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MOUNT LEHMAN
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 INFORMATIONNAME: TANIYAMA, (Tomio) Mrs. ShigehisaHOME ADDRESS: Mount Lehman, B.C.REGISTRATION NUMBER 12920 SEX: Female AGE: 40OCCUPATION: 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: ---MARRIED? YesNAME OF WIFE OR HUSBAND: Shigehisa 1/3 2/4ADDRESS OF WIFE OR HUSBAND: Mount Lehman, BCNAMES OF ANY LIVING CHILDREN: Isamu (M) Yuriko (F) Haruo (M) Toshi (F)ADDRESS OF CHILDREN: Mount Lehman, BCAGE OF CHILDREN: 16, 13, 10, 5**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) ---4. TAXES (Amount and where payable) ---5. ENCUMBRANCES (Including any unregistered claims or deposit of title deed) ---6. OCCUPANCY AND LEASES (If vacant so state) ---

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

STATEMENT OF REAL PROPERTY OCCUPIED

1. LOCATION AND DESCRIPTION: Three-room frame house at Mount Lehman, BC
2. LANDLORD'S NAME AND ADDRESS: My husband
3. PARTICULARS OF LEASE AND RENT AND DATE TO WHICH PAID: None
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: None
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: None5. MORTGAGES, LIENS AND OTHER CLAIMS ON PROPERTY IN POSSESSION OF
OTHERS: None6. MONEYS OWING TO YOU (State if any of these debts assigned and if so, to whom) None7. BONDS, DEBENTURES, SHARES, STOCKS OR OTHER SECURITIES (State whereabouts)
None8. BANK ACCOUNTS: None9. LIFE INSURANCE: \$300 Mutual Aid Fund - Pacific Co-operative Union,
Mission, BC10. 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 16th day of April 1942.(Signature) K. TanigawaJ. J. Williams
Witness

FOR DEPARTMENTAL USE

July 8, 1942.
Hastings Park.

ADDITIONAL REGISTRATION

TANIYAMA (Tomio) Mrs. Shigehisa No. 12920

(Wife of TANIYAMA, Shigehisa No. 12921).
Mount Lehman, B. C.

1 Gramophone *sold ren to file 4504*
2 Beds and Springs
1 Lot Kitchenware
1 Lot Carpenter Tools
✓ 1 Sack Rice *shipped*
1 Lot Lumber (Value \$10.00)
1 Spray Pump (for Strawberries)
1 Gal. Selocede *sold ren to 74504*
1 Box Inseticide

Locked in one room downstairs, Key herewith.
Family now moved to Hastings Park for evacuation.

INFORMATION FROM R.C.M.P.

Date Oct. 7/42

Our File No. 4412

Full Name TANIYAMA (Tomie) Mrs. Shigehisa
(Surname in Block Letters)

Registration No. 12920

Male - Female
(check)

Age May 25, 1902

Former Address Mt. Lehman, B.C.

Date Evacuated Sept. 8/42 Naturalized ☒ - Canadian-Born - National
(check) JAPAN

Present Address Lemon Creek, B.C.
S.S. GENERAL MEIGS
2nd AUGUST, 1946

Married - Single
(check)

Name of Wife -

Name of Mother Dei Name of Husband Shigehisa #12921

Name of Father Kei

Names of Children under 16
See husband's sheet

Requested by ECF Registered with Custodian
(Yes or No)

Additional Information

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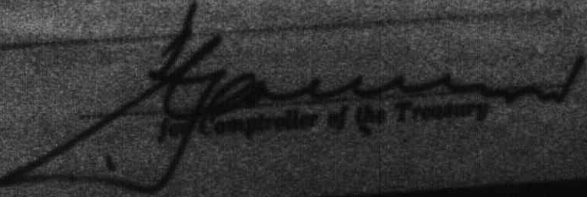
DOMINION OF CANADA
DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE

Nº 975

Issued at Vancouver, B.C.
Date July 31st, 1946

The Government of Canada acknowledges that YAMAGUCHI Sumio
has surrendered property situated in Canada as described herein and agrees to repay the yen equivalent of the net proceeds
of such property immediately, or upon liquidation if such action is required, to Japan under arrangements made with
and approved by, the United States Government and the Military Authorities in Japan; Provided that from the proceeds
of such property there shall be retained such amounts as are required to repay advances made by the Government of Ca-
nada by way of Registration Grant.

