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Pre-war	Origin	Family	Ken Tanaka	1940s	Ken's oldest sister Mary was born in BC in 1941, while Ken and his younger sister and brother were all born in Lethbridge.			
Pre-war	Origin	Family	Henry Shimizu	Not Answered	Outline of father's businesses in Prince Rupert. Father's first marriage Henry's step family.	Shotaro Shimizu, Shoji (Andy) Shimizu, George Nishikaze.		
Pre-war	Origin	Life in other locations	Diane Nawata	1922	Father came to Canada in 1922 and worked at a paper mill in Ocean Falls, B.C. He went back to Japan, married and came back.	Father born in 1903.		Japanese were not treated well in B.C. before the war.
Pre-war	Origin	Life in other locations	Diane Nawata	1933	Born in 1933, went to two-year kindergarten. Started elementary school. Japanese family lived in isolated area from other Canadians. But children played together.	Have one brother.		Diane went to a Japanese Language school at the Ocean Falls.
Pre-war	Food	Japanese food	Henry Shimizu	Not Answered	Nakamura market gardening, food co-op.			
Pre-war	Shelter	Grandma Uyehara	Lucy and John Takahashi	Not Answered	Grandma Uyehara's rooming house.	Mrs. Uyehara. Dr. Taro Yoneda and Yoneyamas, Kay, Albert, and Henry Shimbashi stayed the rooming house.	Henry Shimbashi is still in Edmonton. May be interview him about the rooming house?	Many University students from Japanese families lived at the rooming house to go to U of A. It was only University in Alberta.
Pre-war	Social	Opal	Lucy and John Takahashi	1930 - 1940	Previous Opal family.	Ben and Flo Shikaze, Chizuko Kimura, Kiyooka, Kay Nakamura, Bruce/Jim/Frank Kimura.		

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Pre-war	Social	Edmontonians - pre-war	Lucy and John Takahashi		Original Edmontonians - George and Tami Tsujikawa. Reg and Tiki Miyashita.	George and Tami Tsujikawa. Reg and Tiki Miyashita.	Get more information from Tami and Tiki.	
Pre-war	Social	Edmontonians - pre-war	Lucy and John Takahashi	Not Answered		Miyagishima family.	Can get information from Taxi Miyagishima.	
Pre-war	Social	Edmontonians - pre-war	Lucy and John Takahashi	Not Answered	Retired and living in Edmonton.	Shoz (Shozo) and Mitzi Yasui.		
Pre-war	Education	Education	Heidi Matsune	Not Answered	In Raymond, she attended Japanese Language School. After Raymond, she went to Calgary for education.		When did she moved to Calgary for education?	
Pre-war	Language	Japanese school	Aki Nawata	1937-42?	Aki went to Japanese school in Vancouver before the war - classes were held after regular school hours. Meiwa Gakuen was the name of the school.			
Pre-war	Language	Language	Joyce Kiyooka	1930 -	Parents spoke Japanese and mom taught Joyce "broken Japanese". Joyce still speaks a little Japanese but understands more.			
Pre-war	Business	Barber shop	Lucy and John Takahashi	Not Answered	Barber shop .	Sugizo Nakamura, Hanako Nakamura, Mrs. Saito.		
Pre-war	Business	Barber shop	Henry Shimizu	Not Answered	Nakamura barbershop.	George Nakamura.		

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Pre-war	Population	Opal	Henry Shimizu	Not Answered	Japanese pioneer families in Opal (Kimura, Yamauchi, Kinoshita, Kiyooka, Nakamura).	Kimura, Yamauchi, Kinoshita, Kiyooka, Nakamura.		
Pre-war	Culture	Experience living in Japan	Isao Yamamoto	1934	No problems adjusting because in BC there was sort of a Japanese community, and spoke Japanese.			
Pre-war	Culture	Living in Japan	Tom Sando	1926-1938?	Long discussion of growing up in Japan pre-war before coming back to Canada.			
During War	Origin	Work life	Lucy and John Takahashi	1942?	John moved to sugar beets farm at McGraw in southern Alberta. John came to Edmonton for attending U of A in 1950.			
During War	Origin	Kika-nisei: Life in Japan	Sachiko Nagata	1934 - 1958	Stayed in Sakai Minato, Tottori-ken.			Grandmother was sick and Sachiko's family looked after her grandmother in Sakai Minato.
During War	Origin	Life in Japan	George Tsuruda	1942	Went to Japan with father, step-mother and brothers. (Mother died when he was 8 years old). Graduated from high school and worked for Mitsubishi. Supported step-mother and three brothers..			
During War	Origin	Life in other locations	Diane Nawata	1942	Sold most of belongings and moved to sugar beets farm in southern Alberta.			Family supported CCF (NDP) as CCF only stood up for Japanese.
During War	Origin	Internment	Tom Sando	1941	Long discussion of internment at Angler			
During War	Origin	Internment	Henry Shimizu	1942	Lived in New Denver internment camp			

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During War	Shelter	Grandma Uyehara	Tamiko Tsujikawa	1945	Hard to find place to live in Edmonton so rented one of two upstairs room in Mrs. Uyehara's mother / mother-in-law's house. 2 rooms she rented to Japanese.	Mrs. Uyehara.		
During War	Social	Gordon Hirabayashi	Lucy and John Takahashi	1942?	Gordon Hirabayashi went to a prison as he refused to go to camp in USA. He became a Sociology professor at U of A. USA cancelled his criminal record with apology in year (?).	Gordon Hirabayashi.	Which year?	
During War	Education	University	Lucy and John Takahashi	1944?	Restriction to Japanese during the war in Alberta - Lucy's sister wanted to do medicine at U of A but they did not allowed her to enroll.			
During War	Culture	Life during War	Joyce Kiyooka	1940 -	Still has a fingerprint card. Remembers being called "Jap"; very hurtful; mom and dad were Canadian citizens.			
During War	Culture	Internment	Tom Sando	1941	Many references to his book about wartime POW camp in Japanese with sketches. Also "Misty Skeena River". "Christmas in New Denver".		Collect his books/articles.	
Post War to 1969	Origin	Returning to Canada	Dick Shimoda	1962	Canadian law changed so that those born in Canada were able to get Canadian citizenship. Dick was able to get his Canadian citizenship and return in 1962 (Toronto). Noriko was able to immigrate in 1963 because they were married. They lived in Toronto.			

