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STEVESON BRANCH
OFFICE OF THE CUSTODIAN
JAPANESE SECTION

FILE No. 2945

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: MIYASHITA, SahnshiHOME ADDRESS: P.O. Box 97, house #79, Gulf of Georgia Cannery, Steveston, B.C.REGISTRATION NUMBER 03713 SEX: Male AGE: 53OCCUPATION: 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: Canadian Fishing Co. Gulf of Georgia Cannery, Steveston, B.C.MARRIED? YesNAME OF WIFE OR HUSBAND: MATSU (WIDOWER)ADDRESS OF WIFE OR HUSBAND: (deceased)NAMES OF ANY LIVING CHILDREN: NOBUKO (F) MASAOKI (M) ROY (M)LOUIS (M) SUEYO (M) SUMIKO (F)Saichi (M)ADDRESS OF CHILDREN: Same addressAGE OF CHILDREN: 21, 18, 16, 13, 11 and 9 yrs. 25 yrs**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)

None4. 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: P.O. Box 98 house #29, ~~BRIDGE~~ Gulf of Georgia Cannery, Steveston, B.C.
2. LANDLORD'S NAME AND ADDRESS: Canadian Fishing Co., Steveston, B.C.
3. PARTICULARS OF LEASE AND RENT AND DATE TO WHICH PAID:
Arrangement by cannery
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:
3 gillnets \$150, 1 cork line, 1 lead line 1 row boat, located at Cannery net house, Gulf of Georgia Cannery, Steveston, B.C., in charge of JOHN FRASER
1 shipped Oct. 1941
2 stoves (heaters) 6 beds with spring and mattress, located at house #29, Gulf of Georgia Cannery, Steveston, 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) None
8. BANK ACCOUNTS: None
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: Furniture to be stored at house #29, Gulf of Georgia Cannery, Steveston, B.C.
Key to be left with cannery manager.

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 14th day of Apr 11 1942.

Wm. C. M. M. M.

Witness

(Signature)

S. M. J. A. S. I. A.

FOR DEPARTMENTAL USE

INFORMATION FROM R.C.M.P.

Date 3/6/43

Our File No. 2945

Full Name MIYASHITA, Sabachi
(Surname in Block Letters)

Registration No. Q3713

✓
Male - Female
(check)

Age Sept. 15, 1888

Former Address P.O. Box 97, Steneston, B.C.

Date Evacuated Apr. 26/42 Naturalized - Canadian-Born - National
(check)

Present Address Kaslo, B.C.

Widower
Married - Single
(check) Name of Wife (nee TASHIRO) Matsui (deceased)

Name of Mother (nee MIYASHITA) Kesa (Japan) Name of Husband deceased
Name of Father deceased

Names of Children under 16 Ray (M) #15448 - 6/10/25
Lennie (M) 24/5/28 Suyee (M) 6/5/30
Sumiko (F) 19/11/32

Requested by L. Forsyth Registered with Custodian yes
(Yes or No)

Additional Information Fisherman
Owner - Reg. # 3201 N.W. (Naval Control Service # 1109)

(The number 1109 may be a fishing license number.
Naval numbers do not exceed three figures)

LIABILITY SUMMARY

File No. 2943

Oct. 7/46

Re: Nobuchi MIYASHITA, Reg. No. 03713

This file reveals no claims against the above. Claim against his daughter, Nobuko, is dealt with on her file, No. 3220.

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

PERSONAL PROPERTY SUMMARY

File No. 2945

Oct. 7/46

RE: Sabachi MIYASHITA, Reg. No. 03713

This file reveals the above owned no real property in any protected area of B.C. and did not carry any Fire Insurance.

CHATELS: The above, who made his declaration to the Custodian on April 14/42, declared the following:

3 gill nets) At the Gulf of Georgia cannery net house, Steveston,
1 cork line) in care of John Fraser
1 row boat)

2 stoves (heaters)) At house #29, Gulf of Georgia
5 beds with spring and mattress) Cannery

One stove was shipped to the above on Oct. 28/42. A memo on file from Mr. Mackenzie dated March 15/43 states that the Custodian listed no Japanese effects from this cannery, that Mr. J. Fraser had been away from this cannery for ten months, and that the company stated they had no record of any chattels at House #29. We wrote the above on July 30/43 and advised him that we could not find any chattels at address he had given and asked him if he had disposed of these goods prior to his evacuation. Receiving no reply to this letter we may assume such was the case.

A Mrs. Gertrude Elliott on April 2/43 advised us that she was holding a radio and one box, contents unknown, belonging to the above. This box was picked up from Mrs. Elliott and the contents, consisting of chinaware, were sold at auction for the net sum of \$1.67, and this sum credited to the account of the above with this office.

On Sept. 29/42 we received a cheque in the sum of \$100.00 from the Canadian Fishing Co. (Gulf of Georgia Cannery) in payment of a net they had purchased from the above. A Custodian cheque for this sum was remitted to MIYASHITA on Feb. 20/43 at his request.

On April 27/44 we received a letter from a daughter of the above stating that her father had sold a red cork line set and one old Sockeye net to Mr. Fraser of the Oceanic Cannery, Skeena River, for the sum of \$60.00, and asking us if we had received this money to remit same to her father. We wrote the Cannery with regard to this matter and they advised us in their letter of July 20/44 that allowance for the net was incorporated with his equity in the boat and the lump sum paid to him covered all of their obligations.

SPECIFIED
ARTICLES:

According to information supplied to him the above was the registered owner of a fishing vessel the "S.M." which was sold through the

Japanese Fishing Vessels Disposal Committee for the net sum of \$965.25. The Purchaser of this vessel, the Canadian Fishing Co. Ltd. had a mortgage on this vessel of \$775.00, and this was deducted from the net selling price of the vessel, and the balance in the sum of \$190.25 was paid to MIYASHITA on March 26/42. Full details are given on Specified Articles Summary on file.


There is a very large volume of correspondence on his file re a radio owned by the above left in care of Mrs. Gertrude Elliott. Full details of this are given on Specified Articles memorandum dated Sept. 6/45 on file.

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.

Oct. 7/46

LBM:


L. McKinnon

File No. 2945

Oct. 7/46

RE: Sabachi MIYASHITA, Reg. No. 03713

All trunks and personal belongings in storage at Steveston were opened and inspected in October, 1945. Goods of no value were discarded; clothing of no saleable value were turned over to U.N.R.R.A.; saleable articles were auctioned and any personal photographs or goods of a personal nature are stored at the Buddhist Temple at Steveston ready for shipment at the request of the Japanese.

MIYASHITA, S. Lot 428
(Picked up from Mrs.
Elliott at 95 Steveston
Highway)

1 box

Auction - misc. chinaware

L. McKinnon

SPECIFIED ARTICLES MEMORANDUM

FILE: 2945

September 6, 1945.

Re: Sabachi MIYASHITA, Reg. No. 03713

The Stewart Warner Mantel Radio, left in the care of Mrs. Gertrude Elliott, Steveston, was handed to the Custodian's agent at Steveston, on March 20, 1943. This radio was released to the B. C. Security Commission on July 17, 1944, and was shipped in August, 1944, to the daughter of the owner, Miss Nobuko MIYASHITA, File 3228, who was at that time a patient at New Denver Sanatorium.

It would appear that the sale of this radio to Mr. MacPhee, in March, 1943, was either cancelled or the sale was not a bona fide sale.

J. MacPhee

SUMMARY TAKEN FROM VESSELS RECORDS

Date: March 16, 1944

Name: Sahachi MIYASHITA

Reg. No. 03713 File: 2945

Boat File No.: JFVDC 133

Name of Vessel: "S.M." 590 No description

Lic. or Reg. No.: NEW WESTMINSTER 3201

Naval No.: NW. 009-L

Owner's Valuation: None

JFVDC Valuation: \$805.00 Survey #149

Custodian Valuation: None

Date of Sale: March 18, 1942

Purchaser: Canadian Fishing Co.Ltd.

Signature on Sales Papers: No copy

Selling Price: \$975.00
775.00 (Mortgage held by purchaser)

Paid to JFVDC ~~and Custodian~~: 200.00

Supervision Costs: 9.75

Balance due Owner: 190.25

Paid to: S. Miyashita on March 26, 1942.

Location of Boat at Sale: New Westminster

Claims Against Canadian Govt.: None

Additional Information:

J. MacKinnon

NAME MIYASHITA, Sabachi

REGISTRATION NO. 03773

FILE NO. 2945

The following chattels were sold by public
auction at Steveston, B. C. on November 14, 1945.

Box dishes

\$ 2.00

Total
Less Expenses: (Auctioneer's Fee \$.30
(Advertising .06
(Moving .07

\$ 2.00

\$.33

Net Proceeds Credited:

\$ 1.67

Members of Custodian Staff Present. Mr. Wills

Extracted from Auctioneering List No. Steveston 42

Remarks.

