

1993

Victoria B.C.

OFFICE OF THE CUSTODIAN

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FILE NO. _____

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: **KAWAMURA Tane Mrs**

HOME ADDRESS: **813 Piggard St. Victoria B.C.**

REGISTRATION NUMBER **10083** SEX: **Female** AGE: **80**

OCCUPATION: **Houseworker**

(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: _____

MARRIED? **yes Deceased**

NAME OF WIFE OR HUSBAND: _____

ADDRESS OF WIFE OR HUSBAND: _____

NAMES OF ANY LIVING CHILDREN: **Kikue (F) Isamu (M) Emiko (F)**

Joji (M)

living at
Kikue married Fanny Day BC

ADDRESS OF CHILDREN: **813 Piggard street Victoria B.C.**

AGE OF CHILDREN: **28 yrs 25 yrs 16 yrs 8yrs**

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

1. LOCATION AND DESCRIPTION: **none**

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) _____

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: 813 Fingard Street Victoria B.C.
5 Room Bungalow..
2. LANDLORD'S NAME AND ADDRESS: Enseb. Vancouver B.C. Agent Heisterman
& Forman, 608 View Street. Victoria B.C.
3. PARTICULARS OF LEASE AND RENT AND DATE TO WHICH PAID: \$12.50 per
moth. February 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:

Household Furniture etc. White Sewing Machine (pedal)

Kitchen Sove. Four trunks containing with clothes and
sundry articles

I have been unable to locate any of the above property.

The present tenants of the premises inform me that Mrs.

Kawahara disposed of everything prior to evacuation. *By Hinton*

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

KAWAHARA, Mrs. Tane

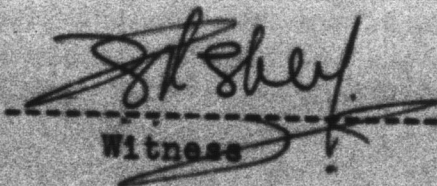
Reg. No. 10095

813 Fisgard St., Victoria, B.C.

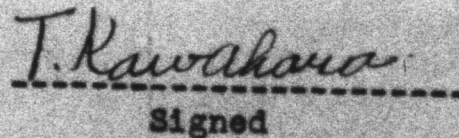
SUPPLEMENTARY TO PREVIOUS
REGISTRATION

1 Portable (make Unknown) Typewriter. Value \$65.00, in
the custody of:

Mrs. Pepper,
808 Balmoral Road,
Victoria, B.C.



Witness



Signed

Dated the 28th Day of April, 1942.

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4. INSURANCE CARRIED ON ABOVE PROPERTY: none
5. 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)
none
8. BANK ACCOUNTS: none
9. LIFE INSURANCE: none
10. INTEREST IN ANY ESTATES OR TRUSTS none
11. SAFETY DEPOSIT BOX: no

LIABILITIES:

1. PERSONAL DEBTS: none
2. TRADE DEBTS: none

REMARKS: Owner is leaving household goods as
stated at 813 Fraser St. upon evacuation.

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 28 day of March 1942.

A. McArthur

Witness

(Signature)

T. M. Kawakawa

FOR DEPARTMENTAL USE

INFORMATION FROM R.C.M.P.

DATE May 2/44

Our File No. 1993

Full Name KAWAHARA, Tane (Mrs. Sotaro)
(Surname in Block Letters)

Registration No. 10053

Male - Female ^V
(Check)

Age Dec. 17/1891

Former Address 813 Fisgard St., Victoria, B.C.

Date Evacuated Sept. 2/42

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

Present Address New Denver, B.C.

Widow
~~Married~~ - Single
(Check)

Name of Wife _____

Name of Husband KAWAHARA, Sotaro (Dec'd)

Name of Mother ^{nee} (NAKAKOBARA) Kikuno Name of Father Deceased

Names of Children under 16 Emiko(F) 3/9/25 #15274

* Jozi(M) 14/1/34

Requested by E. Shaw

Registered with Custodian

(Yes or No)

Additional Information Housework

* Surname of 'Jozi' changed from "FUKUNAGA" to "KAWAHARA".

File No. 1003

September 19th, 1944

CLAIMS DEPARTMENT

Tane KAWAHARA (Mrs. Sotaro) - Reg. No. 10053

(Widow)

CREDITORS:-

1. Drs. Kenning, Kenning & Bassett.....\$125.00

No a/c.....19/9/44.

/WD

EVACUATION SECTION

Rec'd JUN 17 1943

File No. 1993

Ans.

Referred

Vancouver, B.C. June 16th, 1943.

Assistant-Supervisor, B.C. Security Commission, New Denver, B.C.

Re: KAWAHARA, Mrs. Yane #10003

I am in receipt of a letter from Custodian Agent Hinton at Victoria in regard to the goods ordered on your Custodian Release of March 17th, stating that none of the articles mentioned could be found at the address given, 813 Balmoral Rd. The present tenant is a Chinaman who disclaims any knowledge of the belongings and says when he bought the house it was empty. Last May this woman claims she left some effects at this address, but on investigation nothing was found and same was reported to the Custodian at the time. In the case of small parcels of perishable foodstuffs of not sufficient weight to ship, the same were sold or destroyed to avoid attracting rats and disturbing the tenants. There seems to be nothing more we can do in this case, unless Mrs. KAWAHARA can get the Custodian to locate her property.

CWF:VF

c.c. Custodian of Alien Property,
506 Royal Bank Bldg.,
Vancouver, B.C.

