

Name of Claimant

KAWAMOTO, Kaworu

Case.....276.....

Custodian File

3648

<u>REAL PROPERTY</u>										Total
Greater Vancouver		Rural (except V.L.A.)			V.L.A. (except Mission Village)		V.L.A. Mission Village			
Sale Price	5% thereof & 12.50	Sale Price	10% thereof	Charges 12.50 & Comm.	Sale Price	Total Award 80% of all Sale Prices % of Total	Sale Price	Total Award 125% of all Sale Prices: % of Total	Amount	
<u>PERSONAL PROPERTY</u>										Total
Motor Vehicles		Boats and Boat Gear								
Sale Price	25% thereof	Sale Price	Nelson Bros. 23.5% of Sale Price	Other Sales 28.5% of Sale Price	Equipment charges paid to purchasers in error. Repay to owners	Amount of Claims for Boat Gear Declared & Recorded Now Missing	45% of amount in next preceding column			
<u>NETS</u>										Total
Total award for Nets plus Sale Price		Total Claim for Nets Sold, Declared Not Found and Recorded Now Missing		Percentage Total Award to Total Claim		Claim for Nets Sold Declared Not Found, & Recorded Now Missing		Apply % ratio to Claim	Deduct Custodian Sale Price	
							00. 105.00		00	73.50
<u>MISCELLANEOUS CHATTELS</u>										Total
Claim for goods Sold By Auction	Sale Price of Goods Sold By Auction	Rebates of charges 30% of Sale Price	Ratio in % of Sale Price to Claim	Claim for goods Declared Not Found, Recorded Now Missing, & Sold Not Paid	Applica- tion of % ratio to amount in next preceding column	Sale Price of goods Sold by Tender	12% of Sale Price			
63.75	36.25	10.87	56.86%	26.25	14.93					
TOTAL RECOMMENDATION										99.30

CASE NO: 276

JAPANESE PROPERTY CLAIMS COMMISSION

Grand Forks, B.C.

May 26, 1948

IN THE MATTER OF THE CLAIM OF
KAWORU KAWAMOTO

PROCEEDINGS AT HEARING

IN THE MATTER OF THE "INQUIRIES ACT"
PART 1, REVISED STATUTES OF CANADA 1927, CHAPTER 99

JAPANESE PROPERTY CLAIMS COMMISSION

B E F O R E

(HIS HONOUR, JUDGE ERIC P. DAWSON, SUB-COMMISSIONER)

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20 APPEARANCES:

HAROLD W. McINNES, Esq.,

appearing for the
Dominion Government.

A.E. COBUS, Esq.,

appearing for the
Claimant.

L.A. DODD, Esq.,

Secretary to Grand
Forks Sub-Commission

G.N.R. UPTON, Esq.,

Official Interpreter

G. HAMBLETON, Esq.,

Official Reporter.

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K. Kawamoto
In Chief

MR. COBUS: The claim, your honour, of K. Kawamoto, No. 26 on the Secretary's list, and which becomes Case No. 276.

KAWORU KAWAMOTO, the Claimant herein, being first duly sworn, testified through the official interpreter as follows:

MR. COBUS: I would ask leave, your honour, to amend the claim form, which is for personal property only, by deleting the second line, "received
10 so and so from the Custodian, Item 1, furniture, at \$90.00 remains, and we now indicate the separate values for items 3, 4, and 5, being \$35.00 for No. 3, \$40.00 for No. 4, and \$30.00 for No. 5. The item under No. 7, Ropes and Boxes, is abandoned. The total claim, therefore, for personal property is \$195.00, and a credit to the Custodian for furniture only of \$36.25 --

THE COMMISSIONER: \$36.25 comes off \$195.00, then.

MR. COBUS: That is correct, your honour, leaving a
20 net claim of \$158.75, which is also the total claim.

THE COMMISSIONER: Yes.

DIRECT EXAMINATION BY MR. COBUS:

Q: Witness, I produce to you a statement concerning the personal chattels for which you are claiming. Did you instruct Mr. Leckie to prepare this statement for you and is that your signature?

A: Yes.

30 Q: And are the statements contained therein true to

the best of your knowledge and recollection?

A: Yes.

MR. COBUS: I file the personal chattels statement with respect to furniture only as the first exhibit, your honour.

