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**BUREAU POWELL STREET
OFFICE OF THE CUSTODIAN**

FILE No. _____

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 INFORMATIONNAME: OMOTO, Chiyo (Mrs. Yosoya)HOME ADDRESS: 315 Powell St., Vancouver, B.C.REGISTRATION NUMBER 10627 SEX: Female AGE: 30OCCUPATION: 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: NoneMARRIED? YesNAME OF WIFE OR HUSBAND: YosoyaADDRESS OF WIFE OR HUSBAND: Yellow Head, B.C.NAMES OF ANY LIVING CHILDREN: Eiko (F), Aiko (F)ADDRESS OF CHILDREN: same as aboveAGE OF CHILDREN: 14, 13 years**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: Lives at 315 Powell St., Vancouver, B.C.
Wooden frame, 2 storey- 8 rooms
2. LANDLORD'S NAME AND ADDRESS: Gen. F. Jacobs & Co., (agents)
245 Hastings St., E., Vancouver, B.C.
3. PARTICULARS OF LEASE AND RENT AND DATE TO WHICH PAID: Monthly rental of \$35.00 paid to date.
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: At 315 Powell St., Vancouver, B.C., Jap. Confectionery Store
equipment:- fixtures, furniture as per list attached.
When evacuated declarant will store these goods in an upstairs room and leave key in c/o Custodian.
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

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 2nd day of May 1942

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Witness

(Signature) Chigo Amoto

FOR DEPARTMENTAL USE

STATEMENT OF PERSONAL PROPERTY OWNED:-

OMOTO, Chiy^o (Mrs. Yosoya)
515 Powell St., Vancouver, B.C.

Reg. #10627

66 Rice Cake trays
36 Rice Cake Rectangular Boxes
12 Rice Cake Rectangular Boxes with glass cover
1 Crock, 1 gal.
1 " 2 "
2 Crocks 3 "
2 " 6 "
26 Steaming Trays
6 Bamboo Basket Sieves
7 Round Horsehair Sives
2 Syrup Mixing Cans
12 Square Cans with Glass Covers
80 Square Cans
52 Round Cans with Glass Covers
49 Glass Jars
6 Cookie Machines
34 Baking Rectangular Pans
31 Bean Jelly Pan
40 " " moulds, wood.
85 " " " , tin
100 " " frame, round
4 Cookie Mould
1 Rice Cake Pounding Machine ✓
1 Motor for " "
3 Stove for " "
1 Round Pot large
1 Round Pot small
Jap. Sweet Bread Baking Pan - 10
3 Tables ✓
1 Shelf
1 Gas Stove ✓
1 Baking Stove ✓
1 Cash Register

2 Scales
2 Showcases ✓
1 Elec. Light Shade, Large
2 " " " small
1 Ice Box
40 Round & Sq. Candy Jars
2 Counters ✓
3 Heating Stoves

RD. 9/12/42 725'8
 INFORMATION FROM R.C.M.P.

RETURNED TO JAPAN

Date

S.S. GENERAL MEIGS

17th JUNE, 1946

Our File No.

Full Name

Registration No.

Male - Female
(check)

Age

Former Address

Date Evacuated

Naturalized - Canadian-Born - National
(check)

Present Address

Married - Single
(check)

Name of Wife

Name of Husband

Name of Mother

Name of Father

Names of Children under 16

Requested by

Registered with Custodian

(Yes or No)

Additional Information

On the list

On 3/5 'marine angel' 31/5/46

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No. 450

DOMINION OF CANADA
DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE

Issued at Vancouver, B.C.,
Date: Aug 30th, 1946

The Government of Canada acknowledges that UNITED STATES
has unencumbered property situated in Canada as described herein and agrees to remit the net equivalent of the net proceeds
of such property immediately, or upon liquidation if such action is required, to Japan under arrangements made with,
and approved by, the United States Government and the Military Authorities in Japan; Provided that from the proceeds
of such property there shall be retained such amounts as are required to repay advances made by the Government of Ca-
nada by way of Repatriation Grant.

Outstanding balance - - - - - \$75.32

NO. 6001

[Signature]
for Comptroller of the Treasury

F.M.

711 Stock Exchange Bldg.,
475 Howe Street,
Vancouver, B.C.
Oct. 18/46

Custodian of Enemy Property,
Royal Bank Building,
Vancouver, B.C.