Stevenson Bld.
March 20-43

Salvador
Higashida

Ab
1943

Mr. Green
Dear Sir

Find enclosed a ^{copy of a} receipt of radio turned into
the custodian at Stevenson on June-29-43.
1 Montel Radio to ship to Harlo.

Respectfully

G. Miller

Custodian.

EVACUATION SECTION

Rec'd MAR 23 1944

File No.

Ans.

Referred *Mr. Green*

Sincerely
Mrs. Gertrude Elliott,
95. Stevenson Hwy.
Stevenson Bld.

No enclosure

Starker

Karlo B.C.

Mar. 23/98.

Dear Mrs. Elliott,

Please send our radio to
Mr. C. L. MacPhee in Kalo-Rightway

You do not have to take the
short wave out. Please send it
as it is. I had sold it to
him to-day.

You don't have to worry about
him because he is a good friend
of ours. He is the assistant

Supervisor in the City Hall and
the President, Kalo Board of Trade

and the President of Victoria
Hospital. He had to sell it
because we need money very badly.
Sincerely, Gene Miquilla

Please address it
to Mr. C. L. McPhee
Kaslo. B.C.

I will write you later because
I'm in an awful bad night

Stenston Bld.
April 5-43

Dear Sir:

At this time I am enclosing your letter of which I have signed. Also am enclosing a letter that I received from a Mr. MacPhee of Kallio Bld. with regards to the radio. I will await further instructions from your office before acting.

The name of the radio is a
Stewart-Warner Radio.

Yours truly

Mrs. Gertrude Elliott,

X95-Stenston

Stenston

Bld.

RECEIVED	SECTION
APR 6 1943	
Rec'd	
File No.	28/41
Ans.	
Referred	Green

Kaslo. B.C. March 29th. 1943.

Mrs Gertrude Elliott,
Steveston. B.C.

Dear Madam:

Miss Jane Miyoshita a Japanesse young Lady here, informs me you have a radio of hers in your possession, I have arranged with this young Lady to take it off her hands, will you please crate it so it will travel in good shape, and ship it by express to me here, just put my name, and address, Kaslo. B.C. on it, I will greatly appreciate it.

Thanking you,

I am

Yours Truly.

A. L. MacPhee

A. L. MacPhee
Kaslo. B.C.

EVACUATION SECTION

Rec'd APR 6 1943

File No.

Ans.

Refer to

Atkinson
Elson

Files 2945 and 3228

copy

Steveston
17 July, 1944

Received from the Custodian, Steveston, one Mantel
Radio (Stewart Warner) to be held pending instructions
B.C. Security Commission, the property of Sahachi
MIYASHITA (2945) delivered by G. M. Harris.

*original receipt
handed marked 31/7/44*
Bowman Storage Ltd.
per

THE CANADIAN FISHING COMPANY, LIMITED

INCORPORATED IN CANADA
HEAD OFFICE: 1000 BAYVIEW AVE.
TORONTO, ONT.
BRANCH OFFICES:
VICTORIA, B.C.

Gulf of Georgia Cannery,
Steveston, B.C.
Sept. 19th, 1948.

RECEIVED
55-28-247

Office of the Controller,
Fish and Game Dept.,
Ottawa, B.C.

Dear Sir:

We are attaching a cheque for \$100.00 to
cover payment on the following netting owned by
MAYALINA B. and stored at the Gulf of Georgia Cannery:

6/10 x 4 1/2" mesh x 45 meshes deep x 2000
without line.

This netting has been tagged and listed
by the owner to be sold for \$100.00 (One Hundred Dollars).

Yours very truly,

J. H. Macdonald
Gulf of Georgia Cannery.

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MIYASHITA, Sahachi,
Registration No. 03713,
File No. 2945.

January 17, 1944.

NET STATEMENT

<u>Cast. No.</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Japanese Value</u>	<u>Purchase Price</u>
#1	6/50 x 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ x 45 - 200	\$100.00	\$100.00

Note: 3 nets, 1 cork, 1 lead line and rowboat declared on 'JP'
Form. One net only accounted. See Mr. Robinson's note
at foot of memo dated Feb.22/43.

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Files Nos. 3228/2945

March 15, 1944

To: Mr. Green

From: F. Matheson

Re: MIYASHITA, Nobuko
MIYASHITA, Sabachi

There is no record here of a radio turned in by Mrs. Elliott. I have no remembrance of any person turning in a radio to this office.