(STATEMENT MARKED EXHIBIT NO. 1)

MR. COBUS: The statement, your honour, Exhibit No. 1, lists the items of furniture which are being claimed for, a steel bed, kitchen cabinet, a kitchen stove, a heater stove, six kitchen chairs, and two tables, one being a kitchen table and the other a dining room table. Values have been noted for each item listed. The goods, the claimant says, were left at No. 20 Imperial Cannery at Steveston, B.C. The key was left with the cannery manager. The claimant says that his wife declared these chattels for him as he was in road camp at the time. He has allowed for depreciation on the articles claimed as listed in the statement.

Q: Witness, I produce to you a statement, now, concerning personal property in the nature of nets and lines. Did you instruct Mr. Leckie to prepare this statement for you and is that your signature?

A: Yes.

Q: The statements contained therein, are they true to the best of your knowledge and recollection?

A: Yes.

MR. COBUS: I would ask to file the personal property statement concerning nets and lines, your honour.

K. Kawamoto
In Chief

(STATEMENT MARKED EXHIBIT NO. 2)

MR. COBUS: In the statement, your honour, the claimant lists a sockeye net, cohoe net, and a cork line, and indicates separate values for each item. The total is \$105.00. He makes the following comments: "The nets and line were left at Brnns-
wick Cannery, B.C. Packers, Rivers Inlet, B1C. My wife, in making her J.P. declaration, listed my nets and lines as being left at Imperial
10 Cannery, Steveston. She presumed that they were left with our furniture and so made this error. My wife declared my gill nets in her J.P. declaration when I was at road camp, and apparently listed at an estimated value of \$90.00. She had no idea --

THE COMMISSIONER: It is \$80.00 in this one, is that correct? It has an estimated value of \$80.00.

MR. COBUS: I am not sure. I have the third copy here. \$80.00 is correct, your honour.

20 THE COMMISSIONER: That is right.

MR. COBUS: Continuing: "She had no idea of net values and the values I placed on the same later, and what I consider to be the fair market values, were communicated by me to the Custodian in February, 1943." That is the end of his comments.

Your witness.

MR. McINNES: If it please your honour, it will be submitted, first, with reference to the personal
30 property claim, that the chattels which came

into the possession of the Custodian were sold for their fair market value, and for any that were not found or sold, the amount claimed is exorbitant. With reference to the nets and lines, it will be contended that these did not come into the possession of the Custodian, that they were not declared until long after evacuation, and were never found, and that if there is any liability on the part of the Custodian, the amount claimed is exorbitant.

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CROSS EXAMINATION BY MR. McINNES:

- Q: Mr. Kawamoto, I notice in the file that the J.P. form has been completed by "I. Kawamoto." That is your wife? A: Yes.
- Q: And these items for which she claims are really your claim, not hers?
- A: I had to go to a road camp so I instructed my wife to go to Hastings Park as soon as possible and make out the form.
- 20 Q: And your wife has no separate claim apart from this claim that you are now presenting?
- A: No, this is the only claim.
- Q: When you were evacuated, you signed a "No Property" declaration, did you not? A: I signed this.
- Q: On the 11th of April, 1942?
- A: About that date.
- Q: You were evacuated, according to my instructions, on the 21st of April, 1942. A: Yes.
- 30 Q: Your wife, in her J.P. declaration on your be-

half, says that these nets were worth, to use her own words in the J.P. form, "gillnets of all kinds, \$80.00." You don't agree with her valuation, I understand?

A: Those were not the proper prices. They were too low. I subsequently altered them.

Q: Yes, that is what I asked you. I said you do not agree with your wife's valuation.

A: Yes.

10 Q: In your wife's J.P. form she says these nets were at No. 20 Imperial Cannery, Steveston, B.C.

A: That is a mistake. She did not know, and they were actually at B.C. Packers.

Q: You subsequently made a net declaration, did you not? A: Yes.

Q: And that was received by the Custodian on the 23rd of February '43? A: I am not quite certain, but about that date. I sent one from Greenwood.

20 Q: Yes. And you then advised the Custodian, for the first time, that your nets were at the Brunswick Cannery, Rivers Inlet. A: Yes.

Q: And that would be the first knowledge the Custodian would have of where your nets were.

A: Yes.

MR. McINNES: If it please your honour, I understood my friend to state that they were giving the Custodian credit for \$36.25 for the furniture sold. The file indicates that the proceeds of
30 the sale were \$46.25.

MR. COBUS: Yes, your honour, I can give details of the \$36.25. As a matter of fact, I had intended to do that at any rate.

MR. McINNES: You see, I was just looking at my auction sheets.

MR. COBUS: That can be explained by the fact that we are claiming for chairs, kitchen table, kitchen cabinet, and a bed and spring. There is an \$8.10 item grouped under miscellaneous goods amongst the auction sheets, and perhaps another minor item would account for that difference. But you will find that the amounts credited to the Custodian are related to the items for which the claim is being submitted.

MR. McINNES: Very well.

THE COMMISSIONER: I understand, Mr. McInnes, that as far as the nets are concerned, the Crown's contention is that they never came into the possession of the Custodian, and that you are leaving it, I assume, that they were advised as to the location, the proper location of them on the 23rd of February, 1943 and that those nets did not come into the possession of the Custodian.

MR. McINNES: Yes.

THE COMMISSIONER: That is the position as far as they are concerned.

MR. McINNES: They are not within the Terms of Reference.

THE COMMISSIONER: Yes. Now, in regard to the chattels, you say you have a note that some \$46.00 was sent

to the claimant.

MR. McINNES: Actually, there were auction sales of \$46.00, the proceeds of which were remitted to the claimant, but Mr. Cobus has explained that by saying that it covers other items for which they haven't claimed here.

THE COMMISSIONER: I see.

MR. McINNES: So that is quite a satisfactory explanation.

10 THE COMMISSIONER: \$46.00, then, was forwarded to the claimant?

MR. McINNES: That is correct.

MR. COBUS: Was credited to the claimant, your honour, not necessarily forwarded.

MR. McINNES: Yes, that is the gross.

THE COMMISSIONER: The gross, yes. And in that is included an amount which is not being claimed -- an amount for chattels which are not being claimed for, is that correct?

20 MR. COBUS: That is correct, your honour.

MR. McINNES: That is all.

MR. COBUS: Would my learned friend produce the J.P. form of the wife of the claimant, and the net statement of the claimant at the same time?

(Handed to Mr. Cobus)

RE-DIRECT EXAMINATION BY MR. COBUS:

Q: Witness, I produce to you a document known as a J.P. form in the name of Itoe Kawamoto and signed
30 by "I. Kawamoto" on the 23rd day of April, 1942.

Is that the signature of your wife?

A: Yes.

MR. COBUS: I would ask to file the J.P. form on behalf of the Crown, your honour.

(J.P. FORM MARKED EXHIBIT NO. 3)

Q: This is a document which is headed "Fishing Net Inventory." Did you complete that form?

A: Yes.

Q: Do you recall approximately when you completed

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this form?

A: I am not cer-

tain whether it is '42 or '43, but I made this out whilst I was at Greenwood.

Q: I notice the inventory says that "Kawamoto Tag Attached," is appended to each item which you reported. Was that tag written in English or was it in Japanese characters?

A: In English.

Q: And where were these nets and the one line left when you were evacuated?

A: At

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Brunswick Cannery, Rivers Inlet.

MR. COBUS: I would ask that that be filed as the next exhibit, your honour, for the claimant.

THE COMMISSIONER: Was that made out on February 23rd, 1943?

MR. COBUS: That was the date, your honour, of the receipt stamp of the Custodian. However, the claimant has been unable to state when he made the inventory.

(STATEMENT MARKED EXHIBIT NO. 4)

30 MR. COBUS: That is all, your honour.

MR. McINNES: That is all.

THE COMMISSIONER: Are you filing the "No Property" declaration, Mr. McInnes? You have referred to it. Are you going to file it?

MR. McINNES: I beg your pardon, your honour?

THE COMMISSIONER: You referred to the "No Property" declaration. Are you filing that?

MR. McINNES: Well, I can. I tender the "No Property" declaration as exhibit --

10 THE COMMISSIONER: That will be Exhibit 5.

— MR. McINNES: Exhibit 5.

(Witness aside)

(PROCEEDINGS ADJOURNED SINE DIE)

I hereby certify the foregoing to be a true and accurate transcript of the proceedings herein.