TREASURY DEPT. CLAIM \$ 106.68

Dear Sir:

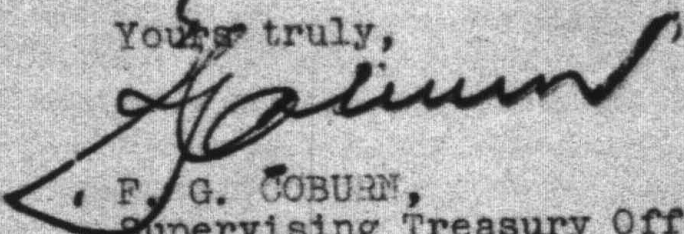
Re: OMOTO, Chiyo ⁷²⁵⁸ #10627

Please note that the above has been repatriated to Japan. At the time of repatriation, the following transactions took place:

| | |
|--------------------------|-----------|
| Cash turned in - - - - - | \$ 93.32 |
| Draft Issued - - - - - | \$ 200.00 |

It will be seen that this Japanese is indebted to the Department on account of repatriation in the amount of \$ 106.68. Therefore should you receive further funds on this account such funds should be turned into this office. It will be applied first to recoup the expenditure made and, second, if there is any surplus such surplus will be remitted to Japan for the account of the Japanese in question.

Yours truly,


F. G. COBURN,
Supervising Treasury Officer.

FGC/EJ.

MEMORANDUM

File Nos. 14658
7258

June 13th, 1946.

TO: The File

FROM: Mr. G. B. Spain

RE: Yosova OMOTO, Reg. No. 00570

The above mentioned person left with G. H. Cottrell Ltd. Storage, 3 bundles of machinery on which unpaid storage charges in the sum of \$10.00 are owing.

In company with Mr. W. Wills, I examined this so called machinery and found it to be:

- 1 Old wood pulley
- 1 Old iron pulley and wheel
- 1 Bundle old steel shafting 4' long

These articles have practically no value and if sold at auction would not cover hauling expenses. Mr. OMOTO must have been fully aware of the value as it is noted that he had the more useful articles shipped to him.

The articles left with G. H. Cottrell Ltd. have therefore been abandoned.

GBS:LEW

G. B. Spain

MEMORANDUM

May 31st, 1946.

File Nos. 14658
7258

TO: Miss G. Girard

FROM: Mr. G. B. Spain

RE: Yosaya OMOTO, Reg. No. 00570
Chiyo (Mrs. Yosaya) OMOTO, Reg. No. 10627
Radio Auction No. 16 - \$17.27

Mr. OMOTO has surrendered the radio receipt to Mr. Good as per memo attached. He requests that the proceeds from sale of this radio in the sum of \$17.27 be transferred to the credit of his wife, Mrs. Chiyo OMOTO, File 7258. Will you please transfer this amount as requested.

GSS:LEM

Wm. G. Hyman

Transferred June 1, 1946.

C.G.

11658
7258

May 2, 1946.

Mrs. Chiyo OOTO,
Reg. No. 10627,
C/O Chas. Watnough,
COALHURST, Alta.

Dear Sir:

The following claims have been filed against you:

Fred Nelson & Son, plumber, for disconnecting and removing
three gas stoves at 315 Powell Street - . . . \$6.00

City of Vancouver, Scavenging Department, for scavenging
services at 315 Powell St. for May, 1942- . . . \$.60

Unless we hear from you to the contrary, we intend to pay
these accounts from your credit balance with this office.

Messrs. G. H. Cottrell Ltd. inform us they have in their
storage three pieces of machinery on which storage charges in the sum
of \$15.00 are due. Kindly inform us if this machinery is your property
and advise us what you intend to do about the storage charges.

Yours truly,

G. B. Spain
Protection Department

GBS:LEM

7258
14452

March 6, 1946.

Mr. & Mrs. George GUSTO,
Reg. Nos. 00570 & 10627,
c/o Mr. G. Heston,
Box 62,
LEBRUNTON, Ont.

Re: Sun Life Assurance Co. of Canada
Policy No. 2,032,322

Dear Sir & Madam:

We enclose herewith Sun Life Assurance Company of
Canada cheque in the sum of \$398.55, made out to you jointly,
representing the cash surrender value of the above numbered policy.

Please acknowledge receipt direct to the Sun Life Assurance
Company of Canada.

Yours truly,

G. G. Spain
Protection Department

GSG:JM

Encl. (1)

C.C. to the Sun Life Co.
C.C. to the Dept. of Labour

March 5th, 1946.

Mr. Yasoya Onoto,
c/o E. F. Onoto,
Atlas Lumber Co.,
Camp 77,
Rocky Mt. House, Alta.

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| EVACUATION SECTION | |
| Rec'd | MAR 6 1946 |
| File No. | 14659 |
| Ans. | |
| Referred | <i>[Signature]</i> |

Dear Mr. Onoto:

Re: Policy No. 2,032,688

We are today sending our cheque in favour of yourself and your wife covering the Cash Surrender Value of this policy in the amount of \$298.85 to the Office of the Custodian here. This amount is in full settlement of all claims under this policy. You may expect to receive the cheque shortly.

Yours faithfully,

C. E. HAY
BRANCH SECRETARY.

GI/LS

Per: *[Signature]*

C. BARRETT-LENNARD & CO.

CHARTERED ACCOUNTANTS
AUDITORS
LICENSED TRUSTEE IN
BANKRUPTCY

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TELEPHONE: MARINE 7727

OFFICE OF THE CUSTODIAN
JAPANESE SECTION

502 RANDALL BUILDING
835 WEST GEORGE STREET
VANCOUVER, B. C.

RECEIVED
JUN 1 1942
May 26, 1942.

Attention Mr. C. L. Drewry

Office of the Custodian,
506 Royal Bank Building,
Vancouver, B. C.

File No. 7258

Dear Sir: Re: Chiya OMOTO (Mrs. Yosoya) - No. 10627

I have received your letter of May 28th.

I have taken an inventory of the fixtures, equipment, and household effects of the above declarant, at 315 Powell Street, Vancouver, B. C., and attach a list of the same hereto.

An itemized inventory has not been taken of everything stored on the premises, as the articles have been crowded into two small rooms and are impossible to list without removing and sorting.

One heating stove, one scale, and the cash register were sold before the evacuation of the family.

The landlord, Mr. Politano, is looking after seven sacks of white beans at present, stored at his residence 812 East Pender Street, Vancouver, B. C. These will probably be sold after obtaining permission from the declarant. Mr. Politano has written to C. Omoto for permission to sell the beans, and we have asked him to advise us of Mrs. Omoto's wishes.

The landlord has rented to the declarant the two small rooms upstairs to be used for storage. These rooms have been boarded closed by a brother-in-law of Mrs. Omoto.

Yours truly,

J. Barrett Lennard

CBL/H.

B. F. for advising Mrs. Omoto

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Report of C. BARRETT-LENNARD,
Chartered Accountant, 502 Randall Build-
ing, Vancouver, B. C. on the affairs of
Mrs. Chiyo OMOTO, No. 10627, May 15, 1942.

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Attention Mr. C. L. Drewry

The Office of the Custodian,
506 Royal Bank Building,
Vancouver, B. C.

Dear Sir: Re: Chiyo OMOTO (Mrs. Yosoya) - No. 10627

1. Location and Nature of Business. Japanese Confectionery store at 315 Powell Street, Vancouver, B. C.
2. Ownership. Chiyo OMOTO (Mrs. Yosoya).
3. Financial Position. I have not checked the inventory as per Form "JP" as the declarant is still in possession. The business is still operating, and there do not appear to be any liabilities.
4. Insurance. Nil
5. Contracts. Nil
6. Prospects for Continued Operations. There is no prospect for continued operations after the evacuation of the family.
7. Recommendations. I have instructed the declarant to notify me immediately upon receiving notice of her evacuation, when the inventory will be checked and arrangements made to store. This plan meets with her approval.

Reported by

C. Barrett-Lennard

CHARTERED ACCOUNTANT.

NAME OMOTO, Chiyo (Mrs. Yasaya)

REGISTRATION NO. 10627

FILE NO. 7258

The following chattels were sold by public
auction at 992 Powell St., Vancouver, B.C. on April 5, 1944.

R. C. A. Victor Mental (Electric)

\$ 21.00

*Transferred from file 14658,
OMOTO, Yasaya, June 1, 1946.
C.G.*

Transferred at request of Japanese.

| | | |
|------------------------|---------------------------|----------|
| Total | | \$ 21.00 |
| Less Expenses: | (Auctioneer's Fee: \$2.10 | |
| | (Advertising: 0.44 | \$ 3.73 |
| | (Moving: 0.19 | |
| | (Storage: 1.00 | |
| Net Proceeds Credited: | | \$ 17.27 |

Members of Custodian Staff Present.

Mr. Wills

Extracted from Auctioneering List No. Vancouver 16.

Remarks.

