

8250



PERSONAL

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: KARIYA Takeo

HOME ADDRESS: Box 45 Steveston, B.C. -- Dyke Road, Steveston, B.C.

REGISTRATION NUMBER 04879 SEX: Male AGE: 38

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: Shizue

ADDRESS OF WIFE OR HUSBAND: Box 45 Steveston, B.C. -- Dyke Road, Stev.B.C.

NAMES OF ANY LIVING CHILDREN: Takemi (M) Kimiyo (F) Mieko (F)

Sayoko (F) Keigo (M)

ADDRESS OF CHILDREN: Box 45, Steveston, B.C. -- Dyke Road, Steveston, B.C.

AGE OF CHILDREN: 13, 11, 9, 7, 2

## 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: Box 45, Steveston, B.C. -- (Dyke Road)  
2 Storey 5 room frame house
2. LANDLORD'S NAME AND ADDRESS: B.C. Packers Ltd., Steveston, B.C.
3. PARTICULARS OF LEASE AND RENT AND DATE TO WHICH PAID:  
10% of total catch during the season. Paid for 1942.
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
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 PERSONAL PROPERTY OWNED:

1. GIVE BRIEF DESCRIPTION AND STATE LOCATION OF FURNITURE, FIXTURES, EQUIPMENT AND MACHINERY, STOCK IN TRADE AND PERSONAL EFFECTS:  
Located at: B.C. Packers Cannery, Steveston, B.C. 2 Sockeye Nets, (150 lbs)  
Left in the net house of Cannery. Left in care of Cannery and may (Cannery) has the key.
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

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 8th day of May 1942.

(Signature)

*Takes Kanya*

*Attest*

Witness

FOR DEPARTMENTAL USE



INFORMATION FROM R.C.M.P.

Date June 24/43

Our File No. 8250

\* Full Name KARIYA Takeo otherwise known as MIYAZAKI, Takeo  
(Surname in Block Letters)

Registration No. 04879 ☒ Male - Female (check)

Age Apr. 3, 1904

Former Address Bosc 45, Steveston, B.C.

Date Evacuated 11/5/42 ☒ Naturalized - Canadian-Born - National (check)

Present Address Minto City, B.C.

☒ Married - Single (check)

Name of Wife Shizuko # 04881

Name of Husband Takichi (Decil)

Name of Father Takemi (M) 1/8/29

Name of Mother nee (MIYAZAKI) Toro # 04882

Names of Children under 16 Kimiko (F) 22/5/31

Mieko (F) 3/3/33

Kyoko (F) 31/7/38

Keigo (M) 9/12/40

Requested by C. Girard

Registered with Custodian yes (Yes or No)

Additional Information

1784 N.W. Fisherman Owner of  
Adapted into wife's family at time of marriage  
& name changed from Kariya to Miyazaki. Fishing  
License & boat registration issued in name of  
Kariya but children's births registered as Miyazaki.



File No. 8250

Sept. 6, 1947.

LIABILITY SUMMARY

Re: Takeo KARIYA  
otherwise known as Takeo MIYAZAKI  
registration No. 04879

There is a claim on file placed by the B.C. Packers Ltd. against Takeo KARIYA in the sum of \$8.00. This claim has later been ignored on the file. There is no record of it in the outstanding claims of B.C. Packers, so it would appear that either the claim had been settled directly, or that, as did happen, the B.C. Packers may have been mistaken in filing the claim, and later adjusted their accounts to remedy this.

There is also on file a claim placed by the B.C.E.N. Co. Ltd. against Takeo KARIYA, see letter dated Sept. 12, 1943. Takeo KARIYA wrote on Oct. 9/43 that he knew nothing of this claim, but sent to the Custodian a \$5.00 Security Deposit slip from the B.C.E.N. This Company refunded to the Custodian, for the account of Takeo KARIYA, \$3.01, Oct. 21/43.

There are no other claims recorded on this file.

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

/BM.

B. Mac Askill



September 8, 1947.