Custodian YAMAGUCHI
NOT YAMAGUCHI Balance 4457.53


Controller of the Treasury

711 Stock Exchange Bldg.,
475 Howe Street,
Vancouver, B.C.,
March 5th, 1947.

Custodian of Enemy Property,
Royal Bank Building,
Vancouver, B.C.

TREASURY DEPT. CLAIM \$ 111-

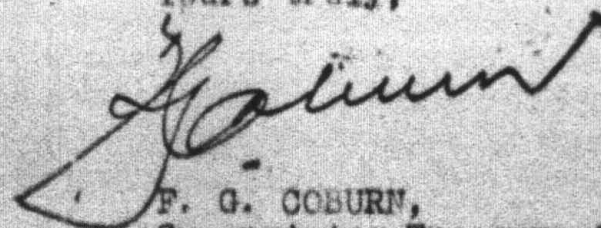
Dear Sir:

Re: TANIYAMA, Tomio #12920

This will acknowledge the sum of \$ 30.91
received from you on account of the above mentioned which
has been accounted for by this office in the proper manner.

There has been no No.2 Receipt issued in
this instance.

Yours truly,



F. G. COBURN,
Supervising Treasury Officer.

FGC/EJ.

711 Stock Exchange Bldg.,
475 Howe Street,
Vancouver, B.C.
November 12th, 1946.

Custodian of Enemy Property,
Royal Bank Building,
Vancouver, B.C.

TREASURY DEPT. CLAIM \$ *NIL*

Dear Sir:

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Re: **TANIYAMA, Tomio. #12920.**

Please note that the above Japanese has been repatriated to Japan. The following is the status of his account with this Department, covering the repatriation transactions:

Money turned in - - - - - \$ 467.03

Draft Issued- - - - - \$ 467.03

It will be noted, therefore, that this party is not indebted to this Department in this connection. However, should any further monies come into your hands on this account it should be turned over to this office for transmission to the Japanese in question.

Yours truly,

F. G. Coburn
F. G. COBURN,
Supervising Treasury Officer.

FGC/EJ.

EVACUATION SECTION	
Date	JAN 5/50
File No.	4412
Att.	
Entered	

404 Federal Building,
325 Granville Street,
Vancouver, B.C.
January 4th, 1950.

Custodian of Enemy Property,
Royal Bank Building,
Vancouver, B.C.

TREASURY DEPT. CLAIM \$ Nil.

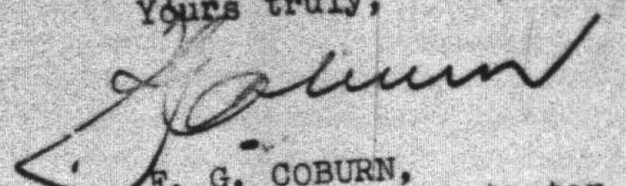
Dear Sir:

Re: TANIYAMA, Tomio #12920

This will acknowledge the sum of \$ 167.53
received from you on account of the above mentioned which
has been accounted for by this office in the proper manner.

There has been no No. 2 Receipt issued in
this instance.

Yours truly,


F. G. COBURN,
Regional Administrator.

FGC/EJ.

File 4412

November 9th, 1946.

MEMORANDUM

To: The File

From: W.J. Iverson.

Mrs. Tomio (Mrs. Shigehisa) TANIYAMA.

The sum of \$696.87, being the balance of account in Shigehisa TANIYAMA'S (deceased) account was transferred to the Official Administrator, J.M. Streight on November 18th, 1944, the amount of \$50.00 being retained by the Custodian to cover legal fees in connection with the sale of the deceased's property. A final balance of \$35.29 was paid to J.M. Streight on May 25th, 1945.

J.M. Streight forwarded the Custodian the balance of Shigehisa TANIYAMA'S estate funds \$467.03 on July 27th, 1946, and as Mrs. Tomio TANIYAMA, the sole beneficiary (now repatriated to Japan) was advised by the Welfare Department of B.C. Security Commission in 1944 that \$746.87 laid at the Credit of Shigehisa's estate with the Custodian, the Official Administrator should, if required, supply a statement of receipts and disbursements for the benefit of Mrs. TANIYAMA.

WJI:ML

W. J. Iverson

PERSONAL PROPERTY SUMMARY

File 4412

Re: Tomio (Mrs. Shigehisa) TANIYAMA - 12920

November 9th, 1946.

Declared April 16th, 1942

Evacuated Sept. 8, 1942.

