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BURAU HASTINGS PARK
OFFICE OF THE CUSTODIAN
JAPANESE SECTION

FILE NO. _____

To be completed by persons of the Japanese race having no property in any protected area.

NAME: **OMOTO Suteo**

HOME ADDRESS: **247 Main St., Vancouver, B. C.** REGISTRATION No. **02239**

SEX: **Male** AGE: **17** MARRIED? **No**

OCCUPATION AND EMPLOYER: **Box Factory Employee. Mr. Kawade 247 Main St., Vancouver., B.C.**

NAME OF WIFE OR HUSBAND: **None** ADDRESS: **None**

NAMES OF LIVING CHILDREN: **None** ADDRESS: **None**

ADDRESS: _____

ADDRESS: _____

I certify that the above information is true and complete and state that I have no property of any kind whatsoever in any protected area in British Columbia.

Dated this **28th** day of **April** 1942.

WITNESS: _____

(Signature) *S. Omoto*

FOR DEPARTMENTAL USE

HOW DO YOU PROPOSE TO PAY THESE OFF?
None

LIST OF LIABILITIES:
None

INFORMATION FROM R.C.M.P.

Date July 23, 1943

Our File No. 6852

Full Name OMOTO, Sutes
(Surname in Block Letters)

Registration No. 02239-

☒ Male - Female
(check)

Age Feb 3, 1924

Former Address 247 Main St. Vancouver

Date Evacuated 29/6/42

☒ Naturalized - Canadian-Born - National
(check)

Present Address Sandown, B.C.

☒ Married - Single
(check)

Name of Wife -

Name of Husband -

Name of Mother (deceased)

Name of Father (deceased)

Names of Children under 16

Requested by G

Registered with Custodian

(Yes or No)

Additional Information

Employer at Kawada Box

factory

MEMORANDUM

July 29, 1943

To: File 6852

From: Specified Articles Department

Re: OMOTO, Suteo - Reg. 02239

ARTICLE

DESCRIPTION

APPRAISED VALUE

RADIO

R.C.A. Victor Radio, portable.
Serial No. 01163. Battery
model.

\$20.00

*RCMP #300
Released to BC Security Commission
Feb 10/44
FM*

EVACUATION SECTION

Rec'd FEB 16 1944

File No.

EXHIBIT REPORT

No. 300

HEADQUARTERS File No.

DIVISION and File No.

Jap. Reg. 02259

SUB-DIV'N and File No. Vancouver

DETACHMENT and File No. C.I.D.

DATE Feb. 10th, 1944

Re: Dated O.K.T.O. 217 Main St., Vancouver, B.C.

On March 9th, 1942, 1 D.E. Holman, Cst.

Came into possession of the following described goods by

Handed over by Yohel HAZADA

(State Authority from whom seized and place of seizure)

No. OF EXHIBIT	No. OF PACKAGES	CAPACITY OR SIZE	DESCRIPTION OF EXHIBITS
	1		R.C.A. Victor Radio, Portable. Serial No. 01163. Mr. F.G. Shears, A/Director, Office of Custodian, 506 Royal Bank Bldg., Vanc'r, B.C. FORWARDED: Copies for your information. Supt. (G.K. Gray) O.C. "E" Division. Vancouver 14-2-44. FRJ/K

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REMARKS: Handed over to the B.C. Security Commission.

DATE Feb. 10th, 1944

(State briefly disposition)

CERTIFIED CORRECT

Signature of Receiver or Witness

Signature of Officer

Jap. Reg. 10559, Cst.

FILE NO. 6852.

OMOTO Sateo

Reg.No.00,028.

RADIO

MAKE:

R.C.A. VICTOR
PORTABLE

R.C.M.P. REF:

NO. 300.

VALUE:

\$20.00

6852.

Sandon B.C.
Sept 11, 1942.

201 Royal Bank Bldg,
Hastings and Granville
Vancouver, B.C.

OFFICE OF THE CUSTODIAN
JAPANESE SECTION

Dear Sir

RECEIVED
SEP 5 1942

I have received your

letter, in which you have offered
me \$20.00 for my radio. I would
very gladly sell my radio if
you would accept my value of
my radio for \$30.00. But if
my price isn't agreeable, please
send my radio to where I am
now residing Sandon B.C.
Thank you kindly.