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Post War to 1969	Origin	Experience Returning to Canada	Isao Yamamoto	1950	Wasn't easy coming back because he didn't speak English so had to start all over again. Immigrants were coming from Europe so they had a night schools where he learned English. Came to Edmonton from Winnipeg because the Lutheran pastor was moving the Edm.			
Post War to 1969	Origin	Marriage	Sachiko Nagata	1958	Came back to Tabor, Canada, to get married.			The marriage was arranged between Sachiko's and Takeo's mothers.
Post War to 1969	Origin	Marriage	Sachiko Nagata	1958	Wedding was held at a church in Tabor. Moved to Edmonton October or November (it was snowing on the move day)			
Post War to 1969	Origin	Marriage	Kyoko Nishiwaki	1969	Met Yoshihiro at a concert, got married, and decided to stay in Canada.	Yoshihiro.		Felt Edmonton was very empty compared to Kyoto.
Post War to 1969	Origin	marriage	Jim Hoyano	Not Answered	Met Yumiko at university in Chemistry department. She came to work for 1 year in lab of Prof Masamune.			
Post War to 1969	Origin	Edmonton post-was	Henry Shimizu	1946	Parents worked at Misericorida Hospital. Henry and sister lived in basements suite and worked as relief elevator operators.	Grace Shimizu.		
Post War to 1969	Origin	Life in the North	Akiko Ito	1963 - 1969?	Child birth - While she lived in the North, Akiko came to Edmonton for delivery of three children, Sally, Daniel, and Cathy.		Was this special or fairy common for people in the North?	
Post War to 1969	Origin	Education	Joyce Kiyooka	About 1954	Moved from Opal to go to Alberta College in Edmonton.			

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Post War to 1969	Origin	Family	Daiyo Sawada	1945-1960	Daiyo and 5 older brothers and sisters grew up in Pincher Creek, Alberta. His father was a barber and married twice.			
Post War to 1969	Origin	Why came to Canada	Keiko Frueh	1961	She wanted to have challenge and explore Canada.			
Post War to 1969	Origin	Transportation	Kyoko Nishiwaki	1969	Came to Canada as a visitor, by Canadian Pacific Airline.			She came to Canada with six-month visa.
Post War to 1969	Food	Japanese food	Sachiko Nagata	Not Answered	Bought Japanese food from Nakagama in Lethbridge.			
Post War to 1969	Food	Food	Heidi Matsune	1965? -	Sushi, New Year's food, Mochi, Christmas gathering.			
Post War to 1969	Food	Japanese food	Keiko Frueh	1961 - 1970?	First, she ordered rice and soy sauce at Nakamura's Barbershop. After the Barbershop closed, purchased through Sugiura at Silk-O-Lina.			
Post War to 1969	Food	Japanese food	Lucy and John Takahashi	Not Answered	Co-op and Silk-O-Lina: Kind of fabric store. Mr. Sugiura ordered Japanese food and became like a co-op. Mr. Sugiura stocked extra rice and other Japanese food.	Mr. Sugiura, father of Jackie Sugiura, Shimizu, Inoue, Katayama, Mrs. Iwashita.		Mr. Inoue ran Silk-O-Lina in Calgary. Then, moved to Edmonton.
Post War to 1969	Food	Japanese Celebrations	Joyce Kiyooka	1950's, 1960's	Mom used to cook things to celebrate oshogatsu. Mom used to cook mostly western food.			
Post War to 1969	Food	Japanese Ingredients	Dick Shimoda	Not Answered	Obtaining ingredients was a problem, even salmon. They had theirs sent from Japan and when Dick went to Toronto on business, he brought ingredients back.			

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Post War to 1969	Food	Food	Toshiko Yamamoto	Not Answered	Cooked many kinds of Japanese food but the kids didn't like it. There weren't very many Japanese food available but Mr. Sugiura ordered rice, shoyu and miso from Vancouver. We ordered from Mr. Sugiura and the shipments came to Mr. Nakamura's barber shop.		Fill in the reason why ... "*****" in the transcript. Check spelling of names.	
Post War to 1969	Food	Food	Isao Yamamoto	1950's	Missed Japanese food because he was living with a non-Japanese family before he got married. Missed fresh fish (sashimi) the most.			
Post War to 1969	Food	Japanese food	Diane Nawata	Not Answered	Mother was a good cook. She cooked Shogatsu Japanese food.			
Post War to 1969	Food	Japanese food	Tamiko Tsujikawa	Not Answered	from Sugiuras - order rice, shoyu, Japanese produce.		Dates?	
Post War to 1969	Food	Japanese Businesses	Jim Hoyano	1960s	Grocery store and tofu maker - Philip Shimbo and wife. He later moved to Vancouver.	Philip Shimbo and wife.		
Post War to 1969	Shelter	living in Edmonton	Tamiko Tsujikawa	late 40s	Rented little place next to Mrs. Nakamura's barber shop on 95 st and 97 st. Then bought house at Forest Heights.	Nakamura.		
Post War to 1969	Recreation		Henry Shimizu	Not Answered	Saturday night dances, games and pot-luck at Bissell Centre.			
Post War to 1969	Recreation	Church	Lucy and John Takahashi	Not Answered	United church across from the Bissell centre. Used downstairs gym for Christmas party, badminton, table tennis, chow mein suppers and Christmas concert. From this gathering, Curling club and golf tournament started and lasting for over 35 years.	Nakamuras and Saitos.	Year?	

