-COMMISSIONER: There may not be any evidence
15 admissible of value of good will but did they
16 take the most advantageous way of selling the stock-
17 in-trade.

18 MR. CHRISTIE: My understanding is that if this
19 was not sold as a going concern the only evidence
20 admissible is stock-in-trade and that is under chattels.
21 What else is there besides good will?

22 THE SUB-COMMISSIONER: It is quite true that one
23 cannot claim for good will, but it is a pretty fine
24 point. You cannot claim for good will but you can say
25 the goods were not sold to the best advantage.

26 MR. CHRISTIE: My friend should explain to the
27 Court what the \$2000 they claim for the business is?

28 MR. BENT: Your honour, to be quite frank
29 about it, it quite largely is a question of good will.

30 THE SUB-COMMISSIONER: I am going to admit the
evidence subject to the objection and leave it up to the

W. Kikimoto,
In chf.

Commissioner.

MR. HUNT: Is that your signature?

A. Yes.

Q. Was that form prepared upon your
instructions?

A. Yes.

Q. Do you swear the contents are true?

A. Yes.

Q. (PERSONAL PROPERTY CLAIM FORM NUMBER
EXHIBIT NO. 1)

Q. You and your brother carried on this
general store at Fort Hovington?

A. Yes.

Q. When did you leave there?

A. In March, 1942.

Q. How much notice of evacuation did you
have?

A. About a week, I think.

Q. And then your boat was taken before that?

A. Yes, to Prince Rupert.

Q. Some agent of the Custodian's came up to
Fort Hovington from Prince Rupert and made an
inventory of your stock and so on at the time you
were evacuated?

A. No, there was no Custodian at the time.

Q. Who did act as Government agent in
instructing you to evacuate and so on?

A. Nobody.

Q. In some of these small places I understand
the local constable was empowered to act as evacuation
agent, was he the man that told you when you had to
get out?

A. That is right.

5. Kishimoto,
In chf.

Q. and did he take any steps on behalf of
the Custodian to establish the value of your business
or anything of that sort? A. No.

Q. Is that your signature? A. Yes.

Q. Was that form prepared under your instruction?
A. Yes.

Q. Do you swear the contents of it are true?
A. Yes.

(PERSONAL CHATFIELD CLAIM FORM MARKED EXHIBIT
NO. 3)

Q. This represents the old man's half share
of the stock in trade which was actually sold by the
Custodian and also half share of the pool table and
some which were sold by the Custodian.

Q. Now, is that your signature?

A. Yes.

Q. And was that form prepared upon your
instruction? A. Yes.

Q. Do you swear the contents are true?

A. Yes.

(PERSONAL PROPERTY FORM MARKED EXHIBIT NO. 4)

Q. Now, this fishing vessel I understand
was your own property? A. Yes.

Q. And the rest, the store and business and
pool table was owned jointly by your brother and
yourself? A. Yes.

Q. Now, according to your claim form you bought
this boat in 1939 is that right?

A. Yes.

Q. And you paid \$200. for it. Where did you

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H. Hishimoto,
in chf.

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2 A. In Port Harington.

3 Q. Do you know how old the boat was when
4 you bought it?

5 A. Around 7 or 8 years, I think.

6 Q. And what sort of motor did it have in it
7 when?

8 A. It had no engine, but I put an
9 engine in.

10 Q. You just paid \$300 for the hull, did you?

11 A. Yes.

12 Q. And you installed this 30-h.p. Nash truck
13 engine?

14 A. Yes.

15 Q. I suppose a certain amount of reconstruction
16 had to be done to convert it to a marine engine and
17 hook it to the drive shaft and propeller and
18 so on?

19 A. Yes.

20 Q. Did you do that yourself?

21 A. I hired a man to do that.

22 Q. This \$175, that you say it cost you to
23 install that Nash engine in 1940, does that represent
24 the cost of the engine plus the cost of installation?

25 A. It could be more but I cannot figure it
26 out so I put it at \$175.

27 Q. Do you remember the exact amount you paid for
28 the engine itself apart from installing it?

29 A. The engine was not too much, \$60, I think.
30 But to install it cost quite a bit.

31 Q. To do the reconstructing and installing it cost
32 the balance?

33 A. Yes.

34 Q. Now, this cabin you put on the boat in
35 1940 at a cost of \$60. Did you do that yourself?

H. Kishimoto,
in chief.

1 A: No, I hired a carpenter.

2 MR. CHRISTIAN: I am tendering as Exhibit 6 the
3 Analysis of personal property claim.

4 (ANALYSIS OF PERSONAL PROPERTY CLAIM,
5 EXHIBIT NO. 6)

6 I tender as Exhibit 7 the appraisal of John
7 Gould. This appraisal is dated the 2nd of October, 1942,
8 and the appraised value is \$125.

