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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 INFORMATIONNAME: HAMANO (Hana) Mrs. Shoyemon.HOME ADDRESS: Claxton Cannery, Skeena River, B.C.REGISTRATION NUMBER III67 SEX: (f) AGE: 48OCCUPATION: Cannery Worker.

(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: Claxton Cannery.MARRIED? Widow.NAME OF WIFE OR HUSBAND: NoneADDRESS OF WIFE OR HUSBAND: NoneNAMES OF ANY LIVING CHILDREN: NoneADDRESS OF CHILDREN: NoneAGE OF CHILDREN: None**STATEMENT OF ALL REAL PROPERTY** (Each parcel must be mentioned and particulars given)1. LOCATION AND DESCRIPTION: None2. BUILDINGS AND OTHER IMPROVEMENTS: None3. INSURANCE (Give particulars; state where policies are) None4. TAXES (Amount and where payable) None

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

None6. 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: Company House at Claxton Cannery, B.

Skeena River, B. C.

2. LANDLORD'S NAME AND ADDRESS: B. C. Packers, Ltd.,

Skeena River, B. C.

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

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 Singer Sewing Machine, 5 boxes of Household equipment

approximate value \$400.00 left in charge of the B.C. Packers Ltd.

at Claxton Cannery, Skeena River, B. C.

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: None5. MORTGAGES, LIENS AND OTHER CLAIMS ON PROPERTY IN POSSESSION OF
OTHERS: None

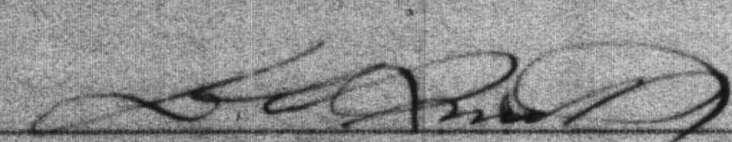
6. MONEYS OWING TO YOU (State if any of these debts assigned and if so, to whom)

None

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

None8. BANK ACCOUNTS: Can. Bank of Commerce, Prince Rupert, B. C. \$50.009. LIFE INSURANCE: None10. INTEREST IN ANY ESTATES OR TRUSTS. None11. SAFETY DEPOSIT BOX: None**LIABILITIES:**1. PERSONAL DEBTS: None2. TRADE DEBTS: NoneREMARKS: None

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 24th day of March, 1942.(Signature) HANA KAMANO
Witness

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INFORMATION FROM R.C.M.P.

DATE April 29/43

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Full Name HAMANO, Hana (Mrs. Shoyemon)
(Surname in Block Letters)

Registration No. 11167

^V
Male - Female
(Check)

Age Mar. 13/1893

Former Address Claxton Cannery, Skeena River, B.C.

409 Alexander St., City

Date Evacuated June 29/1942

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Naturalized - Canadian-Born - National
(Check)

Present Address Slocan, B.C.

Widow
Married - Single
(Check)

Name of Wife ----

Name of Husband Shoyemon (Dec'd)

Name of Mother Dec'd

Name of Father Dec'd

Names of Children under 16

Requested by C. Girard

Registered with Custodian Yes
(Yes or No)

Additional Information

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PERSONAL PROPERTY SUMMARY

May 22, 1946.

Re: Hana (Mrs. Shovemon) HAMANO, #11167

This woman signed a declaration to the Custodian on March 24, 1942. She was evacuated on June 29, 1942.

In her declaration she reported a sewing machine and 5 boxes of household equipment left at Claxton Cannery, Skeena River. These were all shipped to her on May 16, 1942. — *see shipment of June 5/42, right of Johnny Vachus*

This woman reported a bank account with the Bank of Commerce, Prince Rupert, with a balance of \$50.00. This did not come under the control of this office.

This file reveals no other property of any kind.

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

G. Mackison

May 22, 1946.

MEMORANDUM

File No.: 492

May 1st, 1944

To: FILE

From: Mr. Green

Re: Hana (Mrs. Shoyemon) HAMANO

When Mr. Smith was at the Claxton Cannery in April 1942 he only listed a sewing machine as belonging to this Japanese. Most, if not all, of her belongings seem to have been shipped on or about May 16th, as per application of that date asking for seven pieces against the six declared. I consider, therefore, that the file may be reasonably regarded as closed.

HFG:IF

To the Secretary of State acting
in his capacity as Custodian.

I HAMANO Mrs. H., Police
registration No. 11167, hereby request you to
release to me the under-noted property stored at
elaxton Cannery, Skeena River B.C.

and I release you from any claim whatsoever with respect to
such property.

Description of Property:

Nos. 1,2,3, sewing machine

2 tubs sauce

1 washtub

7 pieces

Dated this 18th day of May 1942.

Mrs. H. Hamano
(Japanese sign here)

Approved

J. A. Rose

B. C. SECURITY COMMISSION.

NOTE:

The Custodian is advised that the B.C. Security Commission will pay transportation charges up to 1,000 pounds (which amount includes the free baggage allowed by railroad company on tickets), and any charges over this amount will have to be for the account of the individual Japanese evacuee.

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Shen City P.L.
Oct. 20, 1942.

Dear Sir:

We were very much surprised to hear from you that we I owed Mr. Harkinson of Prince Rupert 128.00. This has been paid over eight years back when my husband had been alive and had been OK and done with. I had my receipt until I came to Hastings Park but as I was told that we couldn't bring that I haven't set my receipts such like. I have paid all my loans now and was very surprised to hear such a thing. Please tell Mr. Harkinson of Prince Rupert to carefully go through his papers once more. I am very sure this is paid, as I know when he charged me that much on my sickness. Being you again to check up the papers.

Yours Truly
Mrs. Shimon Harano.