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FORM "JP"

BUREAU HASTINGS PARK

FILE No. 7653

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: NAKAMURA, Masanobu

HOME ADDRESS: Port Essington, B. C.

REGISTRATION NUMBER 11124 SEX: Male AGE: 28

OCCUPATION: Carpenter

(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: Yukiye 8497

ADDRESS OF WIFE OR HUSBAND: Same address

NAMES OF ANY LIVING CHILDREN: Taruo (M)

ADDRESS OF CHILDREN: Same address

AGE OF CHILDREN: 2 years.

STATEMENT OF ALL REAL PROPERTY (Each parcel must be mentioned and particulars given)

1. LOCATION AND DESCRIPTION:

2. BUILDINGS AND OTHER IMPROVEMENTS:

3. INSURANCE (Give particulars; state where policies are) 900.00

4. TAXES (Amount and where payable)

5. ENCUMBRANCES (Including any unregistered claims or deposit of title deed)

6. OCCUPANCY AND LEASES (If vacant so state)

7. STATE WHEREABOUTS OF TITLE DOCUMENTS:

8. STATE IF ANY OTHER PERSON HAS ANY INTEREST:

9. IF FARM LAND STATE CROPS SOWN

STATEMENT OF REAL PROPERTY OCCUPIED

1. LOCATION AND DESCRIPTION:

Port Essington, B. C. Cannery house

2. LANDLORD'S NAME AND ADDRESS:

B. C. Packers Co., Vancouver, B. C.

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

Rent 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:

1. Baby bed, 1. Sewing machine, 2. Mattresses, 1. Box, 1. tub, 1. Carton kitchen ware, 2. Trunks, 1. Box dishes, 1. Box Carp. Tools, 1. Boiling can. 2. Dressers, 1. Gas Lamp & shade, 1. Bed, 7. Chairs, 1. Cook stove, 1. Water [illegible]k 1. Heater, 1. Sofa, Child's toys, 15. Oak Clamps, 1. Pipe vice, 1. Tool grinder, 1. Set screw plate, 2. Ship Augers. Size Sawn
Sold by Auction July 15, 22, 29 1944 - Patrick Ruckers

Left in M. Ohashi, store at Port Essinton, B. C., in charge of Provincial Police.

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

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FILE No.

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:

2. TRADE DEBTS:

REMARKS:

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 4th day of May 1942.

(Signature) M McKasaun

H Hogan
Witness

FOR DEPARTMENTAL USE

INFORMATION FROM R.C.M.P.

Date August 5/43.

Our File No. 4653

Full Name NAKAMURA, MASANOBU
(Surname in Block Letters)

Registration No. 11124

Male - Female (check) ✓

Age Jan 6, 1913

Former Address East Essington, B.C.

Date Evacuated May 17th 1942.

Naturalized - Canadian-Born ✓ - National (check)

Present Address 31/5/47 = c/o H. G. Wilson, RR#1, Charing Cross, Ont.
~~London B.C.~~
~~14/5/47 (D/R) = RR#3 Chatham, Ont.~~
31/3/49 = 1619 - 3rd Ave. N, Lethbridge, Alta

Married - Single (check) ✓

Name of Wife Yukiye (Mrs) 11101

Name of Husband

Name of Mother (Mrs) (MORI) Robu (Mrs) Name of Father Kisakichi (Japan)

Names of Children under 16 Fumio (M) 1½

Requested by Pat Bloodgood Registered with Custodian Yes (Yes or No)

Additional Information Fisherman. Boat "Island Queen"
Salmon B.C. - 3095 Inshore Licence No. 109 - Vessel Control
R.C. 886-)

(Master File is 1382)

REAL PROPERTY SUMMARY

Cat. No. ---

File No. 1382 Eiji KISHIMOTO Reg. No. 11123
File No. 7653 / Masanobu NAKAMURA Reg. No. 11124.

Address: Port Essington, B. C.

Legal Description: Lot 9, Block 5, Townsite of Port Essington, Map 537.

Classification: Vacant land.

Registered in the names of: EIJI KISHIMOTO and MASANOBU NAKAMURA.

State of Title (No. 25967-I): Clear.

Sold to: Abandoned to tax sale by owners.

Administration: This small parcel of vacant land, the assessed value of which was only $35.00, was not declared by either of the registered owners. In reply to a query from this office Eiji KISHIMOTO wrote (Sept. 24/43): "...we have decided to 'Quit Claim'." which we take to mean abandon it.