CHATELS:

Although Mrs. TANIYAMA declared she owned no personal property in the Protected Area of British Columbia, she did apply through the B.C. Security Commission on November 6th, 1942, for release of 100# of rice. Heater and pipes and kitchen utensils which she stated were left at 3653 Taylor Road, Mt. Lehman, B. C. The B.C. Security Commission were advised on February 19th, 1943 that the Custodian had no objection to these being shipped and it is assumed that they were picked up by their Mr. McDonald.

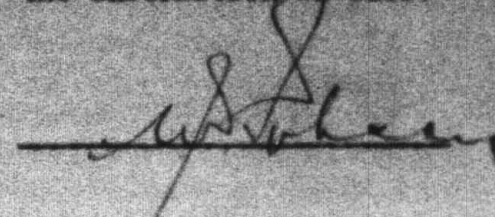
Mrs. TANIYAMA also declared a list of effects on July 8th, 1942, but these were also declared by her husband, Shigehisa, file 4504, and are dealt with on his file.

LIFE INSURANCE:

The declarant recorded a \$300.00 policy in the Mutual Aid Fund of Pacific Co-operative Union, Mission.

No other personal property other than the above are revealed on this file.

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



WJL:ML

File No. 4432

November 14th, 1944

CLAIMS DEPARTMENT

Tonic TANIYAMA (Mrs. Shigehisa) - Reg. No. 12920

CREDITORS:-

NO CLAIMS ON FILE.

AMEND

4504 & 4412

October 9, 1943.

Mr. J. M. Streight,
Official Administrator,
713 Columbia Street,
New Westminster, B. C.

Dear Sir:

Re: Shigehisa TANIYAMA, (Deceased)
Registration No. 12921.

Enclosed herewith please find copy of letter received October 2nd from Mrs. Tomio Taniyama and also memorandum of September 28th received from the Welfare Manager of the B. C. Security Commission at Lonsdale Creek. These are self-explanatory.

We are also in receipt of a letter from the Pacific Co-Operative Union, Mission City, B. C. asking that we have the Administrator of the Estate of Shigehisa Taniyama send to them the Pacific Co-Operative Union share certificates except the unredemable shares and that they will send a cheque for \$167.96 by return mail. They also request that the United Farmers share certificate for one share value \$10.00 be sent to them and they will remit that amount also.

We presume that you will be communicating direct with Mrs. Tomio Taniyama relative to the position of her husband's estate.

Yours truly,

A. G. McArthur,
Administration Department.

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File #4502

August 31st, 1943.

MEMORANDUM

TO: MR. R. P. ALEXANDER

Re: Shigehisa TANIYAMA.

FROM: MR. K. W. WRIGHT

We have your memo of the 18th instant and note that the evacuee, Shigehisa Taniyama died at Lemon Creek, Elocan, B. C. on January 4th, 1943.

The deceased declared on his J. P. Form the property at Mount Lehman, assessed at \$2655.00, and this land is being sold to the Soldier Settlement Board.

Section 26 of the Consolidated Regulations Respecting Trading With The Enemy (1939) relates to the duration of a vesting order and provides that where the property of any person is vested in the Custodian, such vesting shall not be invalidated or affected by reason of such person having prior or subsequent to the date of vesting, died.

It would therefore appear advisable to proceed with the sale to the Director of the Veterans' Land Act and have the proceeds of the sale deposited with the Custodian and earmarked that this belongs to the estate of Shigehisa Taniyama, deceased. When this has been accomplished, the widow should be advised to take the matter up with the Official Administrator, who, in turn, will probably make application to the Court to be appointed Administrator and Letters of Administration with the Will annexed will in all probability be granted to him. According to your translation of the Will, the deceased failed to name an executor. As, if, and when Letters of Administration with the Will annexed are granted, a Notarial copy will be filed in this office and the Custodian would thereupon transfer the balance at credit to the personal representative appointed by the Court. The responsibility for proper distribution, payment of debts and so on will rest upon the Administrator.

It is noted that the B.C. Security Commission forwarded Certificate of Title #91867 E in the name of Shigehisa TANIYAMA. If this has not already gone forward to the Registrar, it would be advisable to send same by registered post. It has been decided to send all such certificates we may locate to the Registrar for safe keeping.

I return your file #4502.

