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BUREAU HASTINGS PARK
OFFICE OF THE CUSTODIAN
JAPANESE SECTION

FILE NO. _____

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: SUZUKI, Sukasaburo

HOME ADDRESS: Terra Nova Cannery, Eburne, B. C.

REGISTRATION NUMBER 11768 SEX: Male AGE: 53

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: Terra Nova Cannery, Eburne, B. C.

MARRIED? Yes

NAME OF WIFE OR HUSBAND: Ko ^{yellow card}

ADDRESS OF WIFE OR HUSBAND: Same Address

NAMES OF ANY LIVING CHILDREN: Shoichi (M) Eigi (M) Tadao (M) Nobuo (M)

Thiyoko (F) Tamiko (F)

ADDRESS OF CHILDREN: Same Address

AGE OF CHILDREN: 13, 11, 9, 7, 4, 2 Yrs.

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: Cabin at Eburne, B. C.

2. LANDLORD'S NAME AND ADDRESS: Terra Nova Cannery, Eburne, B. C.

3. PARTICULARS OF LEASE AND RENT AND DATE TO WHICH PAID: _____
5 cent per fish
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 Motor boat "May" ^{naval no NW 017-H} (now numbered 17H,) value \$1000.00 in custody at New Westminster. Nets value \$717.00 left at Net House, Terra Nova Cannery, Eburne B. C.
Furniture in house at Terra Nova Cannery, Eburne, B. C.
2 box tea sets, 2 dressers, 1 singer sewing machine, 1 kitchen stove, 2 parlor stove, 1 cooler, 2 large & 3 small tables, 1 clock, 1 china cupboard, 6 beds, 11 chairs, 1 small rug.
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: _____
- 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, the undersigned, hereby voluntarily turn over to the Custodian all my property in the protected area as set out above, excepting fishing vessels, deposits of money, shares of stock, debentures, bonds or other securities, if any.

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 2nd day of May 1942.

(Signature) J. Sugami

Rammond
Witness

FOR DEPARTMENTAL USE

[Handwritten mark]

INFORMATION FROM R.C.M.P.

Date Oct. 19/42

Our File No. 7285

Full Name SUZUKI, Subesaburo
(Surname in Block Letters)

Registration No. 11768 Male - Female (check) Age Nov 27, 1914

Former Address 2100 Ross Crescent, Churney, B.C.

Date Evacuated Sept. 10/42 Naturalized - Canadian-Born - National (check)

Present Address New Denver, B.C. ^{neys Hostel neys. ent. July 1946}

Married - Single (check) Name of Wife ^{nee} KAWASAKI, Ko #06817

Name of Husband _____ Name of Mother ^{nee} (HANAI) Susa #06816 Name of Father Subejiro (decd)

Names of Children under 16 Shichi (M) June 7/30 Keiji (M) May 2/30
Takao (M) Sept. 21/32 Nobuo (M) Sept. 24/35
Chiyoeko (F) Feb. 25/38 Fumiko (F) Aug. 5/40

Requested by A. M. Registered with Custodian yes (Yes or No)

Additional Information Fisherman, owns a boat.

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LIABILITY SUMMARY

File No. 7285

September 26, 1946.

RE: Sukesaburo SUZUKI, Reg. No. 11768

This file reveals no claims against the above.

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

Sept. 26/46
RHM:LEW

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PERSONAL PROPERTY SUMMARY

File No. 7285

September 26, 1946.

