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REAL ESTATE

BUREAU HASTINGS PARK

FILE No. 12-3

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: SHIOSAKI, Tama ji

HOME ADDRESS: Box 182 Chemainus, B.C.

REGISTRATION NUMBER 08560 SEX: Male AGE: 46

OCCUPATION: Mill worker

(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: Victoria Lumber Co., Chemainus, B.C.

MARRIED? Yes

NAME OF WIFE OR HUSBAND: OSHIN 26584

ADDRESS OF WIFE OR HUSBAND: Hastings Park

NAMES OF ANY LIVING CHILDREN: None

ADDRESS OF CHILDREN: None

AGE OF CHILDREN: None

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

1. LOCATION AND DESCRIPTION: None

2. BUILDINGS AND OTHER IMPROVEMENTS: 4-room house (16' x 20')

(Box 182, Chemainus, B.C.)

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

4. TAXES (Amount and where payable) None

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

None

6. OCCUPANCY AND LEASES (If vacant so state) Occupied by Ling Chow. Rent

Free

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:
2. LANDLORD'S NAME AND ADDRESS:
3. PARTICULARS OF LEASE AND RENT AND DATE TO WHICH PAID:
4. STATE WHEREABOUTS OF LEASE:
5. SUB-TENANTS, IF ANY (Give name, address, rent and to what date paid)

STATEMENT OF PERSONAL PROPERTY OWNED:

1. GIVE BRIEF DESCRIPTION AND STATE LOCATION OF FURNITURE, FIXTURES, EQUIPMENT AND MACHINERY, STOCK IN TRADE AND PERSONAL EFFECTS.
bed, kitchen stove, kitchen ware, kitchen utensils, table, sofa, trunk, 4 chairs, cupboard, electric heater, chain brook, -(1 ton); located at Box 182, Cheamius, B.C. Ling Chow, new tenant to look after belongings.
1 half-ton truck, Ltc. #CD248, Austin -10-4, Engine #1G 93461, serial #G 92670, in custody by R.C.M.P. at Victoria, B.C.
1 Northern Electric 6-tube radio, serial #150, in custody by R.C.M.P., Cheamius, 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: 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)
20-\$4 War Savings Certificates, ^{half} in own possession, and other half in
1-\$10 War Savings Certificate, in own possession
safety deposit box at Duncan, B.C.8. BANK ACCOUNTS: None9. LIFE INSURANCE: None10. INTEREST IN ANY ESTATES OR TRUSTS: None11. SAFETY DEPOSIT BOX: Number unknown, Duncan Branch, B.C.

LIABILITIES:

1. PERSONAL DEBTS: None2. TRADE DEBTS: oneREMARKS: 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 8th day of May 1942.(Signature) T. ShoraniEdith John
Witness

FOR DEPARTMENTAL USE _____

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6/5/44

7-2-42

DATE

INFORMATION FROM R.O.M.P.

RETURNED TO JAPAN
S.S. GENERAL MEIGS
17th JUNE, 1946

Full Name SHIOSAKI, Tamiji
(Surname in Block Letters)

Registration No. 08560

Male - Female
(check)

Age July 27, 1895

Former Address Box 182, Chemainus, B.C.

Date Evacuated 8/9/42

Naturalized - Canadian-Born - National
(check)

Present Address Blissan Extension Rd,
Ottawa Mines, Blainey B.C.

Married - Single
(check)

Name of Wife Oshin - 08561

Name of Husband

Name of Mother Deceased

Name of Father Deceased
(SHIOSAKI, Shige)

Names of Children under 16

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Registered with Custodian
(yes or no)

Requested By Miss Carroll

Additional Information 1937 Austin 1/2 ton truck own house

G-165-A

BRITISH COLUMBIA SECURITY COMMISSION.

CUSTODIAN RELEASE FORM

Address Glenn City, B. C.

Date February 27, 1945

To: The Secretary of State, acting in his
capacity as Custodian, Vancouver, B.C.

I, SHIOSAKI, T., Police Registration No. 70000
hereby request you to release to me the under-noted property
stored at His own home at Glenside
in possession of Custodian
and I release you from any claim whatsoever with respect to
such property.

Description of Property:

One Radio, 12 Tubes, 6-8 Japanese Tubes, One Pair Binoculars

One Singer Sewing Machine, One Blue Trunk (Containing Cloth)

One Red Bag (Containing Cloth), One Red Bag

These articles are stored in room between bedroom and parlour.

Original Address Glenside, B. C.

Date Evacuated to Vancouver April 21, 1942

Date Evacuated to Present Address September 8, 1942

Number in Family - 12 years and over Nil

Number in Family - 5 to 11 years old Nil

Number in Family - under 5 Nil

TOTAL NUMBER IN FAMILY 0

I agree to pay all charges as required by the British Columbia
Security Commission.

APPROVED:
BRITISH COLUMBIA SECURITY COMMISSION

Per: L. B. Skinner

T. Shiosaki
Claimant Signs Here

TEMPORARY SUMMARY

File 8203

In his declaration of May 8, 1942, this man reported a quantity of cartons, as shown on the schedule and summary. 2 cartons were received at 992 Powell Street, and have not been reported on since they were received on August 8, 1945.

He reported 10 \$4.00 War Savings Certificates in his safety deposit box (2236, Canadian Bank of Commerce, Duncan). On February 6, 1943, at his request we paid a year's rent on this box from his account (\$3.00).

He reported 10 \$4.00 War Savings Certificates and one \$10.00 War Savings Certificate in his own possession.

The sum of \$5.54 was received from the Prov. Govt. as refund of 15 wage deductions. The sum of \$34.89 was received from the Dominion Govt. as refund of income tax for 1942. The sum of \$4.50 was received in payment of lumber.

An Austin truck surrendered by this man was sold for the net sum of \$74.79.

A radio surrendered by this man was sold for the net sum of \$29.65.

The net credits to this account amounted to \$178.61. From this we paid \$3.00 to the Canadian Bank of Commerce on Feb. 6/43. We remitted to SHIOBAKI the sum of \$80.00 on Jan. 6/45. On March 18, 1945, we debited his account with \$1.20 to cover packing charges on the 2 cartons shipped to Vancouver warehouse. Leaving a balance of \$92.31 in his account.

*See papers
received from
Mrs. Shiohara and
placed on file May 30, 1947
J. Macdonald*

CHATTLE SUMMARY

File No. 8203

Re: Tamaji SHIOSAKI #08560

May 29, 1946

This man signed a declaration to the Custodian on May 8, 1942. He was evacuated on September 8, 1942.

In this declaration, he reported 12 individual items and a quantity of kitchenware and kitchen utensils, as is shown in the first column of the Chattel Schedule.

In regard to the items declared, he acknowledged receipt of the trunk in his letter of March 19, 1945.

The table, sofa, 4 chairs and cupboard were sold at auction. He reported a bed, giving no description, 2 cots were sold at auction.

He declared a kitchen stove, an electric heater and a chain block, but there is no record that any of these items were removed from the house he had formerly occupied, and where he reported he had left his effects in the care of the new tenant.

He declared kitchenware and kitchen utensils and on March 19, 1945, he stated he had received a frying pan, a cooking knife and a kettle. Some dishes and a quantity of miscellaneous items (not described in the auction sheet) were sold; it is possible that shipment and sale accounted for all the items actually left behind.

On March 19, 1945, this man sent to us a list of 55 items which he said had been left at Chemainus, and which he had not received. A number of the items reported in March, 1945, were sold at auction, but many of the articles listed are not reported any place except on his list.

In addition to the items listed and declared a quantity of small articles were sold at auction. It is possible that these were packed in some of the cabinets or in other containers.

