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BUREAU POWELL STREET  
OFFICE OF THE CUSTODIAN  
JAPANESE SECTION

FILE NO. \_\_\_\_\_

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: KUMAMOTO, Chiyoko (Mrs. Masaro)

HOME ADDRESS: 222 Gore Ave., Vancouver, B.C.

REGISTRATION NUMBER 02348 SEX: Female AGE: 41

OCCUPATION: Cannery Worker

(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: Great Northern Cannery, West Bay, B.C. (Sherman)

MARRIED? Yes

NAME OF WIFE OR HUSBAND: Masaru

ADDRESS OF WIFE OR HUSBAND: evacuated to Taft, 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



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 222 Gore Ave., Vancouver, B.C.  
in wooden frame 4 room bungalow.
2. LANDLORD'S NAME AND ADDRESS: Mr. M. Kawasaki, Gore & Powell, Vanc., B.C.
3. PARTICULARS OF LEASE AND RENT AND DATE TO WHICH PAID:  
Monthly rental of \$13.00 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:  
None
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 Savings Acct., \$350.00 in Royal Bank of Can., Hastings & Main, Vancouver, B.C.
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 1st day of May 1942.

Arne L. Smith

Witness

(Signature)

C. Komornik

FOR DEPARTMENTAL USE



P.O. 29/6/43

INFORMATION FROM R.C.M.P.

Date

Aug 16/43  
July 2/43

Our File No. 7303

Full Name

KUMAMOTO (CHIYUKA)  
(Surname in Block Letters)

MRS. MASARO

Registration No. 02348

Male - Female  
(check)

Age

Oct. 30, 1900

Former Address

222 Gore Ave. City  
477 Powell St.

Date Evacuated

Oct. 15/43

Naturalized - Canadian-Born - National  
(check)

Present Address

New Denver, B.C.  
Rosebery, B.C.

RETURNED TO JAPAN  
S.S. GENERAL MEIGS  
2nd AUGUST, 1946

Married - Single  
(check)

Name of Wife

Name of Husband

Masaro #02349

Name of Mother

(nee)  
(ISOMOTO) Maki

Name of Father

MIYAKE, Sadao  
(deceased)

Names of Children under 16

(In Japan)

One child, Keichi (M) 15 yrs. born under  
former marriage. (no more information)

Requested by

Pat Hadyson

Registered with Custodian

YES

(Yes or No)

Additional Information

Cannery Worker - Great Northern  
Cannery, West Vancouver, B.C.

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DOMINION OF CANADA  
DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE

No. 858

Issued at **NEW DENVER, B.C.**  
Date **July 22nd, 1946**

The Government of Canada acknowledges that **KIMANOTO, Chiyoko** has surrendered property situated in Canada as described herein and agrees to remit the yen 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 Canada by way of Repatriation Grant.

Cash - - - - - **NEGOTIATED** - - - - - **\$1,250.00** ✓

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*[Signature]*  
for Comptroller of the Treasury



711 Stock Exchange Bldg.,  
475 Howe Street,  
Vancouver, B.C.,  
Nov. 16/46

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

TREASURY DEPT. CLAIM \$ NIL

Dear Sir:

Re: KUMAMOTO, Chiyoko <sup>7303</sup> #02348  
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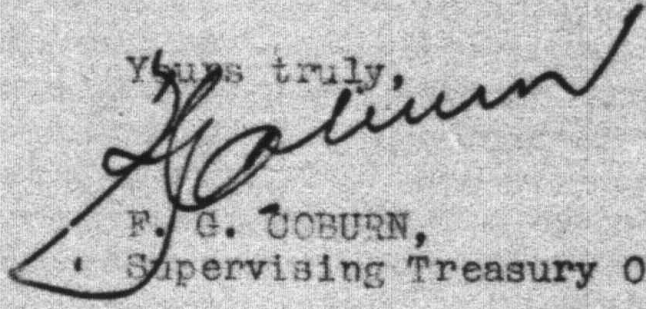
Please note that the above Japanese has  
been repatriated to Japan. The following is the status  
of his account with this Department, covering the  
repatriation transactions:

Money turned in - - - - - \$ 1250.00

Draft Issued- - - - - \$ 1250.00

It will be noted, therefore, that this  
party is not indebted to this Department in this connection.  
However, should any further monies come into your hands on  
this account it should be turned over to this office for  
transmission to the Japanese in question.

Yours truly,

  
F. G. COBURN,  
Supervising Treasury Officer.

FGC/EJ.



LIABILITY SUMMARY

File No. 7303

June 28th, 1946.

RE: Chiyoko (Mrs. Masaru) KUMAMOTO  
Reg. No. 02348

This file reveals no claims against the above person.

The above summary is certified to be in accordance with the  
information on file.  
June 28th, 1946.  
GDS:JEM

*T. H. [Signature]*  
U.S. State



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June 22<sup>nd</sup>, 1946.

REGISTERED

Mr. & Mrs. Masaru KUMAMOTO,  
Reg. Nos. 02349 & 02348,  
HOBBERT, B.C.

Re: Policy No. 2,173,731

Dear Sir and Madam:

We enclose herewith Sun Life Assurance Company of Canada  
cheque in the sum of \$311.29, made out to you jointly, representing the  
cash surrender value of the above numbered policy.

Kindly acknowledge receipt.

Yours truly,

G. B. Spain  
Protection Department

GBS:LHM

Encl. (1)

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