9 MR. BENT: Now, when was your boat taken over?

10 A: Sometime in January 1942.

11 Q: It was taken to Prince Rupert?

12 A: Yes.

13 Q: At the time it was taken was there a propeller
14 on it?

15 A: Yes.

16 Q: It was in good working order?

17 A: Oh, yes.

18 Q: And how about the batteries and wiring, they
19 were all there?

20 A: Yes. Just a coil or something had been
21 taken from the boat.

22 Q: You took the coil out of the boat?

23 A: Yes.

24 Q: How about anchors, were there any anchors on
25 the boat?

26 A: Yes; yes.

27 Q: Was there a chain on it?

28 A: Nope.

29 Q: Did you have a compass on the boat?

30 A: No.

H. Klinefelter,
S.P. 21.

Q. Were there any windows on the boat?

A. No.

Q. And you did not have any fire extinguishers?

A. No.

MR. CHAIRMAN: I tender as Exhibit 6 a summary
taken from the vessel records. It is dated August 10,
1944.

(APPRAISAL OF JOHN GOULD, MARKED EXHIBIT NO. 6)
(SUMMARY, VESSEL RECORDS, MARKED EXHIBIT 7)

MR. BENT: Q. Did the Navy take it over?

A. The Navy.

Q. Do you know if the J. Edgar Hoover valued your
boat at \$500.00?

A. No.

THE SUB-COMMISSIONER: As to this good will claim,
it is apparently put in as an independent claim alto-
gether and it appears to me to be clearly outside the
terms of reference and by admitting this evidence and
permitting it to go on the record I am not ruling that
the evidence is admissible. I go simply on this principle
a few years ago Mr. Justice Brandeis said on a case in
which he ruled certain evidence was not admissible and
the case went to the court of appeal and the court of
appeal held it was admissible and ordered a new trial.
They laid down the rule where a judge was sitting without
a jury he should hear all the evidence and permit it to
go on record without ruling on its admissibility so
that the court of appeal would know if they should
order a new trial. In the light of what Mr. Bent has
said as to the position Mr. Justice Brandeis has taken

1 on these other cases I have permitted this evidence to
2 go on record for the purposes of disposition by the
3 Commissioner.

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5 CROSS-EXAMINATION BY MR. CHARLES:

6 Q. I am showing you a J.P. Form dated March 24,
7 1942; is that your signature [Indicating]?

8 A. Yes.

9 Q. Now you have listed on that your real
10 property? A. Yes.

11 Q. Which is a five-room frame building and
12 store and you have made a claim for your loss?

13 A. Yes.

14 Q. Why didn't you make a claim for your business
15 or why didn't you make a claim for these other chattels
16 at the time you filled out this form?

17 A. My brother did that.

18 Q. This was your signature?

19 A. Yes.

20 Q. This is not your brother's signature?

21 A. No. We were evacuated from the coast and we
22 didn't know what to do, so they asked me what I had
23 and there were so many people lined up they did it all
24 in a few hours.

25 (J.P. FORM, MARKED EXHIBIT NO. 3)

26 Q. You didn't think about putting in your
27 business or other goods then. That was just neglect on
28 your part? A. Yes.

29 Q. When did you buy this real property for which
30 you are claiming? A. That was my grandfather's.

1 Q. You got it from your grandfather?

2 A. Yes.

3 Q. How long did he have it?

4 A. He had it five years and it burned out and
5 we made a new one in 1932 or 1933, I think.

6 Q. Do you know what it cost to build this
7 building?

8 A. I wouldn't be sure.

9 Q. Were you present when it was built?

10 A. No, I was small.

11 Q. You would not know very much about it then,
12 what kind of lumber it was built?

13 A. Just ordinary cross lumber.

14 Q. Was it rough lumber or planed?

15 A. For the house it was.

16 Q. Was it ship lap?

17 A. The sides were ship lap and the floor is
18 hardwood in the store.

19 Q. Now, is this estimate of \$5,000. for the
20 value, is that your estimation or is that an estimation
21 of your brother?

