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BUREAU HASTINGS PARK
OFFICE OF THE CUSTODIAN
JAPANESE SECTION

FILE NO. 12104

To be completed by persons of the Japanese race having no property in any protected area.

NAME: TAKAHASHI, Kinsaburo

HOME ADDRESS: Now at Hastings Park, Vancouver, B. C. REGISTRATION No. 02708
From Rose Harbour, Queen Charlotte Islands, B. C.

SEX: male AGE: 63 MARRIED? yes

OCCUPATION AND EMPLOYER: Foreman Whaling Station--Rose Harbour, B. C.

NAME OF WIFE OR HUSBAND: Mitsu ADDRESS: Japan

NAMES OF LIVING CHILDREN: ---- ADDRESS: ----

ADDRESS: _____

ADDRESS: _____

I certify that the above information is true and complete and state that I have no property of any kind whatsoever in any protected area in British Columbia.

Dated this 3rd day of August 1942.

WITNESS: [Signature]

K. Takahashi
(Signature)

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INFORMATION FROM R.C.M.P.

Our File No. 12104

RETURNED TO JAPAN

Date August 25/42

S.S. GENERAL MEIGS

17th JUNE, 1946

Full Name TAKAHASHI, Kinshiro

(Surname in Block Letters)

Registration No. 02708

Male - Female
(check)

Age 26 1/2

Former Address Rose Harbour, Queen Charlotte Islands, B.C.

391 Powell St. Vancouver, B.C.

Date Evacuated Sept. 19/42

Naturalized - Canadian-Born - National
(check)

Present Address Lynn Creek, Masson, B.C.

Married - Single
(check)

Name of Wife ASAWA, Mitso (Japan)

Name of Husband _____

Name of Mother ^{nee} (Tanaka) Kaji (dead)

Name of Father TAKAHASHI, Kinzo (dead)

Names of Children under 16 _____

Requested by S. M.

Registered with Custodian _____

(Yes or No)

Additional Information Residence at Victoria whaling ship station,

Rose Harbour, B.C. (Queen Charlotte Islands)

OFFICE OF THE CUSTODIAN
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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: Kinsaburo TAKAHASHI

HOME ADDRESS: SLOCAN CITY, B.C.

REGISTRATION NUMBER 02708 / SEX: Male AGE: 63

OCCUPATION: Carpenters help

(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: NIL

MARRIED? SINGLE

NAME OF WIFE OR HUSBAND: _____

ADDRESS OF WIFE OR HUSBAND: _____

NAMES OF ANY LIVING CHILDREN: _____

ADDRESS OF CHILDREN: _____

AGE OF CHILDREN: _____

STATEMENT OF ALL REAL PROPERTY (Each parcel must be mentioned and particulars given)

1. LOCATION AND DESCRIPTION: NIL /

2. BUILDINGS AND OTHER IMPROVEMENTS: NIL /

3. INSURANCE (Give particulars; state where policies are) NIL /

4. TAXES (Amount and where payable) _____

5. ENCUMBRANCES (Including any unregistered claims or deposit of title deed) NIL

6. OCCUPANCY AND LEASES (If vacant so state) _____

NIL

3. GIVE THE NAME AND ADDRESS OF ANY PERSON HAVING ANY INTEREST IN, OR CLAIM ON ANY SUCH PROPERTY

2. HORSES, LIVESTOCK AND OTHER ANIMALS, POULTRY AND PETS

AS PER ATTACHED SHEET

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

6. IF FARM LAND, PARTICULARS OF CROPS SOWN:

5. SUB-TENANTS, IF ANY (Give name, address, rent and to what date paid)

4. STATE WHEREABOUTS OF LEASE:

3. PARTICULARS OF LEASE AND RENT AND DATE TO WHICH PAID:

2. LANDLORD'S NAME AND ADDRESS:

1. LOCATION AND DESCRIPTION: NIL

STATEMENT OF REAL PROPERTY OCCUPIED

9. IF FARM LAND STATE CROPS SOWN

8. STATE IF ANY OTHER PERSON HAS ANY INTEREST:

7. STATE WHEREABOUTS OF TITLE DOCUMENTS: NIL

- 4. INSURANCE CARRIED ON ABOVE PROPERTY: NIL

- 5. MORTGAGES, LIENS AND OTHER CLAIMS ON PROPERTY IN POSSESSION OF OTHERS: NIL

- 6. MONEYS OWING TO YOU (State if any of these debts assigned and if so, to whom) NIL

- 7. BONDS, DEBENTURES, SHARES, STOCKS OR OTHER SECURITIES (State whereabouts) NIL

- 8. BANK ACCOUNTS: NIL
- 9. LIFE INSURANCE: NIL

- 10. INTEREST IN ANY ESTATES OR TRUSTS: NIL

- 11. SAFETY DEPOSIT BOX: NIL

LIABILITIES:

- 1. PERSONAL DEBTS: NIL

- 2. TRADE DEBTS: NIL

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 20th day of October 1942.

(Signature) + K. Phokas

Witness

FOR DEPARTMENTAL USE

711 Stock Exchange Bldg.,
475 Howe Street,
Vancouver, B.C.
Oct. 16/46

Custodian of Enemy Property,
Royal Bank Building,
Vancouver, B.C.

TREASURY DEPT. CLAIM \$ 143.98

Dear Sir:

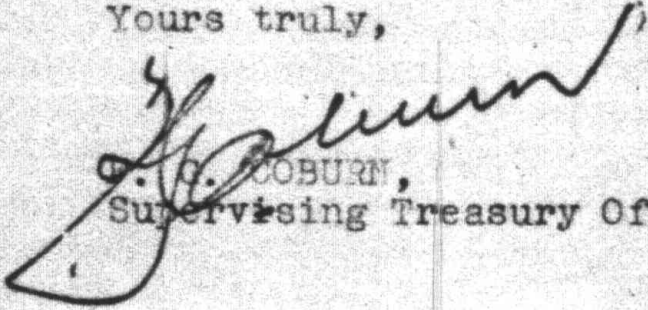
Re: TAKAHASHI, Kinsaburo ¹²¹⁰⁴ #02708

Please note that the above has been repatriated to Japan. At the time of repatriation, the following transactions took place:

Cash turned in - - - - -	\$ 56.02
Draft Issued - - - - -	\$ 200.00

It will be seen that this Japanese is indebted to the Department on account of repatriation in the amount of \$ 143.98. Therefore should you receive further funds on this account such funds should be turned into this office. It will be applied first to recoup the expenditure made and, second, if there is any surplus such surplus will be remitted to Japan for the account of the Japanese in question.

Yours truly,


G. G. COBURN,
Supervising Treasury Officer.

FGC/EJ.

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DOMINION OF CANADA
DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE

No. 223
Issued London Credit, B.C.
Date May 16th, 1946

The Government of Canada acknowledges that SATOHARU, Finsenbun
has surrendered property situated in Canada as described herein and agrees to remit the yen equivalent of the net proceeds
of such property immediately, or upon liquidation if such action is required, to Japan under arrangements made with,
and approved by, the United States Government and the Military Authorities in Japan; Provided that from the proceeds
of such property there shall be retained such amounts as are required to repay advances made by the Government of Ca-
nada by way of Registration Grant.

NOT NEGOTIABLE

Cashless Free Balance \$56.02

Arthur J. Taylor
for Comptroller of the Treasury

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May 21, 1946.

Mr. Kinsaburo TAKAHASHI,
Reg. No. 02708,
Lemon Creek,
SLOCAN, B. C.

Dear Sir:

Your file with this office has been reviewed, and it is noted that on October 20, 1942, you reported a quantity of foodstuffs, clothing, tools and a bed left at Rose Harbour Whaling Station, Queen Charlotte Islands. This office was under the impression that the shipments made to you accounted for all articles of any value left by you at Rose Harbour.