The Custodian did not employ a man to look after Chemainus chattels. This work was done partly by the Provincial Police and by Mr. Alfred Stubbs, of the Victoria Lumber Co. Mr. Stubbs was employed full time and his work in connection with Japanese property was done in his spare time. There is no record that an inventory was ever made of the effects of Tamaji SHIOSAKI, either following the evacuation of the owner or at the time the articles were removed to auction. The auction sale took place at Duncan, B. C. in July, 1945. The articles sold at auction were discovered by Mr. Stubbs in the house and garage of the former residence of SHIOSAKI in April, 1945, after the list sent to us on March 19, 1945, was sent to Mr. Stubbs. Some of the chattels were stored in a lean-to, and it is possible that some items thus stored had deteriorated. Ling Chow, with whom these chattels had been left had vacated the premises some time before April, 1945, and it is possible that he, the succeeding tenant or other person may have appropriated some of SHIOSAKI's belongings. It is possible that had a detailed list been given to this office earlier more of the effects of SHIOSAKI would have been accounted for.

This summary is certified to be in accordance with information on file - May 28, 1946.

J. Macdonald

CHattel Schedule

File No. 8203

May 28, 1946.

Re: Tamaki SHIOSAKI, #08560

Declared May 8/42	Reported March 19/45	Shipped & ackn. Mar. 19/45	Sold at Auction No July 11/45	Record
(As Box 182 Chasimus)				
1 Bed	#7 1 Double Bed-steel			X
Kitchen Stove	#18 Cooking Stove			X
Kitchenware	See list below			
Kitchen Utensils	" " "			
Table	#28 Table - round		1 Round Oak Table	
Sofa	#13 Sofa & 2 chairs		1 Sofa	
Trunk		1 Trunk		
4 Chairs	#26 3 Kitchen Chairs		4 Kitchen Chairs	
Cupboard	#24 China Closet		1 Cabinet	
Electric Heater				X
Chain Block (1 ton)	#52 1-ton Chain Block			X
	#1 Victor Record Player			X
	#2 2 Silver Trophy (Tennis)		1 Cup	
	#3 1 Tennis Net			X
	#4 Tennis Racquet		3 Tennis Racquets	
	#5 1 Moose-head Wall Decoration			X
	#6 1 Silver Saving Bank, containing silver coins		1 Alarm Cash Box	
	#9 1 Single bed & spring		1 Cot bed & quilt	
	#10 1 Baby bed & spring		1 Child's Cot	
	#11 1 Chiffonier		1 Cabinet & frame	
	#13 Studio lounge & 2 chairs		1 Settee & 2 Chairs	
	#14 3 Pictures & frames		2 Pictures	
	#15 1 Mirror 48" sq.		1 Lge Mirror	
	#16 1 Mirror 14"x24"			X
	#17 3 Linoleum 10'x12'		2 Rolls Linoleum	
	#19 1 Stove tank for cooking stove (#18)			X
	#20 1 Heater-cast iron-oblong			X
	#21 Stove-single burner- gas.			X
	#22 1 Kerosene burner (new)			X
	#23 1 Book Shelf Cabinet		1 Record Cabinet	
(Kitch. Utensils) & kitchenware)	#27 5 Aluminum Pots			X
	#28 1 Iron Pot for rice			X
	#29 1 Iron Frying Pan			X
	#30 1 Tea Kettle-aluminum			X
	#31 5 Cooking Knives			X
	#32 2 Tea Sets (Jap) (5 cups & teapot to set)		1 Teapot	
	#33 1 Box Soup Bowls(Jap)		6 Bowls	X
	#34 6 Rice Bowls (Jap)		6 Bowls	
	#35 2 Platters (large)			X
	#36 1 Set of Bowls (4)			X
	#37 1 Cast Iron Frying Pan			X
	#38 7 Window Blinds		Blind	
	#39 1 Copper Boiler			X
	#40 1 Wash Tub			X
	#41 1 Clothes Wringer			X
	#42 1 Wash Board			X