22 A. I wrote a letter to my brother.

23 Q. Did you suggest that \$5,000. to your brother
24 as the value?

25 A. Both of us agreed to make it \$5,000.

26 Q. Was that by correspondence?

27 A. Yes.

28 Q. Did you get any outside advice in arriving
29 at this value or was this value made up by you and your
30 brother?

A. I have another brother and the

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1 A. Black City.

2 Q. When you were evicted in March did you just
3 show up this business?

4 A. We had just about one week notice and there
5 were about 200 people moved out by train from Duane
6 Square to Vancouver.

7 Q. Did you leave this business in the care of
8 anyone? A. No. I just gave the key to the

9 janitor and we left.

10 Q. Did any representative of the custodian call
11 at your store just prior to your eviction?

12 A. Not until we got in Hastings Park.

13 Q. That was the first time you saw an agent of
14 the custodian?

15 A. Yes.

16 Q. Now, all these items that you are claiming
17 for were contained in your store?

18 A. Some were in the store and some were in the
19 living room.

20 Q. Did you live in part of the building?

21 A. Yes.

22 Q. You were not married?

23 A. No. My brother was married.

24 Q. Were these items in the living room jointly
25 owned by you and your brother?

26 A. My grandfather just gave it to me and my
27 brother.

28 Q. You were joint owners of the personal pro-
29 perty in the living room?

30 A. Yes.

1 Q. And you were joint owners of the stock-in-
2 trade of the store? A. Yes.

3 Q. When did you buy this Toledo scale which
4 you estimate at \$100, which was sold for \$8.75?

5 A. That was seven or eight years before the
6 evacuation.

7 Q. Was that new or used when you bought it?

8 A. New.

9 Q. What price did you pay for it?

10 A. I don't know. My brother ordered it.

11 Q. You do not know what price was paid for it?

12 A. No.

13 Q. And what about the safe? When was it bought?

14 A. I don't remember.

15 Q. Did your brother buy it?

16 A. My brother knows about it.

17 Q. You don't know anything about it?

18 A. No.

19 Q. This showcase, do you know anything about the
20 purchase of it?

21 A. The showcase was a real nice showcase.

22 Q. Did you buy it or did your brother?

23 A. My brother bought everything.

24 Q. Your brother bought all these things and you
25 don't know anything about the safe or the showcase;
26 your brother bought these?

27 A. Yes.

28 Q. Now, what about this Galaxy Range? When was
29 it bought?

30 A. About a year before the evacuation.

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H. Kishimoto,
Gr. 22.

1 Q. Who bought it? A. We did from people
2 in Port Huntington who were just leaving.

3 Q. What did you pay for it?

4 A. I think \$25. That is an oil-burning stove,
5 oil.

6 Q. You paid \$25. for it?

7 A. I think so.

8 Q. Was it new or used? A. It was slightly
9 used.

10 Q. What about the kitchen cabinet? Was it new
11 or used when you bought it?

12 A. It was new when I bought it.

13 Q. How old was it?

14 A. About eight or ten years, I think.

15 Q. What did you pay for it?

16 A. There are so many kitchen cabinets in our
17 place I don't know.

18 Q. If you don't remember just say so.

19 A. I don't remember.

20 Q. Now, was any of this furniture for which you
21 are claiming given to you by your father or your grand-
22 father?

23 A. Some of it.

24 Q. I suppose you don't know the value of it;
25 it was after the fire, anyway?

26 A. Yes.

27 Q. Did you work in the store, yourself?

28 A. I did and so did my brother.

29 Q. Your brother and you both worked there?

30 A. Yes.

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B. Kishimoto,
Owner.

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2 Q. You bought some goods as well as your brother?

3 A. Yes.,

4 Q. What did you use this boat for?

5 A. For delivering goods all around the river to
6 Japanese customers.

7 Q. Do you know how old this boat was when you
8 bought it?

9 A. Not exactly, but it could be seven or eight
10 years.

11 Q. That is when you bought it?

12 A. Yes.

13 MR. CHRISTIE: I file as Exhibit 10 the Real
14 Property Assessment for the year 1944. The land is
15 assessed at \$50., and the improvements is \$1100.

16 Q. How old were these pool tables?

17 A. Maybe 10 years.

18 Q. And were they used when you bought them?

19 A. I think so.

20 Q. Who bought them, you or your brother?

21 A. My brother did, but I think they were used.

22 Q. Were they sold on the instructions of your
23 brother?

24 A. We didn't give any instructions. They were
25 just sold.

26 MR. CHRISTIE: I tender as Exhibit 11 a memorandum
27 showing the sale of two pool tables at \$45. each.
28 It is dated July 31, 1943.

