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**BUREAU HASTINGS PARK
OFFICE OF THE CUSTODIAN**

FILE No. 8265

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: EBATA, Taichiro

HOME ADDRESS: 161 W. 6th Ave., Vancouver, B. C.

REGISTRATION NUMBER 08994 SEX: Male AGE: 28

OCCUPATION: Millhand

(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: Sawarne Lumber Co., Vancouver, B. C.

MARRIED? No

NAME OF WIFE OR HUSBAND: None

ADDRESS OF WIFE OR HUSBAND: None

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:

2. BUILDINGS AND OTHER IMPROVEMENTS:

3. 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:

8. STATE IF ANY OTHER PERSON HAS ANY INTEREST.

9. IF FARM LAND STATE CROPS SOWN

STATEMENT OF REAL PROPERTY OCCUPIED

1. LOCATION AND DESCRIPTION:

161 W. 6th Ave., Vancouver, B. C. Living quarters above store.

2. LANDLORD'S NAME AND ADDRESS:

Mr. Ishimatsu EBATA (father), 161 W. 6th Ave., Vancouver, B. C.

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

Rent free.

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. Bicycle, 1. Violin, 1. Box of books.

Left at 161 W. 6th Ave., Vancouver, 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: _____

5. MORTGAGES, LIENS AND OTHER CLAIMS ON PROPERTY IN POSSESSION OF
OTHERS: _____

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. \$50.00 Victory Bond, due 1951 and 1. \$100.00 Victory Bond, due 1954.

In owner's possession. 12. \$10.00 War Saving Certificates, in own possession.

8. BANK ACCOUNTS: _____

None

9. LIFE INSURANCE: Great West Life Insurance Co., Van., B. C. No. unknown

\$1000.00, 20 year endowment, beneficiary mother, Sue EBATA, policy in own possession.

10. INTEREST IN ANY ESTATES OR TRUSTS: _____

None

11. SAFETY DEPOSIT BOX: _____

None

LIABILITIES:

1. PERSONAL DEBTS: _____

2. TRADE DEBTS: _____

REMARKS:

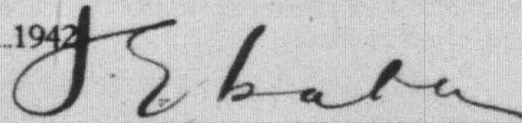
I, the undersigned, hereby voluntarily turn over to the Custodian all my property in the protected area as set out above, excepting fishing vessels, deposits of money, shares of stock, debentures, bonds or other securities, if any.

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.

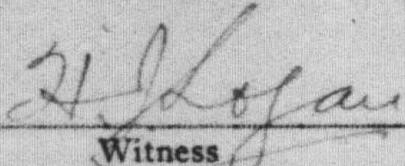
Dated this 9th day of May

1942

(Signature)



Witness



FOR DEPARTMENTAL USE _____

INFORMATION FROM R.C.M.P.

Date July 6, 1943.

Our File No. 8265

Full Name EBATA Jaichiro
(Surname in Block Letters)

Registration No. 08994

Male - Female
(check)

Age Feb. 22, 1913.

Former Address Woodfibre, B.C.
161 W. 6th Ave., Vancouver

Date Evacuated 11/5/42.

Naturalized - Canadian-Born - National
(check)

Present Address Spruce Falls Power & Paper Co.
Kapuskasing, Ontario

Married - Single
(check)

Name of Wife _____

Name of Husband _____

Name of Mother ^{nec} DEGUCHI ^{#07819} Suye

Name of Father Ichimatsu #06036.

Names of Children under 16 _____

Requested by Mary Campbell

Registered with Custodian
(Yes or No)

Additional Information mill hand

(Information supplied by Ins. Co.)

LIFE INSURANCE

Name Taichiro Tyrus Ebata File No. 8265
Spencer Davis Insurance Paper
Hapukasing Co. Reg. No. 68994
Company Great West Life Assur Co. Agency

Policy No. P441 352

Premium - \$46.50

Payable: Annually, Semi-annually or monthly

Month Nov. Day 2

REMARKS:

Letter sent 15/9/93

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December 18, 1942

Mr. Taichiro EBATA
Registration No. 08994
Spruce Falls Power & Paper Co.
Woods Department
Camp 30
Kapuskasing, Ontario

Dear Sir:

Referring to your letter of November 19th, in which you stated that the following chattels, declared by you as being at 161 - 6th Avenue West, Vancouver, had not been removed or sold prior to your evacuation:

1 box of books
1 violin in case
2 bicycles

We wish to say that we have made exhaustive enquiries regarding these chattels and have been unable to locate them. If you could give us any further information as to the name and address of the person with whom these chattels were left, we will make further enquiries.

Yours truly,

Geo. B. Spain
Protection Department

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Spence Falls Paper & Paper Co.,
woods Dept Camp 30
Kapuskasing Ont.,
Feb 11th /43

Office of the Custodian
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file no - 8265
Reg. no - 08994

EVACUATION SECTION	
Rec'd	FEB 20 1943
File No.	
Ans.	Spence
Referred	Spence

Dear Sir:-

In reply to your letter of Dec 18th I
wish to inform you that I had made inquiries
about my chattels which were registered with
your office and which you were unable to
locate. I had discovered by divers means that
of the following - 1 box of Books.

1 violin & case

2 bicycles - only the box

of books has not yet been disposed of. Originally
registered at 161 - west 6th Ave. I learnt that
it was subsequently removed to the building
behind that address. It is in the same hundred
block only facing north on Fifth Ave. The books
are packed in an old Japanese tea box and
some music sheets are packed in it also.