PERSONAL PROPERTY SUMMARY

Re: Takeo KARIYA, otherwise known as  
Takeo MIYAZAKI  
Registration No. 04879

CHATELS:

Please refer to the Net Summary. There were no other chattels declared by this man as left in the Protected Area, so all Chattels relating to him are dealt with on his wife's file, Number 6448.

SPECIFIED  
ARTICLES:

Takeo KARIYA owned a boat, the "T.K.", 31' x 7'2"3' (1929) Vivian 15HP.  
Owner's valuation on this boat was \$1100.00, there is no record of a Custodian or JFVDC valuation on this boat.  
It was sold through the Japanese Fishing Vessels Disposal Committee, on March 26, 1942, to Robert McKay for \$600.00  
Net proceeds were paid direct to the Japanese.

LIFE  
INSURANCE:

Policy #2246719 with the Sun Life Insurance Co., Vancouver Agency. This was not brought under the control of the Custodian.

There is no other property of any kind found on this file.

/BM

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

B Mac Askill



September 1, 1947

NET SUMMARY

Re: Takeo KARIYA, otherwise known as  
Takeo MIYAZAKI  
Registration No. 04879

KARIYA declared in his JP Form "Located at: B.C. Packers Cannery, Steveston, B.C. 2 Sockeye Nets, (150 lbs.) left in the net house of the Cannery. Left in the care of Cannery and (Cannery) has the key." The Cannery referred to is Atlas.

In a letter dated March 4th, 1943, KARIYA<sup>declared the following nets</sup> to be at the Atlas Cannery Net house, Steveston:

180 fath.  $9\frac{1}{2}$  x 35 x 12/40  
230 fath. 7 x 50 x 6/40  
140 fath. 9 x 40 x 9/40  
200 fath.  $5\frac{1}{2}$  x 50 x 5/40  
150 fath. 6 x 50 x 4/40  
150 fath.  $5\frac{7}{8}$  x 50 x 4/40  
150 fath.  $5\frac{7}{8}$  x 50 x 4/40

He asks that the Custodian's office look into the matter of these nets.

On June 25th, 1943, he wrote explaining that he had not previously declared these seven nets described above for they were left at Atlas Cannery in the care of the Imperial Cannery, B.C. Packers, Ltd. as he had, with another fisherman of the same cannery, handed over the record book containing the list of his seven nets left there to Mr. Charles Gillespie, then manager of the Imperial Cannery. He stated also that he had not declared two nets 150 lbs in his JP Form, but claimed he did declare one net 200 fathoms, green net,  $5\frac{7}{8}$  x 50 left at Atlas Cannery care of the Imperial Cannery. He stated that he declared this net with the Custodian as he did not leave it in anyone's care before evacuation.

In a Memorandum dated July 27, 1943 to Mr. Green, Mr. Robinson lists the nets as recorded by the B.C. Packers as left with them by Takeo KARIYA. This list, shown below, varies greatly from that declared by KARIYA on March 4, 1943, see above.

8 x  $8\frac{1}{2}$  x 50 - 160 fath.  
12 x  $9\frac{1}{2}$  x 40 - 140 fath.  
6 x 7 x 50 - 115 fath.  
5 x 7 x 50 - 115 fath.  
4 x  $5\frac{7}{8}$  x 50 - 230 fath.  
4 x 6 x 50 - 200 fath.  
4 x  $5\frac{1}{2}$  x 50 - 220 fath.  
5 x  $5\frac{1}{2}$  x 50 - 200 fath.

Mr. Robinson goes on to say in this Memorandum of July 27, 1943: "As we did not remove to storage, any nets from the Atlas Cannery they must have been disposed of by the Packers and should show in their settlement with the Custodian."



2.  
NET SUMMARY

File No. 6250

September 1, 1947

Re: Takeo KARIYA  
Reg. No. 04879

On August 5, 1943, B.C. Packers, Limited, Imperial Cannery were written to ask for information concerning the nets declared by KARIYA to be left in the Atlas Cannery net house. No reply to this letter was received.

