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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: BATO, (Tai) Mrs. Jishiro.
 HOME ADDRESS: P.O. Box 260, Steveston, B.C. (House No. 92 Chatham St.,)
 REGISTRATION NUMBER 04467 SEX: Female AGE: 22
 OCCUPATION: Housewife.

(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: none

MARRIED? Yes

NAME OF WIFE OR HUSBAND: Jishiro.

ADDRESS OF WIFE OR HUSBAND: P.O. Box 260, Steveston, B.C. (92 Chatham St.,)

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

STATEMENT OF REAL PROPERTY OCCUPIED

1. LOCATION AND DESCRIPTION: P.O. Box 260, Steveston, B.C. House No. 92 Chatham St.,
2 story, 6-room wooden frame house.

2. LANDLORD'S NAME AND ADDRESS: Lived with her husband.

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

STATEMENT OF PERSONAL PROPERTY OWNED:

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

Kalvin
1 Singer Sewing Machine, Chinaware and Silverware, 1 electric iron, 2 electric toasters, 1 bed, 1 dressing table, 1 bureau, 1 mirror, 1 spring mattress. stored at 92 Chatham St., P.O. Box 260, Steveston, B.C.

2. HORSES, LIVESTOCK AND OTHER ANIMALS, POULTRY AND PETS: 1 cat which will be given to Mr. H. Kercher, who will occupy the declarant's husband's house upon their departure.

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)
(2) \$5.00 War Saving Certificates, in owner's possession.

8. BANK ACCOUNTS: \$91.00 Saving Account No. 538, deposited in the Royal Bank of Canada,
Steveston Branch, B.C.

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: The keys of the house where the declarant is now living will be handed
over to Theo. G. King, 78 Georgia St., Phone 138 Steveston, B.C.

Asli Smig's Sewing machine will be taken
with the declarant. - other goods left in Gr. Chatham St

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 13th day of April, 1942.

(Signature) J. Sato

[Handwritten Signature]
Witness

FOR DEPARTMENTAL USE _____

INFORMATION FROM R.C.M.P.

Date June 7/43.

Jur File No. 2794

Full Name SATO (Tai) Mrs. Nishiro
(Surname in Block Letters)

Registration No. 04467 Male - Female (check) Age Oct. 27, 1918

Former Address P.O. Box 260, Steveston, B.C.

Date Evacuated Apr. 23/42 Naturalized - Canadian-Born - National (check)

Present Address 1/2 Brown House Co-op.
Headingly, Man.

Married - Single (check)

Name of Wife _____

Name of Husband Jushiro #04486

Name of Mother (SANE) Sato

Name of Father KUMAGAI, Chikara

Names of Children under 16 #05390, 2296 #05389

Requested by (Signature) Registered with Custodian _____ (Yes or No)

Additional Information _____

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Dept. of the Sec. of State,
Office of the Custodian,
506 Royal Bank Bldg.
Vancouver, B.C.

ATT. R.B. MACKEDIE:
Protection Dept.

Dear Mr. Mackedie:

I have received your letter of July 5th/45,
File No 2794, and would like to express my appreciation at
being given the opportunity of receiving my bedroom suite. I
would like very much to have you ship the suite to me.

The suite consists of 4 pieces, in walnut,
namely

1 Bed
1 Dresser
1 Vanity Dresser
1 Bed Chair

There also was a mattress and a spring. I
need the spring but not the mattress. If you can dispose of
the mattress without much trouble, it does not have to be
included in the shipment.

Thanking you again, I remain,

Yours very truly,

Tai Sato
Mrs Tai Sato, Registration No. 04467
130 Smith St.
Winnipeg, Man.

The above name and address is the correct shipping address.

EVACUATION SECTION	
Rec'd	JUL 13 1945 July 10/45
File No.	16-8-45 R.M.
Att.	Mackedie
Referred	

out to Mrs Sato

EVACUATION SECTION	
Rec'd	APR 7 1943
File No.	2794
Ass.	8/4
Referred	<i>Green</i>

No. 749 Somerset Building,
Winnipeg, Manitoba,
April 2nd, 1943.

Attention Mr. W.A. Eastwood.

Re: Tai (Mrs. Jushiro) SATO, #04467,
Family Serial No. 13193 (formerly #176).

Mrs. Sato called at this office the other day to advise us she had received her sewing machine from the Custodian. She states that when she left British Columbia this machine was brand new. Unfortunately, whoever packed the machine also packed an electric iron with it, - or, I should say, enclosed an electric iron without packing it. As a consequence, in shipment the iron banged around the inside of the cabinet and has completely ruined the sewing machine.

Mrs. Sato volunteered to pay the cost of freight on the machine, but I told her to withhold the money for the time being and I would refer the question of damage, to the Vancouver office. I do not know whether there is any way in which compensation can be provided, but it does appear that if the Custodian's office was responsible for the careless packing indicated someone should endeavor to straighten out the matter.

I would be glad to hear from you at your earliest convenience with respect to this matter.

R.C. Brown

R.C. BROWN,
Commissioner's Representative
for Manitoba.

April 6th, 1943.

RCB Me.
C/C

Custodian of Alien Property,
506 Royal Bank Bldg.,
VANCOUVER, B.C.

Re: SATO, Mrs. Jushiro - Reg. No. 04467, Winnipeg, Man.

Please note this letter from Supervisor Brown of Winnipeg about sewing machine shipped to the above March 18th being broken account electric iron loose inside the crate. The Richmond Transfer, which handled the machine from Steveston, did not do the crating. Presume it was done at Steveston. Will you please take up and advise re compensation for damage, the amount of which is not stated, although the statement is that the machine was completely ruined.

CWF:FF

M.L. Brown
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Office Manager

MEMORANDUM.

File #2794

July 16, 1943.

TO: File

FROM: Mr. R. B. Mackenzie

Re: Mrs. Jishero SATO (Tai)

This file can be closed as far as chattels are concerned as these were left in the house at 92 Chatham Street and acknowledged by Mr. John Kercher who leased the house furnished on March 24th, 1942.

On March 2nd, 1943, the above asked to have a sewing machine and electric iron shipped to her at Winnipeg, Manitoba, and these were duly dispatched by Mr. Kercher.

RBM/WFP

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R.B. Mackenzie