NAME OMOTO, Chiyo (Mrs, Yosoya)

REGISTRATION NO. 10627

FILE NO. 7256

The following chattels were sold by public
 auction at 1047 Seymour St., Vancouver, B.C. July 27, 1944.

| | |
|------------------------------------|----------|
| Beak and nets | \$ 0.20 |
| 3 Gallon crock and contents | 0.70 |
| Paper roll holder | 0.65 |
| Bunch of baking tins | 0.50 |
| 3 Fire pots | 0.25 |
| Hand waffle irons and cookie irons | 1.85 |
| Water tank | 0.80 |
| Cabinet | 0.25 |
| Light shade | 1.00 |
| Candy pails | 2.20 |
| Crock and roll wrapping paper | 0.50 |
| Small galvanized tank | 1.25 |
| Oak table | 1.10 |
| Candy pails | 0.50 |
| 6 Gallon crock | 2.25 |
| Copper boiler | 0.30 |
| Baby's go-cart | 1.00 |
| 6 Kitchen chairs (all damaged) | 3.10 |
| Baskets and screens | 0.50 |
| Baking tins | 0.50 |
| 3 Small drawers, (without case) | 0.25 |
| Window and picture frames | 1.00 |
| Cabinet | 1.00 |
| Baking tins | 0.50 |
| Sake box | 0.15 |
| Galvanized tank | 1.00 |
| Copper tank | 1.50 |
| Candy or biscuit jars | 6.20 |
| Total | |
| Carried Forward | \$ 31.10 |

~~Less expenses:~~

~~Net proceeds credited:~~

~~Members of Custodian Staff Present:~~

~~Extracted from Auctioneering List No.~~

~~Remarks:~~

*arrangement
 Aug 19/44*

NAME OMOTO, Chiyo (Mrs. Iosoya)

REGISTRATION NO. 10627

FILE NO. 7258

The following chattels were sold by public
auction at 1047 Seymour St., Vancouver, B.C. July 27, 1944.

| | Brought Forward | |
|------------------------|-----------------|----------|
| -Oak Dining Room Suite | | \$ 21.10 |
| -4 Oak Chairs | | 15.00 |
| -Oak buffet or dresser | | 6.50 |
| -3 Pictures | | 4.00 |
| -Candy pails | | 0.35 |
| | | 0.65 |

| | | |
|------------------------|-------------|-----------------|
| Total | | \$ 57.60 |
| Less Expenses: | | \$ 12.35 |
| (Auctioneer's Fee) | \$5.76 | |
| (Advertising) | 1.62 | |
| (Movings) | <u>4.97</u> | |
| Net Proceeds Credited: | | <u>\$ 45.25</u> |

Members of Custodian Staff Present. *Mr. Smith*

Extracted from Auctioneering List No. Vancouver 502

Remarks.

NAME OMOTO, Chiyo (Mrs. Yosova)

REGISTRATION NO. 10627

FILE NO. 7258

The following chattels were sold by public
auction at Vancouver, B.C. on September, 15, 1943.

| | |
|---------------------------|---------|
| Gas Stove | \$ 9.00 |
| Show Case | 6.00 |
| Show Case | 12.00 |
| Canvas Awning | 4.25 |
| Wooden Cabinet | 1.50 |
| Wooden Press and Gas Oven | 1.00 |
| Round Table | 0.50 |
| Day Bed | 4.00 |
| Kitchen Cabinet | 5.50 |
| Counter | 1.00 |
| 2 Counter Cases | 1.00 |

| | | |
|------------------------|----------------------------|----------------|
| Total: | (Auctioneer's Fees) \$4.57 | \$ 45.75 |
| Less Expenses: | (Advertising) 1.56 | \$10.09 |
| | (Moving) 2.66 | |
| | (Rents) 1.30 | |
| Net Proceeds Credited: | | <u>\$35.66</u> |

Members of Custodian Staff Present. -Mr. Wills

Extracted from Auctioneering list No.1.

Remarks.

NAME OMOTO, Chiyo (Mrs. Yessya)

REGISTRATION NO. 10627

FILE NO. 7258

The following chattels were sold by public
auction at Vancouver, B.C. on October 14th, 1943.

Counter

\$ 2.00

Total: (Auctioneer's Fee: \$0.20
(Advertising: 0.06
Less Expenses: (Movings:

\$ 2.00

\$ 0.26

Net Proceeds Credited:

\$ 1.74

Members of Custodian Staff Present. Mr. Wills.

Extracted from Auctioneering list No. 3.

Remarks. Auction took place at 992 Powell St.

LIABILITY SUMMARY

File No. 7258

April 29/46

RE: Chiyo (Mrs. Yosoya) OMOTO
Reg. No. 10627

The following claims have been filed against the above:

FRED WELSH & SON, Plumber

\$6.00

Paid May 10th 46

VANCOUVER SCAVENGING DEPT.

.60

Mrs. OMOTO has not been advised of these outstanding accounts.

There are no claims on the file of the husband, Yosoya.

*later Mrs Omoto informed to
above debts and approved
payments. they have been paid*

The above summary is certified to be in accordance with the
information on file.
April 29/46
GHS:LEN

G. B. Spain
G. B. Spain