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Post War to 1969	Recreation	Picnic	Tsuruda, Ruby	Not Answered	Japanese store "picnic".		Where was it, what things did she buy there she couldn't get elsewhere, was picnic a social gathering spot.	
Post War to 1969	Recreation	Curling Club	Lucy and John Takahashi	Not Answered	Curling club - Curling club had bonspiels at Lethbridge, Calgary, and Edmonton.		Year of the first curling club.	
Post War to 1969	Recreation	Sports	Joyce Kiyooka	1960's	Used to curl in the Japanese league but didn't really associate much with the Japanese community except for things like the Christmas party because she was around "hakujin" people more.			
Post War to 1969	Social	Oldest members of the Edmonton community	Isao Yamamoto	1950's/1960's	Mr. Nakamura was the oldest person in the group. Mrs. Uyehara had some kind of rooming house or boarding house on 96th or 97th Street, very close to City Hall.			
Post War to 1969	Social	Opal	Jim Hoyano	1960s	Got to know old-time families from Opal at community picnics.			
Post War to 1969	Social	Bissell Centre	Sachiko Nagata	Around 1958 -	Japanese had meetings at the Bissell Centre. Sachiko cooked and sold Chowmein.	Mrs. Nakamura Mrs. Tsujikawa.		Takeo looked after accounting of the club from the beginning.
Post War to 1969	Social	Bissell centre?	Keiko Frueh	Not Answered	Had a pot luck gathering for welcome Toshiko Yamamoto.	Shikaze, Takahashi.		
Post War to 1969	Social	Bissell Centre	Lucy and John Takahashi	Not Answered	The Bissell centre: get-together was at the Bissell centre always. All Japanese resided around there.			
Post War to 1969	Social	Bissell Centre	Joyce Kiyooka	Not Answered	Used to be a Japanese young people's group (in their 20's) that used to get together at the Bissell Centre on 97th Street to have parties (like Christmas).	Yamauchi's, Florence (Ingham?), Shikaze's.		

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Post War to 1969	Social	Bissell Centre	Toshiko Yamamoto	1960's	We made chowmein and the money went to the Bissell church. It was a big event open to the public. The noodles were made from scratch and fried them; Mr. Nakamura was always kneading.			
Post War to 1969	Social	Bissell Centre	Toshiko Yamamoto	1960's	The Bissell church was a United church that celebrated their 100 anniversary in the spring of 2010. The Japanese people were not necessarily Christians but it was more a community social gathering place. The church helped Japanese people.			
Post War to 1969	Social	Bissell centre	Diane Nawata	1953 - ?	Attended activities there. Japanese families were very kind to students.			
Post War to 1969	Social	Bissell Centre	Aki Nawata	1950's	Japanese had a social group at the Bissell United Church. Activities included dinner, dances, playing basketball, and other social things. The group numbered about 40 people.			
Post War to 1969	Social	Bissell Centre	Tamiko Tsujikawa	Not Answered	Big hall, international suppers, homemade chow mein. People went to church there. Minister nice to Japanese.		Dates?	
Post War to 1969	Social	Church	Tsuruda, Ruby	Not Answered	Catholic church.		What church, any comments on being only Japanese in congregation, other nationalities or was that even an issue, where did other Japanese go to church, Which year?	
Post War to 1969	Social	Church	Sachiko Nagata	1960?	Sachiko did not attend church or temple gatherings.			

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Post War to 1969	Social	Christmas party	Keiko Frueh	1961	Attended a Christmas Party in December and a picnic in July, may be held at the Bissell centre.			
Post War to 1969	Social	Christmas party	Lucy and John Takahashi	Not Answered	Had Christmas gathering with over 20 university students at Lucy's parents place. This gathering expanded to Christmas parties at the Bissell centre where about 100 people got together.		Year of Christmas party at Lucy's parent house.	
Post War to 1969	Social	Christmas party	Jim Hoyano	1960s	community had an annual picnic and Christmas party - we always went to meet other community members.			
Post War to 1969	Social	Christmas party	Tamiko Tsujikawa	1948	1948 Japanese community Christmas party at Bissell church.			
Post War to 1969	Social	Chowmein supper	Lucy and John Takahashi	Not Answered	Chowmein supper - held every year at the United church. Usually about 50 Japanese including children came to the gatherings.		Year of the first Chowmein supper.	
Post War to 1969	Social	Picnic	Toshiko Yamamoto	1960's	There was a picnic once a year.			
Post War to 1969	Social	Picnic	Jim Hoyano	1960s	community had an annual picnic and Christmas party - we always went to meet other community members. Regular field games and races. Everyone brought their own bento and shared.			
Post War to 1969	Social	Picnic	Tamiko Tsujikawa	Not Answered	Sugiura's staying at farm with big field for Japanese picnics.		Dates?	
Post War to 1969	Social	Other Kika Nisei	Isao Yamamoto	1950's ...	Had Kika nisei friends.	Mr. Fukoshima; Sachiko Nagata.		
Post War to 1969	Social	Edmontonians - post war	Sachiko Nagata	Around 1958	She knew one family.	Isao Yamamoto.		
Post War to 1969	Social	Edmontonians - post war	Sachiko Nagata	1960?	Japanese names Sachiko remembered are: Mr. & Mrs. Shimizu, Dr. Taro Yoneda, Dr. Shimizu.			At early Edmonton, there were about 20 Japanese.

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Post War to 1969	Social	Edmontonians - post war	Keiko Frueh	1961		Mr. Shimpo, Isao Yamamoto		
Post War to 1969	Social	Edmontonians - post war	Keiko Frueh	1968		Nakamura, Sugiura, Miyagishima, Nagata, Matsuba, Tujikawa, John/Jun Yamamoto, Katayama, Ebata, Shinbashi, Bill Kikuchi.		Keiko mentioned that Mrs. Uyehara had one son. He died young.
Post War to 1969	Social	Change in Japanese Canadian population	Joyce Kiyooka	1960's	Younger immigrants started coming but only saw them at the Christmas party; lived all over the city.			
Post War to 1969	Social	Edmonton community	Isao Yamamoto	1950's.	Japanese Canadians came to attend the university and also students from Japan.			
Post War to 1969	Social	Edmonton community	Isao Yamamoto	1950's ...	Met many Japanese people when they first came to Edmonton.	Mr. & Mrs. Shimizu, Mr. & Mrs. Nakamura, Mr. & Mrs. Sugiura, the Miyagishima's, Mr. & Mrs. Bill Kikuchi, Mr. & Mrs. Kiyooka.		
Post War to 1969	Social	Edmonton - post war	Diane Nawata	1953 -	Had a lots of friends outside of Japanese Community.			No contact with Japanese required

