

2437

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: **MORISHITA Chonosuke.**HOME ADDRESS: **676. 4th Avenue, Steveston, B.C.**REGISTRATION NUMBER **09377.** SEX: **Male.** AGE: **55.**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: **Self.**MARRIED? **Yes.**NAME OF WIFE OR HUSBAND: **Naoo.**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: 676. 4th Avenue, Steveston, B.C.
Living in Son's house.
2. LANDLORD'S NAME AND ADDRESS: Morishita Kenichi,
676. 4th Avenue, Steveston, B.C.
3. PARTICULARS OF LEASE AND RENT AND DATE TO WHICH PAID:
Rent free.
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:
1 Gas Engine (Vivian) Fishing Vessel,
33ft X 7ft 5 ins X 3 ft.4 ins. See 3/3/44
in the custody of the Japanese Fishing Vessels Disposal Committee,
New Westminster, B.C.
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) _____
- 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) *L. M. [unclear]*

Dorothy M. Chope
Witness

FOR DEPARTMENTAL USE _____

[Handwritten mark]

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INFORMATION FROM R.C.M.P.

RETURNED TO JAPAN DATE Feb. 5/44

Our File No. 2437

S.S. GENERAL MEIGS

Full Name MORISHITA, Chonosuke
(Surname in Block Letters)

17th JUNE, 1946

Registration No. 09377

Male - Female
(Check)

Age Mar. 8/1887

Former Address Brechin Road, Nanaimo, B.C.

676 4th. Ave., Steveston, B.C.

Date Evacuated May 12/42

Naturalized - Canadian-Born - National
(Check)

Present Address c/o Mrs. J.E.C. Woodward, Grand Forks, B.C.

Married - Single
(Check)

Name of Wife ^{nee} (NAKAGAWA) Nao (Japan)

Name of Husband _____

Name of Mother ^{nee} (OYE) Taka (Japan)

Name of Father _____

Names of Children under 16 _____

Requested by Pearl M.

Registered with Custodian yes
(Yes or No)

Additional Information Fisherman. Owner of boat. Reg. #1164- N.W.

Naval Control # N. 032-B.

Affidavit attached to Naturalization Cert. alters spelling of name from

Chiyonosuke MOLISHITA to Chonosuke MORISHITA.

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

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

Dear Sir:

TREASURY DEPT. CLAIM \$ *NIL*

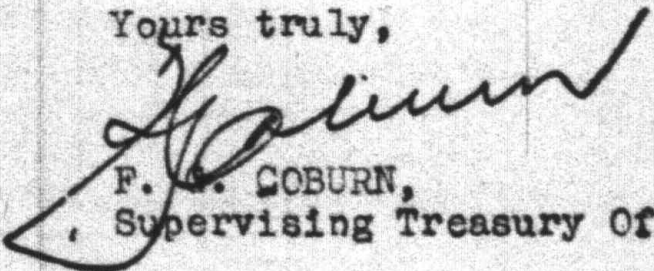
Re: MORISHITA, Chonosuke ²⁴³⁷
#09377

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 - - - - -	-\$ 2542.00
Draft Issued- - - - -	-\$ 2542.00

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,
Supervising Treasury Officer.

FGC/EJ.

FORM OF JAP-2
REV. 1-1-1946

2437/09377

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DOMINION OF CANADA
DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE

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

HOKUSHA, CHANSENKA

The Government of Canada acknowledges that _____
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 may be required to repay advances made by the Government of Ca-
nada by way of Registration Grant.

Net Proceeds - 42,522.00

C. W. Van Housden
for Comptroller of the Treasury

DEPOSIT FORM

Ly. Fks - #1
G-657-A

2437
Reg. No. 09377

Name: MORISHITA CHONOSUKE
(please print) Surname Given Name

Cheques (must be certified)

List Bank Name and Branch

Amount

Cash

Dollars Cents

X 1	
6 X 2	12.00
X 5	
83 X 10	830.00
20 X 20	400.00
2 X 50	100.00
12 X 100	1200.00

Total Bills 2542.00

Silver

Copper

Total Cheques

Total Amount

Teller's Initials *MA*

Total Cheques

Herewith monies as shown above.

I wish to take all of these funds with me to Japan, plus \$ NIL
now on deposit with the Custodian. Yes No

I wish to take with me only the amount of the Government Guarantee
Yes No

Date: *May 27*, 1946

Signature *Chonosuke Morishita*

OR

I have no money to turn in.

Date: _____, 1946

Signature _____

File No. 2437

GENERAL SUMMARY

May 28, 1946.

Re: Shonosuke MORISHITA, #09377

This man signed a declaration to the Custodian on April 9, 1942.
He was evacuated on May 12, 1942.

In his declaration he reported a boat in custody at New Westminster.
The records of the Japanese Fishing Vessels Disposal Committee show that this
boat was sold and the net proceeds in the amount of \$651.89 were paid to U.
SAKAMOTO, attorney for MORISHITA on August 27, 1942.

This file reveals no other property of any kind.

This file reveals no liabilities of any kind.

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

J. M. H. H. H.
May 28, 1946.

SUMMARY TAKEN FROM VESSELS RECORDS

Date: March 3, 1944
Name: MORISHITA, Chonosuke Reg. No. 09377 File: 2437
Boat File No.: JFVDC 827
Name of Vessel: "C.M." 33'x7'5"x3'4" (1920) Vivian 8 HP
Lic. or Reg. No.: NEW WESTMINSTER 1164
Naval No.: N.032-B
Owner's Valuation: \$1,000.00
JFVDC Valuation: 661.00 Survey #122 - old but in good shape
Custodian Valuation: None
Date of Sale: August 26, 1942
Purchaser: William Crower
Signature on Sales Papers: U. Sakamoto, Attorney for C. Morishita
Selling Price: \$661.00
Paid to JFVDC ~~on possession~~ 661.00
Supervision Costs: 9.11
Balance due Owner: 651.89
Paid to: C. Morishita, per U. Sakamoto, Att'y, on August 27, 1942
Location of Boat at Sale: New Westminster
Claims Against Canadian Govt.: None

Additional Information:

J. M. Washburn
May 28/46

To: File No. 2437

Sept. 13, 1943

From: Specified Articles Dept.

Re: Chonosuke MORISHITA 09377
(Address Unknown)

This man is the licensed owner of boat carrying license
NW.67 (issued in 1918)

This boat has been sold and the proceeds credited to
Iwataro YOSHIDA, File No. 4305, who declared ownership.

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may 28/46