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BUREAU HASTINGS PARK
OFFICE OF THE CUSTODIAN
JAPANESE SECTION

FILE No. 6846

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: NUMAJIRI (Yoshi) Mrs. Hikotaro

HOME ADDRESS: Ganges, B.C.

REGISTRATION NUMBER 10118 SEX: Female AGE: 59

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? yes

NAME OF WIFE OR HUSBAND: Hikotaro

ADDRESS OF WIFE OR HUSBAND: Ganges B.C.

NAMES OF ANY LIVING CHILDREN: none

ADDRESS OF CHILDREN: none

AGE OF CHILDREN:

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

CLAIM ON ANY SUCH PROPERTY none

3. GIVE THE NAME AND ADDRESS OF ANY PERSON HAVING ANY INTEREST IN, OR
none

2. HORSES, LIVESTOCK AND OTHER ANIMALS, POULTRY AND PETS
none

House occupied by Canadian, looking after the above property, at Ganges, B.C.
(Handed over file 3279 husband)

1. GIVE BRIEF DESCRIPTION AND STATE LOCATION OF FURNITURE, FIXTURES,
EQUIPMENT AND MACHINERY, STOCK IN TRADE AND PERSONAL EFFECTS:
1 piano, Chesterfield set, 3 pieces, 6 chairs, 2 bureau, 2 clocks, 2 tables,
2 beds, 4 mattresses, 1 sewing machine, kitchen utensils and dishes, 4 incubators.

STATEMENT OF PERSONAL PROPERTY OWNED:

6. IF FARM LAND, PARTICULARS OF CROPS SOWN none

5. SUB-TENANTS, IF ANY (Give name, address, rent and to what date paid) none

4. STATE WHEREABOUTS OF LEASE: none

3. PARTICULARS OF LEASE AND RENT AND DATE TO WHICH PAID: none

2. LANDLORD'S NAME AND ADDRESS: Living with Husband

1. LOCATION AND DESCRIPTION: Ganges B.C.

STATEMENT OF REAL PROPERTY OCCUPIED

9. IF FARM LAND STATE CROPS SOWN none

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

7. STATE WHEREABOUTS OF TITLE DOCUMENTS: none

*Wife
3279 - husband*

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 29th day of April 1942.

(Signature) Y. Numajiri

Sorathy M. Hope
Witness

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INFORMATION FROM R.C.M.P.

Date Sept 24/43

Our File No. 6896

Full Name NONA TIKI (Yoshi) Mrs. Hiksters
(Surname in Block Letters)

Registration No. 10118 Male - Female
(check) Age Feb. 15, 1912

Former Address Angus, B.C.

Date Evacuated May 3/42 Naturalized - Canadian-Born - National
(check)

Present Address Greenwood, B.C.

Married - Single
(check) Name of Wife _____

Name of Husband Hiksters # 10104

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

Names of Children under 16 _____
See husband's sheet.

Requested by J. W. Registered with Custodian _____
(Yes or No)

Additional Information Housewife

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May 16th, 1944

CLAIMS DEPARTMENT

Mrs. Yoshi (Rikotaro) NUMAJIRI - Reg. No. 10118

CREDITORS:-

NO CLAIMS ON FILE, at this date.

/s/

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October 8th, 1942

Mr. G. C. Mouat,
Ganges, B. C.

Dear Sir:-

Re: rs. Nikotaro NUMAJIRI

In her registration this Japanese has stated that she has left the following chattels in care of a Canadian who occupies her former house but no address is given:

1 piano	2 beds
Chesterfield set, (3 pieces)	4 mattresses
6 chairs,	1 sewing machine
2 bureaus	Kitchen utensils
2 clocks	Dishes
2 tables	4 incubators

We would greatly appreciate it if you would verify the whereabouts of the above, also give us particulars in regard to their safe-keeping.

Yours truly,

H. F. Green,
Protection Department.

See file 3279 - ok but for 1 clock.

November 9th, 1942

LAND: Mr. & Mrs. NIKOTARO NUMAJIRI

PLots: 3279 & 6846

REG. Nos: 10104 & 10118

Inventory of Furniture, Tools, Personal Effects of
Mr. Numajiri, now in the Care of Mr. R. S. Ford.

1	Chesterfield	1	Dresser
2	" Chairs	1	Mattress
1	White enamel double bed, spring & mattress	2	Pillows
1	3/4 white enamel bed, spring & mattress	2	Oil Lamps
1	Dresser	1	Old buffet
1	Man's bicycle	1	Trunk containing clothing & personal property
1	Heater	1	Wash tub, galv.
9	Chairs	1	Wash board "
1	Arm Chairs	1	Kitchen stove
1	Box Cushions	1	" Seals
	Odd lot of bedding	1	Nitre box
1	Tin box tools, locked	1	Primus stove
7	Pieces Homemade furniture	1	Leather rocker
16	Cartons & boxes of odd clothing, Kitchenware, and sundry personal items	1	Kitchen table
2	Boxes carpenter's tools	1	Alarm clock
1	Mattress	1	Lamp
1	Single bed, spring & Mattress	1	Tea Kettle
1	3-Gal. demijohn	1	Tea Pot
1	Lantern	1	Fry Pan
1	5-gal. crock	1	Box Kitchenware
	Also odd lots kitchenware & crockery	4	Egg Incubators
1	Bag containing saw filing tools	4	Hand saws
1	Frow	2	Squares
1	Box tools	4	Garden rakes
11	Picture frames	4	Hoes
1	Mantelpiece mirror	3	Digging Forks
1	Small mirror on wall	1	Water can
1	Box tools	1	Spade
1	Last	8	Buckets
1	5-gal. oil can	2	Japanese rakes
	Assortment of wrenches & hammers	1	Wetlock
1	Old round table	18	Berry picking trays
1	Dining table	3	Old bed springs
1	Old spray pump	1	7' crosscut saw
1	Planet Jr. Cultivator	2	Double bit axes
1	Old Incubator	1	Hand saw
3	Brooder stoves	1	Sledge hammer
2	Wheel Barrows	2	Wedges
1	Leather covered easy chair	1	Hatchet
1	Gramophone & records	1	Broad axe
1	Sewing machine	1	Brush hook
1	Grass rug	1	Hand sickle
2	Extension table	1	Spade
1	Hanging Aladdin Lamp	1	Shovel
1	B. & H. Hanging Lamp	1	Small wrecking bar
1	Piano		About 100 ft. 1/2 hose
		2	5-gal. crocks
			A quantity of Soy Sauce and bottled fruit