The above summary is certified to be in accordance with the information on file.

17th June, 1947.

RGB/P.

NOTE: Custodian vesting lifted. Vacating Certificate filed with Prince Rupert L.R.O. June 20, 1949, under D.F.No. 8986.

CANADA

DEPARTMENT OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE

OFFICE OF THE CUSTODIAN

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO THE CUSTODIAN'S OFFICE

PLEASE REFER TO

FILE No. 1362
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VACATING CERTIFICATE

The Secretary of State of Canada acting in his capacity as Custodian under or by virtue of the Revised Regulations Respecting Trading with the Enemy (1943), by his duly authorized and lawful Deputy, hereby vacates the Certificate of Vesting registered in the Land Registry Office of the Land Registration District of Prince Rupert at Prince Rupert in the Province of British Columbia, on the 20th day of August 1943 as No. 3966 and certifying that the interests of Eiji Kishimoto and Masanobu Nakamura in Lot 9, Block 5, Townsite of Port Essington, Map 537, is vested in the Custodian, and hereby relinquishes and releases any right which he the said Custodian may have in the said property by virtue of the Vesting in him of the interests of the said Eiji Kishimoto and Masanobu Nakamura.

DATED at Vancouver, B.C. this 7th day of June A.D. 1949.

F G Sheard

(F. G. SHEARS)
Authorized Deputy of the Secretary of State and/or Custodian

GENERAL SUMMARY

File 7653. Masanobu NAKAMURA Reg. No. 11124.

This 28-year old Canadian-born Carpenter from Port Essington, B. C., signed a Custodian "JP" declaration form on the 4th May, 1942. He was evacuated on the 17th May, 1942.

His wife, Yukiye, File 8497, signed a Custodian "No Property" card on the 9th May, 1942. She was evacuated on the 22nd June, 1942.

The following is a summary of the contents of this file as disclosed by a review made today.

Real Property: None declared. A small parcel of vacant land (Lot 9, Block 5, Townsite of Port Essington, Map 537), the assessed value of which was $35.00, and of which this evacuee was one of the two registered owners, was abandoned to tax sale (see Sept. 24/43).

Personal Property: See Chattels Schedule of today's date for particulars of chattels disclosed in file, most of which were shipped to owner. A few were sold, and some are missing and believed to have been stolen.

Specified Articles: See Fishing Vessels Summary, dated Jan. 8/44, for particulars of F.V. "Silver Queen" sold (Apr. 2/42) through Japanese Fishing Vessels Disposal Committee for $750.00, net proceeds ($740.00) being paid direct to owner on Apr. 8/42.

A Phonola Mantel Radio set turned in to the Royal Canadian Mounted Police by the Royal Canadian Navy, was auctioned by this office on Apr. 18/44, for $30.00, net proceeds ($25.36) being credited to this account.

Bills Receivable: Refund of transportation expenses in connection with delivery of F.V. "Silver Queen", was received from the Canadian Government and credited (Apr. 12/45) to this account, in the sum of $5.00.

Bonds, Shares, etc.: None.

Bank Accounts: None.

Life Insurance: None.

Liabilities: There are no claims recorded in this file.

Funds: The balance standing at the credit of Mr. Nakamura's Personal Account was remitted to him on the 14th May, 1947, in the sum of $17.36. The balance ($45.36) standing at the credit of a Joint Account with his wife, Yuki (File 8497), is held pending receipt of Statutory Declaration in lieu of lost receipt for radio set.

The above summary is certified to be in accordance with the information on file.

11th June, 1947.

RGB/P.

LIABILITIES SUMMARY

File 7653. Masanobu NAKAMURA. Reg. No. 11124.

THERE ARE NO CLAIMS RECORDED IN THIS FILE.

The above summary is certified to be in accordance with the information on file.

11th June, 1947.

MGB/P.

CHATTELS SCHEDULE

File 7653. Masanobu NAKAMURA Reg. No. 11124.

"JP" Form (May 4/42):	Shipped	Sold	Stored	Remarks
(1) Baby bed	(30)			
(2) Sewing machine	(31)			
(3) Mattresses (2)	(26)			
(4) Box				
(5) Tub				
(6) Kitchenware (etc.)	(27)			
(7) Trunks (2)	(25)			
(8) Dishes (1 box)	(42)			
(9) Carpenter tools (box)				
(10) Boiling can	(28)			
(11) Dressers (2)	(40)	(48)		Left in M. Ohashi's Store, Port Essington, B. C.
(12) Gas Lamp & Shade				
(13) Bed	(32)			
(14) Chairs (7)				
(15) Cook stove	(29)			
(16) Water tank				
(17) Heater				
(18) Sofa		(50)		
(19) Child's toys	(33 & 34)			
(20) Oak Clamps (15)	(35)			
(21) Pipe Vise	(36)			
(22) Tool Grinder			(37)	
(23) Set Screw Plate	(38)			
(24) Ship Augers (2)			(39)	

Custodian Release Form (May 19/42):

(25) Trunks (2)	19/5/42
(26) Mattresses (2)	19/5/42
(27) Kitchenware (tub)	19/5/42
(28) Boiling can	19/5/42
(29) Kitchen stove	19/5/42

Custodian Release Form (Oct. 19/42):

(30) Baby Bed & Mattress	19/10/42		
(31) Singer sewing machine	19/10/42		
(32) Double Bed	19/10/42		
(33) Sleigh, Horse (toy)	19/10/42		
(34) Toys (box)	19/10/42		
(35) Clamps (15)	19/10/42	(4)	(11 missing--See "A")
(36) Pipe Vise	19/10/42		
(37) Tool Grinder			(Missing--See "A")
(38) Set Screw Plate	19/10/42		

(Over)

File 7653.

	Shipped	Sold	Stored	Remarks
Custodian Release Form (Oct. 19/42):				
(39) Augers (2)				Missing—See "A"
(40) Dresser	19/10/42			
(41) Mirror	19/10/42			
Custodian Release Form (Jan. 6/43):				
(42) Dishes (box)	6/1/43			
(43) Pots & Pans (box)	6/1/43			
(44) Soy sauce (1 can)	6/1/43			
H. J. Brown's statement of sale (June 26/43) on wife's File 8497:				
(45) Coal (2 tons)		26/6/43		
Custodian Release Form (Aug. 17/43):				
(46) Buddhist Shrine	17/8/43			
(47) Baby's clothing (box)	17/8/43			
Auction Sheet (July 15/44):				
(48) Side board (? Dresser)		15/7/44		
(49) Single Bed & Spring		15/7/44		
(50) Couch		15/7/44		

E. & O. E.
11th JUNE, 1947.

RGB/P.

NOTE: "A" = In his letter of Nov. 16/42, Custodian Agent H. J. Brown, reported short-shipment of 11 clamps, 1 tool grinder and 2 augers, these articles being missing as a result of Ohashi's Store, where the goods were stored, having been broken into.

MEMORANDUM September 24, 1943.

TO: File No. 7653

FROM: Specified Articles Department.

Re: NAKAMURA Masanobu, Reg. No. 11124

ARTICLE	DESCRIPTION	APPRAISED VALUE
RADIO	Phonola Mantel Radio Serial No. 291450 General "A" and "B" Power Pack Battery	

1 - Sent by auction 18/4/44 - Vancouver 17

HS

Form 366A

ROYAL CANADIAN MOUNTED POLICE

No. 910

EXHIBIT REPORT

HEADQUARTERS File No.

SUB-DIV'N and File No. Vancouver

DIVISION and File No. [illegible] (Jap. Reg. No. 1112.)

DETACHMENT and File No. C.I.B.

DATE May. 20th. 1944.

Re: Masanobu NAKAMURA - Fort Essington
(Name of File)

On Sept. 9th. 1943. (Date) I F. R. Jefferson Cst. (Member's Name)

Came into possession of the following described goods by

Handed over by the R.C.M.P. Prince Rupert, B. C.
(State Authority from whom seized and place of seizure)

No. OF EXHIBIT	No. OF PACKAGES	CAPACITY OR SIZE	DESCRIPTION OF EXHIBITS
	1		Phonola Mantel Radio Serial No 291450.

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REMARKS:

Handed over to the Custodian of Alien Property.
(State briefly disposition)

DATE MAR 23 1944

CERTIFIED CORRECT

Geo. D. Spencer Custodian F. R. Jefferson Reg. # 10559 Cst.
(Signature of Recipient or Witness) (Signature of Member)

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Form 248

ROYAL CANADIAN MOUNTED POLICE

No.....

EXHIBIT REPORT

Det. Exhibit No. 26

HEADQUARTERS File No. 42D.269-3-3-16 SUB/DIV'N & File No.

DIVISION & File No. "E" [redacted] DETACHMENT & File No. Prince Rupert, B.C. C2PR-37-4
462. 269/2/1-26

DATE April 8th, 1942.