Yours Truly
Sutro Omoto

Valued 20.-

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November 23, 1942.

Mr. S. Onoto, #02239

Sandon, B. C.

Dear Sir:

Your letter inquiring about your portable radio, has been referred to this office for attention.

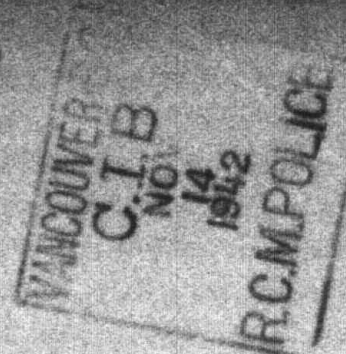
I wish to advise that at the present time, none of the radios are being released, but you will hear further in this connection in the near future.

Yours truly,

Miss F. Carroll.
(Prohibited Property Department.)

FC/MP

269 H. 13-2-1



Sandon, B. C.,
November 9, 1942.

R. C. M. P. Barracks,
Vancouver, B. C.

Dear Sir:

I believe that the evacuation of all Japanese is now completed. Will you please send me my radio to Sandon, B. C. where I am now residing.

My radio is a R.C.A. Victor Portable model. The radio serial number is 01162.

Thank you.

Yours truly,

Julius J. J. J.

#02239

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2nd March, 1943.

Mr. Suteo OHOTO,
Registration No. 02239,
SANDON, B. C.

Dear Sir:

With reference to your recent enquiry we wish to advise you that the matter of release has been given consideration by the authorities at Ottawa and a ruling has been received stating that radios and cameras belonging to Japanese residents of British Columbia are to be held in protective custody.

Yours faithfully,

M. Sullivan,
Specified Articles Department.

MS/af

(C.I.B.)
"E" Division.

E. 269-G.13-2-1

Vancouver, B.C.
December 15th, 1942.

Mr. Suteo Omoto,
SANDON, B.C.

Dear Sir:

In reply to your letter of the 8th instant, please be advised that your request has been referred to the Agent of the Custodian (Japanese) in Vancouver, B.C. who will give this matter the necessary attention.

Yours truly,

Sgd

DEM/JW

(C.H.Hill) Asst. Comm'r.
Commanding "E" Division.

G.W. McPherson, Esq.,
Authorized Deputy of the Secretary
of State and/or Custodian,
Royal Bank Building,
Vancouver, B.C.

Sir:

FORWARDED for your information and attention
please together with original letter received,

CHH, 11

Vancouver,
15-12-42
DEM/JW
Encl:

(C.H.Hill) Asst. Comm'r.
Commanding "E" Division.

767-C-3-2-1

Sandon B.C.
December 8, 1942.

R.C.M.P. Barracks.
Vancouver B.C.

Dear Sir.

I understand that all radio's and
other articles that are being held by the R.C.M.P.
could be now released through out all post towns.
If you will please, will you kindly send my
radio to Sandon B.C. where I am now evacuated,
in your earliest convenience.

My radio is a portable R.C.A. Victor model.
Its serial No. is 01163. My registration No. is 02239
Thank You.

Yours Truly

Luteo Gmota

(02239) reg. no.

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CANADA
DEPARTMENT OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE
OFFICE OF THE CUSTODIAN
JAPANESE EVACUATION SECTION

PHONE PACIFIC 6131

PLEASE REFER TO

FILE NO. 5852

506 ROYAL BANK BLDG.,
HASTINGS AND GRANVILLE
VANCOUVER, B.C.

26th August, 1942.

Mr. Suteo OMOTO,
Reg. No. 02239,
SANDON, B.C.

✓ Dear Sir:-

RADIO MAKE R.C.A. MODEL Portable

We have received from the Y. M. C. A. an offer
of \$ 20.00 for your radio now held at the R. C. M. P. Barracks.
The Y. M. C. A. wish to buy your set for the use of the West Coast
Patrol Boats and have had a radio technician value your set at the
above price.

If you wish to sell your radio, will you kindly
write to us immediately and say whether this price is acceptable?
If you wish to sell but consider the price offered too low, please
tell us what you would be willing to accept.

If you do not wish to sell your radio, please
also write to us accordingly.

Yours truly,

H. F. Green,
Manager,
Protection Department

HFG/IF.