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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: HAMADA Hiroshi

HOME ADDRESS: P.O. Box 140, Scottish Canadian Cannery, Steveston, B.C.

REGISTRATION NUMBER 04511 SEX: Male AGE: 23

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: ~~XXXXXXXX~~ Canadian Fish Co., Steveston, 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: Cannery House P.O. Box 140, Scottish Canadian 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: 1 bed, 1 mattress and spring, 1 desk, 1 electric lamp, located in Cannery house,  
Scottish Canadian Cannery, Steveston, B.C.

2. sold by auction 24/11/44  
Steveston 25

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) \$50 Victory Bond, 1951 maturity, in own possession
8. BANK ACCOUNTS: Royal Bank Canada, Steveston Branch, Acc. #H388, \$400
9. LIFE INSURANCE: Sun Life Ass., Vancouver Branch, policy #2212711, \$1,000, beneficiary father UNOSUKE, in own possession
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 locked in cannery house. Key to be left with manager of Canadian Fishing Co., Steveston, B.C.

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 15th day of April 1942

Q. McArthur

Witness

(Signature)

N. Hamade

FOR DEPARTMENTAL USE

INFORMATION FROM R.C.M.P.

Date

17/5/43

Our File No.

4096

Full Name

HAMADA, Hiroshi

(Surname in Block Letters)

Registration No.

04511

Male - Female  
(check)

Age

Jan. 21, 1919

Former Address

P.O. Box 140, Steveston, B.C.

Date Evacuated

Apr. 26/42

Naturalized - Canadian-Born - National  
(check)

Present Address

c/o Mr. R. L. Brown,

749 - Somerset Bldg., Winnipeg, Man.

330 Edmonton St., Winnipeg, Man. (6/12/46)

Married - Single  
(check)

Name of Wife

Name of Husband

Name of Mother

(nee) Taki

Name of Father

Unosuke # 05023

Names of Children under 16

# 05038

Requested by

ABD

Registered with Custodian

(Yes or No)

Additional Information

Fisherman



December 5, 1946.

PERSONAL PROPERTY SUMMARY

No: Hiroshi HAMADA  
Reg. No. 04511

Chattels: See Chattel Summary

Specified  
Articles:

There are no Cameras, radios, Fire Arms or motor Vehicles  
revealed in the registration or the file.

Bank  
Account:

\$400.00 in the Royal Bank of Canada, Steveston, B. C.,  
Account No. H388. No action was required by the Custodian.

Life  
Insurance:

\$1,000.00 Sun Life Assurance Co., Policy No. 2219711,  
beneficiary, father, Unosuke, in owner's possession - no  
action was required by the Custodian.

Stocks,  
Bonds, etc:

\$50.00 Victory Bond, 1951 maturity, in owner's possession -  
no action was required by the Custodian.

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

The above Summary is certified to be in  
accordance with the information on file:



George Peters,  
Office of the Custodian.

GP/EL

December 5, 1946.

CHATTEL SUMMARY

Re: Hiroshi HAMADA  
neg. No. Q4511  
Evacuated April 26/42.

In his declaration of April 13, 1942, Hiroshi Hamada declared 4 items of chattels, located in the Cannery House, Scottish Canadian Cannery, Steveston, B. C. - see Schedule.

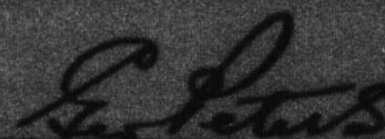
No chattels were found by the Custodian in the name of Hiroshi Hamada.

From our records, it appears that the only chattels removed from this location were done so under the names of Unosuke Sakamoto, File No. 4993, on August 4, 5 & 6, 1942, and Mrs. Tokichi Nivatsukino, File No. 4475, on August 6, 1942. We have transferred to Suspense Account, all goods that we could not reasonably identify as belonging to either of the two above-mentioned Japanese.

There is a letter, dated July 15, 1944, appearing on the file of Itsuji Hamada, No. 5052, who is the brother of Hiroshi, in which he states that Unosuke Sakamoto dealt with his chattels after he was evacuated, and we are of the opinion that he may have moved Hiroshi's chattels at the same time, and the goods removed from Unosuke Sakamoto's home by the Custodian may include the chattels referred to on Hiroshi's declaration.

The one desk which was auctioned and credited to Hiroshi's account, was previously transferred from Mrs. Nivatsukino's account. As this could not definitely be identified, it was transferred to Suspense Account.

The above Summary is certified to be in accordance with the information on file:



George Peters,  
Office of the Custodian.

December 2, 1946.

CHattel Schedule

Re: Hiroshi HAMADA  
Reg. No. 04511

JAPANESE DECLARATION - APRIL 15, 1942.

- 1 Bed
- 1 Mattress & spring
- 1 Desk
- 1 Electric lamp

Located in Cannery House, Scottish  
Canadian Cannery, Steveston, B. C.

GOODS AUCTIONED BY CUSTODIAN AND CREDITED  
TO ACCOUNT OF Hiroshi HAMADA - Nov. 24/44.

- 1 Desk - trans. to Suspense Account.

The above Schedule is certified to be in  
accordance with the information on file:



George Peters,  
Office of the Custodian.

(Information supplied by Ins. Co.)

LIFE INSURANCE

Name HAMADE, Mr. Hiroshi

File No. 4096

*% Mr. R.C. Brown*

Reg. No. 09511

*709 Somerset Bldg*

Company Sun Life

*Winnipeg, Man*

Agency Vancouver

Policy No. 2219711

Premium - \$ 50.05

Payable: <sup>x</sup> Annually, Semi-annually or monthly

Month August Day 1st

REMARKS:

*21*

*Letter sent 20/8/43*

File No. 4096

December 3, 1946.

MEMORANDUM -- MISS CHARLOTTE GIRARD

Will you please transfer from the account of Hiroshi Hamada, reg. #24511, File No. 4096 to Suspense Account - 1 desk, \$6.50, Steveston Auction No. 25. This desk was removed from the Scottish Canadian Cannery to the Japanese United Church under the name of Mrs. Ume Nivatsukino and subsequently transferred to Hiroshi Hamada, however, we cannot positively identify this desk as the property of Hiroshi Hamada.

GP/ML

Accounting Department:

Charge to File 4096 and credit to Chattel Suspense Account - UNIDENTIFIABLE - NIVATSKINO or neighbour - Scottish Canadian Cannery.

Steveston 25:

Realized: \$6.50 -- Less Expenses: \$1.63 -- Credited: \$4.87

Transferred, December 4, 1946.

C. Girard