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PERSONAL

BUREAU POWELL STREET

FILE NO.

9835

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: HAMA, Toshigusu
 HOME ADDRESS: Formerly Deep Bay, B.C.
409 Alexander St., Vancouver, B.C.
 REGISTRATION NUMBER 07089 SEX: Male AGE: 64
 OCCUPATION: Fisherman

(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: B.C. Packers Ltd., Deep Bay, B.C.

MARRIED? Yes

NAME OF WIFE OR HUSBAND: Tatsue

ADDRESS OF WIFE OR HUSBAND: 409 Alexander St., Vancouver, B. C.

NAMES OF ANY LIVING CHILDREN: Kenzo (M)

ADDRESS OF CHILDREN: Hastings Park, Vancouver, B. C.

AGE OF CHILDREN: 32

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

1. LOCATION AND DESCRIPTION: none

2. BUILDINGS AND OTHER IMPROVEMENTS: none

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) none

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: ~~occupied by tenant~~

1 room in rooming house at 409 Alexander St., Vancouver, B. C.

2. LANDLORD'S NAME AND ADDRESS: Mr. Nishino, 409 Alexander St.,

Vancouver, B. C.

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

\$6.00 per month. Declarant has just moved in and has paid no rent

yet.

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:

LOCATED AT B. C. PACKERS' WAREHOUSE, Deep Bay, B. C., the following

Goods:- 1 box kitchen utensils, 1 trunk of clothes, 1 bureau, 4 beds,

5 mattresses, 5 Japanese mattresses, 100 lbs. sheep's wool, 1 Singer

sewing machine, 1 box Carpenter's tools, 1 kitchen stove, 1 heater,

3 wash tubs & boards, 19 boxes of various articles such as clothes,

linen, etc. All these articles will be left in present location when

the declarant is evacuated under the care of the Cannery Watchman.

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)
none

8. BANK ACCOUNTS: none

9. LIFE INSURANCE: none

10. INTEREST IN ANY ESTATES OR TRUSTS: none

11. SAFETY DEPOSIT BOX: none

LIABILITIES:

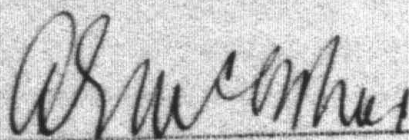
1. PERSONAL DEBTS: none

2. 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 22nd day of May 1942.



Witness

(Signature) Toshiguru Hama

FOR DEPARTMENTAL USE

INFORMATION FROM R.C.M.P.

Date

25/8/43

July 6, 1943.

Our File No. 9835

Full Name

HAMA, Isakigusu
(Surname in Block Letters)

Registration No. 07089

Male - Female
(check)

Age Feb. 18, 1878

Former Address

Alaga Bay, B.C.

Date Evacuated

Oct. 26/42.

Naturalized - Canadian-Born - National
(check)

RETURNED TO JAPAN

S. S. GENERAL MEIGS

2nd AUGUST, 1946

Present Address

Lemon Creek, B.C.

Married - Single
(check)

Name of Wife

HAMA, Isakigusu

Name of Husband

Name of Father

deceased

Name of Mother

deceased

Names of Children under 16

Has seven grown children

Requested by

Mary Campbell

Registered with Custodian

(Yes or No)

Additional Information

Fisherman

424 Nanaimo boat

Was adopted into wife's family

Form CT-121-2
March 1944

9835/07089

DOMINION OF CANADA
DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE

No. 875

Issued at **Lemon Creek, B.C.,**

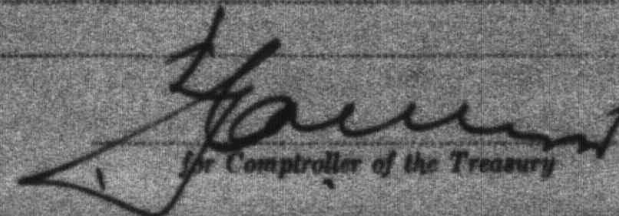
Date **July 23rd, 1946**

The Government of Canada acknowledges that **NANA, Teshigahara**
has surrendered property situated in Canada as described herein and agrees to remit 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 Repatriation Grant.

Cheque NEGOTIATED - \$248.25

Canadian Tax Balance - \$200.00

\$448.25 ✓


Comptroller of the Treasury

2044

711 Stock Exchange Bldg.,
475 Howe Street,
Vancouver, B.C.,
Nov. 19/46

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

TREASURY DEPT. CLAIM \$ *NIL*

Dear Sir:

Re: HAMA, Toshigusu ⁹⁸³⁵ #07089

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 - - - - - \$ 448.15

Draft Issued- - - - - \$ 448.15

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,

[Signature]
F. G. COBURN,
Supervising Treasury Officer.

FGC/EJ.

LIABILITY SUMMARY

File No. 9835

July 9, 1946.

Re: Toshiyasu HAMA, Reg. No. 87089

This file reveals no liabilities. The file of this man's wife reveals no liabilities.

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

J. Markison
July 9, 1946.

/FM

PERSONAL PROPERTY SUMMARY

File No. 9835

July 9, 1946

Re: Toshigusu HAMA, Reg. No. 07089

This man signed a declaration to the Custodian on May 22, 1942. He was evacuated on October 26, 1942.

In his declaration he reported a quantity of chattels, including a sewing machine, left at Deep Bay. These chattels were shipped to Vancouver in June 1942, and stored at 992 Powell Street. Some items declared; namely, the sewing machine, a kitchen stove and a heater were not among the articles shown on the inventory of goods stored at 992 Powell Street. It is possible that Mr. HAMA may have disposed of these in some way. On June 5, 1942 he asked for the release of the sewing machine and some foodstuffs, as he has made no further request for these items it would appear that these must have been released to him. Further shipments were made to him from the warehouse. The remainder of his goods were disposed of by auction sale, except for some articles that were discarded as valueless. The net proceeds from the sale, \$143.23, were credited to his account.

The fishing vessel "Hama" was, according to evidence on file, in the possession of Toshigusu HAMA at the time of her impounding. He claimed ownership of this vessel, and his Statutory Declaration was accepted as evidence of his ownership. The net proceeds from the sale of this vessel, which was sold through this office, was \$290.47. This was credited to his account.

His account was credited with the sum of \$14.45 in full settlement of his claim for refund of expenses incurred at the time of the impounding of the M.V. "Hama".

This file reveals no other property.

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

J. Macdonald

July 9, 1946.

/FM

CHattel SCHEDULE

File No. 9835

July 8, 1946

Re: Toshigusu HAMA, Reg.No. 07089

<u>Declared</u> <u>May 22/42</u>	<u>Inventory</u> <u>June 8/42</u>	<u>Disposition</u>
1 Bx. Kit. Utensils	1 Box	Kitchen utensils sold at auction
1 Trunk of Clothes	1 Trunk	1 Trunk shipped Aug.18/43
1 Bureau	1 Dresser	1 Dresser sold at auction
4 Beds	4 Beds	2 beds sold, 3 beds discarded
5 Mattresses	4 Mattresses	Probably discarded
5 Jap. Mattresses		" "
100 lb. Wool	1 Bdle Cotton	1 Sack Wool delivered to B.C.S.C.June 24/42
1 Singer Sewing Machine	1 Bdle Tools	This may have been delivered to HAMA
1 Bx. Carpenter Tools		Tools sold
1 Kitchen Stove (	No record	1 Camp gas stove
1 Heater (	2 Wash-tubs, 1 wash boiler	
3 Wash Tubs	& contents	3 washboards sold, ironing board discarded
& Boards	18 Boxes	5 Boxes were delivered to or shipped to HAMA
19 Boxes of Various	3 Carton	Dishes, silverware, lacquerware sold
Articles such	1 Small Carton	
as linen, etc.	2 Chairs	2 Chairs sold
	2 Pails	1 pail discarded
	1 Cabinet	1 cabinet
	1 Bale Paper	
	1 Tin Can	
	1 Overcoat	
	1 Chest Drawers	1 Cabinet
	1 Chair	
	1 Valise	
	1 Basket	
	1 Bdle Brooms	
	2 Cans	
	1 Kitchen Table	1 Table
	1 Barrel	1 Barrel of rope, etc.
	2 Floats	Fishing tackle sold
	1 Tank	1 Gas Tank Sold
	1 Coal Scuttle	Coal Ho# sold
	1 Tank	1 Water tank discarded
	1 Camp Cot	(see beds above),
	1 Water Tank	1 Hotwater tank sold
	3 Wheels	3 wheels sold
		1 Round Dining Table sold
		Miscellaneous articles sold.

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

J. Matthews

July 8, 1946.

SUMMARY TAKEN FROM VESSELS RECORDS

Date: March 15, 1944
Name: HAMA, Toshigusu Reg. No. 07089 File: 9835
Boat File No.: Custodian Boats #9835
Name of Vessel: "Hama" 30'x6'x4' (1929) Cowie 8 HP (1939)
Lic. or Reg. No.: 3325 Unknown
Naval No.: N.065-C
Owner's Valuation: \$1,000.00
JFVDC Valuation: 623.00 - Survey #653
Custodian Valuation: 350.00
Date of Sale: January 15, 1943
Purchaser: Stanley Campbell
Signature on Sales Papers: Custodian Sale
Selling Price: \$350.00
Paid to JFVDC ~~or Custodian~~: 350.00
Supervision Costs: 59.53
Balance due Owner: 290.47
Paid to: Credited to account of Toshigusu HAMA, File 9835, but held pending proof of ownership
Location of Boat at Sale: Coal Harbour (ex New Westminster)
Claims Against Canadian Govt.:
Repairs Claim #164: Wright Shipyards - \$503.08 (Paid)

Additional Information: The license number Nan.424 has been given for this boat, but it is doubtful if this number was on the boat. This license was issued to J.A. & Jane Goodlad. The port of Nanaimo has no record of Toshigusu HAMA as a boat-owner.

Rikimatsu HAMA, File 1149, has claimed for a boat lost while in custody. His boat having been licensed in the name of P. Hama at New Westminster. There is nothing to indicate that these may be one and the same boat.

Matchless
July 8, 1944

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C O P Y

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

I HAMA, Toshigusu, Police
registration No. 07089, hereby request

you to release to me the under-noted property stored
at Crone Storage (from Deep Bay),
and I release you from any claim whatsoever with
respect to such property.

Description of Property:

- 1 Sewing Machine
- 1 Barrel Shoyu (Soy Sauce).
- 1 Bag Wool
- 1 Box bottled goods.
- 4 cans rice
- 2 Clothes bags containing bedding.
- Sheets of Zinc (in roll).
- 1 Can Salad Oil
- 1 Box Vinager

Dated this 5th day of June, 1942.

"Registered by Custodian"
Approved

(Japanese sign here)

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.

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Memorandum.

File This
[Signature]

HAMA Toshigusu,
Deep Bay, B.C.

Reg. No. 07089.

Present Address, 409. Alexander Street,
Vancouver, B.C.

When Mr. and Mrs. HAMA came to Vancouver from Deep Bay, they brought with them only 2 suit cases and a clothes bag. The rest of their possessions were brought over later and put into the Furuya Warehouse in Powell Street. They now want to get out the following:
3 boxes and 1 trunk containing Japanese tea, Japanese noodles, canned goods and winter clothing.

The boxes are numbered 6, 14 and 16.

D.M. Chope.

September 25th. 1942.

OFFICE OF THE CUSTODIAN
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File No: 9835

October 14, 1942

Name: Mr. Toshigusu HAMA

Reg. No: 07089

INVENTORY OF CHATTELS STORED AT 992 POWELL STREET, VANCOUVER, B. C.