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Post War to 1969	Social	EJCA	Diane Nawata	1960? -	Aki was a president. They were active at EJCA.			
Post War to 1969	Social	EJCA	Jim Hoyano	1960s	Got involved through meeting Mrs. Shimizu and George Tsuruda.			
Post War to 1969	Social	EJCA		Not Answered	Henry's mother was secretary of fujinkai and kept minutes in Japanese. Minutes passed on to Aiko Murakami.	Aiko Murakami.		
Post War to 1969	Social	Farming trainees	Keiko Frueh	1968	Farming trainee program started. Trainees came to Lethbridge areas. Many moved to Edmonton areas as they received a landed immigrant status after two years.	Demachi, Oda, Hayakaze, Shigemitsu.		Many trainees moved to Edmonton, refer to "Tomo no Kai".
Post War to 1969	Social	New Immigrants	Jim Hoyano	1960s	"we knew there weren't many Japanese families in Edmonton at the time".			
Post War to 1969	Social	Japanese in Edmonton	Jim Hoyano	1960s	About 50 or 60 families.			
Post War to 1969	Social	University	Lucy and John Takahashi	Not Answered	U of A graduates.	Aki and Diane Nawata.		
Post War to 1969	Social	Mrs. Shimizu	Jim Hoyano	1960s	Mrs Shimizu new all Japanese in Edmonton. When someone new came, she invited them over and introduced herself. Very involved in EJCA. Met her through wife Yumiko.			
Post War to 1969	Social	Friends and relatives	Tamiko Tsujikawa	Not Answered	Nakamura children - Bill, Lillian, Irene, Eddie, Rosie, Jeannie.		Dates?	
Post War to 1969	Social	Friends and relatives	Tamiko Tsujikawa	Not Answered	Mrs. Saito acquaintance. Later Mrs. Kiyooka, Mrs. Yamauchi.		Dates?	
Post War to 1969	Social	Friends and relatives	Henry Shimizu	Not Answered	No obvious acts of racism at University of Alberta.	Eiko Iwashita, Kaien Shimizu.		
Post War to 1969	Social	Home Doctors	Keiko Frueh	1961		Dr. Yoneda, Dr. Kato.		

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Post War to 1969	Social	Prince Takamado	Jim Hoyano	1960s	Consul general's office had some picnic when the opened and Prince Takamado and wife were there.			
Post War to 1969	Social	language program	Tamiko Tsujikawa	Not Answered	John Ito (famous actor) in Japanese school, cute little fellow tap dancing.	John Ito.	Dates?	
Post War to 1969	Education	University	Diane Nawata	1953	Moved to Edmonton after finished high school in Lethbridge. Completed Education degree. There were not many female students, most of them were in Education.			There were shortage of teachers.
Post War to 1969	Education	University	Aki Nawata	1950's	When Aki was at the U of A in the early 1950s, he remembers that there were about 7 or 8 Japanese, all Nisei.; Shozo Yasui, Ben Shikaze, Henry Shimizu, Hiro Naka, and others whose names he couldn't remember.			
Post War to 1969	Education	University	Daiyo Sawada	1962-1971	Graduated from the U of A in 1964. After teaching for one year, came back to U of A for a Masters degree which he obtained in 1966. Became a faculty member after that, getting his PhD from Penn. State in 1971. After that Daiyo taught at the U of A.			
Post War to 1969	Education	University	Jim Hoyano	1960s	Came to U of A 1963 to study chemistry. BA 1966, PhD 1971.			
Post War to 1969	Education	Education	Henry Shimizu	1946	Henry and Grace attended Garneau school.			
Post War to 1969	Education	Education	Henry Shimizu	1950	Entered U of A medical school in 1950.			

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Post War to 1969	Education	Life in other locations	Diane Nawata	1949	Moved to Lethbridge and finished high school.			Diane attended 7 different schools. There were no oriental children around.
Post War to 1969	Jobs	Work life	Sachiko Nagata	Not Answered	Did baby sitting for two years.			She said that she was not good in English, who did she baby sat in which year?
Post War to 1969	Jobs	Work life	Heidi Matsune	Not Answered	Husband worked at Silk-O-Lina, Calgary and Edmonton.	Sugiura.		
Post War to 1969	Jobs	Work Life	Joyce Kiyooka	Not Answered	Worked for the Alberta Government and legal firm.			
Post War to 1969	Jobs	Work life	George Tsuruda	1952	Back to Canada and joined to the Air Force.			
Post War to 1969	Jobs	Work life	Diane Nawata	1957? - ?	She taught at elementary school, grade 2 and 3.		Where and how long did she taught?	Jim Hoyano was her students.
Post War to 1969	Jobs	Work life	Tom Sando	1963	Got job with foundation company. \$350 a month. Same company till retirement in 1987 - forman, superintendent, building foundation specialist.			
Post War to 1969	Language	Language program	Jim Hoyano	1950s	learned some Japanese language in Coaldale when young.			

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Post War to 1969	Business	Grandma Uyehara	Henry Shimizu	Not Answered	Uyehara barber shop and rooming house.			
Post War to 1969	Business	Barber shop	Tamiko Tsujikawa	late 40s	Younger Mrs. Uyehara was a barber and had a shop. Also a rooming house with her husband.	Mrs. Uyehara.		
Post War to 1969	Business	Work life	Lucy and John Takahashi	Not Answered	Chick-sexing business (George, Reg, and George Matsuba), went to Japan and learn technique.	George, Reg, and George Matsuba.	Get more information from Tami and Tiki.	
Post War to 1969	Business	Work life	Lucy and John Takahashi	Not Answered	Ike was a chauffeur for a family.	Ike and Betty Ebata, both deceased.		Their daughter Donna is in Abbotsford.
Post War to 1969	Business	Edmonton Businesses	Isao Yamamoto	Not Answered	Mrs. Uyehara's boarding house; Mr. Sugizo had a barber shop, Mr. Inouye had a clothing store, fabric called Silk-lina, then son (Tak/ Takushi? Came from Vancouver.			
Post War to 1969	Business	EJCA	Isao Yamamoto Toshiko Yamamoto	1960's	Mr. Kikuchi was a Nisei and president; Mr. Katayama was president too. A number of professionals: Henry Shimizu went into medicine and Katayama-san's son was a doctor, Shikaze san was an accountant.			
Post War to 1969	Business	Consulate Office	Keiko Frueh	1967	Consulate Office of Japan opened.	The first consul was Mr. Date		
Post War to 1969	Business	Restaurants	Isao Yamamoto Toshiko Yamamoto	1960's	Mikado was the first one; change of owner and moved to different location.			
Post War to 1969	Business	Japanese Businesses	Isao Yamamoto Toshiko Yamamoto	1960's	Silk-o-lina (Inouye), Nakamura's Barber Shop.			
Post War to 1969	Business	Japanese Businesses	Henry Shimizu	1948	Father bought rooming house on 97th street.			