On January 18, 1944, Takeo KARIYA was written concerning his nets. This letter stated that the Atlas Cannery net book did not show the disposition of KARIYA's nets, and that when the Custodian's representative examined this net shed there were no nets in it. The letter goes on to explain that B.C. Packer's have, from the beginning, refused to accept responsibility for nets left in their care, so this matter could not be pursued further with them. It continues "Insofar as this office is concerned, it is unfortunate that you only declared two nets when you registered on May 8, 1942."

A letter dated May 17th, 1944 to the Imperial Cannery from Mr. Green reads: "Several Japanese have claimed that these nets were left by them at the Atlas Cannery but in no case have we been able to trace the disposal of a single net." The letter asks for information concerning the disposition of any of these nets. No answer is on file in reply to this letter.

At the request of the Custodian, the B.C. Packers forwarded a letter to this office, dated April 4, 1946, stating money paid direct to individual Japanese fishermen for fishing equipment that cannot be identified. This letter included the following information:

T. KARIYA 12-5-42 J.V. 28 \$259.50

In view of the fact that the money from these nets sold by B.C. Packers was forwarded to the Japanese on May 12, 1942, it cannot be supposed that these are the nets referred to in KARIYA's letters to this office dated March 4, 1943; June 8, 1943; and June 25, 1943. There is no trace of these nets in this office, and there is a note on the net cards stating that all means of tracing these nets were exhausted.

The two nets declared by KARIYA in his JP Form dated May 8, 1942, were not found by the Custodian. The money sent by the B.C. Packers to KARIYA was money derived from the sale of goods under some arrangement made by KARIYA with the Cannery and unknown to the Custodian. "One of the nets declared at various times by KARIYA were found by the Custodian.

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

/BM

B. Mac Askill



SUMMARY TAKEN FROM VESSELS RECORDS

Date: March 30, 1944

Reg. No. 04879

File: 8250

Name: KARIYA, Takeo

Boat File No.: JFVDC 193

Name of Vessel: "T.K." 31'x7'2"3' (1929) Vivian 15 Hp

Lic. or Reg. No.:

New Westminster

Naval No.:

None

Owner's Valuation:

\$1,100.00

JFVDC Valuation:

None

Custodian Valuation:

None

Date of Sale:

March 26, 1942

Purchaser:

Robert McKay

Signature on Sales Papers:

Copy unsigned

Selling Price:

\$600.00

Paid to JFVDC ~~on Custodian:~~

600.00

Supervision Costs:

8.50

Balance due Owner:

591.50

Paid to:

T. Kariya, March 30, 1942

Location of Boat at Sale:

New Westminster

Claims Against Canadian Govt.: None

Additional Information:

*For Whelan  
Reviewed Sept 29/49*



File No. 8250

April 9, 1946

Re: Takeo KARIYA  
Reg. No. 04879  
-----

At the request of the Custodian, The B. C. Packers forwarded a letter to this office, dated April 4, 1946, stating money paid direct to individual Japanese fishermen for fishing equipment that cannot be identified.  
-----

T. KARIYA

12-5-42

J.V. 28

259.50

*Lo Carter*



March 6, 1946.

Re: Takeo KARIYA  
Reg. #04879

The following table is extracted from the <sup>record books</sup> ledgers received from the P. U. Packers Co., covering their ATLAS CANNERY net house. The Japanese Fish Collector was instructed to have the Japanese <sup>fishermen</sup> enter in these ledgers, nets which were left by them in the company net houses.

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

<u>Fathoms</u>	<u>Inch</u>	<u>Mesh</u>	<u>Ply</u>		<u>Value</u>
160	8 $\frac{1}{4}$	50	8	with line	\$180.00
140	9 $\frac{1}{2}$	40	12	" "	150.00
115	7	50	6	" "	110.00
115	7	50	5	" "	70.00
230	5 $\frac{7}{8}$	50	4	" "	100.00
200	6	50	4	" "	120.00
220	5 $\frac{1}{2}$	50	4	" "	80.00
200	5 $\frac{1}{2}$	50	5	(green <del>aa</del> lines)	30.00

*E. Brisson*



2892  
6/16/44  
4985  
1213  
6250

*File 1213*

May 17th, 1944.

The Imperial Cannery,  
B. C. Packers, Ltd.,  
Steveston, B. C.

