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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: NISHIHAMA Mankichi.

HOME ADDRESS: P.O. Box No. 175. Steveston, B.C.

REGISTRATION NUMBER 02396. SEX: Male. AGE: 43.

OCCUPATION: 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: B.C. Packers Company, Vancouver, B.C.

MARRIED?: Yes.

NAME OF WIFE OR HUSBAND: Matsue.

ADDRESS OF WIFE OR HUSBAND: Japan, Wakayama Ken.

NAMES OF ANY LIVING CHILDREN: None.

ADDRESS OF CHILDREN:

AGE OF CHILDREN:

STATEMENT OF ALL REAL PROPERTY (Each parcel must be mentioned and particulars given)

1. LOCATION AND DESCRIPTION:

2. BUILDINGS AND OTHER IMPROVEMENTS:

3. INSURANCE (Give particulars; state where policies are)

4. TAXES (Amount and where payable)

5. ENCUMBRANCES (Including any unregistered claims or deposit of title deed)

6. OCCUPANCY AND LEASES (If vacant so state)

7. STATE WHEREABOUTS OF TITLE DOCUMENTS:

8. STATE IF ANY OTHER PERSON HAS ANY INTEREST:

9. IF FARM LAND STATE CROPS SOWN

STATEMENT OF REAL PROPERTY OCCUPIED

1. LOCATION AND DESCRIPTION: P.O. Box No. 175, Steveston, B.C.
1 Room.

2. LANDLORD'S NAME AND ADDRESS: Yoshida Mankichi, P.O. Box No. 175,
Steveston, B.C.

3. PARTICULARS OF LEASE AND RENT AND DATE TO WHICH PAID:
\$6.00 per month paid up to date.

4. STATE WHEREABOUTS OF LEASE:

5. SUB-TENANTS, IF ANY (Give name, address, rent and to what date paid)

6. IF FARM LAND, PARTICULARS OF CROPS SOWN:

STATEMENT OF PERSONAL PROPERTY OWNED:

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

Left in the care of B.C. Packers Company at Skeena, B.C.
Fishing Nets, 25 fathoms.

1 Row Boat. 1 Gas Stove. 1 Boiler.

Left in the care of Mr. G. Morita, P.O. Box No. 175, Steveston, B.C.
2 Suits. 24-1-43 - says he took these suits with him

2. HORSES, LIVESTOCK AND OTHER ANIMALS, POULTRY AND PETS

3. GIVE THE NAME AND ADDRESS OF ANY PERSON HAVING ANY INTEREST IN, OR
CLAIM ON ANY SUCH PROPERTY

4. INSURANCE CARRIED ON ABOVE PROPERTY: _____

5. MORTGAGES, LIENS AND OTHER CLAIMS ON PROPERTY IN POSSESSION OF OTHERS: _____

6. MONEYS OWING TO YOU (State if any of these debts assigned and if so, to whom) _____

\$150.00 lent to Mr. T. Nishihama, of Brittaniam, B.C.
(now gone to camp).

7. BONDS, DEBENTURES, SHARES, STOCKS OR OTHER SECURITIES (State whereabouts) _____

8. BANK ACCOUNTS: _____

9. LIFE INSURANCE: _____

10. INTEREST IN ANY ESTATES OR TRUSTS. _____

11. SAFETY DEPOSIT BOX: _____

LIABILITIES:

1. PERSONAL DEBTS: _____

2. TRADE DEBTS: _____

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 9th day of April 1942.

(Signature) M. Nishihama

Ernest M. Chope
Witness

FOR DEPARTMENTAL USE _____

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INFORMATION FROM R.C.M.P.

RETURNED TO JAPAN DATE Aug. 9/43

S.S. GENERAL MEIGS

17th JUNE, 1946

Our File No. 2332

Full Name NISHIHAMA, Mankichi
(Surname in Block Letters)

Registration No. 02396

Male - Female
(Check)

Age Dec. 20/1895

Former Address Steveston, B.C.

763 East Hastings St., Vancouver, B.C.

Date Evacuated May 13/1942

Naturalized - Canadian-Born - National
(Check)

Present Address c/o Mr. John Kitchen, P.O. Box 268, Grand Forks, B.C.