KW/W

K. W. WRIGHT

MEMORANDUM

File No. 4412, 4504

November 30th, 1944

To: The File

From: Mr. Iverson

Re: TANIYAMA, Tomio
TANIYAMA, Shigehisa
Nogut Lehman, B.C.
CHATELS

The few effects shown as additional registration in Tomio's file 4412, were also included in the inventory signed by Shigehisa Taniyama (file 4504) and were either shipped to Lemm Creek or liquidated at auction - proceeds credited to Shigehisa.

Inquiries will be made relative to a range and other items unaccounted for, notably 24 qt. sealers, 1 wash board, 1 scoop scale, 1 pr. spring scales.

WHI:LM

c.c. to R.M. Anderson

K. reported up.

47 Elm Ave
Lemon Creek B.C.
May. 23/46.

Office of Custodian
Dept of Secretary
Vanouver B.C.

EVACUATION SECTION
Rec'd MAY 27 1946
File No. 4412
Ans.
Referred <i>Overman</i>

Dear Sir

Requesting on these following
shares if some are redeemable.

# 276	29	Pac. Corp Union Shares
# 1060 ✓	3	Pac. Corp Union Shares
# 1680 ✓	9	Pac. Corp Union Shares
# 803 ✓	1	Pac. Corp Union Shares
# 1318 ✓	1	Pac. Corp Union Share
# 201	1	United Farmers of Canada Corp Fruit & Produce Exchange
# 528	2	Pac. Corp Union Shares

Please let me know by return
mail.

Yours truly
(Mm) Tomio Tanigawa
Bgt 12920

4412 & 4504

4th June, 1946.

Mrs. Tomio TANIYAMA,
Registration No. 12920,
Lemon Creek,
Slocan, B.C.

Dear Madam:

We received your letter of the 23rd May, enquiring about the proceeds from the redemption of Pacific Co-operative Union shares and a United Farmers' Co-operative share. These shares, as set out in your letter, were all in the name of your deceased husband. Mr. J.M. Streight, the official administrator, at New Westminster, who was appointed by Court to be the administrator of the Estate of Shigehisa TANIYAMA, applied to the Pacific Co-operative Union, and obtained the sum of \$170.00, from the sale of these shares, with the exception of the non-redeemable ones which are not negotiable at this time. These funds will have been credited to the Estate's account in his Department, and in due course will be distributed to the beneficiaries under the Estate.

If you are in need of an advance of these funds, we would suggest that you write to Mr. Streight direct in this matter.

Yours truly,

W.E. Anderson,
Administration Department.

WEA:HA

4504 & 4412

23rd July, 1946.

J.M. Streight, Esq.,
Official Administrator,
607 Columbia Street,
New Westminster, B.C.

Dear Sir:

Re: Estate of Shigehisa TANIYAMA - deceased

We thank you for your letter of the 19th July, and for your co-operation regarding the releasing of funds to the widow of the above Japanese as she is returning to Japan.

The 29 Pacific Co-operative Union shares to which you referred, are not redeemable shares. Please advise if you wish us to negotiate their sale. The last offer we had for such shares was for 25¢ on the \$1.00. However their sale at this price when placed before the Japanese shareholders was refused by the majority. We would appreciate hearing from you in this matter as soon as possible.

Yours truly,

W.E. Anderson,
Administration Dept.

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July 24th, 1946

Mr. P. C. Whitty,
Supervisor,
Department of Labour,
Japanese Division,
Lemon Creek, B. C.

Dear Sir:

Re: Masahiro TONOMURA, Reg. 13350

We have today received from our Mr. Good a telegram in which he asks us to forward to you any surplus available to the above Japanese over and above the draft that is being issued to him for \$300.00.

This man has a free balance of \$195.62 and therefore we can not send any money to him.

Re: Mrs. Tomie TANIYAMA, Reg. 12920

Mr. Good's telegram requests us to send to her \$170.00 to buy necessities if money ~~to~~ her account had been received from Mr. Streight, Official Administrator, and we wish to advise you that our last letter from Mr. Streight, dated July 19th, 1946, informs us that we may expect a cheque from the Provincial Government of British Columbia for \$457.03 within the next few days.

If this money comes to hand within the next day or so we will mail through you to Mrs. Taniyama the \$170.00, but on the other hand if we do not receive it in time to mail to her a cheque before she leaves for Vancouver the whole amount can be paid to her here.

Yours very truly,


C. H. Reed

CHR:BR

June 10, 1949.

J. M. Straight, Esq.,
Official Administrator,
607 Columbia Street,
New Westminster, B. C.

Dear Sir:

Re: Estate of Shigehisa Taniyama, Deceased.