M.L. Brown
M.L. Brown
Office Manager

? Isgard on Balmoral

- 1) Reported to Japanese 4-6-43 at H.P. could not be found. - Isgard
- 2) Nothing now at Balmoral as above.
- 3) Japanese, suffering from amnesia? by address

BRITISH COLUMBIA SECURITY COMMISSION.

CUSTODIAN RELEASE FORM

EVACUATION SECTION	
Rec'd	MAY 29 1948
File No.	1993
Ans.	<i>JP</i>
Released	<i>Green</i>

Address: New Denver, B. C.

Date: March 17, 1948.

To: The Secretary of State, acting in his capacity as Custodian, Vancouver, B.C.

I, Mrs. Kawahara, Tane, Police Registration No. 10053

hereby request you to release to me the under-noted property stored at 813 Balmoral Rd., Victoria, B. C.

in possession of The Custodian in Victoria, B. C.

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

Description of Property:

- 4 or 5 large square cans -- contents--foodstuff.
- 3 kettle (tea)
- 1 dinner set in a box
- 3 or 4 buckets
- 1 box of jam
- 1 wash tub.

Original Address: 813 Balmoral Rd., Victoria, B. C.

Date Evacuated to Vancouver: April 22, 1948

Date Evacuated to Present Address: September 2, 1948

Number in Family - 12 years and over 1

Number in Family - 5 to 11 years old 1

Number in Family - under 5 ---

Total Number in Family - 2

I agree to pay all charges as required by the British Columbia Security Commission.

APPROVED:
BRITISH COLUMBIA SECURITY COMMISSION

Per: *[Signature]*

T. Kawahara

Claimant Signs Here

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June 26th, 1943

TRANSPORTATION

The B. C. Security Commission,
The Dick Building,
360 Homer Street,
Vancouver, B. C.

Attention Mr. M. L. Brown

Dear Sir:-

Re: Mrs. Tane KAWAHARA---Reg. #10053

The facts of this case are as follows.

On March 28th, 1942, this Japanese declared that she lived at 813 Fisgard Street and that upon evacuation she would be leaving there her household furniture, sewing machine, stove and four trunks. On April 28th, 1942 she declared in addition a typewriter left with a friend at 808 Balmoral.

Our agent reported (we have no record of the date, but probably about June 1942) that he was unable to locate any of the property at 813 Fisgard Street and that the present tenants informed him that this lady had disposed of everything prior to evacuation. We so advised Mrs. Kawahara on June 19th at Hastings Park and received no answer from her.

On March 17th, 1943, she applied for items as per Custodian Release of that date located at 813 Balmoral being possibly a mistake for Fisgard Street. We are of the opinion that your letter of June 16th, 1943 to the Assistant Supervisor at New Denver covers the matter very fully and that nothing more can be done; but if on receipt of his copy of this letter he likes to give us more information, we will gladly investigate.

Yours truly,

H. F. Green
Protection Department

HFG:IP

EVACUATION SECTION

Rec'd **SECRET** 22-1943

File No. 1993

Ans. H.P.

Referred *Den.*

360 Homer Street,
VANCOUVER, B.C.,
October 21st, 1943.

Custodian of Alien Property,
506 Royal Bank Bldg.,
VANCOUVER, B.C.

Re: KAWAHARA, Mrs. Tane #10053

Referring to Custodian Release of June 15th for goods finally stated to be at 1850 Oak Bay, Victoria, wanted shipped to above at New Denver, this woman will now have a friend pack the goods and take them to the freight shed in order to keep the expense down. If this can be done, we will pay the freight charges from Victoria to New Denver, and I am so instructing the E & N Freight Agent at Victoria. We made the stand that the goods were hardly worth the usually high shipping charges at Victoria, which means the cartage and Custodian Agent's fee. The articles mentioned do not seem to warrant much expense for supervision of shipping if this woman can get a friend to do the work. Not knowing the name of the friend, cannot give any further information. Mr. Hinton in his letter of June 11th made quite an effort to ship what seems to be much the same articles shown on Custodian Release of March 17th, but was unable to find them at 813 Balmoral Road.

CWF:FF
c.c. Gen. Files

C.W. Fisher
C.W. Fisher
Transportation

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1850. Oak Bay Avenue.

Victoria. B.C.

29th June, 1945.

EVACUATION SECTION	
Rec'd	JUL 9 1945
File No.	1928
Ans.	
Referred	K Bell

Sir,

Mrs Tane Kawahara, of Japanese nationality, who used to do housework at this address before being evacuated to New Denver, and who left some household effects here for safekeeping, has written to ask me to forward eight packages of these to her at New Denver. A List is enclosed herewith.

I understand I have to apply for a Permit to ship these goods by C. P. R. freight to New Denver, ^{and} therefore beg to make application herewith.

Yours faithfully,

Percy W. A. Scott.

The

● Custodian of Enemy Property,
Federal Building,
Vancouver. B.C.

Owner:-

Mrs. T. Kawahara.
New Denver. B.C.

7 boxes used household goods - crockery,
Kitchen utensils, glass jars, etc.

1 White sewing machine.

8 Total.

Sender:-

Percy W. A. Scott.

1850. Oak Bay Avenue,

Victoria. B.C.

1945.

July 6th, 1945.

Mr. Percy W. A. Scott,
1850 Oak Bay Avenue,
Victoria, B. C.

Dear Sir:

Re: Tane (Mrs. Sotaro) KAWAHARA - Reg. #10053.

We are in receipt of your letter of the 29th ultimo enclosing a list of personal effects which the above Evacuee has asked you to ship to her.

It will be in order for you to make this shipment, subject only to all expenses being paid by Mrs. Kawahara as we have no funds in this account with which to make any disbursements.

Yours truly,

R. G. Ball,
Administration Department.

RGB/P.