Married - Single
(Check)

Name of Wife NISHIDA, Matsue (Japan)

Name of Husband _____

Name of Mother ^{nee} (TANAKA) Tomi (Japan) Name of Father Chotaro (Japan)

Names of Children under 16 Nagako(F) 15yrs. (Japan)

Requested by G.M.

Registered with Custodian yes
(Yes or No)

Additional Information Fisherman

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DOMINION OF CANADA
DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE

Issued at: Vancouver, B.C.
Date: May 27th, 1946

The Government of Canada acknowledges that RENTAL, British
has surrendered property situated in Canada as described herein and agrees to remit the yen equivalent of the net proceeds
of such property immediately, or upon liquidation if such action is required, to Japan under arrangements made with,
and approved by, the United States Government and the Military Authorities in Japan; Provided that from the proceeds
of such property there shall be retained such amounts as are required to repay advances made by the Government of Canada
by way of Registration Grant.

Cash ----- \$3,073.00

NOT NEGOTIABLE

C. W. Van Houten
for Comptroller of the Treasury

hmc

711 Stock Exchange Bldg.,
475 Howe Street,
Vancouver, B.C.,
Oct. 17/46

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

TREASURY DEPT. CLAIM \$ *NIL*

Dear Sir:

Re: NISHIHAMA, Mankichi ²³³² #02396

Please note that the above Japanese has been repatriated to Japan. The following is the status of his account with this Department, covering the repatriation transactions:

Money turned in - - - - - \$ 3073.00
Draft Issued - - - - - \$ 3073.00

It will be noted, therefore, that this party is not indebted to this Department in this connection. However, should any further monies come into your hands on this account it should be turned over to this office for transmission to the Japanese in question.

Yours truly,

F. G. Coburn
F. G. COBURN,
Supervising Treasury Officer.

FGC/EJ.

REAL PROPERTY SUMMARY

File No. 2332

January 7th, 1946.

RE: Mankichi NISHIHAMA, Reg. No. 02376

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.

January 7th, 1946.

RBM:LEM

R. B. Mackenzie
R. B. Mackenzie

PERSONAL PROPERTY SUMMARY

file No. 2332

January 7th, 1946.

RE: Mankichi NISHIHAMA, Reg. No. 02396

CHATELS:

Chattels as set out on the Chattel Schedule were declared by the above to be left at the Sunnyside Cannery, Skeena River, B. C. None of these goods were found. Full details given on Chattel Schedule and Chattel Summary.

The file reveals that the above owned no specified articles.

MONEYS
RECEIVABLE:

The above declared a debt owing to him by Mr. T. NISHIHAMA, of Britannia, B.C., in the sum of \$150.00. We wrote to the debtor with respect to this account but received no reply. On May 16th, 1944 we wrote to the above and advised him of this fact and asked him if the debtor was a relative, suggesting they arrange settlement of this account between themselves. We received no reply to this letter.

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

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

January 7th, 1946.
RBM:LBM

R. B. Mackenzie
R. B. Mackenzie

CHATEL SCHEDULE

File No. 2332

January 7th, 1946.

RE: Manichi NISHIHAMA, Reg.No. 02396

DECLARED

April 9/42

25 Fathoms fishing nets }
1 Row boat } Left at Sunnyside
1 Gas stove } Cannery, Skeena
1 Boiler } River, B.C.

2 Suits - left in care of Mr. C. MORITA, Steveston

DISPOSITION

Missing *Not found*

In letter dated
Jan. 24/43, he advises
that he took suits with
him when he was evacuated

DECLARED IN LETTER

DATED DEC. 16/42

11 foot row boat
Coleman gas stove
Coleman gas lantern
roller
water tank
compass
3 lanterns
18" monkey wrench
6" pipe wrench
6" & 8" Crescent wrench
2 single beds with mattresses
Patch net (9ply, 8 $\frac{1}{2}$ "/40) Fathoms
Patch net (6ply, 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ "/10) Fathoms

Missing *Not found*

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

January 7th, 1946.

SEM:LBM

R. B. Mackenzie
R. B. Mackenzie

CHATTEL SUMMARY

File No. 2332

January 7th, 1946.

RE: Mankichi NISHIHANA, Reg. No. 02396

The above, who made his declaration to the Custodian on April 9th, 1942, and was evacuated on May 13th, 1942, declared goods as set out on Chattel Schedule, at the Sunnyside Cannery, Skeena River, B.C., and 2 suits in care of Mr. O. MORITA, Steveston, B.C.

It will be noted that in his letter of Jan. 24/43 he advises us that he took the suits with him at the time of his evacuation.

On December 16/42 he sent us a further list of goods which he stated he forgot to declare in his original declaration. Three of these items, namely the gas stove, boiler and row boat, are duplicated in the original declaration. Inquiries were made through the watchman at the Sunnyside Cannery, but on January 11th, 1943, the B. C. Packers Ltd. wrote us to the effect that none of the articles we had listed were now at the Cannery and that the above had been advised by them that the Cannery would not be responsible for goods left in Cannery houses. We wrote to Mankichi NISHIHANA on Jan. 12/43 and enclosed a copy of the letter we had received from the B. C. Packers with regard to his goods.

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

January 7th, 1946.
RBN:LEM

R. B. Mackenzie
R. B. Mackenzie

EVACUATION SECTION
Rec'd DEC 21 1942
File No. 2383
Ans.
Referred Mankichi

P.O. Box 268,
Grand Forks B.C.
Dec. 16, 1942.

Dear Sir:

When I was leaving Vancouver
I forgot to report to Custodian
the following articles

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| 1. 11 ft. Row boat | \$ 25. |
| 2. Coleman Gas stove | \$ 12 |
| 3. Coleman Gas lantern | \$ 1.50 |
| 4. Roller (for fishing) | \$ 10. |
| 5. Water tank | \$ 4.50 |
| 6. Compass | \$ 7. |
| 7. Latex 3 | \$ 3.70 |
| 8. Monkey wrench 11 in. | \$ 2.75 |
| 9. Pipe wrench 6 in. | \$ 1.50 |
| 10. 2 in. 6 in. w/ crescent wrench | \$ 3.00 |
| 11. Single bed 2
with mattress | \$ 25.00 |
| 12. Patch net (9 ply 8 1/2 in. 407) | \$ 15.00 |
| 13. Patch net (6 ply. 6 1/2 in 70 7) | \$ 10.00 |
| 14. | |

All these articles belong to
 Army, Alton River B.C. (K. Kinkadee
 Home)

Yours truly,

Mankichi Yoshida
MANKICHI YOSHIDA

Reg. No. 02396

British Columbia Packers Limited

OUR SPECIALTY
CLOVER LEAF
BRAND



SALMON

FOOT OF CAMPBELL AVE.
P. O. BOX 939

VANCOUVER,
CANADA

EVACUATION SECTION

Rec'd JAN 12 1943

File No. 2332

Ans. _____

Referred *backed*

Jan. 11, 1943.

Department of Secretary of State,
Office of the Custodian,
Japanese Evacuation Section,
506 Royal Bank Bldg.,
Hastings and Granville St.,
Vancouver, B. C.

Dear Sirs:

File No. 2332

We are in receipt of your letter of Dec. 29th regarding goods belonging to Mankichi Nishihama and supposedly stored in K. Kirahashi's house at Sunnyside Cannery.

We might say in this regard that none of the listed articles are now at Sunnyside Cannery. All Japanese were instructed several weeks before they left that any articles they valued should be crated and numbered and we would allow it to be stored in our warehouse. Nishihama did not do this. They were also told that the company could accept no responsibility for articles that were left in houses.

We have had our Watchman make a thorough check and there is none of the items mentioned at Sunnyside.

Yours very truly,

BRITISH COLUMBIA PACKERS LIMITED

Sunnyside Cannery

EVACUATION SECTION
JAN 20 1943
File No. 2332
Ans. P.M.
Referred Mr. Keeble

Box 268

Grand Forks B.C.

Jan 24, 1943

Dear Sir

File 2332

Thank you very much for the letter dated
January 20.

I should have told you more sooner but
I regret to say that I brought the suite when
I was coming to Grand Forks. So would please
cancel all this matter.

Few weeks ago I had a letter that
the company (Sunny Side, I believe) is not taking
the responsibility for the goods left in individual