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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 INFORMATION**

NAME: WAKAHARA, Tomohiko  
 HOME ADDRESS: Maskin, B. C.  
 REGISTRATION NUMBER 08575 SEX: Male AGE: 29  
 OCCUPATION: Mill worker

(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: B. C. Pulp & Paper Co., Port Alice, B. C.  
 MARRIED? No  
 NAME OF WIFE OR HUSBAND: None  
 ADDRESS OF WIFE OR HUSBAND: None  
 NAMES OF ANY LIVING CHILDREN: None

ADDRESS OF CHILDREN: None  
 AGE OF CHILDREN: None

**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: Bank House at Port Alice, B. C.

2. LANDLORD'S NAME AND ADDRESS: B. C. Pulp & Paper Co. at Port Alice, B. C.

3. PARTICULARS OF LEASE AND RENT AND DATE TO WHICH PAID: \_\_\_\_\_

\$1.50 a month paid upto the 10th March.

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: \_\_\_\_\_

2-cross cut saws; 2-falling saws; 1 sledge hammer; 2-wedges; 3-falling

wedges; 1-peevce; 1-filing set; at Buskin in custody of S. Wakahara,

Buskin, B. C.

**STATEMENT OF PERSONAL PROPERTY OWNED:**

1. GIVE BRIEF DESCRIPTION AND STATE LOCATION OF FURNITURE, FIXTURES, EQUIPMENT AND MACHINERY, STOCK IN TRADE AND PERSONAL EFFECTS: \_\_\_\_\_

2-cross cut saws; 2-falling saws; 1 sledge hammer; 2-wedges; 3-falling

wedges; 1-peevce; 1-filing set; at Buskin in custody of S. Wakahara,

Buskin, 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) \$300.00 Victory Bond and \$48.00 in War Saving Certificates in declarant's custody.

8. BANK ACCOUNTS: Savings A/c at Canadian Bank of Commerce Mission, B. C. - \$60.00  
Savings Account Royal Bank of Canada East end branch: \$500.00

9. LIFE INSURANCE: \$1000.00 with Manufacturer's Life Assurance policy no. unknown  
in custody of S. Wakahara at Baskin, B. C. beneficiary mother (Haru)  
premium about \$48.75 paid to date.

10. INTEREST IN ANY ESTATES OR TRUSTS: None

11. SAFETY DEPOSIT BOX: None

LIABILITIES:

1. PERSONAL DEBTS: None

2. 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 23rd day of March 1942.

*EM*

*E. Milner*  
Witness

(Signature) *J. Wakahara*

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INFORMATION FROM R.C.M.P.

DATE Mar. 1/43

Our File No. 2176

Full Name WAKAHARA, Tomohiko  
(Surname in Block Letters)

Registration No. 08575

Male - Female  
(Check)

Age Feb. 27/1913

Former Address Ruskin, B.C.

Date Evacuated Aug. 31/42 Naturalized -  Canadian-Born - National  
(Check)

Present Address *RICHMOND*  
The Coalstream Ranch, Vernon, B.C. 22/5/46

Married - Single  
(Check)

Name of Wife \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Husband \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Mother YOSHIDA, Haru #13499 Name of Father Sannosuke #13512

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

Requested by Mary Lynn

Registered with Custodian yes  
(Yes or No)

Additional Information Millworker

CHATTEL SUMMARY

File 2176

May 7th, 1946.

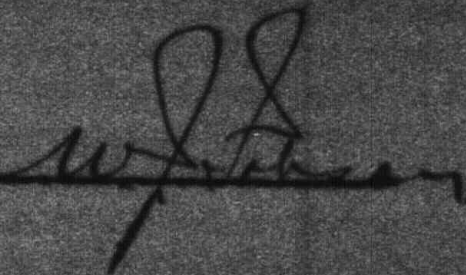
Sgt. Tomohiko WAKAHARA, Reg. 09575.

The declarant registered with the Custodian on March 23rd, 1942 and was evacuated on August 31st, 1942.

He declared that two cross cut saws, 2 falling saws, 1 sledge hammer, 2 wedges, 3 falling wedges, 1 peavy and 1 filing set were left in the custody of Sannosuke WAKAHARA, his father, File 4823. Sannosuke WAKAHARA did not declare any effects although, he owned the farm on which Haru WAKAHARA, his wife, declared all chattels. Mrs. WAKAHARA did not distinguish any tools belonging to her son, Tomohiko and he was advised by the Custodian on January 12th, 1945 through the R. C. M. P. Vancouver, B. C. that all Japanese effects found on his father's farm had been sold at auction and the proceeds credited to Sannosuke WAKAHARA. The credit has subsequently, been transferred to Haru WAKAHARA with whom a mutual arrangement will have to be made by Tomohiko.

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

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PERSONAL PROPERTY SUMMARY

File 2176

May 7th, 1946.

Re: Tomohiko WAKAHARA, Reg. 06575

CHATEL:

Tomohiko WAKAHARA declared that his logging tools were left in the custody of his father, Sannosuke WAKAHARA, File 4823 at Ruskin, B. C. Mr. Sannosuke WAKAHARA owned a farm at this place but did not declare any effects. These were declared by his wife, Haru WAKAHARA, File 8809, who did not distinguish anything belonging to Tomohiko and he was notified in accordance with the particulars on the Chattel Summary.

SPECIFIED  
ARTICLES:

This file reveals no specified articles.

