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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: KAWAHARA (Yoshiko) Takayoshi

HOME ADDRESS: Box 146, Chemainus, B.C.

REGISTRATION NUMBER 08784 SEX: Female AGE: 23

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: None

MARRIED? Yes

NAME OF WIFE OR HUSBAND: Takayoshi

ADDRESS OF WIFE OR HUSBAND: Chemainus, B.C.

NAMES OF ANY LIVING CHILDREN: Takaaki (M) Yojiro (M)  
Shigeyo (F)

ADDRESS OF CHILDREN: Chemainus, B.C.

AGE OF CHILDREN: 2, 1, and 1 month

**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: No

9. IF FARM LAND STATE CROPS SOWN: None

**STATEMENT OF REAL PROPERTY OCCUPIED**

1. LOCATION AND DESCRIPTION: 10 room frame house, Chemainus, B.C.

2. LANDLORD'S NAME AND ADDRESS: Father, ~~Debel Kawahara~~, Chemainus, B.C.

3. PARTICULARS OF LEASE AND RENT AND DATE TO WHICH PAID: Free

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:

~~Kitchenware \$500. 1 sewing machine \$50.00 3 beds and mattresses \$80.00~~  
 1 organ 35.00 1 couch 25.00 5 Dressers  
 Carpets 120.00 2 hot water tanks 40.00 1 Washing Machine  
 5 Heaters 80.00 1 Kitchen stove 100.00 3 Dining Room Sets  
 3 Desks 20.00 Miscellaneous equipment for boarding house  
 500.00

Premises are locked and the key turned over to Police at Chemainus, B.C. to declarant at Hastings Park  
 1 Sewing Machine shipped from Chemainus, B.C. to declarant at Hastings Park  
 now enroute.

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 ( Yoshiko ) Takayoshi

No. 08784

Registered separately April 27th, but she now advises that her registration was also included in the registration of her father-in-law, GEHEI KAWAHARA, (now in camp at Albreda), who left for camp on March 19th, 1942.



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

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 27th day of April 1942.

(Signature) G. Kawahara

[Signature]  
Witness

FOR DEPARTMENTAL USE

[Handwritten mark]



P.D. 14/11/42

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INFORMATION FROM R.C.M.P.

Date Sept. 2/42

Our File No. 6688

Full Name KAWAHARA, (YoshiKo) MRS. Takayoshi  
(Surname in Block Letters)

Registration No. 08784

Male - Female  
(check)

Age April 15, 1919

Former Address Box 146, Chawinua, B.C.

Date Evacuated 3/8/42

Naturalized - Canadian-Born - National  
(check)

Present Address Lenox Creek, Mass, B.C.  
Dryden, Ont.

Married - Single  
(check)

Dept. of Labour  
749 Somerset St. E.  
Winnipeg  
Name of Wife W. J. M. P. G.

Name of Husband TAKAYOSHI #08785

Name of Mother TAKATA, Shigeko  
(2. Jpn)

Name of Father TSUKI, Jiroichi  
(2. Jpn)

Names of Children under 16

Takashi (M) 2 Yajiro (M) 1

Shigeyo (F) 1 mo. (arr. Mar 16, '42)

Requested by J. M.

Registered with Custodian  
(Yes or No)

Additional Information







PERSONAL PROPERTY SUMMARY

File No. 6688

November 3, 1947

Re: Yoshiko KAWAHARA, Reg No. 08784

This woman is the wife of Takayoshi Kawahara, File 650. She stated in her declaration, signed at Hastings Park on April 27, 1942, that she lived in a 10-room house owned by her father-in-law, Gihei Kawahara, File 1746. She was evacuated on August 31, 1942, from the protected area, but had left her home in Chemainus prior to the date of her declaration.

In her declaration she reported the following chattels:

Kitchenware - \$500.00	1 Organ - \$35.00	3 Dining Room Sets \$25.00
1 Sewing Machine \$50.00	1 Couch \$25.00	3 Desks - \$20.00
8 Beds & Mattresses \$80.00	5 Dressers \$60.00	Miscellaneous equipment for
1 Washing Machine \$30.00	Carpets \$120.00	boarding house
2 Hot Water Tanks \$40.00	1 Kitchen Stove \$100.00	
1 Sewing Machine - Shipped from Chemainus, en route at time of declaration.		

According to memorandum on file, Mrs. Kawahara later advised that her registration was also included in the registration of her father-in-law, from which we understand that the goods declared by Mrs. Kawahara were also declared by Gihei Kawahara. A quantity of goods removed from his houses has been sold and the proceeds have been credited to Gihei Kawahara.