The list you have just handed to Custodian representative at Slocan indicates that there were other effects left by you in the protected area. In regard to the money, which you state was left in your house, and the wages which you state were due you from the Consolidated Whaling Corporation Ltd., we wish to advise that the sum of \$4.59 was turned in to this office by the Consolidated Whaling Corporation Ltd. with the information that this money had been found in your house, and the sum of \$58.43, representing wages due you, was paid in to this office by that company. We are writing the Consolidated Whaling Corporation Ltd. in an effort to find out what has happened to the effects which you have now reported and to get information in regard to the sums of money. It will be some days before a reply can be received. Should information be received before your departure for Japan, we will notify you.

In the list you have just given this office, you report a boat, but give no description of the boat. Would you kindly let us know the length, breadth and depth of this boat? If the boat had an engine, give us the make and horse power of the engine. If the boat was more than 20 feet in length, she would be licensed or registered. As you, being a National of Japan, would not be eligible to obtain a licence for the vessel, would you please give us the name of the person in whose name the boat was licensed? Also give us the name and licence number of the boat. Where was this boat left?

The sum of \$7.00 was paid from your account to cover the cost of a shipment sent to you in August, 1943, leaving in your account the balance of \$56.02, about which you have no doubt been informed by Custodian representative.

We will do what we can to obtain information about the items you have listed. It would seem, however, that you were somewhat careless about your belongings in waiting over four years to report these to the Custodian.

Yours truly,

F. Matheson,
Protection Department.

LIABILITY SUMMARY

File 12104

April 27, 1946.

Re: Kinoshuro TAKAHASHI
Reg. No. 02708

This file reveals no liabilities.

This summary is certified to be in
accordance with information on file.

J. Mathison

April 27, 1946.

File 12104

PERSONAL PROPERTY SUMMARY

May 21, 1946.

Re: Kinaburo TAKAHASHI, Reg.No. 02708

This man was evacuated on September 19, 1942. He signed a declaration to the Custodian on August 3, 1942, stating that he owned no property, but on October 20, 1942, he signed a second declaration stating that he owned property as shown on a list attached to his declaration.

This list showed 12 100# sacks of rice, 2 tubs Shoyu Sauce, 40 cords of wood, kitchen utensils for 34 persons, mixed groceries to value of \$6.50, a trunk containing clothing, a single bed, 2 clocks, 1 box of machinist's tools, 2 boxes of carpenter tools, 2 saws, and a quantity of clothing and blankets.

In letter of November 28, 1942, he reports that the shoes he had received in a shipment were old whereas the ones he had left were new. The file does not show whether other items were shipped along with the shoes. The sum of \$7.00 was paid from this man's account in August, 1943, to cover cost of shipping 5 sacks of rice. This man had requested shipment, on November 28, 1942, of the foodstuffs left as well as the 3 boxes of tools. This request was passed on to the Consolidated Whaling Corporation Ltd., operators of the plant at Rose Harbour, where TAKAHASHI had been employed, and where he had left his chattels. We do not have any detailed information in regard to what was contained in any shipment made to this man, except in the case of the 5 sacks of rice, and we are unable to determine from information on file just what has been returned to him and what remains unaccounted for.

TAKAHASHI gave to Mr. Peters of this office, at Slocan, a list of chattels which is filed directly behind this summary. We have marked the items that were previously reported.

In regard to the \$15.00 left in drawer of table, the Consolidated Whaling Corporation Ltd. sent to this office in 1943, the sum of \$459, which had been found in the house formerly occupied by this man. This was credited to his account.

In regard to the wages of \$45.00, the Consolidated Whaling Corporation Ltd. sent to this office \$58.43 representing wages due this man. This sum was credited to his account.

TAKAHASHI, in the list just supplied to this office, mentions a boat, but gives no information whatever in regard to this boat. This does not give us enough information to work on.

A cheque for \$741.29, payable to this man and his son, Tsusaburo, was received from the Sun Life Assurance Company being cash surrender value of the son's insurance policy, and this cheque was forwarded to the son.

This file reveals no other property.

This summary is certified to be in accordance with information on file.

May 21, 1946.

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May 21, 1946.

The Consolidated Whaling Corporation Ltd.,
303 Bay Street,
Victoria, B. C.