- | | |
|----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| 1. spring | 33. 1 chair |
| 2. spring | 34. wash boiler |
| 3. spring | 35. valise |
| 4. set bed ends | 36. basket |
| 5. set bed ends | 37. small carton |
| 6. bdle. 2 chairs - 8 | 38. box |
| 7. dresser | 39. " |
| 8. 2 pails | 40. " |
| 9. 2 wash tubs and contents | 41. Bdle 2 bed ends |
| 10. cabinet | 42. " " " " |
| 11. bdle. pillows | 43. bdle. tools |
| 12. mattress | 44. bdle. brooms |
| 13. " | 45. 2 cans |
| 14. " | 46. K. table - 8 |
| 15. bale paper | 47. box |
| 16. tin can | 48. " |
| 17. carton | 49. barrel |
| 18. mattress | 50. box - 8 |
| 19. bdle. cotton | 51. " - 8 |
| 20. box | 52. " - 8 |
| 21. overcoat | 53. " - 8 |
| 22. box - 8 | 54. " |
| 23. " - 8 | 55. " |
| 24. " - 8 | 56. carton |
| 25. " - 8 | 57. trunk |
| 26. " - 8 | 58. spring |
| 27. " - 8 | 59. 2 floats |
| 28. " | 60. tank 3 |
| 29. carton | 61. coal scuttle |
| 30. chest drawers | 62. tank |
| 31. bdle. 2 bed rails | 63. camp cot |
| 32. " " " " | 64. water tank - 8 |
| | 65. bdle. 3 wheels - 8 |

*8 - sold by auction
28/6/44 Vancouver 25.
5 - sold by auction
25/10/44 Vancouver 24.*

This represents all my chatels remaining in any protected area of British Columbia.

Confirmed:

DATE: SIGNED:

Please sign and return one copy to the Custodian.

Toshigusu Hama

File No. 9835,

Oct. 24/42.

Mr. T. HAMA

Sec. No. 138

Reg. No. 07089.

Received from the Central Storage

of the Custodian, 992, Powell St.,

2 Boxes # 6 & 14.

Signed: T. Hama

Witness: J. M. Wilkins

EVACUATION SECTION	
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Ans.	Room 107
Referred	Green

Toshigusu Hama,
38 Elm Street,
Lemon Creek,
Slocan, B. C.

The Custodian,
Royal Bank Bldg.,
Vancouver, B. C.

Dear Sir:

Will you please send me from your warehouse at 900 block Powell Street, which it have been delivered from Deep Bay, for safety and protection against damage or might be stolen. To-day I find it is necessary to have following goods ship to me, which they have my name and perhaps my registration #07089 also, and are well packed in boxes.

- 1 box #16
- 1 box #14
- 1 box #11
- 1 trunk
- 1 big sack with sheep hair possible weight 60 lbs.

Trusting your co-operation, and kindly forward to above address at your earliest date shall be much appreciated.

Yours truly,

Toshigusu Hama.

Toshigusu Hama

EVACUATION SECTION	
Rec'd	JUN 3 1943
File No.	
Ref. No.	G-165-A
Deferred	

BRITISH COLUMBIA SECURITY COMMISSION.

CUSTODIAN RELEASE FORM

Address 39 Elm Avenue

Date May 18, 1943

Lemon Creek, Slocan, B. C.

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

I, Toshigusu HAMA, Police Registration No. 07089

hereby request you to release to me the under-noted property stored at Faraya Warehouse, 900 block Powell Street, Vancouver, B. C.

in possession of The Custodian

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

Description of Property:

11 box packed with clothing
16 box " " "
14 box packed with canned goods
1 sack Sheep hair (60 lbs.)

Original Address Deep Bay, Vancouver Island, B. C.

Date Evacuated to Vancouver March 18, 1942

Date Evacuated to Present Address October 27, 1943

Number in Family - 12 years and over 2

Number in Family - 5 to 11 years old

Number in Family - under 5

TOTAL NUMBER IN FAMILY 2

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

APPROVED:
 BRITISH COLUMBIA SECURITY COMMISSION

Per: J. B. Burns

Toshigusu Hama
 Claimant Signs Here

SEE JUNE 1st/43.

File # 9835 Inventory # 138 Date June 24th/43

Received from the Custodians Warehouse, the
following chattels belonging to -

NAME HAMA Toshigu

3 Boxes

1 Sack of Wool

B.C. Security Commission
per M. H. Anderson

Shipped to Joshiguera Nama 07089.
Lemon Creek.

1 Trunk Clothing 992 Pencil 8.

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M. B. Macdonald

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Ans. 6133
Referred

Shipped
Aug-18/43

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BRITISH COLUMBIA SECURITY COMMISSION.

CUSTODIAN RELEASE FORM

Address 88 Elm Avenue
Lemon Creek, Sleean, B. C.

Date July 3, 1943

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

I, TOSHIGUSU HAMA, Police Registration No. 07089

hereby request you to release to me the under-noted property
stored at Furuya Warehouse, 992 Powell St. Vancouver, B. C.

in possession of The Custodian

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

Description of Property:

1 Trunk (containing clothing)

Original Address Deep Bay, Vancouver Island, B. C.

Date Evacuated to Vancouver March 18, 1942

Date Evacuated to Present Address October 27, 1943

Number in Family - 12 years and over 2

Number in Family - 5 to 11 years old _____

Number in Family - under 5 _____

TOTAL NUMBER IN FAMILY Two

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

APPROVED:
BRITISH COLUMBIA SECURITY COMMISSION

Per: A. M. Kusimith

Toshigusu Hama
Claimant Signs Here

Stored at 992
Brome lot # 138
store # 57

9835

September 27, 1943

Mr. M. L. Brown,
British Columbia Security Commission,
Dick Building,
Vancouver, B. C.

Dear Sir:

Among the fishing vessels sold by this office was a troller, carrying the identification "Hama" 3325, H.065-C.

According to our boat records, this boat was also known as the "T.H.", licensed Nanaimo 424, and was owned by Toshigusu HAMA, Deep Bay, Bowser, B. C. This man appears to be the same as Toshigusu HAMA, Registration No. 07089, now residing at Lemon Creek, B. C.

The license number given, Nanaimo 424, is in the name of J. A. & Jane Goodlad.

Toshigusu HAMA did not declare ownership of any vessels. The Port of Nanaimo has no record of his name as a boat owner, and Mr. Hama has not replied to our letter asking for the correct license number.

Would it be possible for your supervisor at Lemon Creek to find out if this man did own a boat, and, if so, get all information that would prove his ownership?

Yours very truly,

F. Matheson,
Specified Articles Department.

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EVACUATION SECTION
OCT 5
Rec'd _____
File No. _____
Ans. _____
LEMON CREEK
October 4th 1943

From the Desk of W.E.Roberts A/S to Mr M.L.Brown

Subject. #07089 HAMA Toshikusu - Ownership of fishing vessel

Re your letters of 28th Sept: I have interviewed both the Father and Son on this but they both seem very vague on the matter, I tried to ascertain the whereabouts of the official registry of the vessel as this would give absolute proof of ownership but they both state that they passed this into the hands of "a lawyer" name and address unknown. The official number is given as 424 or 442 Nanaimo, the boat was built in Steveston 1930 by Nakade Boathouse and described as follows:-

Length 31 feet

Beam 7½ feet

Painted white with large cabin

Powered by a "Cowey" engine, 8 horse power

"The title was handed over to a lawyer 7 or 8 years ago in Vancouver but I do not remember the name and the matter was left in abeyance" (Hama)

This gives you but little to go on but I trust that it may be of some assistance, should they unearth any further details I will advise you at once.

"W.E.Roberts"

Warehouse...992 Powell St.

Date...

June 27-44

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9835

NAME.....

HAMA T

ADDRESS.....

Deep Bay

I have examined the undermentioned articles and consider that they have no value.

1 Ironing Board

(N.V.)

1 Water Tank

(Useless)

1 Pail

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1 Door

(Broken)

2 White Beds

(N.V.)

2 Wire Springs + Rails

(N.V.)

Auctioneer.....

W. B. Thompson

The above mentioned articles have been abandoned

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Wm. Wiles

Warehouse...992 Powell St.

Date...*July 12/44*

FILE NO.*9835*.....
NAME.....*HAMA T*.....
ADDRESS.....*Deep Bay*.....

I have examined the undermentioned articles and
consider that they have no value.

1 *Sawdust Shovel* (Uselers. N.Y.)
1 *Whet Iron Bed.* (N.V.)

Auctioneer.....*W. H. Thompson*.....

The above mentioned articles have been abandoned

.....*Wm. Little*.....

NAME HAMA, Toshigasa

REGISTRATION NO. 07089

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The following chattels were sold by public
auction at 771 E. Hastings St. Vancouver B.C. on April 12th, 1946.

