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Hastings Park
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 INFORMATIONNAME: MATSUBITA ShiroHOME ADDRESS: Cassiar Packing Co. Skeena River B. C.REGISTRATION NUMBER 10390 SEX Male AGE: 23OCCUPATION: Fisherman

(If any business or businesses carried on, state where, under what name and whether carried on by yourself or in partnership with anyone; if partnership, give partner's name.)

EMPLOYER: Cassiar Packing Co. Skeena River B. C.MARRIED? noNAME OF WIFE OR HUSBAND: NoneADDRESS OF WIFE OR HUSBAND: noneNAMES OF ANY LIVING CHILDREN: noneADDRESS OF CHILDREN: noneAGE OF CHILDREN: none**STATEMENT OF ALL REAL PROPERTY** (Each parcel must be mentioned and particulars given)1. LOCATION AND DESCRIPTION: none2. BUILDINGS AND OTHER IMPROVEMENTS: none3. INSURANCE (Give particulars; state where policies are) none4. 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

STATEMENT OF REAL PROPERTY OCCUPIED

1. LOCATION AND DESCRIPTION: Lived in Company House Skema River B. O.
2. LANDLORD'S NAME AND ADDRESS: Cassler Packing Co. Skema River B. O.

3. PARTICULARS OF LEASE AND RENT AND DATE TO WHICH PAID.
Rent Free

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:
Carpenters tools as per list attached.

2. HORSES, LIVESTOCK AND OTHER ANIMALS, POULTRY AND PETS
none

3. GIVE THE NAME AND ADDRESS OF ANY PERSON HAVING ANY INTEREST IN, OR CLAIM ON ANY SUCH PROPERTY
none

4. INSURANCE CARRIED ON ABOVE PROPERTY: none
5. MORTGAGES, LIENS AND OTHER CLAIMS ON PROPERTY IN POSSESSION OF
OTHERS: none
6. MONEYS OWING TO YOU (State if any of these debts assigned and if so, to whom) none
7. BONDS, DEBENTURES, SHARES, STOCKS OR OTHER SECURITIES (State whereabouts)
4--\$10.00 War Savings Certificates and 1--\$5.00 Certificate. In owners Custody
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

REMARKS: none

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 24th day of March 1942.

(Signature)

Shiro Matsushita

H. Lafair
Witness

FOR DEPARTMENTAL USE

INFORMATION FROM R.C.M.P.

DATE June 15/43

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Full Name MATSUSHITA, Shiro
(Surname in Block Letters)

Registration No. 10398

☒ Male - Female
(Check)

Age Oct. 3/1917

Former Address Cassiar Cannery, Skeena River, B.C.

Date Evacuated Mar. 25/42

☒ Naturalized - Canadian-Born - National
(Check)

Present Address Eatonville, Ontario

☒ Married - Single
(Check)

Name of Wife _____

Name of Husband _____

Name of Mother ^{nee} (TAMAISHI) Kirie

Name of Father Yahe #10953

Names of Children under 16 (Dec'd)

Requested by J. Spratt

Registered with Custodian Yes
(Yes or No)

Additional Information Fisherman

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GENERAL SUMMARY

June 26, 1946.

Re: Shiro MATSUSHITA, Registration No. 10398

This man signed a declaration to the Custodian on March 24, 1942, in which he reported carpenters tools left at Cassiar Packing Co., Skeena River, B.C. These were shipped to him in May, 1942.

He reported four \$10.00 War Savings Certificates and a \$5.00 War Savings Certificate in his own possession. These did not come under the control of this office.

Apparently proceeds from fishing gear and fish hooks were credited to the account of this man. These were found at Steveston and later the fishing gear was identified as belonging to Shoichi MATSUSHITA and the proceeds credited to File No. 10705. The fish hooks are unidentified but as MATSUSHITA does not appear to have any connection with Steveston we are today transferring the proceeds of the sale of these fish hooks to Shattal Mt Dispense account in the amount of \$1.00.

Dr. C. M. Hankinson filed a claim against this man for \$526.50. MATSUSHITA admitted a debt to Dr. Hankinson but he has no funds and this office is taking no further action. Creditor so advised.

This file reveals no other property or liabilities of any kind.

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

J. Mackenzie
June 26, 1946.

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July 5th 1944

CLAIMS DEPARTMENT

Shiro MATSUSHITA - Reg. No. 10398

CREDITORS:-

1. Dr. C. H. Hankinson..... \$ 526.50 Admitted 8/10/42
But cannot pay

Written to but no reply, no further action by Claims

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Cr. Bal.\$1.00
5/7/44

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October 26, 1942.

Dr. C. H. Hankinson,
Physician & Surgeon,
Prince Rupert, B. C.

Dear Sir:

Re: Shiro MATSUSHITA

Some time ago you lodged a claim with the
Custodian's Office for \$526.50 against the above named
Japanese.

We have written to him and he admits that he owes
your bill but states he does not know the exact amount.
He states that he is unable to pay this bill, but will do
so when he gets more remunerative employment. Under the
circumstances we are afraid we cannot do very much to assist
you in collecting as, as far as this office is aware, his
only assets are \$45.00 in War Savings Certificates and a few
carpenters tools. — *stuffed to him*

We would appreciate your comments on what you
would like us to do under the circumstances.

Thanking you in advance.

Yours truly,

A. McAlister,
Claims Department.


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