A shipment was made to Takayoshi Kawahara around April 9, 1942, but as there was no Custodian agent at Chemainus at that time, there is no record of what was shipped. On July 22, 1942, a shipment of a rolled mattress and a hand axe was made to Mrs. Yoshiko Kawahara. Shipments were made to Mrs. Gihei Kawahara, which may have included goods belonging to her son and daughter-in-law. A quantity of goods, mainly small items, identified as the property of Yoshiko Kawahara were sold at Chemainus Auction #1, for the net sum of \$26.87, which has been credited to her account.

This woman reported no other property and none is revealed by her file.

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

*J. Nathan*  
November 3, 1947

/FM



October 24, 1947

MEMORANDUM to File 1746

From: F. Matheson

Re: Chattels from houses on Gihel KAWAHARA property

Takayoshi and Yoshiko KAWAHARA, son and daughter-in-law of Gihel KAWAHARA, reported ownership of the following goods, left in the home of Gihel KAWAHARA, where this couple had been living:

Takayoshi KAWAHARA, File 650, reported, March 20, 1942:

1 Sandust Burner Range & Water Boiler - \$125.00  
1 Bed complete with spring & mattress - \$35.00  
2 Dressers \$20.00  
Tools \$10.00  
4 Wicker Chairs \$16.00  
4 Hardwood Kitchen Chairs \$6.00  
Books, Etc.

Yoshiko KAWAHARA, File 6688, reported, April 27, 1942:

Kitchenware \$500.00  
1 Sewing Machine \$50.00  
8 Beds & Mattresses \$80.00  
1 Organ \$35.00  
1 Couch \$25.00  
5 Dressers \$60.00  
Carpets \$120.00  
2 Hot Water Tanks \$40.00  
1 Washing Machine \$30.00  
5 Heaters \$80.00  
1 Kitchen Stove \$100.00  
3 Dining Room Sets \$25.00  
3 Decks \$20.00

Misc. equipment for boarding house

1 Sewing Machine shipped from Chemainus, en route at time of declaration.

Department of Labour shipping records show a shipment to Y. KAWAHARA from Chemainus on July 22, 1942. Mr. Stubbs' records indicate that one rolled mattress and one hand axe were shipped around that date in response to Release dated July 17, 1942, and that a tin box (green-colored) of tools could not be found, and presumably was not shipped although requested in the Release.

A quantity of goods identified as the property of Yoshiko KAWAHARA were sold at Chemainus Auction #1, for the net sum of \$26.87. These goods consist of china, 2 tables, tools, tubs, pails, gramophone, a forge, and miscellaneous small items. While it is not possible to identify the individual items sold with the goods declared, the identification made at the time of sale is being assumed to be correct and these funds will be sent to Mrs. Yoshiko KAWAHARA.

{ Subsequent to her declaration,  
{ according to an unsigned, undated  
{ memo attached to "JP", Mrs. KAWAHARA  
{ advised that "her registration was  
{ also included in registration" of Gihel  
{ KAWAHARA, which would seem to mean  
{ that each of these persons declared  
{ the same chattels in some, if not all  
{ instances. Who owned the chattels is  
{ not made clear.



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

I KAWAHARA Y., Police  
registration No. 08784, hereby request you to  
release to me the under-noted property stored at \_\_\_\_\_

G. Kawahara's House Chemainus, B.C.

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

Description of Property:

- 1 Rolled mattresses
- 1 Tin box--tools ( green colored box)
- 1 Hand axe

Total 3 pieces.

Dated this 17th. day of July 1942.

Y. Kawahara

(Japanese sign here)

Approved

James Rose  
B.C. SECURITY COMMISSION

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.



NAME KAWAHARA, Yoshiko (Mrs. Takayoshi)

REGISTRATION NO. 06784

FILE NO. 6688

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

Miscellaneous	\$ 0.25
Scales (old)	0.75
China	1.50
Chandelier	1.50
China	2.00
Globes	0.75
Screen door	1.00
Table	1.00
Tools	0.50
Saws	11.00
Oil Stove	3.00
Ice tongs	0.25
Angars	0.25
Blinds	0.25
Picks	2.00
Pails	0.80
First Aid Kit	0.25
Tube	1.25
Baskets	1.00
Rice boiler	0.50
Mirror	0.25
Gramophone	2.00
Table	0.25
Forge	5.00
Grindstone	1.50
Pails	0.75
Total	<hr/> \$ 39.55
Less Expenses:	\$ 12.68
(Auctioneer's Fee: \$3.92	
(Advertising: 0.43	
(Moving: 8.33	<hr/>
Net Proceeds Credited:	<hr/> <hr/> \$ 26.87

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

Extracted from Auctioneering list No. Chemainus 1

Remarks.



File No. 6688.

CLAIMS DEPARTMENT

September 29th, 1943.

Mrs. Takayoshi (Yoshiko) KAWAHARA - Reg. No. 0878A

CREDITORS:

NO CLAIMS on file or declared.

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BRD:DE

*Claims closed*

*29-9-43*

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