Gordon Hambleton

G. Hambleton
Official Reporter

Eric P. Dawson

I hereby certify that the foregoing transcript purports to be an accurate record of the evidence adduced before me.

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E.P. Dawson,
Sub-Commissioner

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IN THE MATTER OF a Commission to Investigate Claims of Japanese Canadians for Property Losses.

TO: The Commissioner,
Office of the Custodian,
Royal Bank Bldg.,
Vancouver, B.C.

ACKNOWLEDGED

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Pursuant to the notice issued on the 26th day of September, 1947, I submit the following claim:

(1) NAME KAWAMOTO Kaworu (Mr.) (RCMP) Reg. No. 04245
(Print) Surname Given Name

(2) Pre-Evacuation Address Box 74, STEVESTON, B.C.

(3) Present Address Box ⁴²⁻⁰ 240, GREENWOOD, B.C.

(4) REAL ESTATE

(a) Street Address (if any) _____
City or Municipality, Province

(b) Legal description (lot number, block number, section number, etc.) _____

(c) Type of Real Property (cross out words which do not apply):

- (i) ~~Farm~~
- (ii) ~~Residence~~ Type of business _____
- (iii) ~~Business~~
- (iv) Any other type of property (describe) _____

(d) What was your interest in the property (e.g., sole owner, life tenant, joint tenant, owner of one half or one third interest, leasehold, etc.) _____

(e) Fair market value at date of sale (estimate this to the best of your ability):

- (i) Land - - - - - \$ _____
- (ii) Buildings - - - - - \$ _____
- (iii) If business, put value on business as going concern (including land and buildings, tenancies, chattels, fixtures, stock-in-trade, goodwill and accounts receivable) - - - - - \$ _____
- (iv) Total value (if you cannot give separate values for lands and buildings just fill in total value) - - - - - \$ _____
- (v) Amount at which Custodian sold property and credited your account - - - \$ _____

(f) Loss (This figure is arrived at by deducting item (v) from item (iv) - - - \$ _____

(5) PERSONAL PROPERTY

(a) Place or places at which property was left by the claimant at date of evacuation Rivers, Inlet. Furniture-Imperial Cannery, STEVESTON. Lines & nets, -Brunswick Can.

(b) Type of premises in which property left (e.g., house, warehouse, garage, shed, church basement, etc.) Ropes, Trap-boxes for Shrimps--Gibson Inlet, B.C.

(c) How stored or packed at time of evacuation _____

Loose (were not allowed to haul them out of the water)

(over)

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(d) In whose care was property left at date of evacuation by the claimant. (This question refers to the terms of reference which exclude claims where the property was lost, destroyed or stolen while under the custody, control or management of any person other than the Custodian appointed by the owner of the property. It involves some definite arrangement whereby you appointed someone to take care of the property and such person accepted the responsibility of so doing. Unless such an arrangement was made the question should be answered "in no one's care")

In No One's Care

(e) Itemized description of personal property which is the subject of the claim:

1.	Furnitures	Estimated Value \$	90.00 ✓
2.	Received: \$33.00 from Cust.	Estimated Value \$	
3.	1 Cork Line)	Estimated Value \$	45
4.	5 1/2 inch Net (Sockeye))	Estimated Value \$	40
5.	7 3/8 inch Net (Cohoe))	Estimated Value \$	300.00 300
6.		Estimated Value \$	
7.	Ropes and Trap Boxes for Catching Shrimps	Estimated Value \$	200.00
8.		Estimated Value \$	
9.		Estimated Value \$	
10.		Estimated Value \$	

TOTAL CLAIM FOR PROPERTY LOSS \$ ~~407.00~~ 145.00

N.B.—If you cannot list all the items here prepare a separate list with values set out opposite each item and attach it to the form. The item "personal property" includes shares, bonds, mortgages, loans, notes and all other forms of property not included in real estate.

(f) Total claim including real and personal property (this figure can be arrived at by adding items 4(f) and 5(e)) - - - - - \$ ~~407.00~~ 158.75

(6) (a) Place at which claimant prefers to be heard. (Vancouver, Kamloops, Nelson, Lethbridge, Moose Jaw, Winnipeg, Toronto or Montreal.) (b) Do you require the services of an interpreter at the hearing? Yes or no Yes

Greenwood, preferred; Nelson, if necessary

N.B.—This Declaration must be sworn before a Commissioner, Notary Public or other person entitled to take declarations. All lawyers are qualified to do so.