Re: Magneto MARINERA 11124 Port Essington, B.C.
(Name of File)

On April 1st, 1942 I Cpl. J.V.Piper
(Date) (Member's Name)

Came into possession of the following described goods by receiving from the officer

i/c R.C.M.P., Prince Rupert, B.C.
(State Authority from whom seized and place of seizure)

No. of Exh.	No. of Packages	Qty. or Size	DESCRIPTION OF EXHIBITS
	1		Phonola Mantel Radio Serial No. 201450
	1		General "A" and "B" Power Pack Battery

CERTIFIED CORRECT

Cpl. (J.V.Piper)
(Signature of member submitting report)

Reg.No.11929

i/c Prince Rupert, B.C.

SUMMARY TAKEN FROM VESSELS RECORDS

Date: Jan. 8, 1944

Name: Masanobu NAKAMURA Reg. No. 11124 File: 7653

Boat File No.: JFVDC 346

Name of Vessel: "Silver Queen" 28'x7'x3'6"(1936) Vivian 12 HP (1936)

Lic. or Reg. No.: Prince Rupert 189

Naval No.: PR.006-D

Owner's Valuation: $950.00

JFVDC Valuation: $550.00 Survey PR.29

Custodian Valuation: No appraisal

Date of Sale: April 2, 1942

Purchaser: British Columbia Packers Ltd.

Signature on Sales Papers: No copy

Selling Price: $750.00

Paid to JFVDC [redacted]: $750.00

Supervision Costs: $10.00

Balance due Owner: $740.00

Paid to: M. Nakamura on April 8, 1942.

Location of Boat at Sale: Prince Rupert

Claims Against Canadian Govt.:

Damage claim filed by purchaser in amount of $24.76 Not approved

No claims were paid in connection with the vessels impounded at Prince Rupert.

Additional Information:

MF

C L A I M

November 20, 1944

CREDITOR: Masanobu NAKAMURA, 11124 FILE: 7653

DEBTOR: Canadian Government

AMOUNT: $5.00

Expenses incurred in connection with the seizure and removal from Skeena River to Tuck's Inlet of the M/V "Silver Queen".

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

Last file 7653

I NAKAMURA Mr. Y. , Police registration No. 11101, hereby request you to release to me the under-noted property stored at Const. Bell, at store former owner Mr. M. Ohashi 2nd floor Pt. Essington and I release you from any claim whatsoever with respect to such property.

Description of Property:

Nos. 6 & 8 trunks

3 4 Mattress

8 kitchenware in tub

12 boiling can

1 kitchen stove

Dated this 19th day of May 1942.

T, Bajanyra
(Japanese sign here)

Approved

J.A. 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.

I agree to pay all charges as required by the British Columbia Security Commission.

APPROVED:
BRITISH COLUMBIA SECURITY COMMISSION

Per:_____

Masanobu Nakamura
Claimant Signs Here

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October 27, 1942

Mr. C. L. Earle
441 - 3rd Avenue
Prince Rupert, B. C.

Dear Sir:

Re HAGARTHA, Kasmpoint
Registration No. 31174

We have had a request from the above for the following articles to be shipped to him at Roseberry from Churchil's Store, Port Essington, B. C:

No. 1	...	Baby Bed & Mattress
No. 2	...	Singer's Sewing Machine
1	...	Double Bed
		Sleigh, Horse (toy) and 1 box toys
15 only	...	Clamps
1 "	...	Pipe Vise
1 "	...	Tool Grinder
1 set	...	Screw Plate
2 only	...	Auger (long)
1	...	Dresser
1	...	Mirror

Would you kindly send a copy of this letter to Mr. Brown at Port Essington and ask him to arrange accordingly? The shipment should be made to Roseburry, freight charges collect. Any charge at Port Essington for crating and shipping please have him attach as a C. O. D. to the billing, as neither the Security Commission nor ourselves are taking this expense for our account.

Yours truly,

H. F. Green
Protection Department

HFG:HDE

Green

File No. 7653

Port Essington, B.C.
November 16th. 1942

OFFICE OF THE CUSTODIAN
JAPA...
RECEIVED
NOV 19 1942

Department of the Secretary of State,
Office of the Custodian.

Japanese Evacuation Section.

Attention Mr. H. F. Green, Protection Dept.