Our file indicates that the above deceased Japanese had twenty-nine unredeemable Pacific Co-operative Union shares.

This office has now advised the Pacific Co-operative Union that the Custodian will have no objection to the shares formerly owned by persons of the Japanese race being re-issued in the names of the individual Japanese shareholders and the certificates sent to them. We would therefore suggest that you request the Pacific Co-operative Union, Mission City, B. C., to re-issue the shares formerly in the name of Shigehisa Taniyama in your name as Administrator. As you are no doubt aware, Tomie Taniyama, the widow, returned to Japan on August 2, 1946, and any funds which may become payable to her should be sent to this office for the credit of her account.

The procedure outlined above might also be followed in other Estates where the deceased had unredeemable Pacific Co-operative Union shares.

Yours very truly,

A. G. McArthur,
Office of the Custodian.

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TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:-

The following Japanese persons were members of an unregistered Society, known as "YAMATO NOKAI", and owned a meeting building, built on the property of Sadao YAMAMOTO, Dennison Road, Mount Lehman, B.C. This building has now been sold and this is to confirm that we, the undersigned, represent all the persons interested in the above-mentioned Society, and agree that the proceeds from sale of same should be divided equally among us.

Member's Name and Address	Member's Signature	Witness
14041 Shintaro YAMADA, Reg. No. 12918, 133 Victoria Street, Kamloops, B.C.		
13920 Kazuo IWAMURA, Reg. No. 12967, 121 Victoria Street, Kamloops, B.C.		
4496 Kinata OGATA, Reg. No. 12991, Tashme, B.C.		
4590 Shigeshi MASUDA, Reg. No. 12957, Tashme, B.C.		
13142 Sadao YAMAMOTO, Reg. No. 13004, B.R. No. 3, Vernon, B.C.		
13385 Isamu YAMAMOTO, Reg. No. 13005, c/o Mr. A. Towgood, Oyama, B.C.		
13386 Hiroshi TSUTSUMI, Reg. No. 12950, c/o Colistream Ranch, Vernon, B.C.		
13387 Shinkatsu KUNIMOTO, Reg. No. 12925, c/o Colistream Ranch, Vernon, B.C.		
4500 Hachiro TAISE, Reg. No. 13790, c/o F.L. King, P.O. Box 58, Picture Butte, Alberta		
4524 Masao MIKI, Reg. No. 13001, 396 Mountain Ave., Winnipeg, Manitoba		

Member's Name and Address

Member's Signature

Witness

5044 Katsujiro YAMAMOTO,
Reg. No. 12958,
c/o W.E. Hancock,
Dominion City, Manitoba

9310 Tominosuke SAITO,
Reg. No. 12953,
Widleychurch, Manitoba

4502 Masao TSUTSUMI,
Reg. No. 12942,
Dufrost, Manitoba

4522 Hisashi WATSUO,
Reg. No. 12973,
North Kildonan, P.O.
Manitoba

4490 Tokio MORIKAWA,
Reg. No. 12929,
116 Harriet Street,
Winnipeg, Manitoba

4528 Shigio KATSURA,
Reg. No. 13000,
22 Geneva Street,
Toronto, Ontario

4512 Genzo NODA, Reg. No. 13012
c/o C.W. Jones,
Iron Springs, Alberta

4361 Mamu OYE, Reg. No. 13010,
Tashme, B.C.

4412 Tomio TANIYAMA,
Reg. No. 12920,
Slocan, B.C.

4506 Saijiro MIYASAKI,
Reg. No. 12981,
Dufrost, Manitoba

4098 Shigeo INOUE,
Reg. No. 13960,
c/o J.R. Hunt,
Iron Springs, Alberta

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September 28th, 1930

Mr. Isami TANIYAMA,
548 College Ave.,
Winnipeg, Man.

Dear Sir:

Replying to your letter of September 24th enquiring as to the 29 Non-Redeemable shares of the Pacific Co-Operative Union we wish to advise that these share certificates were sent to Mr. J. M. Straight, Official Administrator, who administered the estate of your late father, Shigehisa Taniyama, and we presume that they are still held by him.

While we do not think that these shares are of any value the Custodian will have no objection to your writing direct to Mr. Straight or the Pacific Co-Operative Union in connection with these shares.

The address of Mr. J. M. Straight is New Westminster, B. C. and the Pacific Co-Operative Union is Mission City, B. C.

Yours truly,

G. H. Reed
Office of the Custodian

CHR:DK