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Post War to 1969	Business	Japanese Businesses	Henry Shimizu	Not Answered	Chick-sexing business (George Tsujikawa, Reg Miyashita went to Japan to learn technique. Joined by George Matsuba in 1945.	George Tsujikawa, Reg Miyashita.		
Post War to 1969	Population	Opal	Henry Shimizu	Not Answered	Most Opal families relocated to Edmonton in post war.	Henry and Florence Yamauchi, Ben Shikaze, George Matsuba, Iwashita girls, Nakamura boys (Bill and Edward) and girls (Lydia, Rosie, Irene, Jessie)		
Post War to 1969	Population	Edmontonians post-war	Henry Shimizu	Not Answered	many Japanese lived around Bissell United Church area - 95-97 street Jasper to 105th Ave.			
Post War to 1969	Culture	Experience coming to Canada	Toshiko Yamamoto	1962	Did not speak English but she heard it many times. She was able to adapt to the culture but found it cold.			
Post War to 1969	Culture	Travel	Isao Yamamoto	1950	Mr. Yamamoto was the first Japanese passenger on CP Airline from Tokyo to Canada. Isao and parents who came to see him off, had to get permission to get into Haneda because it was all occupied by the U.S. (military?).			
Post War to 1969	Culture	Japanese Traditions	Toshiko Yamamoto	1960'a	Practiced Japanese traditions like New Year's Day.			

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Post War after 1970	Origin	Kika Nisei	Dick Shimoda	1962	Considers himself a nisei since father was born in Japan; only kika nisei he knows is John Ito.			
Post War after 1970	Origin	Marrige	George Tsuruda	1969 - 1972	Transferred to France, got married with Ruby. (He met with Ruby in Montreal).	Ruby.		
Post War after 1970	Origin	Life in Edmonton	Kyoko Nishiwaki	Not Answered	Living in Edmonton is nice.			"I'm so satisfied in living in here", "Japan is visiting country, not living country"... "our home town is here", "Kyoto was too crowded, polluted, too many cars and did not feel relaxed", "cost of living and education is very reasonable here".
Post War after 1970	Origin	Life in the North	Akiko Ito	1962 - 1968	Lived in Fort Smith, Reilly, Hey River, then in Edmonton since 1968.	(Keiko Frueh).		
Post War after 1970	Origin	University	Yumiko Hoyano	1964 - 1972	Came to Edmonton with a work permit as a research assistant (University issued a permit), finished PhD in Chemistry.	Jim and Other Japanese Canadians.		In Japan at that time, it was difficult for women to find jobs in science fields.
Post War after 1970	Origin	Visiting Japan	Sachiko Nagata	1973	Visited Sakai-minato for attending a niece's wedding.			
Post War after 1970	Origin	Citizenship	Kyoko Nishiwaki	2005?	Received a Canadian Citizenship status.			
Post War after 1970	Food	Japanese food	Kyoko Nishiwaki	early 1970	Japanese grocery store - Shimpo at Park Allen area.			At the store, there were home made tofu.
Post War after 1970	Food	Japanese food	Kyoko Nishiwaki	early 1970	Co-op purchase rice, miso, and dry goods from Vancouver.	Mr. & Mrs. Sugiura coordinate the purchases		

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Post War after 1970	Food	Japanese food	Kyoko Nishiwaki	1970-2010	Japanese food: Kyoko's and Yoshihiro's parents sent them food twice a month.	Parents in Japan.		Kyoko never worried about how to get Japanese food. But missing Sashimi and fresh vegetables.
Post War after 1970	Food	Japanese food	Yumiko Hoyano	1978	On small Japanese food store owned by a kika-nisei. Ordered rice to Vancouver through co-op. Did not much craving for Japanese food.		There was one Japanese restaurant - Fujiyama before Shogun.	
Post War after 1970	Food	Japanese Food	Ken Tanaka	1980s	Ken recalls the Japanese food store called Fumiya located on Calgary Trail, where he remembers buying nori, tsukemono. He recalls when he was growing up, his mother cooked mainly Japanese food.			
Post War after 1970	Shelter	House	Keiko Frueh	1968 - present	Lived in a house at Aspen Garden, Bearspaw, and a current location.			
Post War after 1970	Shelter	House	Daiyo Sawada	1972-2011	Daiyo likes to design houses. Of the 4 houses his family has lived in during 40 years in Edmonton, he has designed the last 2 houses they lived in. One of the houses had a Japanese tea room.			
Post War after 1970	Recreation	Curling Club	Ken Tanaka	1966- present	Joined the Japanese Curling Club in about 1966 and met a lot Japanese people like Ben Shikaze, John Takahashi, Joyce Kiyooka.			
Post War after 1970	Recreation	Japanese books	Kyoko Nishiwaki	1970 - 2010	Japanese books - 30 years ago, not much Japanese books were available in Edmonton.			Now, EJCA has good selection of Japanese books.
Post War after 1970	Recreation	Baldwin Community League	Heidi Matsune	1971 -	Attended bingo, camps and hockey at the near by community league.	Jamie and Jonathan Iwabuchi.		

