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BURAU HASTINGS PARK
OFFICE OF THE CUSTODIAN
JAPANESE SECTION

FILE NO.

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

NAME: **MIZUHARA Joe**HOME ADDRESS: **36 Nansimo St., Vancouver, B. C.** REGISTRATION No. **01354**SEX: **Male** AGE: **22** MARRIED? **No**OCCUPATION AND EMPLOYER: **Clerk Father S. MIZUHARA Deceased Jan 1942**NAME OF WIFE OR HUSBAND: **None** ADDRESS:

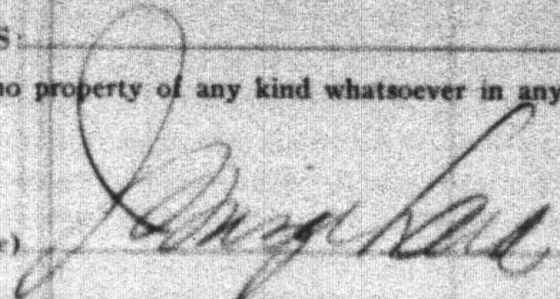
NAMES OF LIVING CHILDREN: ADDRESS:

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 **13th** day of **April** 1942.

WITNESS: (Signature) 

FOR DEPARTMENTAL USE

None

HOW DO YOU PROPOSE TO PAY THESE OFF?

None

LIST OF LIABILITIES:

INFORMATION FROM R.C.M.P.

Date

7/6/43

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Full Name

MIZUHARA, Joe

(Surname in Block Letters)

Registration No.

01354

Male - Female
(check)

Age

Feb. 16/1920

Former Address

36 Nanaimo St., City

245 Powell St., City

Date Evacuated

Oct. 30/42

Naturalized - Canadian-Born - National
(check)

Present Address

New Denver, B.C.

Married - Single
(check)

Name of Wife

Name of Husband

Name of Mother

(nee NAKAGAWA)
Tomi #07958

Name of Father

Seikichi #07572

Names of Children under 16

Requested by

E.B.

Registered with Custodian

yes
(Yes or No)

Additional Information

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no 410

3-11-43

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LIABILITY SUMMARY

File No. 3563

December 18/46

RE: Joe WIZUHARA, Reg. No. 01354

On Dec. 19/42 Dr. J. E. Thomson filed a claim against Joe WIZUHARA in the sum of \$75.00. On discussing this claim with Dr. Thomson he stated he would settle the claim for \$60.00 if payment was made promptly. Mr. WIZUHARA was advised of this but replied that his earnings would not permit him to pay this claim. He has no funds with the Custodian which could be applied on this account.

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

Dec. 18/46

LSM:


L. McKinnon

GENERAL SUMMARY

File No. 3563

Dec. 19/46

RE: Joe MIZUHARA, Reg. No. 01354

Joe MIZUHARA made his declaration to the Custodian on April 13/42 and was evacuated Oct. 30/42. He signed a yellow "No property" card stating he owned no property of any kind whatsoever in any protected area of B.C. and none was found by the Custodian belonging to him.

There is a claim against him by Dr. J. W. Thomson in the sum of \$75.00, but he has no funds with the Custodian that could be used to pay this account.

There is some correspondence on file relative to the Canada Mico Company. This has nothing to do with Joe MIZUHARA personally, but as his father was Manager of this Company prior to evacuation and Joe looked after the books, it was thought he might be able to give the required information. However he did not reply to these letters.

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

Dec. 19/46

LEM:

L. D. MacInnon
L. MacInnon

HAROLD D. CAMPBELL

CHARTERED ACCOUNTANT

808-812 STANDARD BANK BUILDING

VANCOUVER, B. C.

LICENSED TRUSTEE
IN BANKRUPTCY

TELEPHONE
PACIFIC 1287

August 18, 1942.

R. P. Alexander, Esq.,
Manager,
Office of the Custodian,
Department of the Secretary of State,
506 Royal Bank Building,
Vancouver, B. C.

Telephoned reply
No.

Dear Mr. Alexander:

Re- J. Mizuhara. Reg. # 01354

As I told you over the telephone, I was advised this morning that all male Japanese between the ages of 18 and 65 years of age are being placed in Hastings Park.

For more than three months, as you know, I have had the services of a Japanese, Joe Mizuhara as interpreter. During this period his services to me have become of much greater variety than that of interpreting. He has developed a thorough knowledge of the routine of the Custodian's Office and further to that has appreciated the Custodian's protective attitude toward the Japanese and the great assistance that office has been to his people. I have literally run into dozens of Japanese who, because of wild rumours and misinformation in connection with your office, have refused to co-operate with me in any way. He has been able, by virtue of his belief and understanding of what you are trying to do, to obtain the active co-operation of these antagonistic individuals.