CHATTEL SCHEDULE

File No. 8203

May 28, 1946

Re: Tamaji SHIOSAKI, Reg. 08560

<u>Declared</u> <u>May 8/42</u>	<u>Reported</u> <u>March 19/45</u>	<u>Shipped &</u> <u>Received</u> <u>(Mar. 19/45)</u>	<u>Sold at Auction</u> <u>July 11/45</u>	<u>No</u> <u>Record</u>
	#43 2 Pails - Galv. Size 16		1 Barbers Chair	X
	#44 1 Barbers Chair			X
	#45 50 ft. Garden Hose			X
	#46 1 Mattock			X
	#47 1 Rake			X
	#48 1 Hoe			X
	#49 1 Axe			X
	#50 1 Pr. Tin Snissors (new)			X
	#51 2 Pns. Pliers			X
	(1 with wire cutter)		1 Barbers Basin	
	#53 1 Sink for Barber shop			X
	#54 2 Thermos Kettles (1 lge & 1 small)		1 Lunch Box	
	#55 2 Lunch Boxes	1 Sewing Machine 1 Frying Pan 1 Cooking Knife 1 Kettle	3 Pillows 8 Cushions Rods Box of Odds 1 Pr. Shoes Tree Ornaments 1 Ex. Toys, etc. 1 Ex. Buttons 1 Ex. Miscellaneous 1 Mandolin Tree Decorations Pictures 1 Ex. Toys 3 Glasses 1 Tray & Misc. 1 Sal. Table	

2 Cans, contents unknown, were received at 992 Powell Street, on August 8, 1945. Nothing further appears on file in regard to these.

MEMORANDUM

To: File 8203

May 6, 1944.

From: Specified Articles Department

Re: SHIOSAKI, Tamaii - Reg. 08560

<u>ARTICLE</u>	<u>DESCRIPTION</u>	<u>APPRAISED VALUE</u>
TRUCK	Austin (No year given) No. VT2 License No. (41) CD 248	\$15.00 to \$25.00 (Junk price)

Sold to: C. E. Mitchell

Date: August 31, 1942.

Selling Price: \$102.00.

Clarke

MEMORANDUM

July 31, 1943

To: File 8203

From: Specified Articles Department

Re: SHIOSAKI, Tamaji - Reg. 08560

<u>ARTICLE</u>	<u>DESCRIPTION</u>	<u>RCMP #36</u>	<u>APPRAISED VALUE</u>
RADIO	✓ Radio receiver, Serial No. 150, Northern Electric.		

*Sold by Auction 19/5/44 -
Vancouver 19
Machison*

NAME SHIOSAKI, Tamaji

REGISTRATION NO. 08360

FILE NO. 8203

The following chattels were sold by public
auction at 992 Paveall Street, Vancouver on May 17th, 1944.

Northern Electric material

\$ 35.00

Total	(Auctioneer's Fees \$ 3.50	\$	
	(Advertising 0.60		35.00
Less Expenses:	(Moving 0.25	\$	
	(Storage 1.00		5.35
Net Proceeds Credited:		\$	29.65

Members of Custodian Staff Present.

Mr. Wills

Extracted from Auctioneering list No.

Vancouver 20.

Remarks.

NAME SHIRAZI, Paul

REGISTRATION NO. 0550

FILE NO. 823

The following chattels were sold by public

auction at Duncan, B. C. on July 11, 1945.

Brought forward	\$	36.20
1 Small barbers basin ✓		1.45
2 Rolls linoleum ✓		1.50
1 Barbers chair ✓		2.50
1 Sofa ✓		0.50
1 Small table		0.25
1 Arm chair ✓		1.25

Total		\$	45.45
Less Expenses:	(Auctioneer's Fee & Advertising)	\$6.81	
	(Moving)	11.50	
Net Proceeds Credited:		\$	27.14

Members of Custodian Staff Present.

Extracted from Auctioneering List No. Duncan 7.

