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**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: FURUYA, TomegoroHOME ADDRESS: 36, Phoenix Cannery, Steveston, B.C., P.O. Box 26, Steveston.REGISTRATION NUMBER 03736 SEX: Male AGE: 62OCCUPATION: Formerly 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: NoneMARRIED? YesNAME OF WIFE OR HUSBAND: ChinoADDRESS OF WIFE OR HUSBAND: 36, Phoenix Cannery, Steveston.NAMES OF ANY LIVING CHILDREN: Takeo (M), Minoru (M), Sadako (F), Fusae (F),
Misao (F), Isamu (M).ADDRESS OF CHILDREN: 36, Phoenix Cannery, Steveston.AGE OF CHILDREN: 25, 21, 19, 17, 16, 13.**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) None5. ENCUMBRANCES (Including any unregistered claims or deposit of title deed) None6. 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: 2 storey 6 room frame house at Phoenix Cannery, Steveston.
2. LANDLORD'S NAME AND ADDRESS: A.B.C. Packer's, Steveston
3. PARTICULARS OF LEASE AND RENT AND DATE TO WHICH PAID: Rent as per arrangements with A.B.C. Packer's, Steveston.
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:

*Sold
See 8/10/44*
Boat (32 x 7ft) in custody at New Westminster. # unknown.
Nets 6 1/2. All in Phoenix Cannery Nethouse, Steveston.

in motion claims ownership of nets - see to file to 10/2 for net statement. ml

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 None5. MORTGAGES, LIENS AND OTHER CLAIMS ON PROPERTY IN POSSESSION OF
OTHERS: None6. MONEYS OWING TO YOU (State if any of these debts assigned and if so, to whom)
None7. BONDS, DEBENTURES, SHARES, STOCKS OR OTHER SECURITIES (State whereabouts)
None8. BANK ACCOUNTS: Royal Bank of Canada, Steveston. # of a/c unknown.
Amt. About \$100.9. LIFE INSURANCE Sun Life Ass. Co., Canada, Vancouver Bch., Policy #2212742
Amount \$1,000. Beneficiary: FURUYA, Chino-wife.
Paid up to 1942. Policy in possession of owner.10. INTEREST IN ANY ESTATES OR TRUSTS. None11. SAFETY DEPOSIT BOX: None**LIABILITIES:**1. PERSONAL DEBTS: None2. TRADE DEBTS: None

REMARKS: _____

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 4th. day of April 1942.Armenian
Witness

(Signature)

J. Furuya

FOR DEPARTMENTAL USE _____

INFORMATION FROM R.C.M.P.

DATE April 1/43

Our File No. 1161

Full Name FURAYA, Tomegoro
(Surname in Block Letters)

Registration No. 03736

V
Male - Female
(Check)

Age Oct, 20/1881

Former Address P.O. Box 26 Steveston, B.C.

Date Evacuated 5/6/42

V
Naturalized - Canadian-Born - National
(Check)

Present Address

Kaslo, B.C. Box 59, Shewan, B.C.

V
Married - Single
(Check)

Name of Wife Chino #03633

Name of Husband

Name of Mother

Name of Father

Names of Children under 16 Misao(F) April 13/1926

Isamu(M) Dec. 6/1928

Requested by J. Spratt

Registered with Custodian Yes
(Yes or No)

Additional Information Fisherman

REAL PROPERTY SUMMARY

File No. 1161

October 30, 1945.

Re: Tomogoro FURUYA, Reg. 03736

This file reveals no real property interest.

This file reveals no fire insurance carried on any property belonging to this man.

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

FM

October 31, 1945.

R. B. Mackenzie.

LIABILITIES SUMMARY

File No. 1161

October 31, 1945.

Re: Tomozoro FUKUYA, Reg. No. 07736

This file reveals no claims registered against this man.

No claims are revealed in the file of this man's wife, File No. 1313.

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

FM

October 31, 1945.

R. B. Mackenzie

PERSONAL PROPERTY SUMMARY

File No. 1161

October 31, 1945.

Re: Tomegoro FURUYA, Reg. 03736

This man, who was evacuated on June 5, 1942, signed a declaration to the Custodian on April 4, 1942.

Chattels: This man declared "nets 6½ - in Phoenix Cannery Nethouse" No nets were found tagged with this man's name, but a quantity of nets were found tagged with the name "M. Furuya". When these were sold, the proceeds were credited to the account of Minoru Furuya, File 2159, a son of this man.

Vessels: This man declared one vessel, dimensions 32x7, in custody. While no vessel of this size is recorded as this man's property, the Registrar of Shipping, New Westminster, reported two vessels licensed in this man's name. These were, as follows:

"Blue Heaven" NW.1757, which was sold as shown in Specified Articles Memorandum, and the net proceeds paid to Takeo FURUYA, son of Tomegoro, who was reported to be the actual owner of this vessel. Payment made September 24, 1942.

