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PERSONAL

FORM "J"

BUREAU POWELL STREET

FILE No. 10242

# 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: MATSUMIYA & HOSE LTD.,

HOME ADDRESS: 229 Powell Street, Vancouver, B.C.

REGISTRATION NUMBER ---- SEX: ---- AGE: ----

OCCUPATION: Mens Furnishings.

(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?

NAME OF WIFE OR HUSBAND:

ADDRESS OF WIFE OR HUSBAND:

NAMES OF ANY LIVING CHILDREN:

ADDRESS OF CHILDREN:

AGE OF CHILDREN:

**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: 229 Powell Street, Vancouver, B.C.

2. LANDLORD'S NAME AND ADDRESS: Mr. S. Nose, 2761 Triumph St., Vancouver,

3. PARTICULARS OF LEASE AND RENT AND DATE TO WHICH PAID: $150.00 per month, paid to date.

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 in 229 Powell St., Vancouver,
2 - 8 ft. show cases., 1 duo-thermo heater, 1 cash register,
2 display tables.

Left in care of Mr. J. Walker, Pemberton Realty Co. Ltd.,

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

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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
Accounts receivable (mostly Japanese)
written off.

7. BONDS, DEBENTURES, SHARES, STOCKS OR OTHER SECURITIES (State whereabouts) None

8. BANK ACCOUNTS: Bank of Commerce, East End, about ~~$130.00~~

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

It
I, the undersigned, hereby voluntarily turn over to the Custodian all its 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.

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

Dated this 1st day of June 1942.

Attested by the hand of its proper officer in that behalf (Signature)

Witness

MATSUMIYA & NOSE LTD.

S. Nose, Managing Director.

FOR DEPARTMENTAL USE

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# Matsumiya & Nose Limited

MEN'S CLOTHING AND FURNISHINGS

229 Powell Street,
VANCOUVER, B. C. Dec. 18th, 1941.

Mr. G. W. McPherson,
Office of the Custodian,
1012 Royal Bank Building, City.

Dear Sir:-

In reply to your enquiry of Dec. 11th we wish to make the following statements:

1. Our Company was incorporated in 1920 under the British Columbia Companies Act.

2. Paid-Up Capital of $18,400.00 all owned and operated by British-Subjects either by Birth or Naturalization, all residents of Vancouver..

3.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| S. Nose 2761 Triumph St.,Vancouver,B.C. Naturalized in Sept. 11,1916 | 48% | 90 Shares | |
| M. Nose 2761i Triumph St.,Vancouver,B.C. Wife of S. Nose | 1% | 1 Share | 47 |
| H. R. Nose, 2761 Triumph St.,Vancouver, Canadian Born | 1% | 1 Share | |
| M. Matsumiya 235 Powell St. Vancouver,B.C. Canadian Born. | 49% | 91 Shares | |
| K. Matsumiya 235 Powell St.,Vancouver,B.C. Wife of M. Matsumiya | 1% | 1 Share | 47 |
| All British-Subjects..... | 100% | 184 Shares | |

4. Our business is entirely within Canada and handle 100% Canadain merchandise. We have had no deal with any enemy contries in many years past.

5. We have some accounts receivable of small amounts from individuals on goods sold on account. They are entirely all residents of B. C., and have no way to tell if they are Japanese of Japanese national, or if they are naturalized British-subjets.

If you need any other informations, we are only too pleased to co-operate with you in any way or manner.

Yours sincerely,

MATSUMIYA & NOSE LIMITED,

S. Nose
President.

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File No. 10242

December 7th, 1945.

CLAIMS

MATSUMIYA & ROSE LIMITED

CREDITORS

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Walburn Moon Ltd. (Canadian Mercantile Collections) | $95.00 | None Debts Proved |
| B.C. Telephone Co. | 1.71 | None Debts Proved |

No further action Dec 20/45

CHATTEL SUMMARY

File No. 10242 July 3, 1947

Re: Matsuniya & Nose Limited

On June 1, 1942, Mr. Seihachi NOSE, Managing Director of Matsuniya & Nose Ltd. reported the following articles belonging to the company. He stated that these were being left in the care of Mr. J. Walker of Pemberton Realty Corporation.