Dear Sirs:-

Re: Japanese-owned nets at Atlas Cannery

We understand that at the time of evacuation of the Japanese, a number of nets were left in the Atlas Cannery. None, however, were ever removed from this Cannery by our representatives with the exception of 375 loose corks belonging to Hirokichi Morita and found in August 1943 when we believe the Cannery was to be renovated; nor does any equipment from this Cannery appear in your settlement with this office, except some old lead and cork lines belonging to the same man.

We are, of course, aware that you advised the Japanese that you could assume no responsibility for nets left in your buildings. In practice, however, you were so good as to exercise a measure of supervision and were, of course, interested yourselves in buying a number of nets.

Several Japanese have claimed that nets were left by them at the Atlas Cannery but in no case have we been able to trace the disposal of a single net. Reference to the file of Einosuke Morimoto shows that this man visited the Cannery on August 7th, 1942 and reported some nets missing. At that time Mr. Gillespie advised that the Atlas Cannery was not being used and had been broken into. We scarcely think, however, that the complete contents could have been removed without this becoming general knowledge.

Can you throw any light on this matter? We have several concrete cases in mind, in particular that of Masao Tanaka whose father you recently advised that you had a record of nets stored by him at this Cannery. We have additional cases, but this one will illustrate our point as well as any.

(Over)



The Imperial Cannery

-2-

May 17th, 1944.

We should be glad of any information you can give us as the present position is unsatisfactory as far as our records are concerned. Perhaps, also, it reflects on your Company though we quite understand that you assume no responsibility and have made this attitude clear from the beginning.

It occurs to me that it might be helpful if you give us a list of the notes originally stored at the Atlas Cannery according to your records, together with the disposition made of them as far as your records show. In this connection, we should mention that in the case of some notes held by you, we seem to have received duplicate payment and you might care to investigate this at the same time.

Yours truly,

H. F. Green  
Protection Department

MSB:IF



File Nos. 6448  
9608  
9609

September 4, 1946

MEMORANDUM - To File:

Re: MIYAZAKI, Takeo (Mrs. Shizue), Reg. No. 04551  
SAIMOTO, Mr. Kunimatsu, Reg. No. 04471  
SAIMOTO, Kiku (Mrs. Kunimatsu), Reg. No. 04134

On inquiry from Mr. and Mrs. Kunimatsu SAIMOTO, File Nos. 9609 and 9608, with reference to chattels declared by Mrs. Takeo MIYAZAKI, File No. 6448, left at the SAIMOTO residence in Steveston, 644 2nd Avenue, they state that "Mrs. MIYAZAKI left her goods with us, but since we did not move her chattels with ours when we evacuated from Steveston, we do not know what became of them", in a letter dated August 28, 1946.

The SAIMOTO's were evacuated on May 25, 1942 and the MIYAZAKI's were evacuated on May 1, 1942 and it is noted that the Custodian's agent, Mr. Hather, in his report of June 5, 1942 on Kunimatsu SAIMOTO's file that "His personal property, he has taken with him to Ninto, where he is now located."

It would appear on this report and investigation that no chattels were found in the house, 644 2nd Avenue, Steveston, B. C. It would be assumed that Mrs. MIYAZAKI made her own arrangements for their removal before evacuation.

GP:hb

  
George Peters.



8250

January 18, 1944.

Mr. Takeo KARIYA,  
Registration No. 04879,  
Minto Mine, B. C.

Dear Sir:

We regret that we have never sent you any answer to your letter of June 25th last year, but this has been because we have been making enquiries.

The Atlas Cannery net book did record some nets in your name, but does not show how they were disposed of. There were no nets here when our representative examined this net shed.

The B. C. Packers' have, from the beginning, refused to accept any responsibility for nets left in their care and we do not see, therefore, how we can pursue this matter any further with them. Insofar as this office is concerned, it is unfortunate that you only declared two nets when you registered on May 8/42.

We are unable at this time to correspond any further on this matter, but we have on file particulars of the nets you claim to have left behind.