This radio, or any radio owned by either of the above-named persons, does not appear on any list of radios in the hands of the R.C.M.P. I do not recall the R.C.M.P. notifying us at any time during the past year of any radios having been turned in to them during that time.

The Sanatorium
New Denver, B. C.
April 18, 1944

Custodian of Enemy Alien Property
Japanese Section
506 Royal Bank Building
Vancouver, B. C.

EVACUATION SECTION	
Rec'd	APR 27 1944
File No.	2145
Ans.	
Referred	Green

Dear Sirs:

RE: Sale of Red Cork Line Set and Sockey Net

In 1941 my father, Sahachi Miyashita 03713, sold his Red Cork Line Set and One old Sockey Net for sixty dollars (\$60.00) to Mr. Frazer of the Oceanic Cannery, Skeena River, B. C.

Mr. Frazer assured him that the money would be forwarded to the Custodian's office through their Vancouver office, The Canadian Fishing Co., Gore Avenue.

We presume that this has already been done and that the \$60.00 is credited to my father on your books.

He is now desirous of receiving this money and would appreciate it very much if you would remit the \$60.00 to him as soon as possible. His address is:

Mr. Sahachi Miyashita
Kaslo, B. C.

Thanking you in anticipation, I remain,

Yours very truly,

Jane Miyashita
Jane Miyashita

*Must be some mistake. as C.P.C. I prompt - business - like
in their dealings
happens must write them.*

CABLE ADDRESS
"CANFISCO" VANCOUVER
ALL CODES

INCORPORATED APRIL 30th, 1908

BANKERS
THE CANADIAN BANK OF COMMERCE
VANCOUVER, CANADA

The Canadian Fishing Company Ltd.

PRODUCERS AND DISTRIBUTORS OF FRESH, FROZEN, CURED, AND CANNED FISH
ICE AND COLD STORAGE

PRODUCING AND COLD STORAGE PLANTS:

Vancouver, Canada
Buttsdale, "
Prince Rupert, "
Ketchikan, Alaska
Seattle, Wash., U.S.A.
Kalama, " "

RESEARCH LABORATORIES:

Vancouver, Canada

SALMON CANNERIES:

BRITISH COLUMBIA:

Vancouver
Burrard Bay
Buttsdale
Carleton
Cove Bay
Gulf of Georgia
Hazelton
Kildale
Kuparuk
Lagoon Bay
Lockport
Maitland
Margaret Bay
Nanaimo
Oceanside
Parker Island
Pillars
Pillars Island

PACKERS OF:

NEPCO RAPID FROZEN
PRODUCTS
BELLEANNA, IMPERIAL,
COLUMBIA, SUPERS,
SUPREME AND VALUE
BRANDS:
Fresh, Frozen and
Smoked Fish
Mild Cured Salmon
Dry Salt Herring
Fish Meal and Oil

CANNED FISH

REGISTERED BRANDS:

Gold Seal, Blue Seal, Red Seal,
Pink Seal, White Seal,
Aquarium, Angler,
Bell, Colonial,
Conqueror, Excess,
Fisherman, Gold Leaf,
Green, Rover,
Red Seal, Supreme,
Sea Wave, Superb,
Value

FOOT OF BONE AVENUE

VANCOUVER, B. C.

CANADA

July 20, 1944.

Department of the Secretary of State,
Office of the Custodian,
506 Royal Bank Building,
VANCOUVER, B. C.

Dear Sirs:

With reference to your letter of April 28th and subsequent letter of July 5th, your File No. 2945, re Sahachi Miyashita. Mr. Fraser now advises that allowance for the net was incorporated with his equity in the boat, and the lump sum paid to him covering all of our obligations. Mr. Miyashita was supplied at the time of settlement with a statement showing the full detail of this account.

Yours very truly,

THE CANADIAN FISHING COMPANY LIMITED

T. K. Milne.

TKM:DL

EVACUATION SECTION	
Rec'd	JUL 21 1944
File No.	2945
Ans.	
Referred	<i>Shen</i>



ALL AGREEMENTS AND CONTRACTS ARE CONTINGENT UPON THE STRIKE, ACCIDENTS, AND ALL OTHER CONDITIONS BEYOND OUR CONTROL. ALL CONTRACTS ARE SUBJECT TO APPROVAL BY AN OFFICE OF THE COMPANY. UNLESS OTHERWISE SPECIFIED ALL PRICES ARE F.O.B. SHIPPING POINT. WE RESERVE THE RIGHT TO CORRECT STENOGRAPHIC ERRORS.

C.I.F. QUOTATIONS FURNISHED