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OFFICE OF THE CUSTODIAN

JAPANESE SECTION

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PERSONAL INFORMATION

NAME: OTSU (Tsune) Mrs. Shinjiro

HOME ADDRESS: Chemainus B.C.

REGISTRATION NUMBER 08602 SEX: Male AGE: 55

OCCUPATION: Housewife

(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: self

MARRIED? ~~xxx~~ widowNAME OF WIFE OR HUSBAND: ~~xx~~ none

ADDRESS OF WIFE OR HUSBAND:

NAMES OF ANY LIVING CHILDREN: Akiko (F)

ADDRESS OF CHILDREN: Chemainus B.C.

AGE OF CHILDREN: 14

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

STATEMENT OF REAL PROPERTY OCCUPIED

1. LOCATION AND DESCRIPTION: dwelling house, Chemainus B.C.
2. LANDLORD'S NAME AND ADDRESS: Mr. Haruyuki Okada, Chemainus B.C.
3. PARTICULARS OF LEASE AND RENT AND DATE TO WHICH PAID: \$3.00 per month paid to the end of March 1942.
4. STATE WHEREABOUTS OF LEASE: none
5. SUB-TENANTS, IF ANY (Give name, address, rent and to what date paid) 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 PERSONAL PROPERTY OWNED:

1. GIVE BRIEF DESCRIPTION AND STATE LOCATION OF FURNITURE, FIXTURES, EQUIPMENT AND MACHINERY, STOCK IN TRADE AND PERSONAL EFFECTS.
- 2 beds, complete, left with Haruyuki Okada, Chemainus B.C. (Okada's Ca.)
- 1 box glass & chinaware, 1 box kitchen utensils, bed spring.
- 1 crated heater, 1 mattress, 1 singer sewing machine. In the Japanese Community Hall, in care of the local B.C.F.P. Chemainus B.C.

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)
none
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: none

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 27th day of April 1942.

(Signature)

John A. Sten

H. J. Logan
Witness

FOR DEPARTMENTAL USE

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PERSONAL INFORMATION

NAME: (Mrs) OTSU, Tsune

HOME ADDRESS: Chemainus, B.C.

REGISTRATION NUMBER: SEX: (F) AGE:

OCCUPATION:

(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

NAME OF WIFE OR HUSBAND:

ADDRESS OF WIFE OR HUSBAND:

NAMES OF ANY LIVING CHILDREN:

ADDRESS OF CHILDREN:

AGE OF CHILDREN:

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

1. LOCATION AND DESCRIPTION:

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: _____
- _____
2. LANDLORD'S NAME AND ADDRESS: _____
- _____
3. PARTICULARS OF LEASE AND RENT AND DATE TO WHICH 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: _____

Following items left on the property of Haruyuki Okada, located on the so-called "Okada's Camp"

#1	2 beds	20.00
#2	2 mattresses	10.00
Total Value		30.00

Following items shall be left in the Japanese Community Hall in the care of the Local B.C.P.P.

#1	1 box of glass wares, chinawares	\$25.00	#5	1 crated heater	\$12.00
2	1 box kitchen utensils	20.00	#6	1 only mattress	5.00
3	Bed and spring	10.00			
4	1 box of kitchen utensils & necess.	15.00	TOTAL.....		\$87.00

2. HORSES, LIVESTOCK AND OTHER ANIMALS, POULTRY AND PETS _____
- _____
- _____

3. GIVE THE NAME AND ADDRESS OF ANY PERSON HAVING ANY INTEREST IN, OR CLAIM ON ANY SUCH PROPERTY _____
- _____
- _____

Cheminus, B. C.

April 16th, 1942

Department of the Secretary of State,
Office of the Custodian,
Japanese Evacuation Section,
506 Royal Bank Building,
Vancouver, B. C.

OFFICE OF THE CUSTODIAN
JAPANESE SECTION

RECEIVED
APR 20 1942

Dear Sir:

Please be kind enough to accept the following items to your departments' care which shall be left in the property of Mr. Haruyuki Okada, located on the so called "Okada's Camp".

1. 2 Beds - valued at - \$20.00 #2. 2 Mattresses - value \$10.00
total value of the above items are \$ 30.00

The following items shall be left in the Japanese Community Hall in the care of the Local B. C. P. P.

1. 1 box of glasswares, chinawares & etc. \$ 25.00

2. 1 box Kitchen utensils ----- 20.00

3. Bed and spring ----- 10.00

4. 1 box of kitchen utensils & necessities 15.00

5. 1 crated Heater ----- 12.00

6. 1 only Mattress ----- 5.00

The total for the above items are \$ 87.00

Yours very truly,

S. sold by Auction

22/4/43 - 5/1/44 - Cheminus

Tsune Otsu
Mrs. Tsune Otsu

4. INSURANCE CARRIED ON ABOVE PROPERTY:
5. MORTGAGES, LIENS AND OTHER CLAIMS ON PROPERTY IN POSSESSION OF
OTHERS:
6. MONEYS OWING TO YOU (State if any of these debts assigned and if so, to whom)
7. BONDS, DEBENTURES, SHARES, STOCKS OR OTHER SECURITIES (State whereabouts)
8. BANK ACCOUNTS:
9. LIFE INSURANCE:
10. INTEREST IN ANY ESTATES OR TRUSTS:
11. SAFETY DEPOSIT BOX:

LIABILITIES:

1. PERSONAL DEBTS:
2. TRADE DEBTS:

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 20th day of April 1942.

(Signature)

Witness

FOR DEPARTMENTAL USE See letter from Mrs. Tsune Otsu of
April 16th, 1942, from Chemainus, B.C.

INFORMATION FROM R.C.M.P.

Date Sept 1/43

Our File No. 6583

Full Name OTSU (Tsune) MRS. SHINOBU
(Surname in Block Letters)

Registration No. 08602

Male - Female ☒
(check)

Age Oct 16, 1885

Former Address Box 125, Chemainus, BC

Date Evacuated 2/9/41

Naturalized - Canadian-Born - National ☒
(check)

Present Address Lynn Creek, B.C. June 27/43
90 McCaul St
Toronto, Ont

Single
Married - Single
(check)

Name of Wife _____

Name of Husband de'd

Name of Mother de'd

Name of Father de'd

Names of Children under 16 in P.H. Estimate (x) 14/10/27

This child by second husband, Fuzimato Tsiryo also
de'd

Requested by S.D.

Registered with Custodian _____
(Yes or No)

Additional Information _____

PERSONAL PROPERTY SUMMARY

File No. 6583

June 27th, 1947.

Re: Tsune (Mrs. Shinjiro) OTSU, Reg. No. 08602

This woman signed a declaration to the Custodian on April 27th, 1942. She was evacuated on September 2nd, 1942.

In this declaration she reported property as shown by the Chattel Schedule. According to information on file, all these goods were shipped to her in May, 1942, with the exception of three beds, and these were sold at auction for the net sum of \$14.26, which has been credited to her account.

This file reveals no other property of any kind.

This file reveals no liabilities.

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

J. M. Hudson

June 27th, 1947.

FM/fm

CHATTEL SCHEDULE

File No. 6583

June 17/47

RE: Tsune (Mrs. Shinjiro) OTSU
Reg. No. 08602

DECLARED by Mrs. OTSU
(Final one contained in
her letter of Apr. 16/42)

2 beds - valued at \$30.00 which
are to be left at OKADA's Cafe or
Camp
bed, spring and mattress, left at
Japanese Hall, Chemainus

)
) 3 beds and 3 springs were sold at
) Chemainus auction #1.
)

2 boxes kitchen utensils #2
1 box glass & chinaware #1
1 crated heater #5
1 mattress #6
1 box kitchen utensils #4
& necessities

) According to extract on file dated
) May 24/42, Parcels numbered 1,2,3,4,5,6
) were shipped. This was changed however by
) Mr. Stubbs in letter of June, 1947, in which
) he advised that only five parcels, namely,
) 1,2,4,5 and 6 had been shipped.

In her original declaration Mrs. OTSU
had declared a Singer sewing machine,
but as this was not mentioned in her
letter of April 16/42, it would appear
that she took this with her.

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

June 17/47

LEM:

L. McKinnon
L. McKinnon

6583,

June 27th, 1947.

Mrs. Tsune OTSU,
Registration Number 08602,
90 McCaul Street,
Toronto, Ontario.

Dear Madam:

Enclosed herewith is Custodian cheque for the sum of \$14.26. These funds were received as net proceeds from the sale of chattels found at Chemainus and identified as your property.

No funds remain standing to your credit with this office. No property identified as belonging to you remains under the control of the Custodian. Your account and file, therefore, are being closed.

Yours truly,

F. Matheson,
Office of the Custodian.

Fm/fm
enc. (1)

NAME OTSU, Tsune (Mrs. Shinjire)

REGISTRATION NO. 08602

FILE NO. 6583

The following chattels were sold by public
auction at Namino, B. C. on Nov. 22, 1943 - April 5, 1944

3 Beds
3 Springs

\$ 9.00
12.00

Total

\$ 21.00

Less Expenses: { Auctioneer's Fee: \$2.09
 { Advertising: 0.23
 { Moving: 4.42

\$ 6.74

Net Proceeds Credited:

\$ 14.26

Members of Custodian Staff Present. Mr. R. M. Anderson

Extracted from Auctioneering list No. Chemainus 1

Remarks.

C O P Y

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April 22nd, 1942.

Alfred Stubbs, Esq.,
Cherninus, B. C.

Dear Sir:-

Enclosed are Registration forms prepared as
a result of letters from the individuals in question.

The Custodian desires that in these cases you
investigate and take control of the assets for the
persons concerned, and take such other action as you may
deem necessary in order to preserve and protect the property.

Yours truly,

C. L. Drewry
Manager

CRB:BR

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File #6583

Effects left in Community Hall at Chemainus, B. C.

Reported by Mr. A. Stubbs from his letter of July 12th. 1942

OTSU, Tsune (Mrs. Shinjiro)
Reg. #08602
Chemainus, B. C.

#3 bed and spring and 2 rails

Original in File #

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To the Secretary of State acting
in his capacity as Custodian.

I OTSU, (Tsune) Mrs., Police
registration No. 08602, hereby request you to
release to me the under-noted property stored at
Japanese Community Hall, Chemainus, B. C.
and I release you from any claim whatsoever with respect to
such property.

Description of Property:

#2, #4, #5, #6

5 pieces

Dated this 16th day of May 1942.

Tsune Otsu
(Japanese sign here)

Approved B. C. SECURITY COMMISSION
PER
J. A. Rose

NOTE:

The Custodian is advised that the B.C. Security Commission will pay transportation charges up to 1,000 pounds (which amount includes the free baggage allowed by railroad company on tickets), and any charges over this amount will have to be for the account of the individual Japanese evacuee.