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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 INFORMATIONNAME: INOUE, Donald HiroshiHOME ADDRESS: Hillcrest, B. C.REGISTRATION NUMBER 09238 SEX: (M) AGE: 20OCCUPATION: Logger.

(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: Hillcrest Lumber Company, Hillcrest, B. C.MARRIED? No

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:

2. BUILDINGS AND OTHER IMPROVEMENTS:

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

4. TAXES (Amount and where payable)

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

6. OCCUPANCY AND LEASES (If vacant so state)

STATEMENT OF REAL PROPERTY OCCUPIED

1. LOCATION AND DESCRIPTION: 8 room frame dwelling, Hillcrest, B. C.

2. LANDLORD'S NAME AND ADDRESS: Hillcrest Lumber Company, Hillcrest, B. C.

My father, Menkicht, has the house rented and I live with him.

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

4. STATE WHEREABOUTS OF LEASE:

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

6. IF FARM LAND, PARTICULARS OF CROPS SOWN:

STATEMENT OF PERSONAL PROPERTY OWNED:

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

Victor Radio, stored with Cowichen Merchants, Duncan, B. C.

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

3. GIVE THE NAME AND ADDRESS OF ANY PERSON HAVING ANY INTEREST IN, OR

CLAIM ON ANY SUCH PROPERTY

4. INSURANCE CARRIED ON ABOVE PROPERTY: _____

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

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

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

\$65.00 War Savings Certificates, maturing 1951. In my possession.

8. BANK ACCOUNTS: \$194.00 Bank of Montreal, Duncan, B. C. - forget the
a/c number.

9. LIFE INSURANCE: _____

10. INTEREST IN ANY ESTATES OR TRUSTS. _____

11. SAFETY DEPOSIT BOX: _____

LIABILITIES:

1. PERSONAL DEBTS: _____

2. TRADE DEBTS: _____

REMARKS:

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)

D. Thompson

W. H. Brandon
Witness

FOR DEPARTMENTAL USE _____

INFORMATION FROM R.C.M.P.

Date 12/2/42

Full Name INOUE, Donald Hiroshi
(Surname in Block Letters)

Registration No. 09233

Male - Female
(check)

Age 6/7/21

Former Address Hillcrest BC. & Ladysmith BC
439 Powell St. City

Date Evacuated 11/5/42

Naturalized - Canadian-Born - National
(check)

Present Address Spruce Falls Power & Paper Co
Kapuskasing Ont

Married - Single
(check)

Name of Wife —

Name of Husband —

Name of Mother UYEHARA Hanako Name of Father INOUE Jack
#09352

Names of Children under 16 —
—

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Registered with Custodian yes
(yes or no)

Requested By P. Hunter

Additional Information Logger
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June 24th, 1942

Conishan Merchants,
DUNCAN, B. C.

Dear Sir:

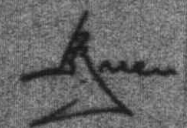
Re: INOUE, Donald Hiroshi
HILLCREST, B. C.

The above has declared to the Custodian that the undernoted articles have been left in your care:

One Victor Radio.

Please acknowledge holding these articles by signing and returning to this office the declaration on the attached copy of this letter in the enclosed envelope.

Yours truly,


for C. L. Drewry
Manager

CLD:LF

I acknowledge holding the articles above described for safe custody and undertake to account for same to the Custodian on behalf of the above named Japanese. I have no claim on such articles (if any claim asserted state basis and amount).

*Storage charge at the rate of 75 cents
per month*

CONISHAN MERCHANTS, LTD.
H. I. Whitaker
President

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RADIOS
REFRIGERATORS

COWICHAN MERCHANTS LIMITED

DEPARTMENTAL STORE

DUNCAN, B. C.

LADIES' WEAR
MILLINERY
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MEN'S WEAR
SHOES
BAGGAGE
WASHING
MACHINES

Green

JUNE 30th,
1942.

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Mr. C. L. Drewry,
Office of the Custodian,
506 Royal Bank Building,
VANCOUVER, B. C.

OFFICE OF THE CUSTODIAN
JAPANESE SECTION

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Dear Sir:

RE: INOUE, Donald Hiroshi
HILLCREST, B. C.

Replying to your letter of the 24th instant, we have a radio cased (make unknown) and have accordingly signed the attached declaration.

The storage owing on this radio to the end of June is \$2.62, - three months and a half at 75 cents per month.

Yours truly,

COWICHAN MERCHANTS LTD.

H. L. Chidamb

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July 11, 1942.

Mr. Donald H. Inouye, Reg. No. 09233,
Japanese Work Camp,
Slocan, B. C.

Dear Sir:

You declared to the Custodian that you had a radio in storage with Cowichan Merchants Ltd., of Duncan, B. C. We have written the above and they report having such a radio in storage for you, but they also state that to the end of June the storage charge for same is \$2.62. Will you kindly inform this office as to what arrangements you are making for the payment of the above storage.

Yours truly,

FTW:MA

H. F. Green, Manager,
Protection Department.

Green
Florence City BC
Aug 5 1942 C

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JAPANESE SECTION

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AUG 11 1942

Mr Green,

Dept of State - Cust of Enemy Alien Property
- San Francisco BC

In regard to your letter of July 13th 1942
concerning storage payment of our radios
which is at present being stored at the
Couchman Merchants Ltd in Vancouver BC.

I wish to inform you
that as soon as we are settled here &
providing that we may use our radios
here - we are expecting to have it sent
out to the above address - by ~~air~~ freight.
For this

settlement must with your approval

According to
the proper authorities I am told that
we can only use a standard wave set -
and our hopping is to be a short wave
band two - so I was wanting to know
if someone in London could

do the job of doing away with the short wave
band? Is it legal?

Perhaps Rev. you could tell me
more about this matter. If we must be disapp-
ointed - we would be much obliged if you
could inform us on what conditions we could
sell our radios by private sale. And what
about cars? Ours is now being held at
Victoria - and we would like to have it here
too - are there any restrictions etc? and
how do we go about getting our gas ration
card?

I will be looking for an early
reply and have enclosed a stamped
envelope return

Respectfully yours

— Indurke

(per M. Indurke)

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August 12th, 1942

The Cowichan Merchants, Ltd.,
Duncan, B. C.

Dear Sirs:-

Re: INOUE, Donald Hiroshi

In answer to your letter of June 30th on the above man, we may be able to ship this radio to him if the Shortwave portion can be removed. Would it be possible for you to get a quotation for the cost of removing the Shortwave portion, the value of which could perhaps be used to offset the cost of removal.

When we know this we will write to the Japanese and ask him to send us sufficient to cover this item and storage charges owing to you. On receipt of the money we shall then probably request you to go ahead with this work and to send the radio to him charges payable collect. Would you, therefore, please arrange if possible for an estimate for this work?

Yours truly,

H. F. Green
Manager Protection Dept.

HFG:IF

now decided
in pending to be shipped to owner
pending completion of evacuation from
hawaii as many Japanese returning

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AUGUST 15th,
1942.

Manager, Protection Dept.,
Dept. Secretary of State,
506 Royal Bank Bldg.,
Hastings -Granville,
VANCOUVER, B.C.

Dear Sir:

RE: DONALD HIROSHI INOUE

Replying to yours of the 12th instant, as the repair and mechanic man in charge of radios is away on vacation, and will not return until next Thursday, we will be unable to attend to this matter until then, but at that time it will be attended to.

Yours truly

COWICHAN MERCHANTS LTD.

A. L. Whitaker

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MEMORANDUM

November 13, 1942.

TO: file #13271 and file #8219
FROM: Mr. R. P. Alexander

Mr. Mankichi INOUE,
file #13271 is the father of
Donald Hiroshi INOUE, file #8219

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R. S. Bell
Green Ball 1409
COWICHAN MERCHANTS LIMITED
DEPARTMENTAL STORE

DUNCAN, B.C.

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AUGUST 26th,
1942.

YOUR FILE
No. 8219

C.L. Drewry, Esq.,
506 Royal Bank Bldg.,
Hastings & Granville,
VANCOUVER, B.C.

Dear Mr. Drewry:-

RE: DONALD HIROSHI INOUE
HILLCREST.

Replying to your letter of August 12th regarding the above named, we have now been advised that it will cost \$15.00 to have the shortwave portion to be removed from the radio but the part itself is of no value to the radio man and could not be used to offset the cost of \$15.00.

Yours truly,

COWICHAN MERCHANTS LTD.

N. L. Whittaker

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506 Royal Bank Bldg.,
Vancouver, B. C.
September, 1, 1942.

Mr. Donald H. Inouye,
Reg. No. 09233,
Japanese Work Camp,
Slocan, B. C.

Dear Sir:

Re: Radio Equipment

In reply to your letter of the 5th instant, we have to advise that we are now in receipt of an estimate for removing the short wave band from the radio set which you have stored with Cowichan Merchants Ltd., Duncan, B. C.

The cost would be \$15.00 (Fifteen Dollars). The parts removed could not be sold to offset part of this cost as there is no market for such parts. Even if this part of the equipment were removed, however, the set could not be shipped to you at the present time.

You mention selling the set. If you decide to do so we can have the set valued for the purpose, or if you will put a limit on it we will endeavour to obtain that figure, or more.

The proceeds of such a sale would be held by the Custodian on your behalf.

Yours truly,

R. G. Bell
(For Authorized Deputy of the Secretary
of State and/or Custodian.)

13271 & 8219.

February 4, 1943.

Mr. Donald Hiroshi INOUE,
Registration No. 09233,
Slocan City, B.C.

Dear Sir:

Re: Mr. Mankichi INOUE, Registration No. 09292.

On November 18th we forwarded "JP" forms to your Father requesting him to fill up the forms and return them to us, and we wrote to him again on December 19th but have so far had no reply to either of our letters. We are enclosing herewith another set of three JP forms and also a 'No Property' card. Will you very kindly ask your Father either to fill up the "JP" property declaration forms, or, if he has no property in the Protected Area, the yellow card. The forms should be signed, witnessed and returned to this office as quickly as possible. We should very much appreciate your attention to this matter.

Yours truly,

D. M. Chope.
Administration Department.

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ALL CORRESPONDENCE MUST BE
ADDRESSED TO THE FIRM

COWICHAN MERCHANTS LIMITED

DEPARTMENTAL STORE

DUNCAN, B.C.

January 13, 1944

The Custodian
Jap Evacuation Section
506 Royal Bank Bldg.
Victoria, B. C.

Dear Sir:

About March 17th, 1942, we reported to you having a radio in storage for Mrs. Jack Inouye, who is now at Slocan City.

We enclose a letter from Mrs. Inouye's son asking us to ship the radio to group captain and Mrs. H. G. Richards, St. George, Ontario, for whom a daughter appears to be working.

Will you please authorize shipment if in order, and return enclosed letter.

Yours truly,

COWICHAN MERCHANTS LIMITED.

H. L. Whistler

HLW/JT

*Should have Donald's O.K.
and copy to him at Duncan*

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EVACUATION SECTION	
Rec'd	JAN 13 1944
File No.	
Ans.	
Referred	<i>Matthews</i>

Green

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January 22nd, 1944

The Cowichan Merchants Ltd.,
Departmental Store,
Duncan, B. C.

Dear Sirs:-

Re: Donald Hiroshi INOUE

Thank you for yours of January 13th enclosing letter from John S. Inouye. Our records show that the radio was actually declared to this office by Donald Inouye and previous correspondence about it has been on his file. Under these circumstances, we feel that we should have his authority before requesting you to arrange shipment and we are writing to him accordingly.

We are returning herewith your enclosure and will write to you further as soon as we hear from Donald Inouye.

Yours truly,

H. F. Green
Protection Department

Enc.
HFG:IF

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

PHONE PACIFIC 6131

PLEASE REFER TO

FILE NO. 8219

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

January 22nd, 1944

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Referred	Green

Mr. Donald Hiroshi INOUE,
Registration No. 09233,
Spruce Falls Power & Paper Co.,
Kapuskasing, Ontario.

Dear Sir:-

You will recall that you declared to the Custodian a Victor radio stored with the Cowichan Merchants. The latter have now received a letter from your brother, John, asking that the radio be shipped to the employers of presumably your sister, Margaret, being Group Captain and Mrs. H. G. Richards of St. George, Ontario. We have no objection to shipment being made but as the radio was originally declared by you, we think we should first have your authority. Will you kindly send us this? A copy of this letter is going to your brother, John, so that he may be advised of the reason for the delay in shipment.

Yours truly,


H. F. Green
Protection Department

HFG:IF
c/c to John S. Inouye

EVACUATION SECTION	
Rec'd	FEB 8 1944
File No.	
Ans.	
Referred	<i>Green</i>

Camp 39.

Kapuskasing Ont.

Feb. 1st 1944.

Dear Sir. —

According to the rules,
I have no objection to have it
stepped to my sister, Margaret
in St. George, Ontario.

Yours truly,

S. H. Grouse

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February 9th, 1944

The Cowichan Merchants Ltd.,
Departmental Store,
Duncan, B. C.

Re: Donald Hiroshi INOUE

Dear Sirs:-

Further to ours of January 22nd, we have now heard from the above and he raises no objection to the shipment of the radio declared by him to his sister Margaret in St. George, Ontario. Actually, we see that the request is that shipment be made to her employers Group Captain and Mrs. H. G. Richards. Would you kindly, therefore, arrange accordingly being careful to incur no expense for the account of this office as we have no funds on hand. You should also protect yourselves for any accrued storage charge.

Yours truly,

H. F. Green
Protection Department

HFG:IF

*no record of
shipment on
File 9221, the file
of Margaret Inoue
Maclean*