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Steveston Branch  
**OFFICE OF THE CUSTODIAN**  
**JAPANESE SECTION**

To be completed by persons of the Japanese race having property in any protected area. The proper administration of this property requires such persons to give full particulars as requested in this form.

**PERSONAL INFORMATION**NAME: MIZUGUCHI, YutakaHOME ADDRESS: P.O. Box 435, Steveston, B.C. #50 Phoenix CanyonREGISTRATION NUMBER 05734 SEX: Male AGE: 17OCCUPATION: Student

(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: NoneMARRIED? NoneNAME 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: Phoenix Cannery house, No. 50, Stevenson, B.C. lived with parents.
2. LANDLORD'S NAME AND ADDRESS: R.B.C. Packers, Stevenson, B.C.
3. PARTICULARS OF LEASE AND RENT AND DATE TO WHICH PAID: None
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
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 PERSONAL PROPERTY OWNED:**

1. GIVE BRIEF DESCRIPTION AND STATE LOCATION OF FURNITURE, FIXTURES, EQUIPMENT AND MACHINERY, STOCK IN TRADE AND PERSONAL EFFECTS:  
1 set of Encyclopaedia approx. value \$50.00, 1 bicycle - \$30.00  
1 typewriter Remington - \$40.00, School text books - \$15.00  
Encyclopaedia will be left in the custody of Mr. Shorey,  
Phoenix Cannery, Stevenson, B.C. Other articles will be left in  
declarant's home House No. 50, Stevenson, B.C.
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)  
1 War Saving Certificate \$5.00. in owner's possession.
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 3rd day of April 1942.

(Signature)

Yutaka Mizoguchi

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Witness

FOR DEPARTMENTAL USE

INFORMATION FROM R.C.M.P.

DATE July 24/43

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Full Name MIZUGUCHI, Yutaka  
(Surname in Block Letters)

Registration No. 05734 <sup>V</sup> Male - Female  
(Check) Age Feb. 21/1925

Former Address P.O. Box 435, Steveston, B.C.  
362 Alexander St., City

Date Evacuated Aug. 25/42 Naturalized - Canadian-Born - National  
(Check) <sup>V</sup>

Present Address 15 Mile Camp, Hope, B.C. *eye Gallagher's Ranch*  
*Spencer's Bridge*  
*B.C.*

Married - Single <sup>V</sup>  
(Check) Name of Wife \_\_\_\_\_  
Name of Husband \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Mother MIZUGUCHI, Sayo #0356 Name of Father Denkichi #04359

Names of Children under 16 \_\_\_\_\_

Requested by E.C.T. Registered with Custodian \_\_\_\_\_  
(Yes or No)

Additional Information Student

REAL PROPERTY SUMMARY

File No. 1015

November 26th, 1945.

RE: Yutaka MIZUGUCHI, Reg. No. 05734

This file reveals that the above owned no real property in any protected area in British Columbia.

The file reveals that the above carried no fire insurance.

The above summary is certified to be in accordance with the information on file.

November 26th, 1945.  
RBM:LBM

*R. B. Mackenzie*  
R. B. Mackenzie

PERSONAL PROPERTY SUMMARY

File No. 1015

November 26th, 1945.

RE: Yutaka MIZUGUCHI, Reg.No. 05734

CHATELS: The above, on his declaration to the Custodian, signed April 3rd, 1942, declared the following goods:

1 Set of Encyclopedia  
1 Bicycle  
1 Remington typewriter  
School text books

He stated that the set of encyclopedia would be left in the custody of Mr. Shorey, Phoenix Cannery, Steveston, and that the other articles would be left in the home of his parents, House No. 50, Phoenix Cannery.

There is a Custodian release on file requesting shipment of the Remington typewriter, but no proof that it was shipped. However we wrote to the above under date of May 9th, 1944 and asked him about the disposition of the chattels he had declared, advising him that we had been unable to locate them in House No. 50, or in House No. 9, where his parents had stored some of their belongings. We received no reply to this letter, so we assume he must either have taken them with him or had them shipped to him.

WAR SAVINGS CERTIFICATES:

The file reveals that Yutaka MIZUGUCHI had 1 War Savings Certificate in the value of \$5.00, in his own possession, which did not come under the control of the Custodian.

The above summary is certified to be in accordance with the information on file.