RE: Sukesaburo SUZUKI, Reg.No.11768

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 May 2/42 and was evacuated on Sept. 10/42, declared one motor boat in custody at New Westminster, nets to the value of \$717.00 left at the Terra Nova Cannery net house, and household effects as shown on the Chattel Schedule on file in one of the houses of the Terra Nova Cannery, Eburne, B.C. Nets found at the Terra Nova Cannery net house tagged with the name of the above were inventoried by Custodian agent on Feb. 23/43, and have been sold as per Net Statement of Feb. 7/44 on file for a total of \$160.00, and this sum credited to the account of the above with this office. The above did not supply us with a completed net form. We were advised that the above sold fishing equipment direct to the B.C.Packers Ltd. without the consent or knowledge of the Custodian. Chattels found with the name of S. SUZUKI were inventoried at House #17 Terra Nova Cannery by Custodian agent, G.M.Harris on March 16/42 as per list #472 on file, and at House #16 in the name of T. SUZUKI on March 30/44, and removed to our auction room. Investigations reveal no other SUZUKI other than the above who lived at the Terra Nova Cannery. It may be that the initial "T" was that of his son Tadao, a minor, who probably put his name on the articles when getting them ready for storage. Chattels as shown on the Chattel Schedule were sold for the net sum of \$73.49 and this sum credited to the account of the above with this office.

SPECIFIED ARTICLES: According to information supplied to this office the above was the registered owner of a fishing vessel the "MAY" which was sold through the Japanese Fishing Vessel Disposal Committee for the net sum of \$740.00 and this sum was paid to the above on May 18/42. Full details are given on Specified Articles Summary 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.

September 26/46

RBM:LEW

R.B. Mackenzie
R.B. Mackenzie

CHattel SCHEDULE

File No. 7285

Sept. 26/46

RE: Sukesaburo SUZUKI, Reg. No. 11768

DECLARED by SUZUKI
on May 2/42 at the
Terra Nova Cannery
House (no No. given)

Wets to the value of
\$717.00 at the Terra
Nova Cannery net house

Seven sold as per Net statement on
file of 7/2/44 for the total sum
of \$160.00

INVENTORIED BY Custodian
agent, G.M. Harris on 30/3/44,
taken from House #16, Terra
Nova Cannery in the name of
T. SUZUKI

		<u>SOLD</u>	<u>OTHER DISPOSITION</u>
2 boxes tea sets			not found
2 dressers	1 chest drawers	14/4/44	1 not found
1 sewing machine			not found
1 kitchen stove		16/2/45	
2 parlor stoves	1 box heater	1-14/4/44	
		1-16/2/45	
1 cooler	1 tall cabinet	14/4/44	
2 large tables		1 table & 2 chairs	1 table not found
		sold 16/2/45	not found
3 small tables			not found
1 clock			not found
1 china cupboard	1 kitchen cabinet	14/4/44	
6 beds	(see below)		
11 chairs	12 kitchen chairs	14/4/44	
1 small rug			not found
	1 screen	14/4/44	
	3 cartons toys	14/4/44	
	3 cartons books	20/7/45	
	3 boxes kitchenware		missing
	1 small wall bracket		missing
	1 carton jars		missing
	1 bundle fish picks		missing
	1 kitchen cabinet - 1 cupboard	16/2/45	
	1 small tree pruner		missing
	1 large blackboard	14/4/44	
	2 flower stands	14/4/44	
	1 meat grinder	14/4/44	
		1 china cabinet	
		sold 16/2/45	

INVENTORIED BY
G.M.Harris at House
#17 in the name of
S. SUZUKI per list 472

	<u>SOLD</u>	<u>OTHER DISPOSITION</u>
3 springs)	16/4/44	
3 old beds)		abandoned
1 iron bed)	16/4/44	
4 mattresses)		abandoned
1 ironing board	31/3/44	

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

Sept. 26/46
REM:LEM

R.B. Mackenzie
R.B. Mackenzie

NAME SUZUKI, Sakasaburo

REGISTRATION NO. 11768

FILE NO. 7285

The following chattels were sold by public
auction at Steveston, B. C. on July 20, 1945.

✓ — Books etc.

\$ 0.85

Total

(Auctioneer's Fees \$ 0.08

Less Expenses:

(Advertising 0.06

(Moving 0.02

\$	0.85
\$	0.23
\$	0.62

Net Proceeds Credited:

Members of Custodian Staff Present.

Mr. Harris

Extracted from Auctioneering List No.

Steveston 37.

Remarks.