Now that most of the male Japanese population will be removed from the City, it will entail my dealing almost entirely with the Japanese women still on the different premises which, in turn, makes for more difficult basis of dealing. It is therefore even more important than previously that if my services to your office are to be as effective as in the past, that I retain Mizuhara's services.

I would appreciate very much your contacting the Security Commission and arrange for him to obtain a permit to remain at large, and further to that, in view of the early sunset which controls the limitation of the curfew regulations, you request a curfew permit for him. This last, as a considerable amount of his contact work is only possible in the evenings.

Yours very truly,

H. D. CAMPBELL.

Per. *Edwin Messenger*

RCM:JM

File No. 3563.

CLAIMS DEPARTMENT

June 16th, 1943.

Joe MIZUHARA - Registration No. 01354

CREDITORS:

Dr. J.W. Thomson \$75.00

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*Letter for 6-16-43
for Dr. Thomson
paid 6-16-43
P*

HRD:DE

advised 3-11-43

*no further action
P*

*No further action
by claims
6-10-44
P*

November 16th, 1943,
New Denver, B. C.

YOUR FILE NO. 3563.

The Office of the Custodian,
Dept. of the Secretary of State,
508 Royal Bank Bldg.,
Vancouver, B. C.

Attention Mr. A. McAlister:

Dear Sir:

RE: Dr. J. W. Thomson - \$75.00

I am in receipt of a bill of Nov. 3rd regarding the above claim from the Doctor himself which I am filing with you.

You may recall the instance sometime ago regarding my late father, S^{ai}kichi Mizuhara claim against him which my mother gladly paid the Doctor. As you remember my mother was not force to pay his claim but did so, to remember the Doctor for his past favours.

At the present, it is impossible for me to submit any payments from my earnings which I am receiving today. Therefore, I would appreciate it very much if you would be good enough to make a reply on my behalf outlining my case.

Thanking you for all the trouble that which I have cause you in this matter, I am,

Yours truly,

Joe Mizuhara
Joe Mizuhara

EVACUATION SECTION	
NOV 19 1943	
File No.	
Ans.	BND
Referred	W. A. Miller

November 20, 1943.

Mr. Joe MIZUHARA,
Registration No. 01354,
New Denver, B. C.

Dear Sir:

As your late father was the Secretary of the Canada Mio Company Limited, Mr. Campbell of this City states that you could give us the information we require.

Mr. Yoshizo Mukai's Estate is being probated at the present time by their solicitor and the following is a letter we have received with reference to certificates held by the late Mr. Mukai in this company.

"In addition to the assets shown on the Inventory there are certificates for 165 shares of Canada Mio Co. Ltd. I do not know at present just how title to this stock can be proved. The shares are issued in the name of Mataichi Tanaki and they were apparently properly assigned to Yoshizo Mukai, but the name Mataichi Tanaki has been struck out and I. Yamamoto inserted, in the assignment that is. The shares are of the par value of \$10.00 each with \$5.00 paid on them. I have not yet been able to ascertain in what name the shares stand in the books of the company."

We would appreciate it if you would supply the above information by return mail.

Yours truly,

George Peters,
Administration Department.

GP:EB

DEPARTMENT OF
LABOUR



CANADA

BRITISH COLUMBIA SECURITY COMMISSION

New Denver, B. C., December 2nd, 1943

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

EVACUATION SECTION	
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Ans.	<i>Chap</i>
Referred	<i>Peter</i>

Attention Mr. George Peters

Dear Sirs:-

I would refer to your letter of November
22nd re Joe Mizuhara, #01354, File No. 3563.

I have today interviewed the above Japanese
and he informs me that he is unable to give this information
as the books were all left in Vancouver. He had only been
looking after the books himself for the past two years and
he states that if his father, who is now deceased, had been
living, he would have possibly been able to give us the
information.

I regret that I am unable to obtain any
more information for you.

Yours truly,

H. P. Lougheed
(H. P. LOUGHEED)
Supervisor

HPL:AH

c. c. Mr. M. L. Brown, Office Manager, BCSC, VANCOUVER

Investigation order?

*See letter to
Phindl 10619*

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June 13th, 1946.

Mr. Joe MIZUHARA,
Reg. No. 01354,
NEW DENVER, B.C.

RE: Safe at 243 Powell St.

Dear Sir:

In the course of a few days the above mentioned safe will be moved from 243 Powell Street and sold.

On July 20th, 1945, we wrote requesting you to send the combination of this safe but did not receive a reply to our letter.

If the combination is not supplied, we will have to have the safe drilled and opened by safe experts. This might lessen its value.

Therefore if you have the combination of the safe, it will be in the best interests of all concerned to send such combination to us as soon as possible.

Yours truly,

G. B. Spain
Protection Department

GBS:LEB