2 8-ft. Showcases
1 Duo-therm Heater
1 Cash Register
2 Display Tables

On January 12, 1943, the Custodian removed from 229 Powell Street, premises occupied formerly by Matsuniya & Nose Limited, the goods declared and also the following items:

4 Glass Showcase Doors 1 Desk

On June, 1942, Mr. Walker had informed this office that Mr. NOSE had instructed him to lease these articles if a reliable tenant was found for the store building. Otherwise to sell(at the prices shown beside each article). Disposition of the articles was as follows:

2 Showcases ($80.00) These were sold by the Custodian at auction for the total sum of $60.00, on September 15, 1943. The 4 showcase doors were sold for the total sum of $2.75 at auction of October 11, 1944.

1 Duo-therm Heater ($55.00). This was sold at auction September 15, 1943, for the total sum of $80.00.

The net proceeds of these two auction sales were $110.70.

1 Cash Register ($100.00) This item was turned over to Mr. Roy C. Sin sometime subsequent to January 12, 1943. The safe was sold by Mr. Sin through Pemberton Realty Corporation for the sum of $100.00. This sum was paid to the Custodian on February 25, 1943, and was credited to the joint account of Masuo MATSUNIYA, File 9760 and Seihachi NOSE, File 7833, principal shareholders in the company. Mr. Sin appears to have acted as agent for Mr. NOSE in this transaction.

2 Display Tables ($10.00) and 1 Desk ($10.00). According to memorandum of April 15, 1944, these were offered for sale at 3 auctions but no bids were received and these articles were discarded as unsaleable.

On March 25, 1944, the Home Service Co. Ltd. reported holding goods belonging to Matsuniya & Nose Ltd. These goods, consisting of 31 complete suits, 1 tails suit, and 28 vests were shipped to Mr. Nose, in Montreal, on January 2, 1946, by the Home Service Co.Ltd.

On January 31, 1946, a quantity of goods were removed from 229 Powell Street. The goods removed are listed on Inventories Nos. 805,806, 807, 808, 809, 880. Only on Inventory 805 are listed goods in which this company was interested, the other goods belonged to the various persons whose names appeared on the articles. According to letter of February 11,1946, the following articles listed on Inventory 805, belonged to the company: "one safe and all its contents; old accounting books and a quantity of price pin tickets". It would seem from Mr. Nose's letter that everything else on this

CHATTEL SUMMARY - File 10242, Continued

Inventory belonged to Seihachi NOSE. This would work out as follows:

Property of Matsuniya & Nose Ltd.:

1 Ctn. Sales Books
1 Safe
10 Ledgers

Property of Seihachi NOSE:

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| 3 Koris | 1 Wicker Suitcase | 3 Show Trays | 2 Ironing Boards |
| 1 Primus Stove | 1 Paper Cabinet | 1 Electric Fireplace | 4 Ctns. Miscellaneous |
| 1 Bread Box | 1 Case | 4 Window Stands | 6 Boxes |
| Bdle.Curtain Rods | 1 Ctn. Books | 1 Roll Paper | 2 Trunks |
| 1 Bdle Picture Frames | | 2 Empty Tool Boxes | Miscellaneous Packages |

On February 25, 1946, Mr. NOSE requested shipment of a carton containing a number of white dress shirts and white vests, which he stated belonged to the company. This letter is on File 10242. Although the file of Mr. NOSE indicates that some shipments of goods were made to him, it would appear that the carton of shirts and vests could not be found.

The safe belonging to the company was turned over to Crone Storage Co. on February 20, 1946, at the request of Mr. NOSE. On July 2, 1946, Mr. NOSE requested Crone Storage to open the safe and send him the contents. The contents, according to notation in Mr. Spain's writing filed under date of July 11,1946, on File 7833, were; 1 Blank Ledger, 3 $10.00 War Savings Certificates, 1 Key(which was turned over to Canadian Bank of Commerce). Under date of February 4,1947, on File 7833 is a copy of Mr. NOSE's acknowledgment of receipt of the contents of the safe.

The safe itself was, at Mr. NOSE's instructions, handed over to Gault Bros. Limited for disposal. None of the files concerned give any further information about the safe beyond the letters under dates of January 31,1947 and February 4,1947, on File 7833.

In regard to the old accounting books and price pin tickets, on February 25, 1946, Mr. NOSE asked us to destroy the books or send them to MATSUNIYA, and to dispose of the tickets the best way possible. Nothing further appears on file, so it would seem that these items were discarded.

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

/Th

July 4, 1947

NAME MATSUMIYA and Nose Ltd.

REGISTRATION NO. - - FILE NO. 1024/2

The following chattels were sold by public auction at 992 Powell Street, Vancouver on October 11, 1944.

| | |
|---|---|
| 4 Window sash | $ 2.75 |

Mrs. Shirai

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Total | | | $ 2.75 |
| Less Expenses: | (Auctioneer's Fee: | $ 0.27 | |
| | (Advertising: | 0.06 | |
| | (Moving: | 0.45 | $ 0.78 |
| Net Proceeds Credited: | | | $ 1.97 |

Members of Custodian Staff Present. Mr. Wills

Extracted from Auctioneering List No. Vancouver 33.

Remarks. duplicate sheet
show case doors
see Inventory of June 12/43

NAME Matsumiya & Nose Ltd.

REGISTRATION NO. 1 FILE NO. 10242

The following chattels were sold by public auction at Vancouver,B.C. on September 15,1943.

| | |
|---|---|
| Duo Therm Heater | $80.00 |
| Show case | 30.00 |
| Show case | 30.00 |

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Total: | | | $140.00 |
| Less Expenses: | Auctioneer's Fee: | $14.00 | |
| | Advertising: | 4.88 | |
| | Moving: | 8.19 | |
| | Rent: | 4.20 | |
| Net Proceeds Credited: | | | $ 31.27 |
| | | | $108.73 |

Members of Custodian Staff Present.Mr. Wills.

Extracted from Auctioneering list No. 1.

Remarks.

File No. 30442 August 28, 1942.

MEMORANDUM

TO: Mr. R. F. Alexander

FROM: Mr. G. E. Spain

Ref: Ketcumlyn & Rose

2 Glass showcases

Mr. Gordon K. Jolliffe, Queen Charlotte Island now on a brief visit to Vancouver offers $70.00 for the two glass showcases mentioned in the enclosed list.

Mr. Thompson of Thompson & Binning indicated that such articles are more or less a drug on the market at present, and in view of relative values being offered for such showcases I would recommend acceptance. It is questionable whether we will obtain this figure at auction.

The sale would help clear space in 992 where we are now making preparations for auction sales.

Your decision will be welcome.

GES/BMS

SELLING AGENTS:
TOOKE BROS. LTD.
MacTAVISH HOSIERY

PHONE MARINE 0635

# ROY C. SIM LIMITED

MANUFACTURERS' AGENTS

365 WATER STREET
VANCOUVER, B. C.

October 26, 1945.

*10242

EVACUATION SECTION
OCT 27 1945
Rec'd
File No. 123,974 & 10242
Ans.
Referred Spain

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

Dear Sirs:

Following telephone conversation with your Mr. Spain and without knowing the exact date, nor have we any definite correspondence on file, the writer did act as agent and secured from someone in your department whereby the Custodian gave permission to release a cash register originally owned by Matsumiya and Nose and we shipped through Crone Storage the cash register in question to a firm in Victoria, and the money was remitted to Mr. Nose at Montreal.

Yours very truly,

R C Sim

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*100.00 received and credited Feb 25/43 in Joint A/c 7803/1976.
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Answer

to file
10242

COPY

5325 Victoria Ave.,
Montreal, May 5, 1945.

Mr. G.D. Milson,
Administration Dept., Office of the Custodian,
506 Royal Bank Bldg., Vancouver, B.C.

Dear Sir:- Re:- File #7833

In reply to yours of March 9th re property 229-231 Powell St. I wish to inform you as follows:-

The $200.00 deposited with Pembertons belong to the joint account, please therefore, divide the entire proceeds including the $200.00, into two equal amounts and forward the settlement at your earliest convenient.

Re the household effects: I presume these are the ones we had stored in the back room of the store of the ground floor. As they belong to myself, Matsumiya and other friends, please do not dis ose of them until myself or some one of us visit Vancouver in future and dis ose of them. I might mention that there was a safe belong to the business of Matsumiya & Nose Ltd. with the name written in the front of the safe. You had not mentioned anything about it. I presume this safe too was removed to your central storage.

Would you please also let me know what became of the store fixtures and $100.00, proceeds of cash register sold of Matsumiya & Nose Ltd. This is a separate account from that of the property, but if you can give me any light on the matter, I shall be greatly obliged.

As it takes too long for me to communicate with my partner, due to the cannsorship, would you please furnish to my partner with a duplicate copy of your letter each time yo write to me in connection with the joint account, and oblige.

Yours truly,

"S. NOSE"
For Nose, Seihachi, File 7833, Reg. No. 07242
Matsumiya, Masuo " 9760 10033

File 10242 September 20, 1945.

MEMORANDUM.

Re: Matsumiya & Nose Ltd.

This company declared its assets to the Custodian on June 1, 1942 by the hand of Seihachi Nose, Managing Director. The company carried on its business at 229 Powell Street and apparently owned a few articles of store equipment and accounts receivable, mostly Japanese, which according to Mr. Nose, were written off. The company also had a small bank account at the Bank of Commerce, East End Branch. The list of shareholders appears on a letter signed by Seihachi Nose for the company dated December 18, 1941.

A letter dated March 25, 1944 from the Home Service Co. Ltd., indicates that certain clothing and drapes are being held by that company for Nose and Matsumiya.

There appear to be no liabilities with the exception of a claim of $1.71 on behalf of the B.C. Telephone Co.

Certain chattels were sold at auction and proceeds credited to this account, but there is no record of the final disposition of a cash register stored with Crone & Co. referred to on January 21, 1943. Further, some of the cases and goods referred to on the files of Nose and Matsumiya may contain goods belonging to this company.

A credit of $2.75 for four window sash, shown on an auction sheet dated October 11, 1944, may or may not belong to the company. This account has been credited with cash refunds from the B.C. Electric Railway Co. covering light deposits. The file has not been searched for liabilities.

Percent cr.: 154.99

AGM:AS

Sent to Oct 24/45
Re: Sum Ltd stating
cash surplus Nippon
Victoria & proceeds of Sale
Remitted & Trace at Montreal
This letter forward this account

Files 7833, 9760, 10242. September 19, 1945.

MEMORANDUM.

Re Seiichi NOSE.

Seiichi Nose declared his property on May 6, 1942, indicating the following real property -

229 Powell St., (11/4/196) Business property. To be left in the hands of Pemberton & Sons. and
2761 Triumph Street, (16/22/THSL/3094) Dwelling. House in the process of sale to Mr. Dahl.

Nose declared that Masuo Matsumiya owned a one-half interest in 229 Powell Street.

He declared household furnishings which would be sold prior to evacuation. He declared $600.00 in miscellaneous bills receivable. He declared Victory Bonds held in a safety deposit box, Bank of Commerce, Vancouver. He declared $10,000.00 on deposit Bank of Commerce, Vancouver. He declared two life insurance policies totalling $1000.00 for the benefit of his wife Nisayo. He declared no debts.

Letter Pemberton's June 22, 1942 states the following articles left by Nose at 229 Powell Street to be sold at stated prices. If not that these goods should be stored.

2 8' show cases $40.00 each.
1 cash register $100.00
1 office desk $10.00
2 display tables $5.00 each
1 Dug Therm Heater $55.00.

These articles are apparently assets of the firm of Matsumiya & Nose Ltd. Some of these were sold at auction on Sept. 15, 1943, some abandoned as having no sale value according to Mr. Spain. The cash register as far as the file indicates is still stored with Crone & Co. according to reference dated Jan. 21, 1942.

The dwelling at Triumph Street was sold to Ragna Alberta Dahl on May 25, 1942 for the sum of $3500.00 payable $1500.00 cash and the balance at 6% from June 1, 1942 payable by monthly payments $40.00 each to Pemberton Realty Co. who have deposited same in the Bank of Nova Scotia for the credit of Nose.

The file of Matsumiya & Nose Ltd., No. 10242, indicates that Nose owns 90 shares in that company.

There is some uncertainty concerning two trunks and 26 cases of goods which were left in the hall or the rear room at 229 Powell Street. In this connection reference should be made to information on all three files, 9760 Hasao Matsumiya, this file 7833, and the file of Matsumiya & Nose Ltd., No. 10242. These goods were sold by auction a considerable time ago but correspondence to the Japanese has lead them to believe that these goods were still not disposed of.

Present Cr. 5.50.

AGM:AS

7833, 9760, 10442

July 11, 1945.

Mr. Gilbert [illegible],
Reg. No. 3744,
533 Victoria Avenue,
Montreal, Canada.

Dear Sir:

We have to acknowledge your letters of recent date which we regret the sub changes in staff have not received prompt attention. We are at this time making a review of your file as well as the account covering your joint interest with Mr. Matsuoka and expect to forward a report on your affairs in the near future. The points raised in your letter of May 9th will then be dealt with and Mr. Matsuoka will also be written to relative to the joint account.

We note that you state that the $300 deposit with Fosterton Realty Corporation Ltd. is to be credited to your joint account and this can appears under date December 19, 1944 in the statement of this account already sent to you. This statement showed a credit balance at that time of $3744.73 and no further entries have been made.

In the meantime we are transferring to each of your personal accounts one-half of the above mentioned sum and enclose herewith our cheque in your favour in the sum of $1872.36 being your portion. Kindly acknowledge receipt of same.

Yours truly,

A. G. Hertzog,
Administration Department.

MGH:G
encl.

9760/7E73/10242

December 29th, 1945.

Messrs. Home Service Co. Ltd.,
900 Richards Street,
Vancouver, B.C.

Attention Mr. A.E. Barnard

Dear Sirs:-

Re:- [redacted]
Formerly at 469 Powell Street

In regard to certain Cont'o Furnishings left with you by the above named firm and confirming the tele.hone conversation with your Mr. Barnard yesterday, we wish to advise that we have no objection to your forwarding the articles as requested in Mr. Wing's letter to you of the 22nd inst ult.

You will of course look to him for all charges you may have in connection with the goods in question.

We shall be obliged if you will advise this office when shipment has been made so that our file will be complete in this res pect.

Yours truly,

BHB/ED.

cc. to Mr. C. Wing
cc. to Mr. H. Hotsenpiyn.

B.H. Bunnsbury,
Administration Department

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...SUPPLY
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PHONE, MARINE 1321

# HOME SERVICE COMPANY LIMITED

900 RICHARDS STREET

VANCOUVER, B. C.

PIONEER LAUNDRY & DRY CLEANERS LTD.
CASCADE LAUNDRY & DRY CLEANERS LTD.
DOMINION LAUNDRY & DRY CLEANERS LTD.
B.C. LINEN SUPPLY LTD.
EMPIRE CLEANERS LTD.

January 2nd, 1946.

EVACUATION SECTION
Rec'd JAN 3 1946
File No. 10242
Ans. ✓
Referred Dusenbury

Department of Secretary of State,
Office of Custodian,
506 Royal Bank Building,
Vancouver, B.C.

Dear Sir:-

ATT: Mr. B.R.Dusenbury,
Re: Matsumiya & Nose Limited.

We are in receipt of your letter of the 29th ult. giving us authority to ship to Mr. Nose the garments which we have been holding in storage for several years, according to his instructions contained in his letter of the 27th ult.

These garments will go forward to him freight collect either today or tomorrow.

We trust the disposition of this matter meets with your approval.

Yours very truly,
HOME SERVICE COMPANY LIMITED.

per A.R.Bernard

ARB/S.

# MEMORANDUM

File Nos. 10242
7833
9760

January 30th, 1946.

TO: Mr. Dusenbury

FROM: Mr. Spain

RE: MATSUMIYA & ROSE
229 Powell St.

I contacted the Chinese owner of the property and had the building opened. A search was made and a locked room was discovered wherein we found the company safe and many boxes and chattels.

I have arranged with Mr. Wills to have the safe and contents of the room removed to our present warehouse at 604 East Cordova.

Unless advised to the contrary everything will be sold in our next auction.

Will you please ask the owner of the safe to let us have the combination and key so that books, papers and personal articles may be stored away and not sold.

GBS:LBM

Geo. B. Spain

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9760
10242

February 12th, 1946.

Mr. Masao MATSUMIYA,
Reg. No. 10033,
R. R. #1,
GRAND FORKS, B.C.

Dear Sir:

We have been in communication with Mr. Rose regarding chattels owned by several people found in the rear room at 229 Powell Street. These chattels bear the following names:

S. TAZAWA
S. TASUMA
G. NISHIUCHI
I. NISHIUCHI
S. FUKUKAWA
Mrs. Emi YABO

We asked Mr. ROSE to give us the full name and registration numbers of the owners of these chattels, but he mentions that these are your intimate friends and if such is the case, you will be able to help us to complete our file records.

Mr. ROSE suggests shipping all of these chattels to you, but we regret being unable to comply with his request as we require a written request from each of the owners, with a list of articles belonging to them.

Would you kindly obtain this information for us, and request your friends to advise us separately.

On receipt of such individual request, we will be able to give further consideration to this matter.

Yours truly,

G. B. Spain
Protection Department

GBS:EH

File No. 10242 **MEMORANDUM TO FILE** January 27th, 1947.

FROM: Mr. Dusenbury

Re:- MATSUMIYA & MOSE LTD.
Letter February 25, 1946.

The Clause 3 referred to herein is as follows:-

" 1. Safe and all its contents.
Old Accounting books of the business not packed(in loose)

Please destroy them or send to MATSUMIYA.

A large quantity of printed price pin tickets, if you can sell them please do so, otherwise dispose of them best way you can."

Above extract taken from letter February 11th, 1946 on File No. 7833, Seibachi MOSE, Reg. No.07242.

BRD/DD.

6845, 7833,
9760, 9761,
15191
10242

Registered Mail

July 11, 1947.

Matsumiya and Nose Limited,
5325 Victoria Avenue,
Montreal, Quebec.

Dear Sirs: Attention: Seibachi NOSE, Director.

In reply to your inquiry regarding the affairs of Matsumiya and Nose Limited, the account in this Office holds a credit of $164.99 made up as shown on the attached statement.

Regarding assets left in the Protected Area, the two eight-foot show cases and one duo-thermo heater were sold at auction for the net sum of $110.70, which amount was credited to the Company account. The desk and two display tables were put up three times but, no bids being received, were finally discarded as unsaleable. The sum of $100.00 received from sale of the cash register was credited to the joint account of Masuo MATSUMIYA and Seibachi NOSE and distributed to them when this account was closed. A safe found at 229 Powell Street was turned over to Crone Storage and the contents acknowledged by Mr. Nose on February 4, 1947. The safe, itself, was later handed to Galt Brothers for disposal. No funds have been received relative to this safe nor from the old accounting books and price pin tickets referred to in correspondence with this Office.

With reference to the cartons of clothing reported to have been left with the Home Service Company Limited, Mr. A. R. Bernard of that Company stated on January 2, 1946, that these goods would be sent to Mr. Nose by freight, either on that day or the next.

The account of the Company has been credited with B. C. Electric Railway Company security deposit refunds in the total sum of $54.29.

The declaration signed by Mr. Nose on behalf of the Company, stated that accounts receivable had been written off and the bank account declared by him was not brought under the control of the Custodian.

P.T.O.

6845, 7833,
9760, 9761,
10242, 15191.



Matsumiya and Nose Limited.

July 11, 1947.

With reference to liabilities, while the declaration stated that the Company had no liabilities, the Walburn Neon Limited filed a claim for $95.00. No action was taken regarding this after the creditor was advised that Mr. Nose stated that the account had been paid up to the time that the business was forced to close. A claim filed by the B. C. Telephone Company in the sum of $1.71 was denied by Mr. Nose and no further action taken by this office after passing this information on to the B. C. Telephone Company. A claim filed by the Department of National Revenue in the sum of $15.00 was paid, at the request of Mr. Nose, from his personal account in this Office.

We enclose herewith cheque in the sum of $164.99 drawn in favour of Matsumiya and Nose Limited, being the total credit in this account as mentioned above. Would you please acknowledge receipt of this cheque, using the stamped, addressed envelope enclosed for this purpose.

Yours truly,

A. G. McARTHUR,
OFFICE OF THE CUSTODIAN.

AGM/HS
Enc. (2)

Matsuniya & Nose Limited

File No. 10242
Reg. No.

| Date | Particulars | Debit | Credit | R/R. | Balance |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1943 December 10- | Proceeds Auction Sale | | $108.73 | | |
| 1944 November 22 | " " " | | 1.97 | | |
| 1945 August 6- | Refund B.C.E.R. Co. Ltd. Security Dept. (1 @ $18.29 | | 18.29 | | |
| | ) 6 @ 2.00 | | 12.00 | | |
| | ( 2 @ 5.00 | | 10.00 | | |
| | ( 1 @ 4.00 | | 4.00 | | |
| | ( 1 @ 10.00 | | 10.00 | | |
| | | | $ 164.99 | | 164.99 CR. |

Accounting Department,
July 10th, 1947.

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GENERAL SUMMARY

File No. 10242 July 4, 1947

Matsumiya & Nose Limited

On June 1, 1942, Mr. Seihachi NOSE (File 7833), Managing Director of Matsumiya & Nose Limited, reported to the Custodian in respect to the company's property.

This company was engaged in the Men's Furnishings business at 229 Powell Street. The building was registered in the name of Seihachi NOSE and Masuo MATSUMIYA (File 9760), who were the principal stockholders of the company.

The chattels reported to belong to the company are dealt with in the Chattel Schedule. The net proceeds from the sale of articles sold and credited to the company account amounted to $110.70. The sum of $100.00 received from the sale of the cash register belonging to the company was placed in the joint account of Messrs. MATSUMIYA and NOSE, Files 9760 and 7833. The safe belonging to the company was turned over to Gault Bros. Limited, 361 Water Street, Vancouver, who had been instructed by Mr. NOSE to dispose of the safe. No funds from the sale of this safe have been paid in to the Custodian.

The Accounts Receivable of the company were written off according to Mr. NOSE's declaration.

A bank account of about $130.00 was reported on deposit at the Bank of Commerce, East End Branch.

Mr. NOSE stated that the company had no liabilities, but the following are revealed in the file:

1. Walburn News Limited - $95.00. On December 22,1945, Mr. NOSE stated that this account had been paid up to the time the business was forced to close and that they were not responsible for any unexpired portion of the contract. This information was passed on th the creditor on December 28, 1945. No further action was taken.

2. B. C. Telephone - $1.72. On December 22, 1945, Mr. NOSE stated that his account had been settled in full and the service discontinued prior to his evacuation. This information was passed on to the B. C. Telephone Company and no further action taken.

3. Department of National Revenue- $15.00. On April 30, 1943, Mr. NOSE reported that ~~sent to this office the sum~~ of $15.00 to settle this claim for payment of income tax deductions in connection with the company's operations in 1942, he deducted from his account in this office.

Refunds of Security Deposit totalling $54.29 have been received from the B.C. Electric Railway Co. and credited to Matsumiya & Nose Limited.

The credit balance of this company at present is $164.99. No other assets or liabilities are revealed by the file.

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

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