Ash tray
Books

\$ 1.20
 .10

Total (Auctioneer's fee \$.16
Less Expenses: (Advertising .08
 (Moving .15

Net Proceeds Credited:

\$ 1.30
\$.39
\$.91

Members of Custodian Staff Present.

Mr. Wills

Extracted from Auctioneering List No.

Vancouver 60

Remarks.

NAME HAMA, Toshigusa

REGISTRATION NO. 07069

FILE NO. 9835

The following chattels were sold by public
auction at 992 Powell Street, Vancouver on October 25, 1944.

Gas tank ✓

\$ 1.75

Total
Less Expenses: (Auctioneer's Fee: \$ 0.17
(Advertising: 0.04
(Movings: 0.28

\$ 1.75

\$ 0.49

Net Proceeds Credited:

\$ 1.26

Members of Custodian Staff Present.

Mr. Wills

Extracted from Auctioneering List No.

Vancouver 34.

Remarks.

NAME NAMA, Toshigusu

REGISTRATION NO. 07089

FILE NO. 9835

The following chattels were sold by public
 auction at 992 Powell St., Vancouver, B.C. on June 28, 1944.

3 Boxes Xmas. Decorations	\$ 2.00
2 Yale locks	1.75
2 Pair shoes	1.25
Table lamp	.50
Japanese tea set	1.00
Plated dish	.70
6 Glass bowls	2.00
1 New Hatchet	1.75
Drill	4.00
2 Hack saws	.60
New Hatchet	1.60
New Hatchet	1.65
Gas Iron	2.75
Lacquerware	2.00
3 Vases	.80
Lacquer box	1.10
Large enamel	.75
Iron pot	.80
Kettle and frying pan	1.50
Kettle and frying pan	2.25
2 Frying pans and saucepan	2.40
Glassware and lunch kit	1.60
Roast pans	1.00
9 Cups and saucers	1.80
7 Bowls	1.35
12 Glass bowls	.40
Dishes	2.60
Tea set and silverware	1.50
Total	\$ 43.40
	Carried forward
	\$
	\$

~~Member of the Construction Industry Association~~

~~Excluded from the Construction Industry Association~~

~~Respectfully~~

NAME HAMA, ToshiyasuREGISTRATION NO. 07089FILE NO. 9835

The following chattels were sold by public
 auction at 992 Powell St., Vancouver, B.C. on June 28, 1944.

	Brought forward	\$ 43.40
3 Trays		.75
Part dinner set		16.50
Flower bowl		1.00
Japanese dishes ✓		.85
Aluminum steamer ✓		2.00
Tray and cutlery ✓		.70
2 Bowls ✓		2.00
Acet. stove ✓		2.10
4 Bowls and plate		.75
Meat grinder ✓		1.75
Dish pan and miscellaneous ✓		2.25
2 Jugs		.30
Lacquerware		.50
3 Boxes Japanese dishes		2.00
Box dishes -		1.25
Box dishes -		1.50
Box dishes -		1.50
Glass jug and 6 glasses		2.25
12 Glass dishes -		1.30
Pyrex dishes ✓		1.30
2 Pyrex dishes ✓		1.25
6 Pyrex dishes ✓		1.00
4 Knives ✓		3.65
Basket glasses		.60
8 Plates and bowl		1.00
3 Sad irons ✓		.60
Iron pot ✓		.50
Total		\$
	Carried forward	94.55
LESS: JAPANESE		\$
NET: 100.00		\$

~~Members of the Canadian Staff of the~~

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NAME HAMA, Toshigusu

REGISTRATION NO. 07089

FILE NO. 9835

The following chattels were sold by public
 auction at 992 Powell St., Vancouver, B.C. on June 28, 1944.

Brought forward		\$ 94.55
2 Bowls and chamber		1.00
Carton crockery		1.50
2 Cartons sealers		1.50
2 Tins miscellaneous		1.10
Aluminum saucepan		3.25
Hand saw		1.50
Hand Saw		.55
Hand saw		2.00
Miscellaneous tools		3.85
2 Pr. Gum boots and coat		4.00
Dresser		9.00
Box fishing tackle		9.00
Camp gas stove		.30
Barrel of rope etc.		3.00
3 Wash boards		.40
Axes and wedges		1.50
Wooden cabinets (2)		2.00
Copper boiler and can		.50
Gal. tub, coal hod and etc.		.50
Box miscellaneous		1.10
Round dining table		1.00
- 3 Wheelbarrow wheels		2.50
Wool carding machine		3.75
- Table		.25
- 2 Chairs		.25
- Hot water tank		2.00
Total		\$ 151.85
Less Expenses:	(Auctioneer's Fee: \$ 15.18	
	(Advertisings 2.98	
	(Movings 6.02	\$ 24.18
Net Proceeds Credited:		\$ 127.67

Members of Custodian Staff Present.