"Blue Heaven No.2" NW.3148, sold through the Japanese Fishing Vessels Disposal Committee, as shown in Vessels Summary, and the net proceeds were paid to Tomegoro FURUYA, on April 14, 1942.

Bank Account: Bank Account, Royal Bank of Canada, Steveston - \$100.00
This did not come under the control of the Custodian.

Life Insurance: Sun Life Insurance Policy #2212742 - \$1,000.00, Beneficiary: Wife. This did not come under the control of this office. Cheque for \$239.27, payable to Tomegoro & Chino FURUYA, was received in this office, October 9, 1945, and is being sent direct to payees.

This man's wife declared some household effects, which are dealt with in File 1313.

This file reveals no other property of any kind whatsoever.

FM

November 1, 1945.

R. MacKeddie

SUMMARY TAKEN FROM VESSELS RECORDS

Date: May 8, 1944

Name: FURUYA, Tomegoro

Reg. No. 03736 File: 1161

Boat File No.: JFVDC 426

Name of Vessel: "Blue Haven No.2" 39'x7'x3' (1936) Easthope 8 HP

Lic. or Reg. No.: New Westminster 3148

Naval No.: NW.067-C

Owner's Valuation: \$1,300.00

JFVDC Valuation: 748.00 -Survey #145 NW

Custodian Valuation: None

Date of Sale: April 13, ~~1941~~ 1942

Purchaser: H. Bell-Irving & Co.Ltd.

Signature on Sales Papers: No copy

Selling Price: \$675.00

Paid to JFVDC ~~EXPENSES~~: 675.00

Supervision Costs: 9.25

Balance due Owner: 665.75

Paid to: T. Furuya, April 14, 1942

Location of Boat at Sale: New Westminster

Claims Against Canadian Govt.: None

Additional Information:

*Reviewed
Oct 31/45
Jm* *J Maclean*

MEMORANDUM

To: File No. 1161

Sept. 25, 1943

From: Specified Articles Department

Re: Tomegoro FURUYA, Reg. #03736

This man was the licensed owner of fishing vessel "Blue Haven" NW, 1757, which was sold on August 27, 1942, by the Japanese Fishing Vessels Disposal Committee, for \$700.00. Sale recorded in J.F.V.D.C. Ledger and Vessel File 698.

The Bill of Sale was signed by Takeo FURUYA, File 2175 (son of Tomegoro) who was said to be the actual owner of this boat, and payment was made to Takeo Furuya in the amount of \$690.50 on Sept. 24, 1942

*Reviewed
ack 10/45*

J. M. Watson

File No. 1161

June 11th, 1946.

Re: Tomogoro FURUYA
Reg. No. 03736

At the request of Mr. George Peters of this office, a letter dated June 10th, 1946, was received from Mr. Robertson, Manager of the Phoenix Cannery at Steveston, B.C. "THE ANGLO-BRITISH COLUMBIA PACKING COMPANY (Limited) listing the net below as being bought direct from the Japanese, T. FURUYA on June 5th, 1942.

June 5/42 T. FURUYA

3 pcs. Gill Net & 2 sets lines (no details) \$390.80

J. Cousineau

MEMORANDUM

File No: 1161

November 24, 1942

TO: Mr. C. C. Robinson

FROM: Mr. W. G. Ball

Re: Tomogoro FURUYA

If possible we would like to have a list of nets owned by the above as we are unable to find any under this name in the lists that have already been submitted to us. The JP Form states that the nets were stored in the Phoenix Cannery Net House.

ALL FOR
M. FURUYA

Custodian Number 546 1 net $5\frac{1}{4} \times 7 - 15'0$
" 547 15' fork end + lead line
" 548 1 net 7-50
" 549 1 net $4\frac{1}{4} \times 5\frac{1}{4} - 200$
" 550 18 net net
" 551 1 lead line

WGB:MAD

down to 560

BBH

M. Furuya
is Don also owns
the net
file 2157

nets are logged
M. Furuya
will have to distinguish
between M & T Furuya

FILE 2159

NAME FURUYA, Minoru

REG. NO. 06307

Item No.	Description	Appraised Value	Jap Value	Sold For	Buyer	Date	Receipt No.	Location
546	5/40 x 7 x 150		125.00					Phoenix # 2
547	150 F. lead and cork line		40.00	15.00	T. Boyber	30.9.42	861	" "
548	7 - 50							" "
549	4/40 x 5 1/2 - 200		160.00					" "
550	Smelt net 50							" "
551	Lead line			20.00	Phoenix C	24.4.42	46	" "
552	4 bbls. rope & cork line							" "
553	150 F. cork line			20.00	"	"	46	" "
554	5/40 x 6 1/2 150 F with lines		150.00	100.00	ABC Packers			" "
555	37 F sacks of cork line							" "
556	4/40 x 5 1/2 x 200		80.00					" "
557	15 F sockeye net		17.50					" "
558	10/40 x 9 37 F		25.00					" "
559	4/40 x 5 1/2 200 F		85.00					" "
560	46 1/2 F white cotton line			2.00	"	24.10.42	1342	" "
(62)	4/40 x 5 1/2 x 50 x 50			30.00	ABC Packers			
(77)	5/40 x 6 1/2 x 45 x 150			100.00	" "			
(94)	5/40 x 7 x 50 } x 125 F }			75.00				
"	6/40 x 7 x 50 } x 25 F }							

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Files 1161, 2175 & 2159

Griffin Lake,
Three Valley, B. C.
February 11, 1943.