As the building in which it is stored formerly
used to be a Japanese school you might find
it difficult to locate them. However, the
music sheets and a few books whose title
I shall list might help you. The more conspicuous
being the modern Library series among which
Bulfinch's Mythology, Joseph Conrad's novels
and plays by Ibsen are outstanding.

I'm not familiar with the process by
which the Office of the Custodian disposes of
Japanese property ~~but~~ but I should like to
have the music sheets in particular shipped
to me at the above address. The books can
be disposed of by ~~the~~ the usual process.

Thank you
Yours sincerely

J. Ebata

P.S. If you care to keep a few books for your
bookshelf you can help yourself to them.

Spruce Falls Power and Paper Co.,
Camp 5A, Woods Dept.,
Kapuskasing, Ont.

July, 23, 1943.

File No. 8265
Office of The Custodian,
Japanese Section,
Vancouver B. C.

EVACUATION SECTION	
Rec'd	JUL 27 1943
File No.	8265
Ans.	Spain
Referred	Spain

Dear Sir:

In reference to your letter of December 18th, 1942 I replied that, of all the personal properties registered with the Office of the Custodian there remained only a box of books, not at the address at which it was originally registered, but in the school building immediately behind (north, facing 5th Avenue) of that address. I also replied that you could dispose of the books in a manner most convenient to your office and the music books and sheets to be sent to me at the above address. Since then I have had no response to my request.

Recently your office has published a notice in the New Canadian to the effect that personal properties will be restored to those requesting them. Will you kindly make inquiries about the box of books and send me the music sheets and books only.

Yours gratefully,

F. Ebata

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August 13, 1943.

Mr. Taichiro EBATA,
Registration No. 03994,
Spruce Falls Power & Paper Co.,
Camp 5A, Woods Dept.,
Kapuskasine, Ontario.

Dear Sir:

In reply to your letter of July 23rd.
we would advise that a search has been made in
the school at 154 West 5th. Avenue in an
endeavor to locate your music books and sheets
but nothing bearing your name was discovered.

Under these circumstances we regret
being unable to comply with your request.

Yours truly,

Geo. B. Spain,
Protection Department.

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635, 9573, 8265,
8171, 9584, 9580.

May 15, 1947.

Mrs. Ishimatsu Ebata,
Registration No. 07819,
New Denver, B. C.

Dear Madam:

Re: Estate of Ishimatsu EBATA, Deceased.

We regret to learn from the Department of Labour of the recent death of your husband, Ishimatsu Ebata.

Upon reviewing your husband's file, we find that he owned real property at 181 W. 6th Avenue, Vancouver, and a one-ninth interest in property at 2225 Dundas Street, Vancouver. These properties were sold during your husband's lifetime and the proceeds credited to his account with this office. Chattels belonging to Mr. Ebata were sold at auction and proceeds therefrom credited to his account. A statement covering these transactions was sent to Mr. Ebata on June 9, 1945, showing a credit balance in his account amounting to \$478.72. Since that time a trunk and books belonging to him have been sold for a net amount of \$1.10, making his total credit balance at this time \$479.82.

In order that these funds may be made available to his heirs, it will be necessary for you, as next-of-kin, to make application for administration of your husband's estate. We would suggest that you either request your solicitor to make application on your behalf for administration of the estate or that you write to the Official Administrator, Mr. Samuel A. Moore, Court House, Vancouver, asking him to apply. In order to facilitate your application, we are enclosing Memorandum of Particulars form in triplicate, outlining the information that will be required by either your solicitor or Mr. Moore in applying for administration. Kindly complete these forms and return one copy to this office. The other two copies should be forwarded to either Mr. Moore or your solicitor. Please advise us, at the same time, to whom you have applied for administration in order that we may supply that person with complete information regarding your late husband's assets.

Your husband's file indicates that he was insured under Monarch Life Insurance Policy No. 39899. If this policy is in force at this time we would suggest that you make a claim against the Company for death benefits under the policy.

Yours truly,

A. G. McArthur,
Office of the Custodian.

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635, 9573, 8265,
8171, 9604, 9584,
9580.

June 11, 1947.

Samuel A. Moore, Esq.,
Official Administrator,
Court House,
Vancouver, B. C.

Dear Sir:

Re: Estate of Ishimatsu Ebata, Deceased.

We have been advised by Mr. Taichiro Ebata, son of the above deceased Japanese, that he has, on behalf of his mother, Suze Ebata, widow, requested you to apply for Letters of Administration in the Estate of his father, Ishimatsu Ebata.

According to our records, Ishimatsu Ebata died at New Denver, B. C. on May 7, 1947, and is survived by his widow, Suze; two sons, Taichiro and Suteo; and three daughters, Ume (Mrs. Seizo) Nose, Tsune (Mrs. Densaku) Kondo, Mitsuko (Mrs. Hiroshi) Inouye. The only asset of the deceased, of which we are aware, is a credit balance in this office in the amount of \$479.82, being balance of funds to the credit of the deceased derived from the sale, in his lifetime, of real property and chattels belonging to him. The only claim filed against Ishimatsu Ebata in this office is the Department of Labour claim for funeral expenses amounting to \$50.00.

In his letter to us, dated May 25, 1947, Taichiro Ebata requested that, if possible, the total assets of the Estate be released to his mother and, at the same time, stated that he believed this distribution would be satisfactory to his brother and sisters.

Upon receipt of Certified Copy of Letters of Administration, the funds standing to the credit of the deceased in this office will be forwarded to you without delay.

Yours very truly,

A. G. McArthur,
Office of the Custodian.

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