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Post War after 1970	Recreation	Hobbies	Heidi Matsune	Not Answered	Like to make sushi, futomaki, and to visit museums, Citadel, dinner theater, and Muttart. Did clogging, golfing (good opportunity to meet people), line dance till two years ago.			
Post War after 1970	Recreation	Hobbies	Lucy and John Takahashi	Not Answered	Lucy played curling.	Sam and Ricky Higa, Moriyama, Paul, Sat , and Aki Jane Maruyama.	More details of Japanese curling members.	
Post War after 1970	Recreation	Hobbies	Tom Sando	Not Answered	Devonian garden crafts, longboarding for seniors, painting, tai chi. Not through Japanese community.		Dates?	
Post War after 1970	Social	Church	Akiko Ito	? - current	Belongs to Japanese Christian group.		What activities at the church/group? Who were the churches members?	
Post War after 1970	Social	Church	Heidi Matsune	1975 -	Sunnyside Bible camp, family started to go to a church. Children and Heidi attended church activities.			
Post War after 1970	Social	Events	Dick Shimoda	1980's	When they came to Edmonton the only event was the New Year's at the Japanese Consulate. The Shimoda's belonged to the Japanese Church, so attended events there when they came to Edmonton.			
Post War after 1970	Social	Christmas party	Akiko Ito	Not Answered	Attended the Japanese Community Christmas party. Cooked turkey for Christmas party for 7 years.			She cooked turkey.
Post War after 1970	Social	Christmas party	Kyoko Nishiwaki	1980?	Community Christmas Party.			Attended only some years.
Post War after 1970	Social	Edmontonians - pre-war	Lucy and John Takahashi	Not Answered	Fumi Kinoshita passed away in spring of 2010(?), she was closed to 100 years old.	Fumi Kinoshita.		

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Post War after 1970	Social	Edmontonians - pre-war	Lucy and John Takahashi	Not Answered	Higa family.	Tom and Janice Higa, Sam and Rick Higa.		
Post War after 1970	Social	Nisei group	Tsuruda, Ruby	1970's	Other Nisei.		Who were some Nisei friends, what sorts of things did they do, any activities that were strictly or majority Japanese people.	
Post War after 1970	Social	Edmontonians - post war	Akiko Ito	1968 - 1970	Edmonton people she knew at early years.	Hatano, Machida, Hiratsuka.		
Post War after 1970	Social	Japanese community	Dick Shimoda	1980's	Mr. Kawashima was the leader but there was no EJCA yet. We used to participate in Heritage Days. Martin Shukuda will know a lot.		Consider interview (by phone ... is in Lethbridge).	
Post War after 1970	Social	Edmonton community	Dick Shimoda	1981	A lot of Japanese started immigrating. Some with people John Ito started the Japanese community (association).	Hiratsuka, Junichi & Michiko Kawashima.		
Post War after 1970	Social	Japanese population in Edmonton	Isao Yamamoto	1960's/70's	Started seeing more Japanese in the community since the immigration law changed (shin-ijusha". Rented a community club for the New Year's party before they had a building and had a picnic every year.			
Post War after 1970	Social	Obon dance	Akiko Ito	Not Answered	Obon dancing.	Other people?	Which year, who organize it? Who else Danced?	
Post War after 1970	Social	Centennial parade	Tsuruda, Ruby	1977	Parade in centennial year.		Who designed, who rode, why, who decorated, what were decorations.	
Post War after 1970	Social	Centennial parade	Lucy and John Takahashi	1977	Japanese Centennial. Joined the Klondike exhibition parade. Worked on it for months. Keiko Frueh's odori group on the float.			

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Post War after 1970	Social	Centennial Parade	George Tsuruda	1977	Centennial Parade.	Many EJCA members.		
Post War after 1970	Social	EJCA	Tsuruda, Ruby	Not Answered	EJCA (husband President).		When was George president, why 3 times, what events and activities did they participate in, changes in EJCA over the years, Japanese Canadians vs Japanese expectations of EJCA, Ruby was like secretary – what sorts of issues.	
Post War after 1970	Social	EJCA	Kyoko Nishiwaki	2010 -	Member of the EJCA Chorus Club.			
Post War after 1970	Social	EJCA	Kyoko Nishiwaki	Not Answered	Joined quilt exhibitions.		When?	
Post War after 1970	Social	EJCA	Kyoko Nishiwaki	recent year	Japanese community is growing and it is nice.			
Post War after 1970	Social	EJCA	Lucy and John Takahashi	Not Answered	EJCA active members, Ken and Midori Tanaka.	George and Ruby Tsuruda, Noriko and Aki Fujino, Flo Ingham, Bob Motokado.		Grace is Noriko's daughter.
Post War after 1970	Social	EJCA	Joyce Kiyooka	1990-	Mother used to go to "Japanese seniors things) ...karaoke, Christmas parties.	Chizuko Kimura, Tammy (Tsujikawa(?), Nakamuras, Lucy Nishimoto (Takahashi).		
Post War after 1970	Social	EJCA	Toshiko Yamamoto	1980's	Got involved 30 years ago to make chow mein and craft items. There was the Heritage Festival. The Japanese school and EJCA worked together for fundraising.			

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Post War after 1970	Social	EJCA	George Tsuruda	1977 - current	Joined EJCA and active in playing curling, starting Karaoke Club, President of EJCA, Building the Centre.	Curling club members, Karaoke members.		
Post War after 1970	Social	EJCA	George Tsuruda	1990 - 1994	Arranged a rental office for get together.			
Post War after 1970	Social	EJCA	George Tsuruda	1992 - 1994	Worked as a EJCA building committee. Getting fund, finding a suitable locations (found the Argyll Community League that was just about closing down.), legal arrangements, and renovated/added the building.	EJCA Building committee members.		
Post War after 1970	Social	EJCA	George Tsuruda	1994	Move to the new centre and official opening ceremony held in September 1994.			
Post War after 1970	Social	EJCA	Yumiko Hoyano	1978 -	Started typing of Moshi Moshi.	Gordon Hirabayashi, Lucy Takahashi, Flo Shikaze, Haruko Hiratsuka.		
Post War after 1970	Social	EJCA Craft Club	Yumiko Hoyano	1980? - 1993?	Made Japanese craft items and displayed/sold at Heritage Festival, Bazaar, and South gate shopping centre craft day. The profits were saved for a senior drop-in centre. A drop-in centre was not built but the EJCA Centre.	Hideko Kaneda and about 24 ladies. Hubbihoca, Toshiko, Mrs. Shimizu.		
Post War after 1970	Social	EJCA	Yumiko Hoyano	2002? - 2006	EJCA president, tried to activate EJCA with monthly activities.			
Post War after 1970	Social	EJCA	Aki Nawata	1988-90	Served as EJCA President 1988-1990, and was a Board Member for about 6 years during that time period.			

