

Gift of Mike Murakami, 2014

Dates: 1915-2013.

Extent: 1.25 m of textual and visual records (10 boxes)

Scope and Content: Contains printed matter from the National Association of Japanese Canadians (NAJC); various newspaper clippings, books and pamphlets on Japanese Canadians and the redress movement (including issues of Nikkei Voice newspaper); 6 video cassettes with redress-related content, plus manuscript notebooks from Murakami's grandmother (in Japanese).

Language of material: English and Japanese.

Arrangement:

Series 1: Newspapers, newsletters and clippings

Series 2: National Association of Japanese Canadians (NAJC) material

Series 3: Japanese Canadian Citizen's Association (JCCA) & Japanese Canadian Community Centre (JCCC) material

Series 4: Videos on Japanese Canadian redress

Series 5: Miscellaneous printed materials

Series 6: Kiyoko (notebooks)

Series 7: Published books and pamphlets on various topics

Notes: Titles, unless supplied in square brackets, have been taken from the original containers.

Series 1: Newspapers, newsletters and clippings				
Box	Folder	Title	Contents	Date(s)
1		<i>Tairiku Nippon</i>	1 issue - v. 34, no. 9642.	1939 January 1
1		<i>The Powell Street Review</i>	1 issue - v. 1, no. 1 (1972).	1972
1		<i>Northwest Nikkei</i>	1 issue.	1996
1		<i>The New Canadian</i>	Issues of <i>The New Canadian</i> newspaper. First published February 1, 1939.	1943-1988
2		<i>The New Canadian</i>	"	1988-1996
3		<i>Nikkei Voice</i>	Issues of <i>Nikkei Voice</i> newspaper, published Dec., 1987-present. See Appendix 1 for list of issues.	1987 December-1996 November
4		<i>Nikkei Voice</i>	"	1997 February- 2012 October
5	1	<i>Redressnews</i>	Xerox pamphlet with poems by Bryce Kanbara, Joy Kogawa, Roy Miki, Heather Yamada, Gerry Shikanti (2 copies).	[198-?]
5	2	<i>Genki News</i>	1 issue of newsletter.	1986 April
5	3	<i>Konichiwa</i>	1 newsletter from the Vancouver Island Japanese Canadian Society.	1989 June
5	4	<i>Nikkei Place Network</i>	2 newsletters/programmes from Nikkei Place (senior's center in Burnaby, B.C.)	2004-2005

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5	5-13	<i>Nikkei Images</i>	Issues of <i>Nikkei Images</i> , the newsletter of the Japanese Canadian National Museum & Archives Society, Vancouver.	1996-2004
5	14	<i>Centennial Japanese United Church newsletter</i>	2 newsletters.	2010-2011
5	15	<i>CMJ Reporter</i>	3 newsletters published by the Canadian Japanese Ministries (Toronto).	2009-2012
5	16-19	[Asahi baseball team material]	3 mounted images of Japanese Canadian baseball team, the Asahis taken in Vancouver, B.C.; newspaper clippings and articles about JC baseball.	1915-1935
5	20-24	[Miscellaneous clippings]	Newspaper clippings from various publications related to Japanese Canadians and the Japanese Canadian redress movement.	1984-1986
5	25	Do you want integration or parallel lives?	Printed web article from <i>The Guardian</i> .	2004 November 30
Series 2: National Association of Japanese Canadians (NAJC) material				
6	1	The New Horizon J.C. History Project	TLS and related material.	1978
6	2	The Constitution of the Greater Toronto Chapter of the NAJC	Photocopies of typescript constitutions plus TLS.	1985
6	3-9	NAJC redress campaign material	Correspondence, newsletters, pamphlets and other material related to the NAJC campaign for Japanese Canadian redress.	1984-1988
6	10	NAJC membership application	Copy of membership application for the NAJC, plus pamphlet.	[198-?]

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6	11-13	NAJC administrative records	Revenue statements, project progress reports, meeting minutes.	1986-1988
6	14	[Ottawa rally folder]	Folder given to participants at rally at Parliament Hill, Ottawa, April 13-14, 1988. Includes event schedules, "Justice In Our Time" redress pamphlet and other printed matter.	1989 April
6	15	NAJC Leadership Conference Report	Conference booklet with event programme and essays by conference attendees.	1989 March 24-25
6	16-21	Redress implementation material	NAJC documents relating to the implementation of Japanese Canadian redress, including progress and field reports and information pamphlets.	1989
6	22	Census of Japanese Canadians: Methodological Manual	Instructions for proposed study of Japanese Canadian demographics.	[198-?]
6	23	NAJC Intergenerational Conference	Conference programme and guidebook for conference held in Ottawa.	1991 March 2-3
6	24	The Japanese Relocated	Partial? photocopy of article on Japanese Canadian internment.	[198-?]
6	25-29	<i>NAJC Newsletter</i>	Various copies of the NAJC newsletter.	1985-1987
6	30-51	<i>JC Community News</i>	Various copies of the NAJC Toronto Chapter newsletter.	1986-2008
6	52	Network: Newsletter for the NAJC Youth Committee	1 copy of newsletter from the NAJC Youth Committee, Winter 1992.	1992
6	53	Justice In Our Time: 20 th Anniversary Redress Celebration Dinner	Programmed for event co-presented by the NAJC and the Japanese Canadian Cultural Centre.	2008 September 20

Series 3: Japanese Canadian Citizen's Association (JCCA) and Japanese Canadian Community Centre (JCCC) material				
7	1	[Parting of the ways: the decision to opt out of the NAJC...]	Typescript letter with envelope addressed to Mr. and Mrs. Hideo Robayakawa.	1986?
7	2	JCCA newsletters	Photocopy typescript and ms newsletters.	ca. 1984
7	3-14	<i>The JCCA Bulletin</i>	Issues of <i>The JCCA Bulletin</i> (aka "The Geppo") published by the Greater Vancouver Japanese Canadian Citizen's Association.	1989
7	15	Centennial Fund Dinner	Programme and newspaper clipping for dinner held by the Japanese Canadian Cultural Centre (JCCC) featuring US senator Dianel K. Inouye.	1975 September 27
7	16	Robert Ito in A Song For A Nisei Fisherman	Programmes for theatre production by Philip Kan Gotanda at the Toronto Free Theatre.	1987 May
7	17	Portraits of Japanese Canadian Faith Journeys 1890-1970: A Cross-faith and Cross-cultural Awareness and Storytelling Project	WP proposal for research project through the JCCC.	2010
7	18	Annex News / Japanese Canadian Cultural Centre newsletter	Xerox newsletter.	1978 January
Series 4: VHS tapes on Japanese Canadians and redress				
8		[Japanese Canadian redress ...]	1 VHS tape. "Japanese Canadian Redress Mar/84. April 1/86 Freedom Day – Toronto City Hall. 40 yrs – Franchise – Hello Japan April 6/80."	1980-1986
8		J.N. Productions: Justice In Our Time	1 VHS tape. "Dub from 1" master. 43:03".	[19--?]

8		Kiyoshi Shimizu – Victoria Cemetery	1 VHS tape.	[19--?]
8		Prewar Vancouver: The Japanese United Church, Its Members & Friends	1 VHS tape. "Based on the 8mm movies of Rev. Kosaburo Shimizu (1 hr 45 mins). Copyright Ted Shimizu."	2002
8		SAIKI: The Legacy of the Japanese Canadian Redress Foundation	1 VHS tape. "Art Miki/ 2003"	2003
8		SAIKI: The Legacy of the Japanese Canadian Redress Foundation	1 VHS tape.	2003
Series 5: Miscellaneous printed materials				
9	1	They Made Democracy Work: The Story of the Co-operative Committee on Japanese Canadians by Edith Fowke	1 booklet.	[19--?]
9	2	Hirabayashi, Gordon to Dave and Aiko Murakami	1 ALS.	1975 May 22
9	3	Presentation Ceremony of The Temple Bell and Building to the Province of Ontario by the Japanese Canadian Centennial Society (Ontario).	Ceremony programme plus Xerox images of temple and bell.	1977 October 1
9	4	At First A Dream: One Hundred Years of Race Relations in Vancouver by Bill Yee	1 booklet.	[199-?]
9	5	Discrimination and Prejudice As They Affected the Japanese in Canada in World War II by June K. Tanaka	Photocopies of essay for sociology class.	1971 December
9	6	Tomi Gumi	Pamphlet for the Japanese Community Volunteers Association (2 copies).	[1984?]
9	7	Momiji Seniors Centre material	Pamphlet with rental information for Momiji Seniors Centre, Toronto; health care related newsletters for 1984/85.	1984-1991

