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BUREAU HASTINGS PARK
OFFICE OF THE CUSTODIAN
JAPANESE SECTION

FILE No. _____

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: OMURA, HochizoHOME ADDRESS: Box 100 Port Alberni, B.C. (now at 439 Powell, Vancouver)REGISTRATION NUMBER 07538 SEX: Male AGE: 50OCCUPATION: Sawmill hand,

(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: Great Northern Railway (until Dec. 8/41)MARRIED? YesNAME OF WIFE OR HUSBAND: MatsueADDRESS OF WIFE OR HUSBAND: 439 Powell St.NAMES OF ANY LIVING CHILDREN: NoneADDRESS OF CHILDREN: NoneAGE 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) None5. ENCUMBRANCES (Including any unregistered claims or deposit of title deed) None6. 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: 439 Powell St., Vancouver - apartment
2. LANDLORD'S NAME AND ADDRESS: Dr. Uchida - same as above
3. PARTICULARS OF LEASE AND RENT AND DATE TO WHICH PAID:
Monthly rental \$8.50 - paid up to May 10th, 1942
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: _____

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)

3 - \$5.00 War Savings Certificates in owner's possession.

8. BANK ACCOUNTS: None

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

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 13th day of April 1942.

(Signature) H. O. Munn

L. Ramsay
Witness

FOR DEPARTMENTAL USE _____

INFORMATION FROM R.C.M.F.

Date September 6, 1945.

Full Name OMURA, Hochizo
(Surname in Block Letters)

Registration No. 07538 Male - Female (check) Age Feb. 24, 1892

Former Address Box 130, Port Alberni, B. C.
and 439 Powell Street, Vancouver, B. C.

Date Evacuated April 16, 1942 Naturalized - Canadian-Born - National (check)

Present Address c/o Yellow Briar, R. R. No. 1, c/o Col A.C.T. BERRIMORE, MANDON MILLS, ONT
Caledon East, Ontario. c/o Mr Danderson, King St. E., Toronto, Ont

Married - Single (check) Name of Wife KURIO, Matsue #07533

Name of Husband -

Name of Mother Dec'd Name of Father Dec'd

Names of Children under 16 _____

Our File No. 3185 Registered with Custodian Yes
(yes or no)

Requested By Sawmill Hand

Additional Information This man's wife is a common-law wife.

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REAL PROPERTY SUMMARY

File: No. 3185

August 6, 1945.

Re: Hochiso OMURA, Reg. No. 07538

The file of this Japanese person reveals no Real Property interest.

Certified Correct

Dated: August 6, 1945.

J. MacLison

LIABILITIES SUMMARY

File 3185

September 6, 1949.

Re: Kichiro OCHURA, Reg. No. 07538

This file reveals no claims registered against this person.

The above is certified to be in accordance with information on file.

F. M. ...

PERSONAL PROPERTY SUMMARY

File: 3185

September 6, 1945.

Re: Hochizo OMURA, Reg. No. 07538

RADIO: Reported to this office by the RCMP, a radio owned by this man was sold as shown on Specified Articles Summary. The owner requested shipment of his radio on May 18, 1945, but the radio was sold prior to that date. The radio was sold at a price double the valuation set on it when it was appraised in 1942.

Monies owing to this Japanese: West Coast General Hospital, Port Alberni, remitted to the Custodian on August 17, 1942, the sum of \$5.00; this being refund due on his hospital account. This sum was credited to the account.

This man did not declare any assets of any kind whatsoever, when he registered with the Custodian, and, apart from those listed above, the file reveals no evidence of personal property belonging to this man.

The above is certified to be in accordance with evidence in file.

J. Mackison

SPECIFIED ARTICLES SUMMARY

File No. 3185

August 6, 1945.

Re: Hochizo OMURA, Reg. No. 07538

Radio - RCMP No. 72

Description: Marconi #128-594899, Model 128, Battery Radio.

Surrendered March 9, 1942 to R.C.M.P.

Handed to Custodian June 20, 1944.

Appraised Value: \$15.00

Sold June 28, 1944, at Vancouver Auction No. 25.

Sale Price: \$30.00

Expense: 4.82

Net Proceeds 25.18

RCMP Receipt for radio could not
be found. Statutory Declaration
signed by Hochizo OMURA placed on
file, September 6, 1945.

J.M.

Certified Correct

Dated: August 6, 1945

J. Macdonald

DECLARATION AS TO LOSS OF RADIO RECEIPT

CANADA
PROVINCE OF ONTARIO
TO WIT:

IN THE MATTER of a receipt for radio owned by
Hochizo OMURA, Sawmill hand, formerly of Port
Alberni and Vancouver, British Columbia.