Yours truly,

H. F. Green  
Protection Department

HFG/ms



EVACUATION SECTION	
Rec'd	DEC 10 1943
File No.	_____
Ans.	_____
Referred	_____

MEMORANDUM

File No.: 8250

Dec. 2nd, 1943

To: H. F. Green

From: C. C. Robinson

Re: KARIYA, Takeo

A check with Imperial Cannery Net Book covering the Atlas Shed shows eight nets listed for the above. There is no record of disposal.

You will recall the Atlas Net House was the one place where there were no nets when I came to make up my inventory.

"C.C.R."

CCR:IF

*Noted. - see memo 22-11-43.*

*nothing further can be done.*

*[Signature]*



MEMORANDUM

File No.: 8250

Nov. 22nd, 1943

To: FILE

From: Mr. Green

Re: Takeo KARIYA

The above Japanese declared two Sockeye nets in "B. C. Packers Cannery Net House" on May 5th, 1942.

On March 4th, 1943, he wrote declaring seven nets at the Atlas Cannery. Enquiries by Mr. Robinson revealed that the Imperial Cannery advised on April 1st that they had no record of nets at the Atlas Cannery for this man which they understood were all taken by Mr. Robinson.

On June 25th, 1943, the Japanese explained why the seven nets left at the Atlas had not been declared to us, the reason being that "he personally handed the record book to Mr. Gillespie, then manager of the Imperial Cannery".

On July 27th Mr. Robinson reports that he never moved any nets from storage at the Atlas Cannery. A letter to the Imperial Cannery on August 5th has brought no response and the matter seems to have been allowed to drop. A copy of this memorandum is being sent to Mr. Robinson for any further comments he may have to make although as the Imperial Cannery does not assume any responsibility for Japanese nets left with them, there appears to be little further that can be done.

HFG:IF



BRITISH COLUMBIA ELECTRIC RAILWAY CO. LTD

HASTINGS AND CARRALL STREETS

VANCOUVER, B.C.

November 1, 1943

File #82011

CUSTOMERS  
ACCOUNTING  
DEPARTMENT

Refer file #8250

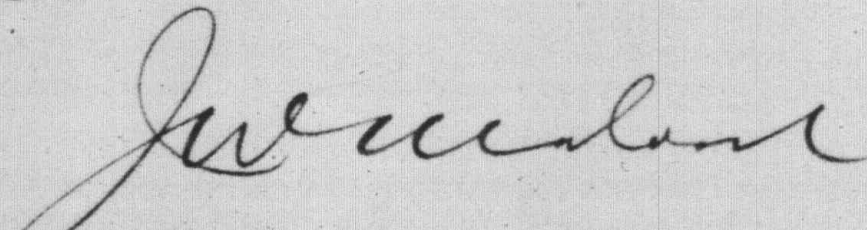
Department of the Secretary of State  
Office of Custodian  
506 Royal Bank Building  
Vancouver, B. C.

Dear Sir: Re: A/c 4115-7650, Takeo Kariya

Further to our letter of October 20,  
enclosed please find receipt for \$1.99 cover-  
ing payment of final account of above mentioned  
party.

We enclose cheque in your favour for  
\$3.01. The total, viz \$5.00, represents re-  
fund of Security Deposit #67688, held in the  
name of Takeo.

Yours truly,



J. W. Malone, Manager  
Customers' Accounting Dept.

DMC/BR  
Enc. 2

File 8250/84879

KARIYA, Takeo

Refund of Security Deposit

Less Payment of \$1.99

4 3.01



8250

October 14th, 1943.

B.C. Electric Rly. Co. Ltd.,  
425 Carrall Street,  
Vancouver, B.C.

Dear Sirs:

re: Takeo KARIYA, Atlas Cannery, West Dyke,  
Steveston, B.C. - \$1.99  
Your No. 4115/7650

We submitted the above claim to KARIYA for payment and have received reply stating "I have no knowledge of such claim."

However, he has forwarded a Security Deposit Receipt No. 67688 for \$5.00 issued to him by your company, for your information and inspection. This we are enclosing herewith.