Mr. Wills

Extracted from Auctioneering List No.

Vancouver 25.

Remarks.

NAME NAMA, Toshigusa

REGISTRATION NO. 07039

FILE NO. 9835

The following chattels were sold by public
auction at 992 Powell, Vancouver, B.C. on June 14, 1944.

Bed and spring	\$ 4.50
Bed and spring	13.00

Total		\$ 17.50
Less Expenses:		\$ 4.11
(Auctioneer's Fee:	\$1.75	
Advertising:	0.41	
Moving:	<u>1.95</u>	
Net Proceeds Credited:		<u>\$ 13.39</u>

Members of Custodian Staff Present. Mr. Wills

Extracted from Auctioneering List No. Vancouver 24

Remarks.

9835

November 16, 1944

Mr. Toshigusu HAMA,
Registration No. 07089,
Lemon Creek,
Slocan, B. C.

Dear Sir:

We enclose a statutory declaration in regard to the motor vessel "Hama" or "T.H." N.065-C.

This vessel was sold through this office, and the net proceeds of the sale, amounting to \$290.47, have been held for proof of ownership.

While you did not declare this vessel when you registered with the Custodian, you have since stated that you are the owner of the vessel.

If you will have the attached document completed before a Notary Public or Commissioner, we believe this will be accepted as proof of your ownership of the vessel, and the funds received from the sale of the vessel will be made available to you.

Possibly your son, Kenzo, would also sign a statement to the effect that the vessel "Hama" was your property.

Yours very truly,

F. Matheson,
Specified Articles Department.

9835

November 16, 1944.

Mr. M. L. Brown,
British Columbia Security Commission,
Vancouver, B. C.

Dear Sir:

Re: Toshigusu HAMA. #07089. Lemon Creek

Enclosed are a letter to Toshigusu HAMA and a statutory declaration which we have asked him to complete.

We wrote you on September 27th, 1943, in connection with this matter, and Mr. W. E. Roberts, your supervisor at Lemon Creek, interviewed Toshigusu HAMA and his son in regard to the vessel "Hama". However, the information supplied to Mr. Roberts was rather vague, and we were unable to find any record of a gas-boat licence or a fishing licence having been issued to Toshigusu HAMA.

The attached declaration contains all the definite information we have on this vessel, but we think that if Hama will sign this before a Notary Public it will be accepted as proof of his right to the sum of \$290.47 from the sale of this vessel.

If Kenzo HAMA, son of Toshigusu HAMA, who is also at Lemon Creek, would sign a supplementary statement to the effect that the vessel was the property of his father, it would perhaps help matters.

Would you kindly pass the letter and declaration on to your supervisor at Lemon Creek, and ask him to interview Toshigusu HAMA and explain what is required.

Yours very truly,

Enclosures

F. Matheson,
Specified Articles Department.

CLAIM

November 18, 1944

FILE: 9835

CREDITOR: Toshigusu HAMA, 07089

DEBTOR: Canadian Government

AMOUNT: \$14.45

Expenses incurred in connection with the seizure and
removal from Deep Bay to the Fraser River of the M/V
"T.H."

fmw

Lemon Creek, B. C.,
November 28, 1944.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

I, Kenzo HAMA, of Lemon Creek, hereby declare that
the vessel known as "HAMA" or "T H" and carrying Naval
Control No. 065-C was the property of my father, Toshigusu
HAMA.

Witness

J. J. Burns Kenzo Hama

DOMINION OF CANADA
PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

In the Matter of

To wit: The Motor Vessel "HAMA"

of the

3. Toshigusu HAMA

in the Province of British Columbia,

of

Do Solemnly Declare that

At the time of the surrender of vessels belonging to persons of Japanese origin, the fishing vessel, known as "HAMA" or "T.H." and carrying Naval Control No. N.065-C, was my property.

And I hereby declare and truly believe that the vessel, described in the records of the Office of the Custodian as:

"HAMA"/"T.H."
Naval Control No. N.065-C
Length: 30 feet
Beam: 6.8 feet
Depth: 4 feet
Engine: 8 B.H.P. Cowie Gasoline

is the vessel which I surrendered to Naval Service in December, 1941.

I further declare that I was in fact owner of this vessel and no other person had any interest therein, and I am entitled to the proceeds of the sale of such vessel to the exclusion of all persons or interests whatsoever.

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
Lemon Creek in the
Province of British Columbia this
28th day of *November*
A.D. 19*44*

Toshigusu Hama

J. S. Bennett, Commissioner
A Notary Public and Commissioner for the Province of British Columbia.
A Commissioner for taking affidavits within British Columbia.

To: Accounting Department

December 7, 1944

From: F. Matheson

Re: Toshigusu HAMA, #07089, File 9835

With further reference to memorandum of November 4th, 1943, in connection with the sum of \$290.47, credited to this man's account from sale of M/V "Hama", it will be in order to release these funds, as we have received acceptable proof of ownership.

To: Mr. Bell

With reference to our recent discussion regarding the ownership of the vessel "Hama", we have now received from the B. C. Security Commission, Statutory Declaration signed by Toshigusu HAMA and a statement signed by his son, Kenzo, stating that this vessel was the property of Toshigusu HAMA.

This vessel was seized in the Nanaimo area, and the owner, as reported by the Naval Officer in charge of this operation, was T. Hama.

Naval Control No. N.065-C, which was carried by this vessel, was issued to T. Hama.

The R.C.M.P. report that Toshigusu HAMA was the owner of #424 Nanaimo boat. This number was reported in connection with the "Hama", but we have been unable to find the origin of the number as it does not represent a gas-boat number.

I think we have evidence that this boat was in Toshigusu Hama's possession at the time of seizure, and consider that the funds should be released to him.

GM

Thanks M.B.

*To Mr. Bell
Since this man
appears to be on
maintenance at
Lemon Creek, it
would be in order
to let the B.C.
know that he
is in funds. I
have no further
interest in this
file & it could be
over to the
to handle.
A.M.*

38 Elm Ave.,
Lemon Creek,
Slocan, B. C.,
May 22, 1946.

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

EVACUATION SECTION	
MAY 23 1946	
Rec'd	
File No.	9835
Ans.	
Referred	Spain

Dear Sir:-

I am writing to request your sending of my under-mentioned things which are expected to be under your

custody. WHICH I EXPECT TO BE IN FURUYA'S WAREHOUSE
900 BLOCK POWELL ST.

Box No.	No. 1	No. 2	No. 3	No. 4
	No. 5	No. 8	No. 9	No. 10
	No. 15	No. 17	No. 18	No. 19

One non-numbered box about 8x10x30 containing
carpenter's tools.

Two wash tubs.

One wash boiler.

For your information, my former residence was Deep
Bay, Vancouver Island.

Yours truly,

.....
T. Hama.

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May 27th, 1946.

Mr. Toshigusu HAMA,
Reg. No. 57089,
Lemon Creek,
SLOCAN, B.C.

Dear Sir:

We are in receipt of your letter of the 22nd instant regarding your chattels and the present is to inform you that all remaining items not shipped to you have been sold at public auction for the net sum of \$142.32.

Yours truly,

G. B. Spain
Protection Department

GBS:LBM

9835

July 9, 1946.

Mr. Toshiyuki HAMA,
Reg. No. 07069,
38 1/2 Ave. A,
Lemon Creek,
SLOAN, B. C.

Dear Sir:

As requested in your letter of June 29th, we enclose Custodian
cheque for the sum of \$248.15 from your funds with this office.

This leaves to your credit the sum of \$200.00. This money will
be made available to you at the time of your departure for Japan in
accordance with the arrangements you have made with the Department of
Labour.

Yours truly,

F. Matheson,
Protection Department.

/FM