29 (MEMORANDUM, MARKED EXHIBIT NO. 11)

30 Q. How big a place is Port Rustington?

A. About 400, including natives, and Japanese and

1 white people.

2 Q. Is it mostly Japanese? A. Yes.

3 Q. Were there any other stores besides your
4 store? A. Our store and two more Japanese stores.

5 Q. So altogether there were three stores in
6 the place?

7 A. There was another one.

8 Q. Was that a white man?

9 A. Yes.

10 Q. There were four stores engaged in the same
11 kind of business as yours, three owned by Japanese and
12 one by a white man?

13 A. Yes.

14 Q. I tender as Exhibit 13 the real property
15 summary and the personal property summary.

16 (REAL PROPERTY SUMMARY, PERSONAL PROPERTY SUMMARY,
17 MARKED AS EXHIBIT NO. 13)

18 It is submitted, your honour, that the real
19 property was sold at its fair market value.

20 It is submitted that the personal property
21 which was sold at auction and also sold by tender was
22 sold at its fair market value.

23 It is submitted that this boat was sold at its
24 fair market value.

25 It is submitted in regard to the claim for the
26 business that this is outside the terms of reference.

27 MR. BISHOP: Just one question.

28 Q. Who prepared this list of stock, where did you
29 get the information to prepare that or was that taken
30 from the auction sheet?

A. Yes.

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H. Kishimoto,
ST. CL.

Q. You have not claimed for anything at all
except what was sold by the Custodian?

A. That is right. We couldn't figure out what
we had because there was no bank book.

Q. So, you are not claiming for anything other
than what the Custodian actually sold?

A. No.

(PROCEEDINGS ADJOURNED SINCE DUE)

I hereby certify the foregoing to be a true
and accurate transcript of the proceedings
herein.

J. E. McArthur
J.E. McARTHUR,
Official Reporter.

I, H.A. Miller, Deputy Commissioner, appointed
to hear a Commission to investigate claims of
Japanese Canadians for property loss, do
certify the foregoing is a true copy of the
evidence heard on the within claim.

H.A. Miller
H.A. Miller,
Deputy Commissioner.

\$1,500.00 (full amount)
\$1,500.00 ($\frac{1}{2}$ share)

Appraised at
\$750.00

Sold for
\$750.00 (full amt.)
375.00 to P. H. H.

Witness: W.H. Shortridge, Appraiser.

\$1,500.00 ($\frac{1}{2}$ share)

Appraised at
\$750.00

Sold for
\$750.00 (full amt.)
375.00 $\frac{1}{2}$ share

Witness: W.H. Shortridge, Appraiser.

Ex. 1 Note: The claimant is willing to be bound by the evidence of his brother, Eiji Kishimoto who was joint owner of the property with the claimant. Mr. Eiji Kishimoto presented his claim before the Sub-Commissioner in Lethbridge Alberta in late September, 1948.

Case # 694.

Goodwill

\$2,000.00

Ex. 2 Note: The claimant is willing to be bound by the evidence of his brother Eiji Kishimoto who was joint owner of the business. Mr. Eiji Kishimoto presented his evidence before the Sub-Commissioner in Lethbridge Alberta in late September 1948.

Transcript P.4, lines 25-30:

"Mr. Christie: My friend should explain to the Court what the \$2000. they claim for the business is?

Mr. Best: Your Honour, to be quite frank about it, it quite largely is a question of good will.

The Sub-Commissioner: I am going to admit the evidence subject to the objection and leave it up to the Commissioner".

Stock-in-trade

\$1021.20 (full amount)
\$510.60 ($\frac{1}{2}$ share)

Sold for
\$421.00 (full amt.)
\$210.50 ($\frac{1}{2}$ share)

Ex. 3

See Case No. 694, Transcript P.4 and 5 - from this evidence it would appear that Natsuo Kishimoto's claim for \$510.60 for stock-in-trade should be withdrawn as the stock-in-trade is included in the Goodwill (\$2000.00)

Witness: Mrs. E. N. Arnold, Prince Rupert, B.C.

Natsuo KISHIMOTO - File No. 1678, Case No. 1289.

PERSONAL PROPERTY CLAIM
(All claims shown are Gross)

Chattels

\$135.00 (full amount)
\$ 67.50 ($\frac{1}{2}$ share)

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Ex. 3 Note: The claimant is willing to be bound by the evidence presented by his brother Eiji Kishimoto who was joint owner of the chattels with the claimant. Mr. Eiji Kishimoto presented his claim before the Sub-Commissioner in Lethbridge, Alberta in late September 1948.