Office of the Custodian,
Vancouver, B. C.

Dear Miss Sullivan:

I am in receipt of your letter, file 1161, 2175, 2159, but since my father, brother and myself live in different locations, I was unable to contact you any sooner.

Enclosed herewith please find the list of fishing gears belonging to us, which is complete a list as we could make.

Hoping that I did not inconvenience you by my delay and that this will be satisfactory to you, I am,

Yours truly,

Takeo FURUYA
Reg. No. 05815

(original letter on file 2175)

*This is not relevant to
this file, except in so far
as Takeo (2175) says he
was left in his father's
care.*

Fishing Gear belonging to Takeo FURUYA, Reg. No. 05815

4 spool trolling gurdy and transmission complete with fishing
tackles (200 ft. Hazard Stainless Steel wire)
1 only new 20' mast complete
1 pr. fishing poles complete
4 Kolstrand #6 line stopper
Harrison Hook
Rubber tubing
Brass swivels (assorted)
Branch snaps 20 with tubes
Cuttyhunk lines
Silver solder
6 sheets brass spoon metal
Spoons and flasher (assorted)
4 Brass fishing blocks with derrick
1 V belt
4 lb. Aluminum bar - pure
1 Blowtorch
1 roll cotton line with lead sinkers
Cotton lines, assorted
1 Galv. navy anchor
1 Dogfish winch with roller
1 20 gal. water tank
10 charts
1 Oil stove complete with large oil tank
3 Coleman gas stoves
1 Oil stove complete with small oil tank
1 Stove- small
Gab hooks

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October 10th, 1944

The Kaslo Buddhist Ass'n.,
Kaslo, B.C.

Attenti: Mr. Tomokoro FURUYA

Dear Sirs:

Re: Steveston Buddhist Mission

We have for reply your letter of September 19th requesting shipment of an organ, books etc. said to be located at the above named place.

We regret we will not be able to send these goods to you at the present time due to the fact that this place has been broken into and ransacked on several occasions and the vandals did considerable damage. We have now had the premises thoroughly boarded up at a cost of approximately \$40.00, and it is therefore impossible for us to obtain admission at the present time as mentioned.

Yours truly,

R.B. Macdonald

FORM: LM

*This matter is dealt
with in File 5962*

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October 11th, 1944.

Mr. Takeo FURUYA,
Reg. No. 05815,
Spruceville P. O.,
Rogers, B. C.

Dear Sir:-

Thank you for yours of October 3rd. We never, however, claimed that your trolling equipment was declared in the name of your father, Tomegoro Furuya. Our letter of November 19th last year quoted your declaration to the effect that your supplies had been left in your father's care -- your declaration actually read "possession".

We still feel that you should have itemized this equipment at the time of declaration or that your father, if he had not disposed of it on your behalf, should have done the same when he registered his assets. This would have made the work of this Department very much more easy.

As it is, we have no record of ever having found any of this equipment and all we can do at this stage is to record your claim pending a decision on how matters of this kind should be dealt with.

Yours truly,

H. F. Green
Protection Department

HFG:IF

THE ANGLO-BRITISH COLUMBIA PACKING COMPANY
(Limited)

PHOENIX Cannery
Steveston, B.C. June 10th, 1946.

The Custodian of Enemy Property,
Japanese Division,
Royal Bank Building,
Vancouver, B. C.

Dear Sirs:

Attention Mr. Peters

Herewith a list of payments made directly to
Japanese by this Company for nets & gear purchased from them in
1942.

June 3/42 M. Furuya.

1 net 6/40 x 7" x 40 M.D. x 75 Fths. \$65.00

June 5/42 T. Furuya.

3 Pcs Gill Net & 2 sets Lines (No details) 390.80

Sept. 9/42 H. Tanaka.

Nets (No details) 120.00

We did not make a practice of dealing directly
with the Japanese regarding nets and with the above exceptions the
nets we purchased were handled through the Custodian office and
payments made to you.

Yours truly,

PHOENIX CANNERY

By M.L. Robertson (Signed)
Manager

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March 21st, 1951

Mr. Tomogoro FURUYA,
54 Campbell Ave.,
Toronto, Ontario

Dear Sir:

Distribution is now being made from the
assets of the River Fish Company at the rate of \$33.98
per share. You were the holder of 5 shares and payment
to you is as follows:

5 shares	\$ 169.89
Less previously advanced	<u>70.00</u>
	\$ 99.89

hereto.

Custodian cheque for this amount is attached

Please acknowledge receipt.

Yours truly,



C. H. Reed
Office of the Custodian

CNR:BK
Encl.