Remarks.

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April 6th, 1945.

Mr. Tamaji SHIOSAKI,
Reg. No. 08560,
Elocan, B. C.

Dear Sir:-

We were very surprised to receive your letter of March 19th and the itemized list of belongings enclosed therein. We quite appreciate that in the hurry and bustle of evacuation and subsequent registration at Hastings Park you overlooked the declaration of many of your belongings. Our records show, however, that you and your wife did not leave Hastings Park until September 1942 and you had, therefore, ample opportunity to make an additional registration. Even after that, you could have written us before now when three years have elapsed since you left Chemainus.

We have today written to our agent at Chemainus asking him to make more enquiries and it may be that Mr. Ling Chow is still looking after your belongings and that they will be in good order. From the writer's knowledge of Chemainus in general and Chinatown there in particular, however, we are not very hopeful.

There is at least one item in your inventory which raises a question in our minds and that is No. 6, the silver savings bank filled with silver coins. Even if, as we suppose, these only amounted to a few dollars, surely the least prudent man would have taken with him an item of this nature.

We will communicate with you further when we hear from our Chemainus agent.

Yours truly,

H. F. Green
Protection Department

HFG:IF

ROYAL CANADIAN MOUNTED POLICE

EXHIBIT REPORT

No. 836

HEADQUARTERS File No.

SUB-DIV'N and File No. Vancouver

DIVISION and File No.
(Jap Reg. 01560)

DETACHMENT and File No. C.I.B.

DATE Mar. 22nd. 1944.

Re: Tsumaji SHIOSAKI - Chemist, B. C.

On Jul. 30th. 1943. P. H. Jefferson Cst.

(Date)

(Member's Name)

Came into possession of the following described goods by

Handed over by the R.C.M.P. Victoria, B. C.

(State Authority from whom seized and place of seizure)

No. OF EXHIBIT	No. OF PACKAGES	CAPACITY OR SIZE	DESCRIPTION OF EXHIBITS
	1		Northern Electric Radio, Serial No. 150. 8203

REMARKS:

Handed over to the Custodian of Alien Property.

DATE MAR 23 1944

(State briefly disposition)

For D. Spin for Custodian

(Signature of Receiver or Witness)

CERTIFIED CORRECT

P. H. Jefferson Reg. 10559 Cst.

(Signature of Member)

File No. 8203.
Your No. VT2.

Bay Farm,
Slocan, B. C.
January 28, 1943.

EVACUATION SECTION	
Rec'd	FEB 1 1943
File No.	8203
Ans.	
Referred	Lullivan

Specified Articles Department,
Office of the Custodian,
Japanese Evacuation Section,
Vancouver, B. C.

Dear Sir:

Re: Motor Vehicles

I am in receipt of your letter of January 20, 1943 and have been informed that my Austih Truck had been sold.

I understand that it was sold for \$102.00 and there is a balance of \$74.79 after Administrative Expenses had been deducted (\$27.21).

I placed my truck in the hands of the Custodian to be kept for the Duration and to be returned when the war is over. I did not expect to have it sold at any price.

Yours very truly,

Tamaji Shiosaki,
Registration No. 08560,
Slocan Extension, B. C.

T. Shiosaki

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

PHONE PACIFIC 6121
PLEASE REFER TO
FILE NO. 8203

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

January 20, 1943.

Mr. Tanaji Shiosaki, #08560
Slocan Extension, B. C.

Dear Sir:

Our No. VI2

Re: Motor Vehicles

Your Austin Truck

which was surrendered to the Authorities, has been
sold for \$102.00

Charges against your car were as follows:

Liens	\$
Administrative Expenses	\$ <u>27.21</u>

The Balance thereafter remaining of \$ 74.79
has been placed to your credit in our trust account.

Yours truly,

Specified Articles Department.

RPA:MA
MFP

EXHIBIT REPORT

Detachment File No.
Sub-Division File No.
Division File No.
Headquarters File No.

