

ROYAL CANADIAN MOUNTED POLICE

DIVISION "K" SUB-DIVISION LETHBRIDGE DETACHMENT C.I.B.(Intell.)

PROVINCE Alberta

DATE

June 15th, 1942.

RE: JAPANESE CONDITIONS - Canada - Generally.

FILE REFERENCES

SECRET.

HEADQUARTERS

SUB-DIVISION

LS 52-121

DETACHMENT

491-108

P. C. R.

23-6-40
to
27-5-42
4-6-42.

A. R. V. No.

1. I am advised by a Japanese who admitted membership in the Japanese Canadian Citizens Council, that this council has been broken up with the evacuation. It was considered by him that approximately fifty percent of all Canadian born Japanese had paid dues to this organization which amounted to \$1.00 per year. He was reasonably certain that the former Executive members had been sent to Ontario and further stated that none of the Executive members had come to the Lethbridge area. Also assured me that up to the present at least no effort had been made here to re-establish this organization or to provide an executive member or representative in this district. Further enquiry will be made in this regard.

2. Shinjo IKUTA, Bhuddist Priest, has been provided residence in connection with the Bhuddist Church in Raymond and will no doubt continue to reside there. The Raymond Japanese Association are apparently quite satisfied with him and since he has arrived here as a Priest under sanction of the B.C. Security Commission, are quite open and above board in supporting him. I am also advised that it is still desired to have Y. KAWAMURA, also a Priest, removed from the district if possible.

STILL UNDER INVESTIGATION.

O.C. "K" Division,
R.C.M.P.: EDMONTON.

Sgt. Murray D/A/Cpl.
S.M. Murray, Reg. #11556.

Sir:

FORWARDED for your information.

16-6-42

H/I

sgt. "J. Brunet" Inspector,
Commanding Lethbridge Sub-Division.

O.C. "E" Div. R.C.M.P. VANCOUVER, B.C.

Sir: Forwarded for your information. Your file M.J.18.
The information outlined in paragraph 1 hereof may be of
interest to your Intelligence Section.

Edmonton

17-6-42

P/F

J. D. Bird, Supt.
i/c "K" Division C.I.B.

DIARY DATE

The B.C. Security Commission,
Vancouver, B.C.

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FORWARDED for your information.

Vancouver.

19-6-42.

AHOJ/M.

J. Fripps
(J. Fripps) D/Insp.
For O.C. "E" Divn. A.C.D.

TELEPHONE:
PACIFIC 6439
PACIFIC 8431

Japanese Canadian Citizens' Council

215 E. CORDOVA STREET
VANCOUVER, B. C.

April 28th, 1942.

Capt. J. H. Jenkins
B. C. Security Commission
Vancouver, B. C.

Dear Capt. Jenkins:-

Enclosed herewith is the list of the members of the Japanese Canadian Citizens' Council.

It will be very much appreciated if you will kindly look after the matter of deferment of these persons.

Sincerely yours,

Kenji Shimizu

Mrs. Root

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Indicates
permission to
remain until
further orders.

The personnel of the Japanese Canadian Citizens' Council

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|-------------------------------------|---|-------------------|
| ✓ 1. Atagi, Kaoru | Steveston, B.C. + | #05071 |
| ✓ 2. Banno, Dr. Edward C. | 193 E. Hastings St.
504 E. Hastings St. | (Deputy Permit) |
| 3. Fujita, Norah Miss | 8754 Selkirk St. | |
| 4. Hatanaka, Yoshio | 2152 Marine Drive, W. Van. | #01123 |
| 5. Hidaka, Kazuko Miss | 4390 Locarno Crescent | |
| ✓ 6. Hidaka, Kunio | 4536 W. 8th Ave. | #11319 |
| ✓ 7. Higuchi, Yoshikazu R. | 1701 W. 3rd Ave. | #08093 |
| ✓ 8. Homma, Seiji | 671 E. Cordova St. | #08007 |
| 9. Hyodo, Hide Miss | 6751 Victoria Drive | |
| 10. Iguchi, Masuko Miss | 30 Water Street | |
| ✓ 11. Ishiwara, Dr. George A. | 193 E. Hastings St. X
348 E. Cordova St. | (Dis. Permit) |
| 12. Kagawa, Kazuko Miss | 843 E. Cordova St. | |
| 13. Kato, Kiyoshi Miss | 2760 Alma Road | |
| 14. Kitagawa, Muriel Mrs. | 2751 E. Pender St. | |
| ✓ 15. Kurita, Toshio | 306 Alexander St. | #07777 |
| 16. Kuwabara, Dr. Hiroharu | 1302 S.W. Marine Drive | (Dis. Permit) |
| 17. Maikawa, Kiyo Mrs. | 2267 Napier Street | |
| ✓ 18. Matsuba, Shizuo | 153 Moncton St., Steveston X | #10745 |
| ✓ 19. Murakami, Sokichi Bert | 229 Ewen St., New West. X | #08207 |
| ✓ 20. Nakamura, Frank H. | 233 Princess Ave. | #02001 |
| 21. Naruse, Kanao | 189 E. Hastings St. X
Steveston, B.C. | (Dis. Permit) |
| 22. Oda, Kay Miss | Steveston, B.C. X
406 Alexander, St. | |
| 23. Okamura, Myea Miss | 504 E. Hastings St. | |

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24. Omura, Shogo ~~R.R.#1, Hammond, B.C.~~ *gone to Sugar*

(X) ✓ 25. Onotera, Hideo R.R.#1, New Westminster, B.C. #10588
Patricia Hotel, #336

Extension May 18
(X) ✓ 26. Shibuya, Kiyoshi H. 378 Powell St. #00899
2303 E. Georgia St.

(X) ✓ 27. Shiga, Hajime 2591 W. 45th Ave. #06619

(X) ✓ 28. Shimizu, Kunio 215 E. Cordova St. #00048
391 Powell St.

29. Shintani, Eileen Miss 832 E. Cordova St.

(X) ✓ 30. Shoyama, Kunito T. 215 E. Cordova St. #00072

31. Suzuki, Aya Miss 8814 Selkirk St.

32. Suzuki, Hajime 377 Powell St. *of home*
562 Alexander St.

(X) ✓ 33. Suzuki, Tatsuro B. R.R.#1, New Westminster, B.C. #10959
Patricia Hotel, #336

34. Takayama, Shoichi #01258

(X) ✓ 35. Tsuchiya, Harry 881 Union St. #10838

✓ 36. Tsuji, Rev. Takashi 604 E. Cordova St. *Special permit* #15077
391 Powell St.

37. Uchida, Chitose Miss 439 Powell St.

S.O. by order
(X) ✓ 38. Yamamura, Roy Sueki ~~776 E. Cordova St.~~ #12986
~~396 Powell St.~~

(X) ✓ 39. Yatabe, Eiji 2818 Yew St. #07250

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B. C. Security Commission,
Marine Building,
Vancouver, B. C.

Attention: Capt. J.H. Jenkins ✓

Dear Sir,

We wish to notify you that the following persons, Fujikazu Tanaka and Robert Y. Shimoda, are no longer members of the Japanese Canadian Citizens' Council, and are now in no way connected with that organization.

Yours very truly,

Kenji Shimizu
General Secretary,

Japanese Canadian Citizens' Council.

*Thoued
17/Jul/42
to pick up a return
Park parcels of the
2 refs to J.H.J.*

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April 2nd, 1942.

Officer Commanding,
R.C.M. Police,
VANCOUVER, B.C.

Re: Your File M.J. #21.

Dear Sir:

1. This will acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 1st instant to which was attached a statement to the Japanese public from the Japanese Canadian Citizens' Council dated the 31st ultimo.
2. Mr. Murphy, mentioned in the second paragraph of your letter had an interview with the Chairman of this Commission last night. He was accompanied by two Naturalized Canadian Japanese and Mr. Taylor advises me that these people left him with an entirely different viewpoint as to what the Commission was attempting to do, compared with what they had when they sought the interview.
3. During the last day or two, paid notices have been given to the "New Canadian" for publication and it is the intention of the Commission to follow this up later so if any of these people are prepared to believe what the Commission has to say, there will be no excuse for them listening to idle rumours. As you know, the question of evacuation will cease to be a problem if we have a place to put these people.

Yours very truly,

F.J. Mead, Commissioner,
B.C. Security Commission.

FJM/DR
Encl: