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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: YASUDA, Man (Mrs. Teranosuke)HOME ADDRESS: Box 97, 1st Ave., South of Moncton St., Steveston, B. C.REGISTRATION NUMBER 04622 SEX: Female AGE: 58OCCUPATION: Housewife

(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: NoneMARRIED? YesNAME OF WIFE OR HUSBAND: Teranosuke 14780ADDRESS OF WIFE OR HUSBAND: Work CampNAMES OF ANY LIVING CHILDREN: Yukie (M); Sachiko (F); Yukimori (M). (Mrs. J. Iwamoto)ADDRESS OF CHILDREN: Yukie - Work Camp the others are at 1st Ave., S. of Moncton St., Steveston, B. C.AGE OF CHILDREN: 36; 34 and 19 years respectively.

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

1. LOCATION AND DESCRIPTION: None2. BUILDINGS AND OTHER IMPROVEMENTS: None3. INSURANCE (Give particulars; state where policies are) None4. TAXES (Amount and where payable) None5. ENCUMBRANCES (Including any unregistered claims or deposit of title deed) None6. OCCUPANCY AND LEASES (If vacant so state) None

STATEMENT OF REAL PROPERTY OCCUPIED

7. STATE WHEREABOUTS OF TITLE DOCUMENTS: None
8. STATE IF ANY OTHER PERSON HAS ANY INTEREST: None
9. IF FARM LAND STATE CROPS SOWN: None

1. LOCATION AND DESCRIPTION: 1st Ave., Moneton St., Stevenson, B. O.

2. LANDLORD'S NAME AND ADDRESS: Mr. Kenneth J. Sumner, Imperial Cannery,

Stevenson, B. O.

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

Declarant pays \$21.00 taxes on above property in lieu of rent. Payable

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:

Carpenter's tools (\$100.00); Logging tools (\$100.00); 3-stoves; 2-beds; 1-closet;

2-tables & 20-chairs; 2-Whiffoniars; 2-Singer Sewing Machines; Kitchen

utensils & wares; Contents of temple (\$200.00)-(dolls, drums, umbrellas,

pertaining to the Shinto religion) at 1st Ave., south of Moneton St.,

Stevenson, B. O., declarant will hand the key to residence and property *in which he is about*

to the Custodian upon evacuation.

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

None

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: None5. 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)

None8. BANK ACCOUNTS: None9. LIFE INSURANCE: None10. INTEREST IN ANY ESTATES OR TRUSTS. None11. SAFETY DEPOSIT BOX: None**LIABILITIES:**1. PERSONAL DEBTS: None2. TRADE DEBTS: None

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

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

Dated this 28th day of April 1942.

Armeda
Witness

(Signature)

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FOR DEPARTMENTAL USE

MATERIAL REMOVED FROM Man YASUDA's file
No. 4314 to Claim File of husband - namely
File No. 14789.

JP-RECORDS-ROOM

Memo - Aug. 4/42 signed by Mrs. Yasuda
Undated memo from Mr. Robinson to Mr. Green
Aug. 27/42 Mr. Green to Mrs. Yasuda
Aug. 27/42 Mr. Green to Mrs. Woodcock
Sept. 16/42 Mrs. Yasuda to Mr. Green
Sept. 19/42 Mrs. Woodcock to Mr. Green
Nov. 24/42 Memo from W.G. Bell to G.C. Robinson
* Jan. 5/42 M. Kuba to Custodian
* Jan. 11/43 Mrs. Yasuda to Custodian
Feb. 1/43 Memo to File by Mr. Mackedic

BRIEF ENVELOPE:

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Nov. 2/42 - Custodian to Mrs. Yasuda
Jan. 8/43 - Memo - Green to Mackedic
Jan. 13/43 - Memo - Robinson to Mackedic
Jan. 22/43 - Memo - Mackedic to Robinson

See Case 441

April 24, 1948.

Re: Personal Property declared by Toranosuke YASUDA and Nan YASUDA (his wife)

Mr. Toranosuke YASUDA was evacuated on March 31, 1942 but did not register his assets with the Custodian until October 16, 1943. His wife, Nan Yasuda, when first registering on April 17, 1942, declared no property of any kind whatsoever but later completed our JP Form under date of April 28, 1942 in which she declared personal property similar to that declared by her husband on October 16, 1943. The valuations placed on the carpenter tools and logging equipment by Mrs. Yasuda were much lower than those given by Mr. Yasuda in his JP declaration.

Mrs. Yasuda declared the goods would be left at 1st Avenue & Moncton Street, Steveston, and the key to the residence would be given to the Custodian when she vacated. According to her letter of January 11, 1943, Mrs. Yasuda gave the key to M. Kuba who handed it to Custodian representative, Mr. King. This was confirmed by M. Kuba in letter of January 5, 1942 to the Custodian.