This represents all my property in the protected area of British Columbia.

Date _____

SIGNED _____

Mr. Nikotaro Numajiri

Mrs. Nikotaro (Yoshie) Numajiri

Please sign and return one copy to this office.

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OFFICE OF THE CUSTODIAN
JAPANESE SECTION

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Mr H. F. Green,

Protection Dept.,

Office of Custodian

Name.

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Dear Sir:

Re Hikota Numaizumi file # 6846

Replying to yours of 8th instant would suggest that you look up file # 3279 where you will find my report dated June 1st covering the chattels mentioned in your letter. These two people are man + wife.

With reference your letter dated Oct 7 and addressed to Mr. H.W. Bullock re file # 7648. This is also in regard to the same chattels. This boy Ichiro is a son of the two above mentioned.

On April 26th I wrote to the Office enclosing certain copies of agreements between H. Numaizumi + R.S. Ford + H.W. Bullock. These should be on file # 3279 and should clear the matter up.

Yours truly,

Sam E. Mearns

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Please file this

January 6, 1943.

Mr. Gavin Mount,
GANGES, B.C.

Dear Sir:

Re: Mr. & Mrs. Hikotaro NUMAJIRI

With reference to our letter of November the 12th, 1942, we would be glad to know if you have since been able to locate the bureau with mirror, claimed to be missing by the above named Japanese.

Perhaps, one of the dressers on the inventory signed by Mr. Ford and yourself, has a mirror attached and it might be the one claimed to be missing.

Yours truly,

R.B. Mackenzie
Protection Department.

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Consider unnecessary to pursue this further
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November 12th, 1942

Mr. Gavin Mount,
Ganges, B. C.

Dear Sir:-

Re: Mr. & Mrs. Hikotaro NUMAJIRI

We referred to the above Japanese the inventory taken by you and Mr. Ford and given in your report of June 1st. They acknowledged that everything is in order, but claim that there should be one more bureau with mirror. We notice that your inventory lists two dressers and a mantel-piece mirror which may possibly account for the shortage, also an old buffet. Perhaps the next time you are down that way you would be so good as to look into this matter about which, of course, there is no urgency.

Yours truly,

H. F. Green
Protection Department

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November 5th, 1942

Mr. and Mrs. Hikotaro Numajiri,
Registration Nos. 10104, 10118,
Greenwood, B. C.

Dear Sir and Madam:-

On April 20th Mr. Hikotaro Numajiri signed a statement about his poultry and fruit ranch on the Bullock property and subsequently Mr. Moust and Mr. Ford checked the inventory of things left behind.

In her registration of April 29th, Mrs. Hikotaro Numajiri declared a number of articles all of which, as far as we can trace, appear on this inventory with the exception of one clock.

Finally, Mr. Ichiro Numajiri declared on May 4th "Furniture and household effects left in Mr. Bullock's house at Ganges."

We are now sending you herewith three copies of the inventory taken by Mr. Moust and Mr. Ford and request both of you to examine it carefully and sign and return two copies. When we have your reply we can then refer one copy to your son Ichiro Numajiri who, we understand, is now at Kaslo, so please be sure to let us know about this as soon as you conveniently can.

Yours truly,

H. F. Green
Protection Department

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MEMORANDUM

Re: Files 3279, 6246 & 7642.

FROM: Mr. E. G. Hall.

December 17th, 1945.

Re: Payment.

Mr. Gavin Mount telephoned today from Ganges for permission for Mr. E. G. Hall, who employed NIKOTARO NUMAJIRI (now over 60 years of age) for 48 years, to send him a cheque for \$250.00 in payment for furniture left in his care (and estimated to be worth about half that amount).

Mr. Mount added the information that the elderly couple have moved to Toronto, where they are now living with their son and daughter, the whole family being in difficult circumstances.

Payment approved as in case of Mr. Mount's own remittance to the daughter on the 21st November, 1945.



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May 10th, 1944.

Mr. Ichiro NUNAJIRI,
Reg. No. 10077,
Greenwood, B. C.

Dear Sir:-

Thank you for yours of May 4th asking for your bicycle and golf balls to be shipped to you. You have evidently not heard that almost all household effects at Ganges have been disposed of by public auction. We assumed that these belonged to your father and the proceeds have been credited to his account. A list can be sent to him on request and meanwhile we should mention that a bicycle appears as sold for \$12.50 on the list on our files.

We should further mention that with our permission, Mr. Bullock is retaining a piano and chesterfield suite on your parents' behalf. We understand he did this as being an old friend of the family. We have raised no objection but will accept no responsibility.

Finally, if the golf balls are left, they will be difficult to trace and it would be better to write to Mr. Bullock or some friend on the Island and have them sent to you direct.

Yours truly,

H. F. Green
Protection Department

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