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EVACUATION SECTION

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File No. 12547

Ans. N.C.

OFFICE OF THE CUSTODIAN
JAPANESE SECTION

FILE NO. 12547

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

Name: Ujiye

HOME ADDRESS: Fraser Mill B.C.

SEX: Man AGE: 35 REGISTRATION No. 08726

OCCUPATION AND EMPLOYER: _____ MARRIED? No.

NAME OF WIFE OR HUSBAND: _____ ADDRESS: _____

NAMES OF LIVING CHILDREN: _____ 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 2nd day of February 1944

WITNESS: J. Kumagai

(Signature) m. Ujiye

P.D. 20/3/43

INFORMATION FROM R.C.M.P.

Date Sept. 3/43

Our File No. 12544

Full Name UJIYE, Mamoru
(Surname in Block Letters)

Registration No. 08726

Male - Female
(check)

Age Jan. 6, 1909

Former Address Box 217 Fraser Mills, B. C.

Date Evacuated Feb. 23/42 Naturalized - Canadian-Born - National
(check)

Present Address c/o Mr. S. Ozumi, Vernon, B. C., (c/o R.C.M.P Detachment,

Vernon, B. C.)

c/o Francis Barnes Lunenburg

21/3/42

Married - Single
(check)

Name of Wife _____

Name of Husband _____

Name of Mother UMEJI

Name of Father TADASHI

Names of Children under 16 _____

Requested by G.M.

Registered with Custodian No
(Yes or No)

Additional Information Millhand

REAL PROPERTY SUMMARY

File No. 12544

August 21, 1946.

Re: UJIYE, Manoru,
Reg. No. 08726.

This file reveals that the above owned no real property in any protected area of British Columbia.

The file reveals that the above carried no Fire Insurance.

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

August 21, 1946.
WJI:CG



W. J. Iverson

PERSONAL PROPERTY SUMMARY

File No. 12544

August 21, 1946.

Re: UJIYE, Mamoru
Reg. No. 08726.

CHATELS: The above Japanese person declared on February 2, 1944 that he owned no personal property of any kind in the protected area of British Columbia. He was evacuated on February 23, 1942.

WAR SAVING

CERTIFICATES: The file reveals, however, that he was forwarded, through the B. C. Security Commission on March 25, 1943, a War Saving Redemption cheque No. B-162700 amounting to \$44.84.

LIFE

INSURANCE: The file reveals that he possessed a Manufacturer's Life Insurance Co. policy, No. 691120, and that, on April 14, 1944, he asked the Company for its cash surrender value. The Custodian made no objection to his receiving this and on July 7, 1944, the company's cheque for \$200.61 was sent to the Custodian. However, correspondence on the file indicates that the name of the beneficiary, Tadashi UJIYE, appeared to be forged, the said Tadashi UJIYE being in Japan.

The Custodian, therefore, returned the cheque to the Manufacturer's Life Insurance Co. for cancellation and the policy was also sent back to them for reinstatement. On May 31, 1946, the Manufacturer's Life Insurance Co. informed the Custodian that UJIYE had made a new request for the cash surrender value of his policy and they forwarded a discharge form with the request that the Custodian complete it on behalf of the beneficiary. As the policy had been kept in force, Mr. Shears signed the discharge form on behalf of the beneficiary, who it appears had never left Japan.

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

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

August 21, 1946.
WJI:CG


W. J. Iverson.

CANADA

DEPARTMENT OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE
OFFICE OF THE CUSTODIAN
JAPANESE EVACUATION SECTION

PHONE PACIFIC 6121

PLEASE REFER TO

FILE NO. 12544

506 ROYAL BANK BLDG.
HASTINGS AND GRANVILLE
VANCOUVER, B.C.

August 2nd, 1946.

Returned uncollectible


Mr. Manoru UJIYE,
Reg. No. 08726,
Lunby, B. C.

Dear Sir:

We have received on your behalf a cheque from the Manufacturers Life Insurance Co., in the amount of \$174.52, representing the cash surrender value of your policy #691120.

It is noted however that M. Nishiguchi Co. Ltd., filed a claim against you in the amount of \$12.17 for goods supplied in 1941. You were advised of this on June 17th, 1946 and we shall be glad to know if you wish us to deduct this from the foregoing cheque, or whether you prefer to send us a remittance for the amount, which in turn will be paid to the Nishiguchi Co.

Yours truly,


W.J. Iverson,
Protection Department.

WJI:ML

File 17444

September 16, 1944.

MEMORANDUM

To: Mr. Wright

From: Mr. Gibson

Re: Manufacturers Life Pol. #691120

Mamoru UJIYE

The above numbered policy covered on the life of Mamoru UJIYE the named beneficiary being Tadashi UJIYE, father.

On April 14th, 1944 we were advised by the Manufacturers Life that the surrender value of the above numbered policy was \$201.69 and that the assured had requested the cash surrender. They asked us for permission to make this payment. On April 17th, we advised the Manufacturers Life that we had no objection to them making the payment of the cash surrender value and asked them to forward their cheque in the usual manner directed to their assured through this office.

July 7th the Manufacturers Life sent their cheque in the amount of \$200.61 in payment of the net surrender value with an accounting showing that the guaranteed cash surrender value was \$289.00 plus dividends on deposit of \$18.66 against which there was a loan of \$106.01 and loan interest of \$1.04 leaving a net balance of \$200.61. The cheque was drawn to the order of Mamoru UJIYE, the assured and Tadashi UJIYE, the beneficiary.

Before forwarding this cheque to the assured, we checked up to find out the whereabouts and status of the beneficiary. We had no record at all on file giving us any information about the father. As requested they wrote us on July 19th enclosing a photostatic copy of the discharge for surrender policy and in their covering letter say that in the original application for the policy in 1936 it was stated that the beneficiary was in Japan and they went on to say that since the discharge form was signed and witnessed it would appear that he had come here since.

On August 3rd, 1944 we wrote to the British Columbia Security Commission addressing our letter to Mr. Green setting out the facts of the case to date, supplying him with a copy of our letter to Mamoru UJIYE of July 14th and asked if they would be good enough to check on Tadashi UJIYE.

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July 11th, 1946.

TO: Mr. F. G. Shears
FROM: W. J. Iverson

Re: Mamoru WIIIE, Reg. 08726

Re: Policy #691120
Manufacturer's Life Insurance Co.

Correspondence on file indicates that a cash surrender cheque of \$200.61 in regard to the above policy was returned to the Manufacturers Life Insurance Company on September 14th, 1944, in view of the fact that the beneficiary's name (Tadashi WIIIE, father of Mamoru-in Japan) was forged.

The policy was reinstated by the Company who has now advised us that the insured, Mamoru WIIIE has applied for the present cash surrender value of \$404.03 and they require the Custodian's signature on the discharge form on behalf of the beneficiary.

(By telephone, The Department of Labour approves of this) *payment*

W. J. Iverson

WJ:DP

It would appear that Mr. Iverson has kept this policy in force. I am signing on behalf of the beneficiary who is in Japan in accord with our present policy in this regard.

W. J. Iverson

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August 21, 1946.

To: Accounting Department.

From: W. J. Iverson

Re: UJIB, Mamoru
Exp. No. 08726.

Will you please place to the credit of the above, the sum of \$174.52 received from the Manufacturer's Life Insurance Co. on August 3, 1946, as there will be a requisition for \$12.17 payable to M. Nishiguchi Co. against it.

WJI:CS


W. J. Iverson.

September 2nd, 1944.

The Manufacturers Life Insurance Co.,
413 Stock Exchange Building,
Vancouver, B. C.

Dear Sirs:

Re: Policy No. 691120
Mamoru UJIYE

Referring to our recent correspondence in connection with the above numbered policy, we wish to advise that upon making further enquiries we have now received through the B. C. Security Commission, a report from the Royal Canadian Mounted Police in Vernon, as to the whereabouts of Tadashi UJIYE.