Mr. Yasuda's JP Declaration states "Location of church in Steveston where his properties are stored - Lot 13 of Block 2, Sec.10, etc." Lot 13, however, is not the Church property but that owned by J. Tamura (file 3431) and is the property in which the Yasudas were residing prior to their evacuation. (The Church is Lot 12 situated alongside of J. Tamura's property).

Under date of August 4, 1942 Mrs. Yasuda stated that the 2 boxes of Carpenter Tools, 2 sewing machines and 1 large can of kitchen utensils, also logging tools, had disappeared. In this memo Mrs. Yasuda stated the Carpenter Tools, Sewing Machines and Kitchen Utensils were stored in the church and the Logging Tools at 92 Chatham (next door to the church, being the house owned by J. Tamura in which the Yasudas had been living before evacuation).

In Mr. C.C. Robinson's undated memo he states that J. Tamura rented his property to a Mrs. Woodcock prior to his evacuation and that Mrs. Woodcock only remained in possession for a month. Mr. Robinson stated a chinaman living across the street reported having seen furniture and tools being removed. This memo also advises that Mr. Tamura and Mrs. Yasuda came out to Steveston with Mr. S. Kamikura of the Nisei Mass Evacuation Group of 573 E. Hastings and found nothing in the house and were claiming for the following goods:

\$100.00 worth Carpenter Tools	1 box pots & pans
2 sewing machines	12 curtains for windows
1 big tin box kitchenware	2 tin coats
20 large china plates	5 logging saws

The total approximate value of the above missing goods was given as \$510.00 by Mrs. Yasuda in her letter of September 16, 1942.

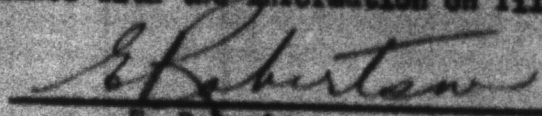
On checking with Mrs. Woodcock (Aug.27/42 and Sept.19/42) regarding the whereabouts of these missing goods, the Custodian was advised by Mrs. Woodcock that when she rented the premises there was nothing there except 1 range stove, one heater, one kitchen table and wooden bench, and that these were still there when she vacated, and that she knew nothing about the goods listed as missing. She stated the Japanese were in the house when she went to rent it but they had advised her they would move everything out by June 16th, and that when she moved in on the evening of the 16th the Japanese had been gone several days.

According to our records the property remained vacant until November 5, 1942 when it was rented to a Mrs. B. Shales who advised Custodian representative, C.C. Robinson, (Memo Feb. 1/43) that only a home made table and a bench were in the house when she took possession. This memo states that most of the chattels were apparently stolen between the time the Yasudas vacated and Mrs. Woodstock moved in and that more effects were apparently stolen between the time Mrs. Woodcock vacated and the time Mrs. Shales moved in.

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The Church file 13048 (Steveston Congregation of the United Church of Canada) has been checked but no record is found thereon of any goods belonging to the Yasudas.

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



E. Robertson,
April 26, 1948.

INFORMATION FROM R.C.M.P.

Date June 16/43

Our File No. 1314

Full Name YASUDA (Man) Mrs. Teranosuke
(Surname in Block Letters)

Registration No. 04622

Male - Female ☒
(check)

Age Feb. 1, 1884

Former Address P.O. Box 97, Steveston B.C.
421 Parnell St., City

Date Evacuated Oct. 15/42 Naturalized - Canadian-Born - National ☒
(check)

Present Address New Denver, B.C.

☒ Married - Single
(check)

Name of Wife —

Name of Husband Teranosuke # 04386

Name of Mother — Name of Father —

Names of Children under 16 —

Requested by E.C.1 Registered with Custodian —
(Yes or No)

Additional Information —
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File No. 4314.

CLAIMS DEPARTMENT

May 29th, 1944.

(Mrs. Toranosuke) Man YASUDA - Reg. No. 04622

CREDITORS:

NO CLAIMS ON FILE

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April 20th, 1945.

B. C. Security Commission,
360 Homer St.,
Vancouver, B.C.

Attention Mr. H. L. Brown.

Dear Sir:

RE: YASUDA Toranosuke #04386
YASUDA Man #04622 (Wife)

In answer to your request of April 17th for any assets declared in the names of the above Japanese, our files reveal that some household effects were registered as left at Steveston. They were however evidently stolen while the premises were vacant, and we have now no assets registered in their names.

Yours truly,

H. F. Green
Protection Department.

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