Sold for
\$90.00 (full amt.)
\$45.00 ($\frac{1}{2}$ share)

See Ex. 11

Witness: H. J. Brown, Cust. Agt.
Port Garryton, B.C.

Boat

\$450.00

Appraised at
\$175.00

Sold for
\$175.00

Witness: John Gould, Appraiser.

Summary of boat claim made by
F. Matheson now on claim file.

100% Covered
by Claimant

Submission:

Transcript P.17, lines 17-26:

"It is submitted, your honour, that the real property was sold at its fair market value.

It is submitted that the personal property which was sold at auction and also sold by tender was sold at its fair market value.

It is submitted that this boat was sold at its fair market value.

It is submitted in regard to the claim for the business that this is outside the terms of reference."

Summary of Defence
Witnesses

W.H. Shortridge

Mrs. E.N. Arnold

H. J. Brown

Where Required

Summary of Documents
to be filed

Witness
Proving same.

IX Transcript P.16: Claimant thinks the pool tables were about 10 years old. He thinks they were used when bought.

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1678

January 29th, 1951

Mr. Natsuo KISHIMOTO,
502 Clinton St.,
Toronto, Ontario.

Dear Sir:

Re: Japanese Property Claims Commission

Case No. 1289

We have received from the Co-Operative Committee on Japanese Canadians, our form of Release which has been executed by yourself covering the award recommended under the above Claims Commission for the sum of ... \$ 180.92.

Cheque in your favour is enclosed for \$ 170.47 and we have paid the Co-Operative Committee .. \$ 10.45 for legal fees as authorized by you.

Yours truly,

F.G. Shears
Director

FOS:RK
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Name of Claimant KIMIMOTO, Natsuo

Case 1200, Sub 624

Custodian File 1578

REAL PROPERTY										Total
Greater Vancouver		Rural (except V.L.A.)			V.L.A. (except Mission Village)		V.L.A. Mission Village			
Sale Price	5% thereof & 12.50	Sale Price	10% thereof	Charges 12.50 & Comm.	Sale Price	Total Award 80% of all Sale Prices % of Amount Total	Sale Price	Total Award 125% of all Sale Prices % of Amount Total		
		375.00		6.25						
			37.50	12.75					62.50	
PERSONAL PROPERTY										
Motor Vehicles		Boats and Boat Gear								
Sale Price	25% thereof	Sale Price	Nelson Bros. 23.5% of Sale Price	Other Sales 28.5% of Sale Price	Equipment charges paid to purchasers in error. Repay to owners	Amount of Claims for Boat Gear Declared & Recorded Now Missing	45% of amount in next preceding column			
		275		49.87					49.87	
NETS										
Total award for Nets plus Sale Price		Total Claim for Nets Sold, Declared Not Found and Recorded Now Missing		Percentage Total Award to Total Claim		Claim for Nets Sold Declared Not Found, & Recorded Now Missing		Apply % ratio to Claim	Deduct Custodian Sale Price	
MISCELLANEOUS CHATTELS										
Claim for goods Sold By Auction	Sale Price of Goods Sold By Auction	Rebates of charges 30% of Sale Price	Ratio in % of Sale Price to Claim	Claim for goods Declared Not Found, Recorded Now Missing, & Sold Not Paid	Applica-tion of % ratio to amount in next preceding column	Sale Price of goods Sold by Tender	12% of Sale Price			
510.60	210.90	63.25			45.00	5.40	68.55			
TOTAL RECOMMENDATION										180.92

Name of Claimant Matsuo KISHIMOTO

Case 1289 *Special*

Custodian File 1678/11176 (1/2 Interest with Case # 694)

REAL PROPERTY										Total
Greater Vancouver		Rural (except V.L.A.)			V.L.A. (except Mission Village)		V.L.A. Mission Village			
Sale Price	5% thereof & 12.50	Sale Price 1/2 Interest \$375.	10% thereof	Charges 12.50 & Comm.	Sale Price	Total Award 80% of all Sale Prices % of Amount Total	Sale Price	Total Award 125% of all Sale Prices % of Amount Total		
		Assessment Sale Price		\$1150.00		\$400.00				
		Commissioner's Special Recommendation 1/2 share of additional award		750.00		50% of Difference (1/2 to Case # 694)		\$200.00		100.00
PERSONAL PROPERTY										
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TOTAL RECOMMENDATION										100.00