DOMINION OF CANADA)
Province of B. C.)
TO WIT:)

I, Kaworu Kawamoto of the City of Greenwood in the Province of British Columbia

DO SOLEMNLY DECLARE THAT:

The information set out in the form above is true and correct to the best of my knowledge, information and belief 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 the City)
of Greenwood)
in the Province of B. C.)
this 25th day of November)
A.D. 1947. La Dodd)

H. Kawamoto
A Commissioner &c.

N.B.— THIS FORM FULLY COMPLETED AND SWORN BEFORE A COMMISSIONER SHOULD BE MAILED BY REGISTERED MAIL TO THE COMMISSIONER, c/o THE OFFICE OF THE CUSTODIAN, ROYAL BANK BLDG., VANCOUVER, B.C., BEFORE NOVEMBER 30th, 1947. IF YOU CANNOT MAIL IT BEFORE THIS DATE SET OUT BELOW REASONS FOR THE DELAY.

Notary Public in & for the Province of British Columbia, Canada.

145.00
36.25
158.75
Kaworu

K. Kamamoto
(Claimant's Name)

PERSONAL CHATTELS

04245
Reg. No.

Description of Major Items (and particularly of goods lost, stolen or destroyed)	Approximate Date Purchase	New or Used When Purchased	Price Paid	Condition when Evacuated	Estimated value at Date of Evacuation
1 steel bed complete (double)	1941	new	40.00	good -	30.00 -
			30.00	" -	20.00 -
1 kitchen cabinet	1939	"		good -	12.50 -
1 kitchen stove	1935	"	25.00	fair -	5.00 -
1 heater stove	1935	"	15.00	good	7.50
6 kitchen chairs (5 good)	1939	"	12.00	fair	15.00
2 tables, 1 kitchen 1 dining	1939	"	30.00		
					<u>\$90.00</u>

Description of Storage of Goods: these goods were kept at # 20 Imperial Cannery, Sewardton, N.Y.
Met with Cannery manager -

General Statement as to Chattels not Described above:

EXHIBIT NO. 276-1
DATE 26/5/48
FILLED BY claimant

Additional Comments, if any: my wife declared these chattels for me, as I was in road camp at the time. I have allowed for depreciation on articles claimed.

K. Kamamoto
SIGNATURE

B. Kawamats
(Claimant's Name)

PERSONAL PROPERTY
(Fishing vessels, gear and equipment)

04243-
Reg. No.

NETS:	Type	Size	Mesh	Fathoms	Age at Evacuation	Original Value	Estimated value at Evacuation
	Sooneye	5 3/4	50	200	used 2 seasons	150.00	40.00
	culage	6 1/4	50	200	" "	175.00	30.00
	con line			200	" 1 season	50.00	35.00

\$105.00

VESSELS SOLD BY CUSTODIAN

NAME	Reg. No.	Type	Date Purchased	New or Used	Price Paid	Maintenance Work	Condition When Evacuated	With whom left	Estimated Value
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Improvements to Vessel since date of purchase:	Type	Date	Cost
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EXHIBIT No. 276-2
DATE 2/3/48
FILLED BY claimant

OTHER GEAR:	Description	Date Purchased	New or Used	Price Paid	Condition when Evacuated	Estimated value at date of evacuation
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Arrangements made for storage when evacuated: The nets and line were left at Bruinsmill Cannery (BC Packers) Rivers Inlet, BC. My wife in making her JP declaration listed my nets and lines as being left at Imperial Cannery, Steveston. She presumed that they were left there with my furniture and so made this error.

Additional Comments, if any: My wife declared gill nets in her JP declaration when I was at road camp and apparently listed at an estimated value of \$80.00. She had no idea of net values and the values I placed on same later, and what I consider to be the fair market values were communicated by me to the custodian in Feb 1943 -

B. Kawamats
SIGNATURE

STEVESTON BRANCH
OFFICE OF THE CUSTODIAN

EXHIBIT No. 26/5/48

JAPANESE SECTION

DATE FILED BY Crown

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: KAWAMOTO, Itoe, (Mrs. Kaworu)

HOME ADDRESS: Box 74, #20 Imperial Cannery, Steveston, B.C.