Detachment Victoria, B. C.
Sub-Division Vancouver Isl. Sect.
Division 5000E
Date March 12th, 1942. 19

RE:- Tamaji SHIOSAKI Box 182 Chemainus, B. C.
Name of File

On March 12th, 1942 19, I Cst. H.D.A. Brabant & Sgt. A.
Member's Name

Thornwaite---R.C.M. Police.

Came into possession of the following goods by:- Receiving same from the
above named Japanese taken under authority of order in Council P.C.4086.

State Briefly Authority, Etc., Whether By Search Warrant, Etc.

No. of Pkgs.	Capacity or Size	Description of Contents Details to be Given in Full
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No Insurance No Anti Freeze
Driver's Licence 266993 (1941)

LICENSE NO.	CD 248	TIRE NUMBERS five.
MAKE & MODEL	Austin -10-4	N 316322 good
SERIAL NO.	G 92670	8600 P.D. "
ENGINE NO.	1G 93461	19360 P.D. "
SPEEDOMETER READING	55331	N 316395 "
CONDITION	fair	26124 AA V bad.

EXTRA EQUIPMENT Fog light

DESCRIPTION & CONDITION
VERIFIED

"L. Shiosaki"
Signature of Owner Tamaji SHIOSAKI
Japanese Registration No. Pink 08560

Handed over to representative of
Custodian whose signature in receipt
thereof appears hereunder.

H.G. Hinton
H.G. Hinton

DATE: 12 March 1942.

"H.D.A. Brabant" Cst.
Signature of Member Submitting Report

2m
711 Stock Exchange Bldg.,
475 Howe Street,
Vancouver, B.C.
October 16th, 1946.

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

TREASURY DEPT. CLAIM \$ 137 ³⁴

Dear Sir:

Re: SHIOSAKI, Tamaji. No. ⁸²⁰³ 08560

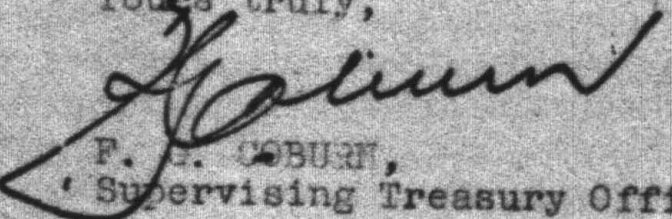
Please note that the above has been repatriated to Japan. At the time of repatriation, the following transactions took place:

Cash turned in - - - - - \$ 62.66

Draft Issued - - - - - \$ 200.00

It will be seen that this Japanese is indebted to the Department on account of repatriation in the amount of \$ 137.34. Therefore should you receive further funds on this account such funds should be turned into this office. It will be applied first to recoup the expenditure made and, second, if there is any surplus such surplus will be remitted to Japan for the account of the Japanese in question.

Yours truly,


F. E. COBURN,
Supervising Treasury Officer.

FGC/EJ.

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 \$ 107⁶⁹

Dear Sir:

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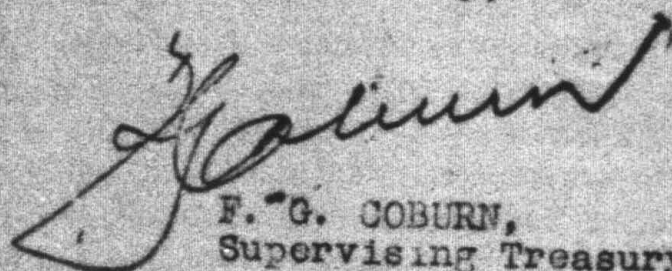
Re: SHIOSAKI, Tamiji #08560

This will acknowledge the sum of \$29.65
received from you on account of the above mentioned which
has been accounted for by this office in the proper manner.

this instance.

There has been no No.2 Receipt issued in

Yours truly,



F. G. COBURN,
Supervising Treasury Officer.

FGC/EJ.