It is noted on your list of claims that you allow for a deposit of \$2.00, and it may be that you will find that instead of his owing \$1.99 you may owe him \$1.01.

Kindly look into this and advise in due course.

Yours truly,

A. McAlister,  
Claims Department.

BRD:DE

Encl.



Minto Mine, B.C.

Oct. 9, 1943.

EVACUATION SECTION	
No. 1	OCT 12 1943.
File No.	
Ans.	
Referred	

Office of Custodian,  
506 Royal Bank Bldg.,  
Vancouver, B.C.

Dear Sir:-

I received your letter of Sept 27<sup>th</sup>  
in regards to the claim of \$1.99 against me from  
the B.C. Electric Railway Co.

"I have no knowledge of such claims  
but am enclosing the Electric Security Deposit  
Receipt, so if you have evidence of being correct  
kindly remit me to balance after deducting  
\$1.99 from the Refund Deposit Receipt.

Very truly yours,

Takes Kasiga

File # 9250

Reg # 04879

W. J. K. H.  
H115/7650

Enclosed  
for Mr. K.  
B.C. E.R.



8250

August 5, 1943.

B. C. Packers, Limited,  
Imperial Cannery,  
Steveston, B. C.

Attention: Mr. A. H. Cross

Dear Sir:

Re: Takeo KARIYA

Mr. Takeo Kariya, Police Registration No. 04879,  
a fisherman, age 39, originally declared to the Custodian that  
he had left in care of the B. C. Packers in the Atlas Cannery  
net house in Steveston the following nets:

12/40	x	9½	x	35	-	180
6/40	x	7	x	50	-	230
9/40	x	9	x	45	-	140
5/40	x	5½	x	50	-	200
4/40	x	6	x	50	-	150
4/40	x	5½	x	50	-	150
4/40	x	5½	x	50	-	150

and in this connection, stated that particulars of these nets  
were duly recorded by Mr. C. Gillespie.

We have discussed this matter with our Mr. C. C.  
Robinson who indicates that insofar as your records concerning  
the individual mentioned above are concerned, the following were  
the list of nets left by him with you:

8	x	8½	x	50	-	160
12	x	9½	x	40	-	140
6	x	7	x	50	-	115
5	x	7	x	50	-	115
4	x	5½	x	50	-	230
4	x	6	x	50	-	200
4	x	5½	x	50	-	220
5	x	5½	x	50	-	200

We do not appear to have had any record of these  
nets having been sold or having been removed from your care -  
either by the Custodian or any agent of the Custodian, and would



appreciate your indicating to us whether these nets are still held by you, failing which, what distribution was made by you of the nets in question.

Mr. Takeo Kariya is known to us also in the name of Takeo MIYAZAKI, he having assumed his wife's family name at the time of his marriage, and it may therefore be the case that you have him recorded under the Miyazaki name and not under the Kariya name.

Yours truly,

H. P. Alexander  
Manager

RPA/ms



EVALUATION SECTION	
Rec'd	JUL 29 1943
File No.	
Ans.	
Referred	<i>Green</i>

Steveston, B. C.,  
July 27, 1943.

File 8250

To: H. F. Green

From: C. C. Robinson

Re: KARIYA Takeo

Below is a list of nets as recorded by the B. C. Packers Ltd., as left with them by the above.

8 x 8 $\frac{1}{2}$ x 50	- 160	
12 x 9 $\frac{1}{2}$ x 40	- 140	<i>12 x 9<math>\frac{1}{2}</math> x 40</i>
6 x 7 x 50	- 115	<i>6 x 7 x 50</i>
5 x 7 x 50	- 115	
4 x 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ x 50	- 230	<i>4 x 5<math>\frac{1}{2}</math> x 50</i>
4 x 6 x 50	- 200	<i>4 x 6 x 50</i>
4 x 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ x 50	- 220	
5 x 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ x 50	- 200	<i>5 x 5<math>\frac{1}{2}</math> x 50</i>

As we did not remove to storage, any net from the Atlas Cannery they must have been disposed of by the Packers and should show in their settlement with the Custodian.

C. C. Robinson

*Miss Seaton*

*Please check carefully*

*[Signature]*



MEMORANDUM

File No.: 8250

July 13th, 1943

To: Mr. C. C. Robinson

From: Mr. H. P. Green

Re: Takeo KARIYA

The above Japanese writes us as follows:

"The seven nets I declared on March 4th, (1943) I did not advise you before because it was left in the care of the Imperial Cannery, B. C. Packers, Ltd. Steveston. But when I did not hear any word from the same for almost an year, I declared it to you on March 4th to see if you can check this up with the Company. You mentioned there was no such records of nets left at Atlas Cannery C/O Imp. Cy., this I do not believe because I wrote my list of seven nets with the other fishermen of the same cannery. Another fisherman and I personally handed over this record book to Mr. Charles Gillespie then manager of Imp. Cannery. There must be a record at the Company so please look into this matter."

The nets in question are described as follows:

180	fath.	9 $\frac{1}{2}$	ins.	35	meshes	12/40	ply
230	"	7	"	50	"	6/40	"
140	"	9	"	45	"	9/40	"
200	"	5 $\frac{1}{2}$	"	50	"	5/40	"
150	"	6	"	50	"	4/40	"
150	"	5 $\frac{7}{8}$	"	50	"	4/40	"
150	"	5 $\frac{7}{8}$	"	50	"	4/40	"

I do not know what, if anything, can be done at this late date, but please do your best to check the above. The Japanese did not declare these nets to us and as we found in another case recently, the memory of fishermen is often at fault.

HFG:IF



SECTION	
Rec'd	JUL 6 1943
File No.	8250
Ans.	
Referred	Green

Minto City, B. C.  
June 25th, 1943.

Department of the Secretary of State,  
Office of the Custodian,  
Japanese Evacuation Section.

Dear Sir:

I received your letter of June 12th inst. By this letter I gather you are in doubt of my reliability but what I mentioned is quite true. The seven nets I declared on March 4th, I did not advise you before because it was left in the care of Imperial Cannery B. C. Packers Ltd. Steveston. But when I did not hear any word from the same for almost an year, I declared it to you on March 4th to see if you can check this up with the Company. You mentioned there was no such records of nets left at Atlas Cannery C/O Imp. Cy., this I do not beleive because I wrote my list of seven nets with the other fishermen of the same cannery. Another fisherman and I personally handed over this record book to Mr. Charles Gilliespie then manager of Imp. Cannery. There must be a record at the Company so please look into this matter.

As for the two nets 150 lbs. you mentioned; I beleive I never made such an claim. However I did claim one net 200 fathoms (in full particular 1 net green 5 7/8 X 50 X 200 faths.) at Atlas Cy. C/O Imp. Cy. I did not leave this net in anyone's care, that is why I declared it to you before my evacuation.

I do hope this will make things a little clearer.

Yours very truly,

*Takeo Kariya*  
Takeo Kariya  
Reg. No. 048 79

*This Section*  
*Stage refer letter 4-3-43 and second*  
*para above if no record on net cards return*  
*to me.*  
*Thompson - m.s.*



8250

June 12th, 1943

Mr. Takeo KARIYA,  
Registration No. 04879,  
Minto City, B. C.  
Bridge River District.

Dear Sir:-

On receipt of your letter of March 4th, we wrote to the Imperial Cannery at Steveston and were advised that they had no record of nets left at the Atlas Cannery belonging to you. Our representative at Steveston inventoried all nets left at the Atlas Cannery and similarly found none in your name.

(not correct - there were no nets here when CCR mentioned this)  
K

On looking more closely into our records we note that on May 8th, 1942, you declared only two Sockeye nets whereas on March 4th, 1943, you wrote to us about seven nets. If you did in fact leave seven nets behind you should have so advised us either at the time of registration or on evacuation and it is obviously quite impossible for us after this lapse of time to trace the additional nets declared by you on March 4th.

We will make further investigations in regard to the two nets declared by you which we note you mention weighed 150 pounds, if you will send us full particulars of their measurements and just exactly where and in whose care they were left. We must say, however, that your action in first declaring two and later seven nets throws some doubt on the reliability of your statements.