*Original Sent to Japan
47/7/47*

NAME SMITH, Edmund

REGISTRATION NO. 11768

FILE NO. 7285

The following chattels were sold by public

auction at Steveston, B. C. on February 16, 1945.

✓ China cabinet	\$ 5.25
✓ Cupboard	5.75
✓ Dining table and 2 chairs	2.75
✓ Heater stove	9.00
✓ Kitchen range (Gurney)	20.00

Total		\$ 42.75
Less Expenses:		\$ 10.61
(Auctioneer's Fee)	\$4.28	
(Advertisings)	1.93	
(Movings)	<u>4.40</u>	
Net Proceeds Credited:		\$ 32.14

Members of Custodian Staff Present. Mr. Harris

Extracted from Auctioneering List No. Steveston 29

Remarks.

*Original Sent to Japanese
12/7/47*

NAME SUZUKI, Sukesaburo

REGISTRATION NO. 11766

FILE NO. 7285

The following chattels were sold by public
 auction at Steveston, B.C. on April 11, 1944.

✓ Child's black board	\$ 1.00
✓ Food Chopper	0.95
✓ Box Magneto & parts	1.00
✓ Toys	1.00
✓ Box misc. articles	1.00
✓ Toys	2.10
✓ Carton Sealers	0.10
✓ Dishes & 1 Lamp	0.60
✓ Coleman Gas Lamp	1.00
✓ Part of Heater Stove	4.00
✓ Cupboard	1.75
✓ 2 Flower Stands	0.50
✓ Folding screen	1.75
✓ Kitchen Cupboard	5.00
✓ H.M. Chest of Drawers	1.50
✓ Kiddie's chair	0.25
✓ 6 K. Chairs	1.00
✓ 4 K. Chairs	2.00
✓ 2 Old Chairs - transfer to 10239	0.50 10239x
✓ Wire Spring	1.00
✓ Double Spring	10.00
✓ Double Bed & spring	15.00

Total:		\$ <u>53.00</u>
Less Expenses:	(Auctioneer's Fee) 5.25	53.00 - 5.25 = 47.75
	(Advertising) 2.62	47.75 - 2.62 = 45.13
	(Moving) 5.06	45.13 - 5.06 = 40.07
Net Proceeds Credited:		\$ <u>40.07</u>

Members of Custodian Staff Present. Mr. Harris.

Extracted from Auctioneering list No. Steveston 11.

Remarks. Transferred to file 10239 - June 21, 1946. C.G.

copy made after transfer
 by G.D. Payne 1717/47

NAME SUZUKI, Sakasaburo

REGISTRATION NO. 11768

FILE NO. 7285

The following chattels were sold by public
auction at Steveston, B.C. on March 31, 1944.

✓ Ironing board

\$1.50

Total:

\$ 1.50

Less Expenses: (Auctioneer's Fee: \$0.15
(Advertising: 0.06
(Movings: 0.13)

\$ 0.34

Net Proceeds Credited:

\$ 1.16

Members of Custodian Staff Present. Mr. Harris

Extracted from Auctioneering list No. Steveston 10

Remarks.

*Original sent to Japanese
12/2/47*

SUZUKI, Sukesaburo,
 Registration No. 11768,
 File No. 7285.

February 7, 1944.

NET STATEMENT

	<u>Cust. No.</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Purchase Price</u>	
3	2150	5/50 x 6½ x 50 - 200 ✓	\$15.00	7.00.00
4	2151	6/50 x 7½ x 60 - 200 ✓	25.00	25.00.00
10	2166	5/50 x 5¾ x 25 - 200 ✓	5.00	15.00
6	2167	5/50 x 5¾ x 25 - 200 ✓	8.00	15.00
7	2168	5/50 x 5¾ x 25 - 200 ✓	7.00	15.00
1	Cannery	5/50 x 5¾ x 50 - 100 ✓	50.00	75.00
2	Cannery	5/50 x 5¾ x 50 - 100	<u>50.00</u>	675.00
		TOTAL SALES.....	\$160.00	445.00

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March 9, 1946.

Re: Sakesaburo SUZUKI
Reg. No. 11768

The following list of fishing equipment was sold direct to the B. C. Packers Co. Ltd., by the Japanese fishermen, or credited to their accounts for money owing to the Cannery.

In accordance with arrangements made with the Cannery these lists were obtained direct from them on February 14, 1946, by the Custodian and the original records remained with the B. C. Packers Co. The Custodian had no information from the Japanese fishermen of their selling or receiving money direct from the Cannery.

J. V. 3154	<u>S. SUZUKI</u> - 7285		
16 lbs. Barbour 6/40 Twine @ 3.05		48.80	
12 lbs. Barbour 12/40 Twine		35.30	
1 lb. Barbour 4/40 Twine		3.20	
10 lbs. Barbour 5/40 Twine		31.50	
26 Hanging twine		11.70	
1 Stewart Net #205 89½ lbs. (new) 6/40 x 6¾ x 45 x 420		<u>238.96</u>	
		368.96	
	less 10% on 357.23	<u>35.73</u>	333.23

E. Bidson

March 8, 1946.

Re: Sukesaburo SUZUKI
Reg. No. 11768

The following table is extracted from record books received from the B. C. Packers Co., covering their TERRA NOVA CANNERY net house. The Japanese Fish Collectors were instructed to have the Japanese fishermen enter in these record books the nets which were left by them in the company net houses.

The original record books are in the hands of Mr. F. G. Shears, Director.

<u>Japanese No.</u>	<u>Net Description</u>	<u>Value</u>
1	5/50 x 5 $\frac{7}{8}$ x 50 x 100 ✓	\$75.00
2	5/50 x 5 $\frac{7}{8}$ x 50 x 100 ✓	75.00
3	5/50 x 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ x 50 x 200 ✓	200.00
4	6/50 x 7 $\frac{1}{2}$ x 60 x 120 ✓	150.00
5	6/50 x 7 $\frac{1}{2}$ x 60 x 80 ✓	100.00
6	5/50 x 5 $\frac{7}{8}$ x 25 x 200 ✓	no lines 15.00
7	5/50 x 5 $\frac{7}{8}$ x 25 x 200 ✓	" " 15.00
8	1 Cork line - 180 fathoms	20.00
9	1 Lead " - 180 "	10.00
10	5/50 x 5 $\frac{7}{8}$ x 25 x 200 ✓	15.00
11	1 Cod lead line - 3 pieces	15.00
12	1 Perch net - 500 fathoms with cork line	15.00
13	3 pieces 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ " Cod bait net - 300 fa. (new)	12.00
14	95 - 6" tarred cedar floats	2.00
15	1 only 25 lb. anchor & chain also cod lines	4.50
16	1 pr. 12 ft. fir oars	1.00

E. Brisson

SUMMARY TAKEN FROM VESSELS RECORDS

Date: June 5, 1944
Name: SUZUKI, Sukesaburo Reg. No. 11768 File: 7285
Boat File No.: JFVDC 594
Name of Vessel: "May"/"S.S.1036"/"D.S.S.", 30'5"x7'x3'1"(1939) Easthope
Lic. or Reg. No.: Vancouver 3948 7 HP (1935)
Naval No.: NW.017-H
Owner's Valuation: \$800.00
JFVDC Valuation: 575.00 Survey #514 NW
Custodian Valuation: None
Date of Sale: May 15, 1942
Purchaser: Canadian Fishing Co.Ltd.
Signature on Sales Papers: Copy unsigned
Selling Price: \$750.00
Paid to JFVDC ~~and Custodian~~: 750.00
Supervision Costs: 10.00
Balance due Owner: 740.00
Paid to: S. Suzuki, May 18, 1942
Location of Boat at Sale: ~~May~~ New Westminster
Claims Against Canadian Govt.:
None

Additional Information:

J. Macdonald
Nov 26, 1946

File No. 7285.

CLAIMS DEPARTMENT

May 17th, 1944.

Sukesaburo SUZUKI - Reg. No. 11768

CREDITORS:

NO CLAIMS ON FILE

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claims closed

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SUZUKI, Sukesaburo,
Registration No. 11768,
File No. 7285.

February 7, 1944.

NET STATEMENT

<u>Cust. No.</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Purchase Price</u>
2150	5/50 x 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ x 50 - 200	\$15.00
2151	6/50 x 7 $\frac{1}{2}$ x 60 - 200	25.00
2166	5/50 x 5 $\frac{7}{8}$ x 25 - 200	5.00
2167	5/50 x 5 $\frac{7}{8}$ x 25 - 200	8.00
2168	5/50 x 5 $\frac{7}{8}$ x 25 - 200	7.00
Cannery	5/50 x 5 $\frac{7}{8}$ x 50 - 100	50.00
Cannery	5/50 x 5 $\frac{7}{8}$ x 50 - 100	<u>50.00</u>
	TOTAL SALES.....	\$160.00

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MEMORANDUM

File Nos. 10239
7285

June 11, 1946.

TO: Miss O. Girard

FROM: Mr. H. B. Mackenzie

RE: Koto (Mrs. Tetsuro) KOYANAGI, #06821
Sukesaburo SUZUKI, Reg. No. 11766

Will you please transfer the following from the account of Sukesaburo SUZUKI, File 7285, to Mrs. Koto KOYANAGI, File 10239:

2 Kitchen chairs \$.50

These were sold at Steveston auction #11 on 11/4/44.

T. Suzuki
The reason for this transfer is that SUZUKI only declared 11 chairs and inventory list of March 30/44, item 11, 2 kitchen chairs are listed and item 19, 12 kitchen chairs are listed. Mrs. Koto KOYANAGI declares 16 chairs and only 10 are listed on her inventory list #468 of March 6/44.

HEB:LEM

(17)
transferred 2/6/46.
C.G.
and 2 more, table & 2 ch.
(added)
(16)

D. Suzuki declares 11 chairs

T. Suzuki has listed 14 chairs + 2 added
less (2 transf.)

Mrs Koyanagi declares 22 chairs

listed 17 chairs

Sold 17 and (2 transf. as above)

EVACUATION SECTION

Rec'd

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File No.

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Ans

Referred

Letters

36 Victoria Ave
 Hamilton, Ontario
 May 27 1947

Dear Sir

We left various goods at
 Lewis Road, Churne Bk. We were
 informed certain goods were
 sold. Kindly let us know what
 goods were sold and the
 price.

I have bought a house at
 at the above address. I am
 badly in need of funds. Kindly
 give this matter your immediate
 attention.

Truly Yours
 J. Dugan 11768

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July 17, 1947

Mr. Sukesaburo SUZUKI,
Registration No. 11768,
36 Victoria Ave. N.
Hamilton Ontario.

Dear Sir:

We are in receipt of your letter of May 27, in which you ask to have a statement of your goods that were sold, and the price obtained for these goods.

As you are aware, the policies in regard to the management and subsequent liquidation of your property were decided upon by the Government of Canada and while the problem was a difficult one for all concerned, we can assure you that it has been the aim of this Office to carry out those policies in as careful and fair a manner as possible.

Copies of the sales sheets, listing your personal belongings sold at auction, and the amount received for each article are enclosed. You will notice that the net proceeds from the sale of your chattels at auction are \$73.49. This amount together with \$160.00 received from the sale of your nets, which were left in the Terra Nova Cannery net house, represents the total amount of funds received from the sales of goods left by you in the Protected Area.

Your file reveals no claims against you and according to your Declaration no monies were owing to you.

We enclose herewith our cheque for the sum of \$233.49, being the balance of your account with the Custodian.

It would appear that we have accounted for the property left by you in the Protected Area which vested in the Custodian and in order that you may confirm this and acknowledge the above cheque we are enclosing a stamped addressed envelope for your convenience in replying.

Yours truly,

B.J. Mac Askill
Office of the Custodian.