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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: WATANABE, Toshihiro

HOME ADDRESS: 1642 West 2nd Ave., Vancouver, B. C.

REGISTRATION NUMBER 05459 SEX: Male AGE: 31

OCCUPATION: Sawmill Worker 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? Yes

NAME OF WIFE OR HUSBAND: Hisako ¹¹²⁶⁵ No claim on 11265 as 2/1/44

ADDRESS OF WIFE OR HUSBAND: Same Address

NAMES OF ANY LIVING CHILDREN: Minoru (M)

Reiko (F)

ADDRESS OF CHILDREN: As above

AGE OF CHILDREN: 6, 4.

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: None

8. STATE IF ANY OTHER PERSON HAS ANY INTEREST: None

9. IF FARM LAND STATE CROPS SOWN None

STATEMENT OF REAL PROPERTY OCCUPIED

1. LOCATION AND DESCRIPTION: 2 Room Apartment at 1642 West 2nd Ave., Vancouver, B. C.

2. LANDLORD'S NAME AND ADDRESS: Brother, S. Vatanabe, Same address.

Sept 4 This has been attended to - A.M.

3. PARTICULARS OF LEASE AND RENT AND DATE TO WHICH PAID: \$5.50 per month paid to date.

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:

Living Equipment including 2 steel beds, 1 singer Sewing Machine, 1 Kitchen Stove, 1 Gramophone and miscellaneous personal effects left in the custody of his wife, Hisako, at 1642 West 2nd Ave., Vancouver, B. C. If his wife is order^{ed} away, goods to be packed and stored.

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: _____

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) _____

\$30.00 War Savings Certificates, in owner's possession.

8. BANK ACCOUNTS: _____
Royal Bank of Canada, East End Branch, Vancouver, B.C.

\$976.05.

9. LIFE INSURANCE: _____
None

10. INTEREST IN ANY ESTATES OR TRUSTS: _____

None

11. SAFETY DEPOSIT BOX: _____

None

LIABILITIES:

1. PERSONAL DEBTS: _____

None

2. TRADE DEBTS: _____

None

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 13th day of April 1942

(Signature) G. H. H. H.

G. H. H. H.
Witness

FOR DEPARTMENTAL USE _____

[Handwritten mark]

INFORMATION FROM R.C.M.P.

Date

Feb 14/1943

Our File No. 3041

Full Name

WATANABE, Toshikuro
(Surname in Block Letters)

Registration No.

05459

Male - Female
(check)

Age

11/11/1910

Former Address

1642 West 2nd Ave, Vancouver, B.C.

Date Evacuated

Naturalized - Canadian-Born - National
(check)

Present Address

Victoria, B.C.
Comp. 1st 6/47. 7860 Durocher Ave, Montreal, Que.

Married - Single
(check)

Name of Wife

^{nee} KAGA, Kiyoko-05708

Name of Husband

Name of Mother

^{nee} WATANABE, Kame

Name of Father

WATANABE, Kenichi
Annuly - IDA

Names of Children under 16

Minoru (m) 16/9/35

Reiko (f) 17/2/38

Requested by

Ph Hunter

Registered with Custodian

Yes
(Yes or No)

Additional Information

Sawmill worker (Dorel St)

File No.

Name

Address

Amount

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WATANABE, Toshihiro

1642 W. 2nd Ave., Van.

\$5.97

Ref. No.

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Refund of 1% Wage deductions for first six months
of 1941 from Provincial Collector Vancouver.

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March 29, 1943.

Mr. Toshihiro Watanabe,
Japanese Registration No. 05459,
Tashme, via Hope, B. C.

Dear Sir:

We are in receipt of your application
for refund of 15 wage deduction for the period
January/June, 1941, and enclose our cheque for
\$5.97 in full settlement.

Yours truly,

P. Doust,
Administration Department.

PD:BT

Encl.

11/10/44

CLAIMS DEPARTMENT

April 21st, 1944

Trade Dress VITAMINS - Reg. No. 25459

REPLY:

NO CLAIMS ON FILE



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October 28, 1946.

Department of Labour,
Japanese Division,
Vancouver, B. C.

Dear Sirs:

Re: Toshihiro WATANABE, Reg. No. 05459
Hisako WATANABE, Reg. No. 06708

Neither of these people have funds standing to their credit with this office.

Prior to his evacuation Mr. Toshihiro WATANABE reported ownership of \$30.00 in War Savings Certificates and a bank account of \$976.05 in the Royal Bank of Canada, East End Branch, Vancouver.

Mrs. Hisako WATANABE reported a bank account of \$220.00 in the Bank of Montreal, Main and Hastings, Vancouver.

Both reported household effects stored at 1642 West Second Avenue, Vancouver, B. C. As the chattels found at this premises were not marked with any type of identification, funds derived from the sale of those found saleable has been held. Many persons reported chattels left at this address. It is possible that some funds may be credited to Mr. & Mrs. WATANABE when this matter has been cleared up.

Yours truly,

F. Matheson,
Office of the Custodian.

/TM

To: Mrs. Robertson

From: F. Mathews

October 28, 1946

Re: Chattels removed from 1642 West 2nd Avenue, Vancouver - Your File 12818

On April 13, 1942, Yoshihiro WATANABE, File 2241, reported his chattels, as follows:

Living equipment including 2 steel beds, 1 Singer sewing machine, 1 kitchen stove, 1 gramophone and miscellaneous personal effects, left in the custody of his wife, Kinako, at 1642 West 2nd Ave., Vancouver. If his wife is ordered away, goods to be packed and stored.

On July 9, 1942, two weeks before her evacuation, Mrs. Kinako WATANABE, File 11265, reported the following chattels:

Left in Room #7, 1642 W. 2nd Avenue, Vancouver, B. C. Key to be left with Custodian:

- 1 Cupboard
- 1 Suit Closet
- 1 Chest
- 1 Lamp Stand
- 2 Alarm Clocks
- 1 Double Bed
- 1 3/4 Bed
- 1 Oil Cloth 9'x9'
- 1 Bureau
- 1 Kitchen Stove
- 1 Portable Gramophone

It is noted that Yoshihiro WATANABE reports as "standard's name and address" his brother, S. WATANABE, 1642 West 2nd. It is possible that S. WATANABE may also have left some chattels at that address.

F. Mathews

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REGISTERED MAIL

September 25th, 1947

Mrs. Hilda NATANAN,
Reg. No. 08708,
7860 Durocher Avenue,
Montreal, Quebec.

Dear Madam:

On September 8, 1947 we wrote to you requesting you to let us know if you disposed of any of the goods declared by you on April 13th, 1942, prior to your evacuation from Vancouver but up to the time of writing no reply has been received.

In the absence of a reply from you to the contrary on or before October 20th, 1947, we shall assume that you took with you or otherwise disposed of the goods you declared as being left at 1642 West 2nd Avenue, Vancouver, B. C., and your file will accordingly be closed with regard to chattels.

Yours truly,

E. Robertson,
Office of the Custodian.

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*Wife advised
in the A. Oct. 31/47
that all these goods
were disposed of
before leaving
Vancouver*