For your information we are attaching hereto a copy of the R. C. M. P. report whereby you will see that Mamoru UJIYE stated that his father, Tadashi UJIYE, lives in Japan and has never been in Canada.

We see by the photostatic copy of discharge form that it was signed Tadashi UJIYE, as beneficiary, and the signature witnessed by T. SAKAI. As Tadashi UJIYE apparently has never been in Canada it would have been impossible for him to sign the discharge form. Therefore, the signature appearing on same must be a forgery.

Your cheque for \$200.61 is being held in this office pending word from you in connection with the disposition of same. We presume that you may wish this cheque returned in order to re-instate the policy as the insured apparently attempted to cash it in without the necessary consent of a preferred beneficiary. You may also wish to take action against those who signed the application for surrender improperly.

Yours truly,

S. M. Gibson,
Insurance Department

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Enc.

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November 1, 1944.

Mr. Mamoru UJIYE,
Registration No. 08726,
P. O. Box 163,
VERNON, B. C.

Dear Sir:

Re: Manufacturers Life
Policy No. 691120

We wish to acknowledge receipt of your letter of October 30th in which you enquire as to whether you may receive the cash surrender of the above numbered policy.

The above policy covers on your own life and the named beneficiary is shown to be your father (preferred beneficiary). According to information we have on file your father is in Japan and has never been in Canada.

You endeavoured to cash in this policy and completed a discharge form on June 25th, 1944 signing same and having your signature witnessed. It was also necessary that the beneficiary sign this form and apparently your father's name was signed and the signature witnessed.

This discharge form was accepted by the Insurance Company and their cheque for \$200.61 was issued and sent here representing the cash surrender value. The cheque was made payable to yourself and the beneficiary, your father. Before this cheque was forwarded it was ascertained that the beneficiary, your father, was a resident of Japan and that he had never been in this country. Therefore the signature appearing on the discharge form could not be his.

As it was apparent that the discharge form had been improperly signed the Manufacturers Life Insurance Company requested the return of their

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MEMORANDUM

November 1, 1944.

cheque covering the cash surrender value. They re-
instated the policy and returned the policy itself
to this office.

On September 14th we in turn sent the
policy by registered mail to you advising you that
the Insurance Company had reinstated it and we
further advised you we had returned to the Life
Insurance Company their cheque for \$200.01.

Insofar as the Life Insurance Company
are concerned they cannot allow the surrender of
this policy because they would require the bene-
ficiary's signature and as the beneficiary is in
Japan, that cannot be obtained.

Trusting that this answers your letter
and clears up the matter, we are

Yours truly,

S. M. Gibson,
Insurance Department

SMG:JS

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August 29, 1946.

REGISTERED

Mr. Mamoru UJIE,
C/o Francis Barnes,
Lunby, B.C.

Dear Sir:

We enclose herewith Custodian cheque in the amount of \$162.35, which represents the cash surrender value of your Manufacturers Life Insurance Co. Policy #691120, \$174.52, less a claim of \$12.17 filed against you by N. Nishiguchi Co. Ltd. We are advised by Mr. C. W. Morrow of Vernon, your solicitor, that you admit the Nishiguchi claim and it is now being paid to them.

Your file discloses that you declared you had no property of any kind in the protected area of British Columbia. However, a War Savings Redemption check in the amount of \$44.84 was received by the Custodian on your behalf and forwarded to you on March 25, 1943.

Will you kindly acknowledge receipt of our check which closes your account.

Yours truly,

F. J. Iverson,
Protection Department.

FJI:CG
Encl. (2)

(Information supplied by Ins. Co.)

LIFE INSURANCE

Name Mamoru Ujiye

File No. 12544

Reg. No.

Company Manufacturing Life Ins. Co. Agency Vancouver

Policy No. 691,120

Premium - \$ 48.55

Payable: Annually, Semi-annually or monthly

Month May Day 4th

REMARKS: