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BUREAU HASTINGS PARK 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 INFORMATION

NAME: KAWAMOTO Maria

HOME ADDRESS: Thorne Ave., Elsona P.O. Barnaby, B. C.

REGISTRATION NUMBER 06602 SEX: Female AGE: 18

OCCUPATION: Unemployed

(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: None

MARRIED? No

NAME OF WIFE OR HUSBAND: None

ADDRESS OF WIFE OR HUSBAND: None

NAMES OF ANY LIVING CHILDREN: None

ADDRESS OF CHILDREN: None

AGE OF CHILDREN: None

STATEMENT OF ALL REAL PROPERTY (Each parcel must be mentioned and particulars given)

1. LOCATION AND DESCRIPTION: None

2. BUILDINGS AND OTHER IMPROVEMENTS: None

3. INSURANCE (Give particulars; state where policies are) None

4. TAXES (Amount and where payable) None

5. ENCUMBRANCES (Including any unregistered claims or deposit of title deed) None

6. OCCUPANCY AND LEASES (If vacant so state) None

7. STATE WHEREABOUTS OF TITLE DOCUMENTS: _____
8. STATE IF ANY OTHER PERSON HAS ANY INTEREST: _____
9. IF FARM LAND STATE CROPS SOWN: _____

STATEMENT OF REAL PROPERTY OCCUPIED

1. LOCATION AND DESCRIPTION: Five-room frame cottage on Thorne Ave., Burnaby, B.C.
2. LANDLORD'S NAME AND ADDRESS My father, KAWAMOTO Itokichi, Thorne Ave.,
Elsona P.O. Burnaby, B. C.
3. PARTICULARS OF LEASE AND RENT AND DATE TO WHICH PAID: None
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: None
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: _____

5. MORTGAGES, LIENS AND OTHER CLAIMS ON PROPERTY IN POSSESSION OF
OTHERS: None6. MONEYS OWING TO YOU (State if any of these debts assigned and if so, to whom) None7. BONDS, DEBENTURES, SHARES, STOCKS OR OTHER SECURITIES (State whereabouts)
None8. BANK ACCOUNTS \$495.70 in the Japan & Canada Trust Savings Co., Vancouver, B.C.
Account No. K28539. LIFE INSURANCE: None10. INTEREST IN ANY ESTATES OR TRUSTS: None11. SAFETY DEPOSIT BOX: None

LIABILITIES:

1. PERSONAL DEBTS: None2. TRADE DEBTS: None

REMARKS:

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 2nd day of April 1942.(Signature) Marie Kawamoto

Witness

FOR DEPARTMENTAL USE

INFORMATION FROM R.C.M.P.

Date Aug. 19/43

Our File No. 1253

Full Name KAWAMOTO, Marie
(Surname in Block Letters)

Registration No. 06602

^V
Male - Female
(check)

Age Nov. 8/1923

Former Address Sherman P.O., West Van., B.C.

Date Evacuated Oct. 9/42

^V
Naturalized - Canadian-Born - National
(check)

Present Address

Tashme, B.C. 2nd AUGUST, 1943

^V
Married - Single
(check)

Name of Wife _____

Name of Husband _____

Name of Mother ^{nee} (OKADA) Koshio #06644 Name of Father Itokichi #06645

Names of Children under 16 _____

Requested by E.C.T.

Registered with Custodian Yes
(Yes or No)

Additional Information Student

File No. 1253.

CLAIMS DEPARTMENT

July 19th, 1944.

(Miss) Marie KAWAMOTO - Reg. No. 06602

CREDITORS:

NO CLAIMS ON FILE

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REAL PROPERTY SUMMARY

File 1253

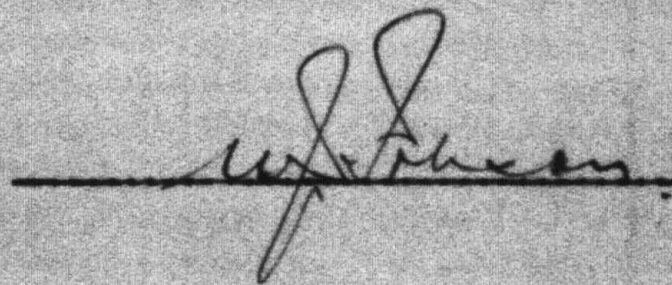
May 22nd, 1946.

Re: Marie KAWAMOTO, Reg. 06602

This file reveals no real property interest and no record of fire insurance carried on any property belonging to this person.

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

WJI:DP

A handwritten signature, likely "W. J. I. DP", is written over a horizontal line.

PERSONAL PROPERTY SUMMARY

File 1253

May 22nd, 1946.

Re: Marie KAWAMOTO, Reg. 06602

CHATELS:

The above Japanese made her declaration to the Custodian on April 2nd, 1942 and was evacuated on October 9th, 1942.

Miss KAWAMOTO declared that she had no property whatsoever in the Protected Area of British Columbia. However, she wrote to us on February 1st, 1945 and asked the Custodian to remove her father, Itokichi KAWAMOTO's belongings from the Thorne Avenue house but it appeared that she and her father had given a Mrs. Evelyn Manuel, a neighbour a prior authority to move the things to the home of Mrs. Manuel. *McPayne*

Later on it appeared that another party who removed the effects with Mrs. Manuel was a Mr. Payne. This man died in 1945 and as his affairs were in the hands of the Official Administrator authority was obtained from Mr. Streight to move and ship anything belonging to the KAWAMOTOS. Shipment was made in April 1945 by the Vanderspeck Company and Miss KAWAMOTO was advised of this on April 13th, 1945. Any other saleable Japanese goods found at the house of Mrs. Manuel was removed and sold at public auction and the proceeds credited to Itokichi KAWAMATO, File 655.

SPECIFIED
ARTICLES:

This file reveals no specified articles.

ACCOUNTS
RECEIVABLE:

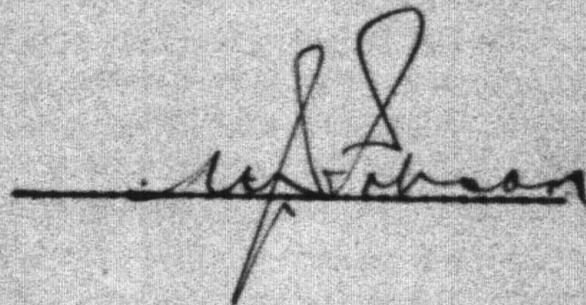
Bank Deposits

Miss KAWAMOTO declared that she had \$495.70 in the Japan & Canada Trust Savings Co. Account No. K2853, but reports from Frederick Field reveals that she was not on their list.

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

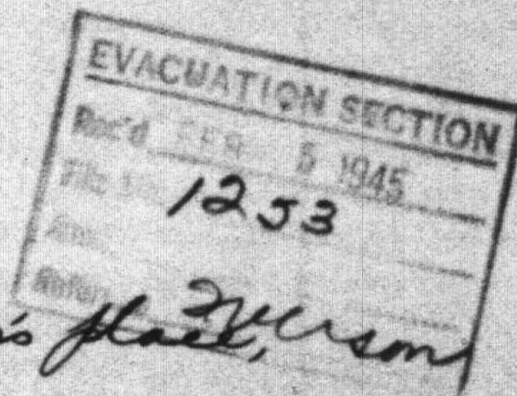
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WJI:DP



Tashme, B.C.,
Feb. 1, 1945.

Eustasian,
Japanese Evacuation Dept.,
Vancouver, B.C.



Re: Chattels kept at neighbour's place,
Thorne Ave. home.

Dear Sir:

We have had some of our personal belongings kept at a neighbour's home after evacuating from Thorne Avenue. I have had word today that the person who had our belongings has died. So will you please have my articles taken to Mrs. Evelyn Manuel who lives along Holland Ave, one block from Thorne. I am quite worried as to the whereabouts it might be taken if I had not sent you word.

Please may we have your immediate attention. I am writing Mrs. Manuel that you will be leaving my things at your her place.

Thanking you kindly,

(Miss) Marie Kawamoto

1015 - 10th Ave.,
Vancouver, B.C.,
March 18/45.

Japanese Evacuation Section,
Vancouver, B.C.

Ref. File # 655

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EVACUATION SECTION	
REC'D MAR 21 1945	
File No.	655
Ans.	
Referred	Gurson

Dear Sir:

It is quite alright to take the freight charge out of our account with the custodian. He would like to have all our belongings sent to us, all the ones that were in Mr. Payne's, our little neighbour's, possession. There are a few boxes of fragile stuff, so chinaware and boxes, and we have one shrine that is breakable. Could you have special care taken with the handling of these? We have some possessions in our chicken house, on our homestead across Mr. Payne's house, and would like to have them if possible. There is an old trunk, you might pack the stuff in that & forward it. We also have a few chattels in that chicken house, & would like to have them as much as possible. However, if this is extra bother then I would just prefer our other things from Mr. Payne's.

I would like as many things as I possibly can have sent to me, as at a time like this when our future is so unsettled I want them with me. My parents worry so much that we often have arguments and makes everything unpleasant. So I would appreciate it if you could do this to the best of your ability. Thanking you kindly,
Truly yours, Marie Kawaguchi

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April 13th, 1945.

Mr. J. M. Streight,
Official Administrator,
713 Columbia St.,
NEW WESTMINSTER, B.C.

RE: 2586 Thorne Ave., New Westminster

Dear Sir:

For the sake of record, we wish to advise that five boxes of dishes, etc., belonging to Itokichi KAWAMOTO were removed from the home of the late Mr. Payne on Thorne Ave., with your permission.

Thanking you for your kindness in this matter,
we are,

Yours truly,

W. J. Iverson
Protection Department

WJI:LBH

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April 13th, 1945.

Miss Marie KAWAMOTO,
Registration No. 06602,
1015 - 10th Ave.,
TASHME, B.C.

Dear Madam:

Referring to your letter of March 18th re
shipment of effects from the homes of Mrs. Manuel and Mr.
Payne, these things are being shipped to you this week via the
Vanderspeck Cartage Co., but we cannot guarantee the contents
in any way as five boxes of small stuff were taken from the
Payne house and the rest given to us by Mrs. Manuel. The bed
left with the latter was sold at our auction as it was not
considered advisable to ship it in view of the possibility of
your moving.

In conclusion we trust that you will reasonably
find what you are looking for amongst this shipment.

Yours truly,

W. J. Iverson
Protection Department

WJI:LBM

MEMORANDUM

File No. 1253
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April 13th, 1945.

TO: The File

FROM: Mr. W. J. Iverson

RE: Miss Marie KAWAMOTO

There were no chattels declared on this file but Miss KAWAMOTO has been corresponding in the matter of her father's effects which are listed on File 655. It will be noted from the latter file that some of the effects were sold to the tenant of 2490 Thorne Avenue, and whatever else was there was either stored or taken away by neighbours under the authority of Miss KAWAMOTO. However, subsequently, much of the small stuff was shipped to Tashme at the request of Miss KAWAMOTO and a few items were sold. Mr. Fisher, of the B. C. Security Commission agreed to the small effects being sent to the KAWAMOTOS.

This completes the recovery of chattels on this file, No. 655, and it may be closed in this respect.

WJI:LEB



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DOMINION OF CANADA
DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE

N^o 709

Issued at: *Tokyo, D.O.*

Date: *June 26th, 1946*

The Government of Canada acknowledges that *Canada* has surrendered property situated in Canada as described herein and agrees to remit the yen equivalent of the net proceeds of such property immediately, or upon liquidation if such action is required, to Japan under arrangements made with, and approved by, the United States Government and the Military Authorities in Japan; Provided that from the proceeds of such property there shall be retained such amounts as are required to repay advances made by the Government of Canada by way of Repatriation Grant.

NEGOTIATED
Cash - *4* 885.00
Bank Draft - *2* 126.85
51,591.85

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R. H. Dew
for Comptroller of the Treasury

Form CT-JAP-2
Rev. 1945

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N^o 1023

DOMINION OF CANADA
DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE

Issued at Vancouver, B.C.,
Date August 1st, 1946

The Government of Canada acknowledges that KAMATO, RUFU
has surrendered property situated in Canada as described herein and agrees to remit the yen equivalent of the net proceeds
of such property immediately, or upon liquidation if such action is required, to Japan under arrangements made with,
and approved by, the United States Government and the Military Authorities in Japan; Provided that from the proceeds
of such property there shall be retained such amounts as may be required to repay advances made by the Government of Ca-
nada by way of Repatriation Grant.

NOT NEGOTIABLE
Cash - - - - - \$32.00 ✓

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[Signature]
for Comptroller of the Treasury

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711 Stock Exchange Bldg.,
475 Howe Street,
Vancouver, B. C.,
Nov. 14/46

Custodian of Enemy Property,
Royal Bank Building,
Vancouver, B. C.

TREASURY DEPT. CLAIM \$ NIL

Dear Sir:

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Re: KAWAMOTO, Marie #06602

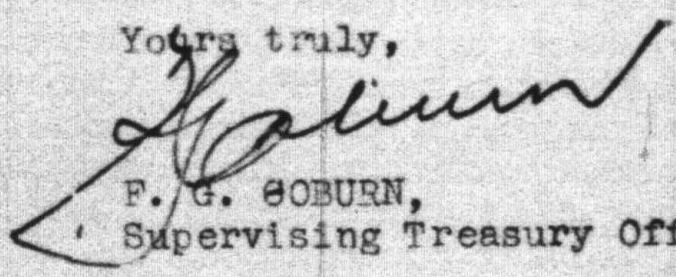
Please note that the above Japanese has been repatriated to Japan. The following is the status of his account with this Department, covering the repatriation transactions:

Money turned in - - - - - \$ 1311.85

Draft Issued- - - - - \$ 1311.85

It will be noted, therefore, that this party is not indebted to this Department in this connection. However, should any further monies come into your hands on this account it should be turned over to this office for transmission to the Japanese in question.

Yours truly,


F. G. SOBURN,
Supervising Treasury Officer.

FGC/EJ.