9	8	Japanese Canadians in Metropolitan Toronto: Needs Assessment (Momiji Health Care Society)	WP interview questions for health survey of Japanese Canadians in Toronto.	1989
9	9	[Our dark cloud of a half century dissipated ...]	Broadside with tanka "composed in commemoration of the historic Japanese Canadian Redress Settlement, September 22, 1988". Tanka and calligraphy by Ujo Nakano.	1988
9	10	Redress for Japanese Canadians: Eligibility and Application Information	Pamphlets from the Government of Canada	[198-?]
9	11	Application for payment related to Japanese Canadian redress...	Government application form and instructions for applying for redress (2 copies).	[198-?]
9	12	Japanese Canadian Health Care Society of B.C.	1 flyer.	[198-?]
9	13	Nipponia Home: 30 Years of Service	Pamphlet commemorating 30 th anniversary of the Nipponia Home, Canada's first home for Japanese Canadian senior citizens located in Beamsville, Ontario and founded in 1958 by Yasutaro Yamaga. Includes historical articles plus lists of past directors and residents.	1988
9	14	Japanese Canadian Redress Foundation pamphlet	1 pamphlet.	[199-?]
9	15	The Best Years: The First Nikkei Conference on Aging	Programmes and other printed matter for conference on Japanese Canadians and aging held in Calgary.	1989
9	16	Arigato Event: A Redress Recognition Event of the Hamilton Chapter of the National Association of Japanese Canadians	Event programme (2 copies).	1989 May
9	17	Hoyano, Tomiko to Vivian Lai	1 TLS regarding Japanese Canadian senior care in Edmonton.	1992

9	18	[Ontario Watchmaker's Association material]	Correspondence and other printed matter from the Ontario Watchmaker's Association, with envelope addressed to Dave Murakami.	1992
9	19	Homecoming '92: Where The Heart Is	Report on the Homecoming '92 event. Includes articles and essays by participants plus information and statistics about the event. Edited by Randy Enomoto, Tatsuo Kage and K. Victor Ujimoto and published by the NAJC; song sheet.	1993
9	20	CRRF Facts About Japanese Canadian Experience	1 booklet, published by the Canadian Race Relations Foundation.	2000 June
9	21	Remembering Roger Otaba, 1915-2002	1 pamphlet	2002
9	22	Shashin: Japanese Canadian Studio Photography to 1942	1 pamphlet for exhibition by Grace Eiko Thompson at the Japanese National Museum.	2005
9	23	Protestant churches and the Resettlement of Japanese Canadians in Urban Ontario, 1942-1955 by Dave Dowe	1 photocopy of academic article.	2007
9	24	Toronto Buddhist Church... Guiding Light	1 pamphlet.	2013
Series 6: Kiyō's notebooks				
10	1	[Grandmother's notebook]	Notebook, MS (Japanese).	[193-?]
10	2	[Kiyō's diary]	Diary/notebook, MS (Japanese).	1952 January 20-1974 October 1
10	3	[Kiyō's diary]	Diary/notebooks, MS (Japanese).	1952 January 21-1954 June 23.

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10	4-6	[Language practice notebooks]	Notebooks, MS (in Japanese).	[195-?]
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Books and pamphlets (13 volumes on shelf)

Location	AUTHOR	TITLE	PUB. DATE
Shelf	Adachi, Pat and Paul Toyonaga	St. Andrew's Japanese Anglican congregation, Toronto, 1944-2004	2004
Shelf	Arai, Tsuguo (trans.); Grace Arai (ed.)	Kosaburo Shimizu: the early diaries, 1909-1926	2005
Shelf	Murakami, Sokusui	Shinran Shonin: his life and work	1988
Shelf	Hongwanji International Center	Jodo Sinshu: a guide	2006
Shelf	Izumi, Yasuo	Dharma: my guiding light	[19--?]
Shelf	Japanese Canadian Christian Churches Historical Project; Kawano, Roland M. (ed.)	A history of the Japanese Congregations in the United Church of Canada (1892-1959) (2 copies).	[19--?]
Shelf	Kawano, Roland M. (ed.)	Ministry to the hopelessly hopeless: Japanese Canadian evacuees and churches during WWII	1997
Shelf	Konoyoko	Shine from within: an introduction to the Konko Faith	[19--?]
Shelf	Matsugu, Ken, Mike Ochiai and George Tomita	A centennial pilgrimage: Japanese Canadians and the United Church of Canada	1992
Shelf	Nosco, Peter and Seishi Takeda	Experiences with and within: Christians in Japan from the 16 th century to the present day	2005
Shelf	Protestant Women's Guild of Yokohama, Japan	Favorite recipes	1956
Shelf	Watada, Terryv	Bukkyo Tozen: a history of Jodo Shinshu Buddhism in Canada, 1905-1995	1996
Shelf	Wesley Chapel Japanese Church	Celebrating our 20 th anniversary	[2000?]

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Appendix 1: *Nikkei Voice* issues

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v. 1, no. 1 (Dec., 1987)

v. 2, no. 2 (Apr., 1988)-v. 2, no. 3 (June 1988)

v. 2, no. 5 (Oct., 1988)-v. 2, no. 6 (Dec., 1988)

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v. 3, no. 1 (Feb., 1989)-v. 3, no. 4 (Sept., 1989)

v. 3, no. 7 (Dec., 1989/Jan., 1990)

v. 4, no. 1 (Feb., 1990)-v. 4, no. 2 (Mar., 1990)

v. 4, no. 4 (May 1990)-v. 4, no. 10 (Nov. 1990)

v. 5, no. 1 (Feb., 1991)-v. 5, no. 4 (May 1991)

v. 5, no. 6 (July, 1991)

v. 5, no. 9 (Oct., 1991)-v. 5, no. 10 (Nov., 1991)

v. 5, no. 10 [11?] (Dec., 1991/Jan., 1992)

[v. 6, no. 1] (Feb., 1992) **partial copy*

[v. 6, no. 9?] Sept. 1992 **partial copy*

v. 6, no. 9 (Oct., 1992)-v. 6, no. 10 (Nov., 1992)

v. 7, no. 2 (Mar., 1993)

[v. 3, no. 3] (Apr., 1993) **partial copy*

v. 8, no. 10 (Nov., 1994)

v. 8, no. 11/12 (Dec., 1994/Jan., 1995)

v. 9, no. 2 (Mar., 1995)

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v. 9, no. 7 (Sept., 1995)

v. 10, no. 4 (May 1996)-v. 10, no. 5 (June 1996)

v. 10, no. 7 (Sept, 1996)-v. 10, no. 9 (Nov., 1996)

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v. 11, no. 1 (Feb., 1997)-v. 11, no. 5 (June 1997)

v. 10 [12], no. 1 (Dec., 1997/Jan., 1998)

v. 14, no. 9 (Nov., 2000)

v. 16, no. 6 (July/Aug., 2002)

v. 17, no. 3 (Apr., 2003)

v. 17, no. 5 (June 2003)-v. 17, no. 9 (Nov., 2003)

v. 18, no. 4 (May 2004)-v. 18, no. 6 (July/Aug., 2004)

v. 18, no. 8 (Oct., 2004)-v. 19, no. 4 (May 2005)

v. 19, no. 6 (July/Aug., 2005)-v. 19, no. 7 (Nov., 2005)

v. 20, no. 1 (Feb., 2006)-v. 20, no. 2 (March 2006)

v. 20, no. 5 (June 2006)-v. 20, no. 7 (Sept 2006)

v. 20, no. 8 (Oct., 2006)-v. 10 (Nov., 2006)

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v. 21, no. 4 (May 2007)

v. 21, no. 6 (Aug., 2007)

v. 23, no. 3 (Apr., 2009)

v. 24, no. 5 (June 2010)

v. 24, no. 7 (Sept., 2010)

v. 25, no. 2 (Mar., 2011)

v. 25, no. 4 (May 2011)-v. 26, no. 5 (June 2011)

v. 25, no. 9 (Nov., 2011)

v. 26, no. 7 (Sept., 2012)

Apr., 2012 **partial copy*

v. 26, no. 8 (Oct., 2012)