REGISTRATION NUMBER 04118 SEX: Female AGE: 33

OCCUPATION: Housewife

(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: None

MARRIED? None

NAME OF WIFE OR HUSBAND: KAWORU

ADDRESS OF WIFE OR HUSBAND: Evacuated (unknown)

NAMES OF ANY LIVING CHILDREN: HAJIME (M) SHINOBU (M)

ADDRESS OF CHILDREN: Same

AGE OF CHILDREN: 2, and 1 yrs.

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: Cannery house #20 Imperial Cannery, Steveston, B.C.

2. LANDLORD'S NAME AND ADDRESS: B.C. Packers, Steveston, B.C.

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

4. STATE WHEREABOUTS OF LEASE: None

5. SUB-TENANTS, IF ANY (Give name, address, rent and to what date paid) None

6. IF FARM LAND, PARTICULARS OF CROPS SOWN: None

STATEMENT OF PERSONAL PROPERTY OWNED:

1. GIVE BRIEF DESCRIPTION AND STATE LOCATION OF FURNITURE, FIXTURES, EQUIPMENT AND MACHINERY, STOCK IN TRADE AND PERSONAL EFFECTS: 1 bed, kitchen cabinet, 1 kitchen stove, 1 heater, 6 chairs, 2 tabels, gillnets of all kinds \$80; located #20 Imperial Cannery, Steveston, B.C. Key to be left with cannery manager.

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

OFFICE OF THE CUSTODIAN

FILE No.

FORM "JP"

FILE No.

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 23rd day of April 1942

(Signature) I. Kawamoto

A.G. McArthur
Witness

FOR DEPARTMENTAL USE I hereby certify that the foregoing words are a true copy of the original whereof they purport to be a copy.

Aug. 19/48

[Handwritten signature]

Name of Owner: KAWAMOTO KAWORU
 Registration No.: 04245
 Address: GREENWOOD, B. C.

EVACUATION SECTION	
Rec'd	FEB 23 1943
File No.	3648
Ans.	ms.
Referred	912

FISHING NET INVENTORY

1. Place of Storage BRUNSWICK CANNERY, RIVERS INLET
 (a) In whose care CANNERY MANAGER B. C.
 (b) Whereabouts of key (if any) _____

2. Description of nets as follows:

Type	Mesh	Ply	Meshes Depth	Fathom Length	Valuation	Any other marks of identification
SOCKEYE	5 3/8	5	50	200	\$40.00	KAWAMOTO TAG ATTACHED
CORK LINE				200	\$35.00	KAWAMOTO TAG ATTACHED
COHOE	6 7/8	6	50	200	\$30.00	KAWAMOTO TAG ATTACHED

EXHIBIT NO. 276-14
 DATE 26/5/48
 FILLED BY clawson

N. B. Please do not exaggerate fathom length or valuation, as this will only make it harder to identify your nets, and to credit any money received from their sale to their rightful owners.

above noted ms

BUREAU HASTINGS PARK
OFFICE OF THE CUSTODIAN
Japanese Section

EXHIBIT No. 26/5/48

DATE _____
FILED BY Crown

To be completed by persons of the Japanese race
having no property in any protected area.

NAME: KAWAMOTO Kaworu

HOME ADDRESS: Box 74, Steveston, B.C.

REGISTRATION No. 04245

SEX: Male

AGE: 37

MARRIED? Yes

OCCUPATION AND EMPLOYER: Fisherman--None

NAME OF WIFE OR HUSBAND: Itoye

ADDRESS: Box 74, Steveston, B.C.

NAMES OF LIVING CHILDREN: Hajime (m) 2 ADDRESS:

Shinobu (M) 1 ADDRESS:

I hereby certify that the above information is true and complete and state that I have no
property of any kind whatsoever in any protected area in British Columbia.

Dated this 11th day of April 1942.

WITNESS: Geo. Hunt

(Signature) K. Kawamoto.

I hereby certify that the foregoing words are a true copy
of the original whereof they purport to be a copy.

Aug. 19/48

M. W. H. H. H.