Re NAKAMURA, Masanobu. Reg. No. 11124

Dear Sir:

Mr. Rorie of Prince Rupert forwarded a copy of your letter dated October 27, requesting shipment of various articles to be shipped to Roseberry, B.C. from Ohashi's Store. These things have now been shipped. Shipping bill enclosed with charges for crating, etc.

I have to inform you that Ohashi's store has been broken into and some articles are missing, and the following I had to ship short, namely, 11 Clamps. 1 Tool Grinder. 2 Augers (long) This matter of breaking and entering is being taken up by Constable Bell of the B.C. Police who is investigating and trust the missing articles may be recovered.

I may say that a number of the other places have also been broken into, these are being investigated as well. Hard to tell what all is missing as I have no idea of the contents of boxes etc. only the things that are lying around loose.

Yours faithfully,

H. J. Brown

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November 20th, 1942

The B. C. Security Commission,
The Marine Building,
Vancouver, B. C.

Attention Mr. Fisher

Dear Sir:-

Re: NAKAMURA, Masanobu--Doc.#11124

Please refer to your letter of October 23rd, the contents of which we transmitted to Mr. Borie in duplicate who in turn advised Mr. H. J. Brown of Port Essington.

We now hear from Mr. Brown that Oshshi's store has been broken into and the following articles are missing and have not been shipped.

11 Clamps
1 Tool Grinder
2 Augers (long)

We enclosed Bill of Lading which we send herewith and from which you will notice that goods will have to be rebilled to final destination. We also enclose his account (of which he has only sent us one copy) for $4.00 which you will doubtless arrange to collect.

We are sending this letter in duplicate in order that you may have a copy to send to the Senton Supervisor should you wish to do so. For his benefit and the information of the Japanese, we mention that Constable Bell of the B. C. Police is investigating this theft.

Yours truly,

H. F. Green
Protection Department

Encs.
HFG:IF

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November 20th, 1942

Mr. H. J. Brown,
Port Essington, B. C.

Dear Sir:-

Re: NAKAMURA, Masanobu

Many thanks for yours of November 14th and enclosures which we have handed to the Security Commission who will arrange reimbursement.

We are sorry to see that there has been some house-breaking but note that this is being investigated by the police. Wherever you find any house-breaking, will you kindly immediately advise the police and if possible secure a brief written report from them for our records. In this way we shall be able to prove that immediately any house-breaking was discovered, the police were promptly advised and suitable action taken.

Yours truly,

H. F. Green
Protection Department

HFG:IF

EVACUATION SECT
Rec'd JAN 15 1943
File No. 7653
Reg. 10 1/2
Reply G-165-A

BRITISH COLUMBIA SECURITY COMMISSION.

CUSTODIAN RELEASE FORM

Address Sandon, B. C. Date January 6, 1943

To: The Secretary of State, acting in his capacity as Custodian, Vancouver, B.C.

I, NAKAMURA, Masanobu, Police Registration No. 11124 hereby request you to release to me the under-noted property stored at Ohashi's Store, Port Essington in possession of Constable Bell, and I release you from any claim whatsoever with respect to such property.

Description of Property:

1 Box Dishes
1 Box Pots and Pans
1 Can Soy Sauce

Original Address Port Essington, B. C.

Date Evacuated to Vancouver Around March 23, 1942

Date Evacuated to Present Address May 19, 1942

Number in Family - 12 years and over 2

Number in Family - 5 to 11 years old none

Number in Family - under 5 1

TOTAL NUMBER IN FAMILY 3

I agree to pay all charges as required by the British Columbia Security Commission.

APPROVED:
BRITISH COLUMBIA SECURITY COMMISSION

Per: W. B. Powell

M. Nakamura
Claimant Signs Here

MEMORANDUM

File Nos.: 7653
8297

July 16th, 1943

To: Accounts

From: Mr. Green

Re: Mr. & Mrs. Masanobu NAKAMURA

I think the $20.00 as per attached statement from Port Essington should be jointly credited to husband and wife as the statement bears the wife's name, though she did not declare any belongings at all. It was the husband who declared everything though his declaration did not mention the coal.

HFG:IF

Custodian

EVACUATION SECTION
Rec'd AUG 24 1943
File No. 715
Ans. 415
Referred Eileen

out to McPherson

SANDON

C-165-A

BRITISH COLUMBIA SECURITY COMMISSION.

CUSTODIAN RELEASE FORM

Address SANDON, B.C. Date August 19, 1943

To: The Secretary of State, acting in his capacity as Custodian, Vancouver, B.C.