Dear Sirs: Re: TAKAHASHI, Kinsaburo, Reg.No. 02708

This man was formerly employed as a foreman at your Rose Harbour plant. He has just sent to this office a list of goods which he states were left with Mr. Garson, of your company. We are giving the list exactly as it came to us, as we believe the instructions as to disposition may have been sent to your Mr. Garson previously by Mr. Takahashi.

12 Sacks of Rice	\$105.00
Cartage on Rice	2.40

If you cannot sell the Rice please send to Victoria Office.

11 Chickens (to be disposed of in any way)

100 lbs. Sugar	2 Pairs of Shoes
At least \$15.00 in drawer of table	1 Overcoat
Working Clothes	12 Tins of Tobacco
Rubber Boots	Cigarette Papers
1 Pair of Boots	1 Clock

Please put the above articles in the trunk and send them to Victoria Office.

Put saw and tools in the boat
Boat Price \$550.00
Would like at least \$250.00 for the boat.

1½ Months Wages	\$45.00
Fares:	
Vancouver-Victoria	\$17.85 (several trips)
Prince Rupert - Vancouver	\$25.00

Would you kindly give us any information you may have about the above items? We believe that some shipments were made by your company to this man since his evacuation. Any information you can give in regard to these would be appreciated.

The sum of \$58.43, being wages due this man, was paid to this office by your company in November, 1942, and the sum of \$4.59 found in the house of Mr. Takahashi was sent to this office by your company in January, 1943. These sums do not agree with the figures given us now by Mr. Takahashi, so any information you can supply in regard to these would be much appreciated.

For your convenience, we enclose a stamped, addressed envelope.

Yours truly,

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December 7th, 1942

The Consolidated Whaling Corporation,
303 Bay Street,
Victoria, B. C.

Dear Sirs:-

Re: TAKAHASHI, Kinsaburo

We have had a request from the above Japanese to ship to him the undermentioned food and effects left at the Rose Harbour Whaling Station, Queen Charlotte Islands. We believe that you control this station and as you will probably know whom to contact, we are taking the liberty of sending you this letter in duplicate with a request that you forward one copy to Queen Charlotte Islands and ask your representative to do the necessary.

- 11 Sacks - Rice
- 2 Tubs - Soyu Sauce
- 1 Tub - Miso (salted beans)
- 1 Ctn. - Canned goods (Jap.)

Also Mattress - 1 only
Carpenter & machine tools

This Japanese is at Slocan City and if you would be so kind as to request your representative to prepay the freight charges, we will immediately reimburse you on receipt of advice of the amount. As we only hold \$58.43 to the credit of this man's account and as we do not assume such charges, please see that this amount is not exceeded. Please bill the things right through to Slocan.

Finally, for the benefit of your Rose Harbour representative, we would mention that some shoes received already by this man through the Security Commission, were new when he left the Queen Charlotte Islands but have now been used and damaged. We fear that little can be done about this as this Japanese evidently did not lock his property before evacuation but if your representative could make any investigations, we should be much obliged.

Yours truly,

E. F. Green
Protection Department

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OFFICE OF THE CUSTODIAN
JAPANESE SECTION

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Jun
Slocan City, B. C.

November 28, 1942

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

Gentlemen:

Re File No. 12104

This is to acknowledge the receipt of yours of November 23rd.

The following are the answers as underlined:

1. Please forward all the food articles:
11 sacks Rice
2 tubs. Soyu Sauce
1 tub Miso (Beans Salted)
1 ctns. Canned Goods (Jap.)

Also

Mattress 1 only
Carpenter & Machine Tools

2. Kindly use the funds received by you from the Consolidated Whaling Corp. Victoria for Freight Expenses.

It is well to advise you that the new shoes (one, Rubber and another Boom Nailed Shoe) which I received through B.S.C.S., have been both exchanged with old ones by someone. These shoes I mention were absolutely new when I left them and would like your investigation as to why they are in such condition. There are no other way but to presume as my property were not locked that they may have been exchanged by someone.

Your earliest attention to the above will be greatly appreciated.

Yours truly,

KINSABURO TAKAHASHI

Kinsaburo TAKAHASHI
Reg. No. 02708
Slocan City, B. C.