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Post War after 1970	Social	EJCA	Ken Tanaka	1988-2002	Ken was an EJCA Board member for about 6 years until 1994. He was the treasurer for the building committee from 1990-1994. He was the first Centre Manager from the opening in September 1994 to 2002.			
Post War after 1970	Social	EJCA	Daiyo Sawada	1980-2011	Daiyo and family first began attending EJCA events such as the Christmas Party and picnic in the early 1980s, and gradually became more involved with the community. Daiyo served on the EJCA board and was a member of the building committee for the Centre.			
Post War after 1970	Social	EJCA Craft club	Tamiko Tsujikawa	Not Answered	used to have bazaars, Tamiko was secretary for awhile.		Dates?	
Post War after 1970	Social	EJCA social events	Tamiko Tsujikawa	Not Answered	keiro-kai. Went to Lingnans quite often.		Dates?	
Post War after 1970	Social	EJCA	Henry Shimizu	1979	Increased funding needed for EJCA so started casino - 5 people put up \$5000 each as a bank bond to run the casino.	Alberta Shimbashi, Ben Shikaze, Aki Nawata, Kei Miyashita.		
Post War after 1970	Social	Moshi Moshi	Lucy and John Takahashi	before 1990?	Started Moshi Moshi.	Gordon Hirabayashi, Lucy Takahashi and Flo Shikaze.	Which year?	
Post War after 1970	Social	Heritage Festival	Tsuruda, Ruby	1976/77 ?	Involved in Heritage Days from start.		What did she do at the Heritage?	
Post War after 1970	Social	Heritage Festival	Akiko Ito	1977 - 1980?	Attended the Heritage Festival.		What did she do?	
Post War after 1970	Social	Heritage Festival	Ken Tanaka	1980-2000	Helped with the Japanese Pavilion during the 1980s and 1990s. Recalls some of the main leaders for the Heritage Festival Japanese pavilion such as John Ito, John Takahashi			

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Post War after 1970	Social	Heritage Festival	Henry Shimizu	1977	Henry and Gordon Hirabayashi's involvement in Nikkei Centennial Festival and origins of Edmonton Heritage Day Festival.	Gordon Hirabayashi		
Post War after 1970	Social	New Immigrants	Dick Shimoda	1970	There were already a lot of immigrants, especially related to education like the university.	Waida.		
Post War after 1970	Social	Visiting Japan	Kyoko Nishiwaki	1970 - 2010	Visiting Japan.	Relatives and friend in Japan.		Recently, with parents getting older, she visit Japan more often, like twice a year.
Post War after 1970	Social	Japanese bible study group	Kyoko Nishiwaki	Not Answered	Japanese bible study group, stopped once.	Started by Hiratsuka & Waida, other members were Akiko Ito, Pastor Hatano, Pastor Akutagawa.	When did the first group start and stop? This group was the processor of the Japanese Christian Group in Edmonton?	Met every week
Post War after 1970	Social	Japanese bible study group	Kyoko Nishiwaki	2003?	Japanese bible study group restarted about 7 years ago.	Hiratsuka, Waida, Tsuneda.	When did the group restarted?	Each member goes to own church.
Post War after 1970	Social	Mrs. Shimizu	Kyoko Nishiwaki	1970 - 1990	Mrs. Shimizu had leadership role in the Japanese ladies.	Kimiko Shimizu		
Post War after 1970	Social	Friends and relatives	Heidi Matsune	1971	Her husband's sisters were in Edmonton and visited each other often. Heidi's sister graduated from nursing in 1967 and in Edmonton. So, they visited each other.	Sue & Jack Iwabuchi Own sisters		Iwabuchi's son, James, was four years old and was a friend of Heidi's son.
Post War after 1970	Social	Other families in Edmonton	Dick Shimoda	<1980's		Matsune's, Shimesa (?), Shukuda's, Iwabuchi's , Toyama's.		

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Post War after 1970	Social	Children	Kyoko Nishiwaki	1970 - 1990	Children's friends.			Mostly Canadian friends. But Her son still keeps communication with
Post War after 1970	Social	Language program	Keiko Frueh	1972	Japanese Language program started at U of A.	Sonja Arntzen, Dr. Jones, Miyagawa, Mrs. Hiratsuka, Ohta, Terakura. Kawashima.		
Post War after 1970	Social	Yokohama Yamate High School	Keiko Frueh	Not Answered	6 students came here every year as exchange.		When the exchange started?	
Post War after 1970	Social	Exchange students	Tsuruda, Ruby	Not Answered	Japanese exchange students in Edmonton or from Edm to Japan.		How common, who organized, culture shock for Japanese girl in Canada, culture shock for daughter going to Japan (maybe talk to daughter).	
Post War after 1970	Social	Odori group	Keiko Frueh	1970 - 1973	Japanese Odori group was founded by Keiko. Performance at the Jubilee Auditorium held.	Keiko Frueh, Kikuchi, Katayama, Takahashi.	Get the first name of dancers from Keiko.	
Post War after 1970	Social	June Yamamoto scholarship	Lucy and John Takahashi	Not Answered	"June Yamamoto Scholarship".	June Yamamoto (maiden name is Hasegawa) married to John Yamamoto.		Ann Yamamoto is June's daughter, John Yamamoto is a son. Mrs. Frueh will know Ann. Ann was a dancer.
Post War after 1970	Social	Transportation	Akiko Ito	Not Answered	Onetime, there was a direct flight between Narita and Edmonton.			Check the years when there were direct flights
Post War after 1970	Social	NAJC	Yumiko Hoyano	1998 - 2002	Board member of NAJC.			
Post War after 1970	Social	NAJC	Henry Shimizu	1982	Talks about founding of NAJC and redress.			