November 26th, 1945.  
REM:LBM

*R. B. Mackenzie*  
R. B. Mackenzie

LIABILITY SUMMARY

File No. 1015

November 26th, 1945.

RE: Yutaka MIZUGUCHI, Reg.No. 95734

This file reveals no claims against the above person.

The above summary is certified to be in accordance with  
the information on file.

November 26th, 1945.  
REM:LEM

*A. B. Mackenzie*  
A. B. Mackenzie



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May 9, 1944.

Mr. Yutaka HIZUGUCHI,  
Registration No. 05734,  
15 Mile Camp,  
Hope, B. C.

Dear Sir:

On your J. P. Registration Form dated April 3rd, 1943, you declared the following:

- 1 Set of Encyclopedia (Left in the custody of Mr. Shorey).
- 1 Bicycle
- 1 Remington Typewriter
- School Text Books (Left in House No. 50 Phoenix Cannery).

As this house was torn down by the Cannery, all the chattels found in it had to be removed to storage but we did not find or move any of the goods you declared so we would like to know:

1. Did you take any of the goods with you when evacuated?
2. Where does Mr. Shorey live, and is he still caring for your Encyclopedia?
3. Did you receive the typewriter which you requested on Custodian Release dated August 5, 1942, as being stored at 79 Richmond Street?

We would appreciate your prompt reply.

Yours truly,

R. B. Mackenzie  
Protection Department.

RBM/pls

MEMORANDUM

File No. 1015

May 4th, 1945.

TO: The File  
FROM: Mr. H. B. Mackenzie

RE: Yutaka MIZUGUCHI

The above lived with his parents at House No. 50, Phoenix Cannery, who in turn had their goods stored with those of a cousin, Mrs. Seichiro MIZUGUCHI, File 4870, House No. 9, Phoenix Cannery, from which they were removed on the 4th of July, 1942, to our storage warehouse No. 3, List 37.

This young lad of 17 requested shipment of his typewriter stored at 79 Richmond St., Steveston, on a Custodian release dated August 5th, 1942, and we may assume it was shipped.

As the above was evacuated on August 25th, 1942, and his other declared effects did not appear on chattels List No. 37, it may be assumed that he took them with him.

No answer was received to our letter of May 9th, 1944.

REM:LEM

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November 26th, 1945.

REGISTERED

Mr. Yutaka HIZUGUCHI,  
Reg. No. 09734,  
c/o Gallagher's Ranch,  
SPENCES BRIDGE, B.C.

Dear Sir:

In your declaration to the Custodian, dated April 3rd, 1942, you advised that you owned the following goods:

1 Set of Encyclopedia  
1 Bicycle  
1 Remington Typewriter  
School text books

You stated that the set of encyclopedia would be left in the custody of Mr. Shorey, Phoenix Cannery, Steveston, and that the other articles would be left in the home of your parents, House No. 50, at the Cannery.

We were unable to locate any of these chattels, and on May 9th, 1944, we wrote and asked you to give us specific information as to the disposition of your chattels in order that the Custodian might look after them for you. We have received no reply to this letter so we must assume that you either took them with you or that you had someone ship them to you after leaving the Coast.

You declared the ownership of one \$5.00 War Saving Certificate. This remained in your own possession and did not come under the control of the Custodian.

It would appear that we have accounted for all the property of every kind left by you in the protected area which vested in the Custodian, and in order that you may confirm this, we are enclosing a stamped addressed envelope for convenience in replying.

Yours truly,

R. B. Mackenzie  
Protection Department

RBM:LBM  
Encl. (1)

c/o Gallagher's Ranch,  
Spence's Bridge, B.C.  
Nov. 30th, 1945.

Mr. R. B. Mackenzie,  
Protection Department,  
Vancouver, B.C.

EVACUATION SECTION	
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Ans.	Kates RBM
Referred	Mackenzie

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Dear Sir:

Received your letter dated November 26, 1945  
to-day, regarding my goods.

1 Set of Encyclopedia is still left in the custody  
of Mr. Shorey as you stated in your letter.

1 bicycle, 1 Remington typewriter and some school  
text books was brought to me by my sister. All  
the time I thought she notify you when she brought  
my goods but I guess she forgot.

Thank you very so much for checking up,  
it was my fault that I didn't notify you. Once  
again thank you very much for everything.

Yours truly,  
Yatake Mizuguchi  
Reg. # 05734