I, Hochizo OMURA, formerly of Port Alberni, British Columbia and 439 Powell Street, Vancouver, B. C., do solemnly declare:

1. That I owned Marconi Battery Radio, No. 128-594899, and have personal knowledge of the facts herein declared.
2. That I had in my possession and control at 439 Powell Street, Vancouver, British Columbia, Marconi Battery Radio, No. 128-594899.
3. On the Ninth Day of March, 1942, I delivered the said radio to the Royal Canadian Mounted Police and obtained a receipt therefor.
4. That I have made a most diligent search for the said receipt in all repositories where such receipt might be. I have not found the same and I verily believe that the said receipt has been lost beyond recovery or destroyed.
5. That I have not in any way dealt with the said receipt or papers relating to the said radio and have not pledged or hypothecated the same or lodged the receipt with any person, firm or corporation as security.
6. That the sole reason for the non-production of the receipt is that it has been lost or accidentally destroyed.
7. That I have been informed that my radio has been sold for the net sum of \$25.18.
8. That I, Hochizo OMURA, the owner, am therefore now entitled to the proceeds of such sale, amounting to \$25.18.

AND I make this solemn declaration, conscientiously believing it to be true and knowing that it is of the same force and effect as if made under oath and by virtue of the Canada Evidence Act.

DECLARED before me at the *City*
of *Ottawa* in the
Province of *Ontario* this
28th day of *August* A.D. 1945.)

G. E. [Signature]
Notary Public
Appointed by the Regional Office
of the C.S.S. to Law Officers.

Hochizo Omura

ROYAL CANADIAN MOUNTED POLICE

No. 72

EXHIBIT REPORT

HEADQUARTERS File No.

SUB-DIV'N and File No. Vancouver

DIVISION and File No.

DETACHMENT and File No. C.I.B.

J.R.07538

DATE June 16th 1944

Re: Koshise OMHA # 139 Powell St., Vancouver, B.C.
(Name of File)On March 9th 1942 1 D.R. Molaren, C.I.B.
(Date) (Number's Name)

Came into possession of the following described goods by

Handed over by owner.
(State Authority from whom seized and place of seizure)

No. OF EXHIBIT	No. OF PACKAGES	CAPACITY OR SIZE	DESCRIPTION OF EXHIBITS
	1		Marconi Radio #123-594899 Model 123. 3185 Aved

REMARKS: Handed over to Custodian of Alien Property.

DATE JUN 20 1944

(State briefly disposition)

S. B. [Signature] for Custodian
(Signature of Receipt or Witness)

CERTIFIED CORRECT

P. H. [Signature] P.I.B. # 10559, C.I.B.

NAME OMURA, Hochiso

REGISTRATION NO. 07538

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The following chattels were sold by public
auction at 992 Powell St., Vancouver, B.C. June 28, 1944.

Mareoni Mantel Battery

\$ 30.00

Total	(Auctioneer's Fee) \$ 3.00	\$	
	(Advertising) 0.59		30.00
Less Expenses:	(Moving) 0.23	\$	
	(Storage) <u>1.00</u>		<u>4.82</u>
Net Proceeds Credited:		\$	<u><u>25.18</u></u>

Members of Custodian Staff Present.

Mr. Wills

Extracted from Auctioneering List No.

Vancouver 25.

Remarks. *original mailed 25/5/45*

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September 6, 1945.

Mr. Hochise OMURA,
Registration No. 07538,
c/o Yellow Friar,
R.R. No. 1,
Caledon East, Ontario.

*Re-mailed Sept 28/45
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Dear Sir:

In accordance with the request received from you on August 6, 1945, we enclose herewith Custodian cheque in the amount of \$30.18, representing all funds standing to your credit with this office.

When you registered with the Custodian, on April 13, 1942, you declared ownership of no property of any kind, and declared no monies owing to you. However, since that time, the following assets belonging to you have come to light:

The West Coast General Hospital, Fort Alberni, paid in to this office the sum of \$5.00; this being a refund due you on your hospital account. This sum was credited to your account.

The Royal Canadian Mounted Police reported that you had surrendered to them a Marconi Battery Radio. This radio was subsequently sold at auction through this office and the net proceeds of this sale, amounting to \$25.18, were credited to your account. As you were unable to find the receipt given to you by the police when the radio was surrendered, your Statutory Declaration, dated August 28, 1945, has been accepted as evidence of your ownership of the radio, and the funds from the sale of the radio have been released to you.

It would appear that we have accounted for all the property of every kind left by you in the protected areas of British Columbia which vested in the Custodian. In order that you may confirm this and acknowledge the enclosed cheque, we are enclosing a stamped, addressed envelope.

Yours truly,

F. Matheson,
Specified Articles Department.

Enclosures (2)

REGISTERED

VACATION SECTION
NOV 21 1949
File No. 3185
Ans.
Referred *Maclean*

John Davidson
Star Building
King St. W.
Toronto Ont.

Office of the Custodian,
506 Royal Bank Bldg.,
Ottawa, P.C.
Dear Sir:

In answer to your letter,
I have received the sum of \$20.14
which you sent to cover the cost of
the radio and the other items.
With the receipt of the above
sum, that covers all the items under
the custodian, and as far as to my
knowledge there are nothing more.
Thanking you again.
Yours truly,
H. Amner.