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Post War after 1970	Education	MEJCS	Kyoko Nishiwaki	1977 - ?	Metro Edmonton Japanese Community School.		Contact Mrs. Ohki for details of the school.	Son, Akito, started school in 1977, he was about 7 years old.
Post War after 1970	Education	MEJCS	Keiko Frueh	1977	Language school started.	Kawashima, Ohki.		
Post War after 1970	Education	MEJCS	Akiko Ito	1977 - 1990?	Children went to the Japanese Language School.	Husband John was a president in 1982(?)	Refer to "Metro Edmonton Japanese Community School".	
Post War after 1970	Education	University	Kyoko Nishiwaki	1970	Returned Yoshihiro's student loan.	Yoshihiro.		Yoshihiro's parents paid the half of the loan.
Post War after 1970	Jobs	Work life	Tsuruda, Ruby	1973 - 1992	Working for ATCO (Canadian Utilities).		Wage, working conditions, social life in company (she mentions sukiyaki parties in Japanese company), other Japanese, how she got the job, how long she worked there in which year(s).	
Post War after 1970	Jobs	Work life	Kyoko Nishiwaki	? - present	Teaching piano to children as private lessons.		Which year did she start a private piano lesson?	Currently, all students are Canadians.
Post War after 1970	Jobs	Work life	Heidi Matsune	1975?	Heidi had a part time job when the youngest son was Grade two.		What kind of part time job she did? How long?	
Post War after 1970	Jobs	Work life	George Tsuruda	1972	Transferred to Edmonton, Aerospace engineer.	Ruby worked for ATCO 1972 - 1992.		
Post War after 1970	Jobs	Work life	George Tsuruda	1984	Retired from the Air Force.			
Post War after 1970	Jobs	Work life	Yumiko Hoyano	1978	Went to Stanford and UBC, then came back to Edmonton in 1978. Worked as a post-doc research associate.	Mrs. Shimizu, Mrs. Kiyooka, Mrs. Matsuba.		
Post War after 1970	Jobs	Work Life	Ken Tanaka	1963-1994	Worked for AGT (now Telus) for 31 years, retiring in 1994.			

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Post War after 1970	Jobs	Work life	Jim Hoyano	1970s	left Edmonton in 1971 - to California, then Vancouver, then London, ON. Came back in 1978 to work at U of A.			
Post War after 1970	Jobs	Work life	Tom Sando	Not Answered	Came to Edmonton from Winnipeg for foundation specialist job. Last job at Canada Place - foundations.		Dates?	
Post War after 1970	Jobs	MEJCS	Kyoko Nishiwaki	1980 - 1993	Taught at the language school.	Mrs. Waida, Ohki, Inoue, Young, Hiratsuka.		Kyoko enjoyed the teaching at the school: Undo-kai, Hinamatsuri, Kodomono-hi, book reading..
Post War after 1970	Language	Language School	Toshiko Yamamoto	1980's	one daughter went for less than 2 years; was hard because she didn't speak it.			
Post War after 1970	Language	Language School	Isao Yamamoto	1980's	It was not a necessity since had all English speaking friends.			
Post War after 1970	Language	MEJCS	Yumiko Hoyano	1980?	Daughter went to the language school for a short period.			
Post War after 1970	Business	Early Japanese in Edmonton	Dick Shimoda	1981	Sugiura was one of the first because he was the one who used to order a lot of Japanese food then distribute it. Probably before the war.			
Post War after 1970	Business	Work life	Lucy and John Takahashi	Not Answered	Iwabuchi's : I & S Produce (food wholesale company).	Jack, Bill, Bob Iwabuchi, Mush and Betty Kadonaga.		Jack's wife is Sue Ito. Bill's wife is Sophie Ito (sisters)
Post War after 1970	Business	Edmontonians - post war	Kyoko Nishiwaki	1970 - 1980	Number of immigrants, researchers (post doc), and Japanese company employees from Japan increased.	Companies: Hitachi, Taiho Pharmasuitical, Bridgestone, Sankyo Pharmasuitical.		At the language school, about 3 out of 7 were children of people from Japan.

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Post War after 1970	Business	New Immigrants	Akiko Ito	After 1969	New immigrants – dental technicians, chemists, researchers, etc.	Names?		
Post War after 1970	Business	University	Akiko Ito	1970 - 1980	Many Japanese people were working at the University in 1970 – 1980.	Names?		
Post War after 1970	Business	University	Keiko Frueh	1970?	Japanese professors and researchers started to come to U of A. Many post-doc were at U of A.	Fujinaga, Masamune, Takahashi, Umezawa, Hiruki		
Post War after 1970	Business	JETRO	Akiko Ito	1980(?) - (?)	There was a JETRO office.		Check the years JETRO existed.	
Post War after 1970	Business	Japanese restaurant	Keiko Frueh	1973 - 1975	Japanese restaurants opened: Mikado, Japanese Village, and Fujiyama (Shogun).			
Post War after 1970	Business	Japanese Restaurants	Dick Shimoda	1980's	Shogun and Mikado.			
Post War after 1970	Business	Japanese Store	Isao Yamamoto Toshiko Yamamoto	1990's	Mr. Fukushima owned a Japanese store on Calgary Trail.			
Post War after 1970	Culture	Visiting Japan	Jim Hoyano	1970s	1971 when I graduated went to Japan with Yumiko. Charter flight with "Asian American Recreation Club" - only way to get a cheap flight.			
Post War after 1970	Identity	Marriage	Tsuruda, Ruby	Not Answered	Child marrying white American.			
Post War after 1970	Identity	Immigration	Keiko Frueh	1973	Five ladies got a immigration status after they stayed in Canada for one year.	Takayanagi, Makiko Yoshimura, Yumiko Watanabe.		
Post War after 1970	Identity	Immigration	Keiko Frueh	1974 - 1975	Technical immigration started.	Shukuda.		
Post War after 1970	Identity	Family	Heidi Matsune	Not Answered	One son is in Japan. Another son, Paul, is married to Japanese. Sons studied Japanese at the University.			Speak Japanese to grand children (14 and 18) in Japan. Also, they speak to her in English.