ACCOUNTS  
RECEIVABLE:

Tomohiko WAKAHARA declared that he had the following Savings Accounts:

Canadian Bank of Commerce, Mission, B.C. \$60.00  
Royal Bank of Canada, East End Branch, Vancouver, B.C. \$500.00  
These did not come under the control of the Custodian.

WAR SAVINGS  
CERTIFICATES:

The declarant registered a \$300.00 Victory Bond and \$48.00 in War Savings Certificates in his own possession. These did not come under the control of the Custodian.

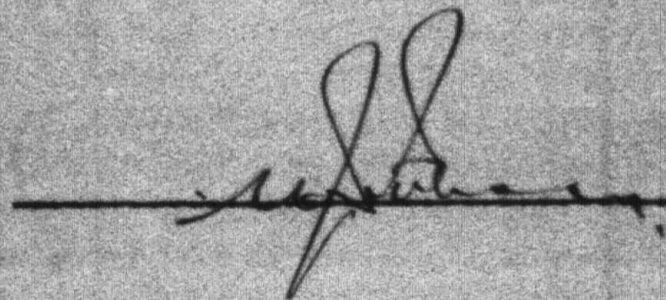
LIFE  
INSURANCE:

The declarant owned an insurance policy of \$1000.00 in the Manufacturer's Life Insurance Company (number unknown), the beneficiary of which was his mother, Haru WAKAHARA, File 8809. This did not come under the control of the Custodian.

No property interests other than those mentioned above are found on this file.

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LIABILITY SUMMARY

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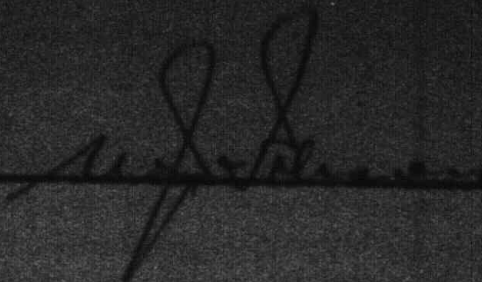
May 7th, 1946.

Re: Tomohiro NAKAHARA, Reg. 98757

This file reveals no liabilities.

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in accordance with the informa-  
tion on file.

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REAL PROPERTY SUMMARY

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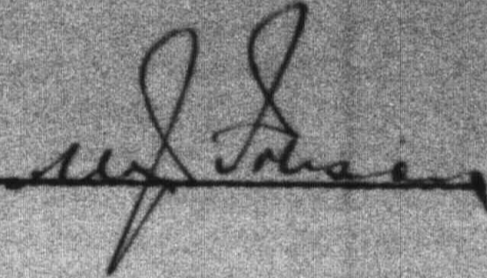
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Re: Tomohiko WAKAHARA, Reg. 08575

This file reveals no real property interest and no record of fire insurance carried on any property belonging to this person.

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A handwritten signature, likely "W. J. Inman", is written over a horizontal line.

May 22nd, 1946.

REGISTERED

Mr. Tomohiko WAKAHARA,  
Reg. 08575,  
Ricardo Ranch,  
Vernon, B. C.

Dear Sir:

Your file has been reviewed and the following is noted:

You declared to the Custodian that certain logging tools belonging to you were left in the custody of Samosuke WAKAHARA, your father, at Raskin, B. C. Mr. Samosuke WAKAHARA made no reference to these tools in his own declaration and we accordingly wrote to you on October 6th, 1943 and stated that we assumed you had disposed of these yourself. Although your Mother, Haru WAKAHARA declared the family possessions left on the farm she did not mention your effects and when these were sold at public auction we could not identify anything as belonging to you.

On January 5th, 1945 you inquired through the B. C. M. P. about your household furnishings and although you did not declare such, we advised the B. C. M. P. that all saleable Japanese effects found on your father's farm had been sold at public auction and the sales proceeds credited to him. Any effects belonging to you would be included and you will therefore have to make a mutual arrangement with your Mother, who has now been credited with the sales proceeds, as to the value of goods sold which appear to be yours.

Your Savings Accounts with the Canadian Bank of Commerce, Mission, B. C. and the Royal Bank of Canada, East End Branch, Vancouver, in which you declared having deposits of \$60.00 & \$500.00 respectively, did not come under the control of the Custodian.

The \$300.00 Victory Bond \$48.00 in War Savings Certificates you possessed did not come under the control of the Custodian nor did your insurance policy of \$1000.00 in the Manufacturer's Life Insurance Company, of which your Mother was beneficiary.

It would appear that we have counted 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 enclose a stamped addressed envelope for convenience in replying.

Yours truly,

W. J. Iverson,  
Protection Dept.

WJI:DP  
Encl.

June 10<sup>th</sup> 1946  
90 Beards Ranch  
Vernon, B.C.

The Department of the Secretary of State  
Office of the Custodian  
Japanese Evacuation Section  
Vancouver, B.C.

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| EVACUATION SECTION |            |
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| Assn. No.          | 101146-101 |
| Referred           | Frederick  |

Re File No 2176

Dear Sir:

In reply to your letter of 22nd ult. I wish to inform you that in spite of the claim I have made as was mentioned in your letter they were all disposed of without distinction and that the proceedings were credited to my parents.

To date, I have not heard anything from my parents in regards to the disposal of the property and since they are to leave here for Japan on the second ship, I will not be able to get in touch with them.

Although, the result was not very satisfactory, I wish to thank your department for the troubles you have gone through and also for your kindness to notify me in details.

I hereby wish to notify you that I shall have nothing left at the coast which were ~~in~~ vested in your department.

Thanking you very much and I remain  
yours truly  
J. Takahara