Yours truly,

H. F. Green  
Protection Department

not to be purged  
by further particulars  
received 15-6-43  
K

HFG:IF



Minto City, B. C.  
Bridge River District  
June 4th, 1943.

Department of the Secretary of State,  
Office of the Custodian,  
Japanese Evacuation Section.

Dear Sir:

I have not received an answer to my letter of March 4th, regarding to my net. I then, requested to you whether you know about my net, which I left in care of the B. C. Packers Ltd. and if not, to please look into this matter.

I would be much obliged if you will kindly let me know about above mentioned matter soon.

Thank you,

Yours very truly,

*Takeo Kariya*  
Takeo Kariya  
Reg. # 04879

EVACUATION SECTION	
Rec'd.	JUN 8 1943
File No.	Lak 795 8250
Ans.	h/b
Referred	Matthewson



C  
O  
P  
Y

B. C. Packers, Ltd.,  
Steveston, B. C.,  
April 1, 1943.

Department of the Secretary of State,  
Office of the Custodian,  
Japanese Evacuation Section,  
506 Royal Bank Building,  
Vancouver, B. C.

Dear Sirs:

Attention: Specified Articles Department

In reply to your letter of March 30, file  
Nos. 8250 and 4985, we wish to advise that we have  
no record of nets left at Atlas Cannery for Takeo  
Kariya and Hirokichi Morita. We understand that  
all nets at Atlas were taken from there by your  
representative, Mr. C. C. Robinson.

*See ccl to Ottawa  
July 27th*

Yours truly,

B.C. PACKERS LIMITED  
IMPERIAL CANNERY.

Per A. H. Cross  
Bookkeeper

AHC/GM

(Original in file 4985)

*ccl. record of same - all nets inventoried at Atlas*



8250 & 4985

March 30, 1943.

Imperial Cannery,  
Steveston, B. C.

Attention: Mr. Fraser

Dear Sir:

Re: Takeo KARIYA - file 8250  
Hirokichi MORITA " 4985

The above named Japanese claim to have left nets stored at the Atlas Cannery of which we have no record except for the sale of some cork and lead lines amounting to \$60.00 to the Imperial from MORITA.

It would be greatly appreciated if you would check your records against these two men, and if their names do appear on your list, to send us an itemized account of their nets.

Yours truly,

Specified Articles Department

MS

lvf



EVACUATION SECTION	
Rec'd	MAR 9 1943
File No.	8250
Ans.	MB
Referred	912

Minto City, B. C.  
 Bridge River District.  
 March 4th, 1943.

Department of the Secretary of State,  
 Office of the Custodian,  
 Japanese Evacuation Section.

Dear Sir:

I have left the following list of nets in care  
 of the B. C. Packers Ltd., at Atlas Cannery Nethouse  
 Steveston.

180 fath.	9½	ins.	35 meshes	12/40 ply	
230 "	7	"	50 "	6/40 "	
140 "	9	"	45 "	9/40 "	
200 "	5½	"	50 "	5/40 "	
150 "	6	"	50 "	4/40 "	
150 "	5 7/8	"	50 "	4/40 "	
150 "	5 7/8	"	50 "	4/40 "	

*no record of same on inventory cards.*

I have not received any word about these net  
 since my evacuation. Have you heard any thing regarding  
 to these nets, if not please look into this matter.

Thank you,

Yours very truly,  
 Reg. #04879

*Takeo Kariya*

*Filed on and can be used*



(Information supplied by Ins. Co.)

LIFE INSURANCE

Name MR. TAKEO MIYAZAKI

File No. Wife 6448

Reg. No.

Company Sun Life Insurance Co.

Agency Vancouver

Policy No. 2191191

Premium - \$ 51.55

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

Month November Day 1st

REMARKS:



(Information supplied by Ins. Co.)

LIFE INSURANCE

Name TAKEO MIYAZAKI

File No. Wife 6448

Reg. No. 04881

Company Sun Life Insurance Co.

Agency Vancouver

Policy No. 2246719

Premium - \$39.60

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

Month December Day 5th

REMARKS:

Letter sent 30/8/43