I, NAKAMURA, Masaichi, Police Registration No. 11184

hereby request you to release to me the under-noted property stored at M. Ohashi Store (2nd Floor) Port Essington, B. C.

in possession of Mr. Hugh Brown

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

Description of Property:

1 Buddhist Shrine, crated and marked "Masaichi Nakamura".

1 Box (paper) Baby's Clothing, crated, and marked "Masaichi Nakamura".

Original Address P. O. Box 35, Port Essington, B. C.

Date Evacuated to Vancouver March 28, 1942.

Date Evacuated to Present Address May 19, 1942.

Number in Family - 12 years and over 2

Number in Family - 5 to 11 years old —

Number in Family - under 5 1

TOTAL NUMBER IN FAMILY 3

I agree to pay all charges as required by the British Columbia Security Commission.

APPROVED:
BRITISH COLUMBIA SECURITY COMMISSION

Per: H. Clayton M. Nakamura
Claimant Signs Here

Vancouver, B.C. August 23rd, 1943.

H.J.Brown, Esq.,
Custodian Agent, Port Essington, B.C.

O.K. to ship by freight, the freight charges COLLECT to our account at Vancouver, sending us two copies of bill of lading and paying shipping expense. If shipment is very light, it is possible that goods should be moved by express from here. Your report will be appreciated.

CWF:FF
c.c. Custodian of Alien Property.

B.C.SECURITY COMMISSION
Per C.W.Fisher
C.W.Fisher, Transportation.

1382, 1676 & 7663.

September 17th, 1943.

Mr. Riji KISHIMOTO,
Registration No. 11123,
Slocan City, B. C.

Dear Sir:

We are in receipt of your letter of the 24th ultimo requesting us to remit you the proceeds from the sale of two Pool Tables.

This money has been credited to a Joint Account in the names of yourself and your brother, this account today standing as follows:

June 21	Sale of Stock	$ 99.07	
	Less discount, 50%	49.07	$ 50.00
Aug. 9	Sale of 2 Pool Tables	$ 90.00	90.00
	Total Credit		$140.00
	Less two Certificates of Encumbrance		2.00
	Balance today		$138.00

The only unpaid charges registered against this account are the following taxes:

(1) Lot 4, Block 3, Township of Port Hammond

$30.48 (1941); $37.80 (1942); $21.71 (1943) - - - $90.39

(2) Lot 9, Block 3, Township of Port Hammond

$2.36 (1941); $2.00 (1942); $2.00 (1943) - - - - - $ 6.36

Our records show the registered owners of (1) to be Riji KISHIMOTO and Hatsue KISHIMOTO; and the registered owners of (2) to be Riji KISHIMOTO and Shunkobu HAMANEA. Neither Shunkobu HAMANEA nor you have declared any interest in (2) and we would be obliged if you would let us know whether there is an unregistered Agreement for Sale, Quit Claim, or other

1382, 1678 & 7653.

October 2nd, 1943.

Provincial Collector,
Prince Rupert,
B. C.

Dear Sir:

Re: Biji KISHIMOTO - Reg. 11123.
Matsuo KISHIMOTO " 11176.

We enclose our cheque for $82.77 in payment of the following taxes:

$39.48	taxes for 1941
4.00	interest on above
37.20	taxes for 1942
2.09	interest on above

We also enclose respective tax notices and shall be glad to receive your acknowledgment in due course.

There is another parcel of vacant land at Port Essington known as: "Lot 9, Block 5, Sub-div. of D.L. 45, Plan 537" the registered owners of which are the above Biji KISHIMOTO and Masumobu NAKAMURA. The latter has not declared any interest in this property and the former in asking us to make the above payment, writes:

"As for (this property) we have decided to Quit Claim" which we take to mean abandon it.

Yours truly,

R. C. Bell,
Administration Department.

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October 2nd, 1943.

Mr. Biji KISHIMOTO,
Registration No. 11123,
Slocan, B. C.

Dear Sir:

We are in receipt of your letter of the 24th ultimo asking us to pay the following taxes on "Lot 6, Block 3, Sub-div. of D. L. 43, Plan 537, Port Essington Townsite":

$39.48	taxes for 1941	
4.00	interest on above 1/7/1941 - 30/9/1943	@ 4%
37.20	taxes for 1942	
2.09	interest on above 1/7/1942 - 30/9/1943	@ 4%
$82.77	paid today	

You further request us to remit you the remaining balance after paying your life insurance premium, but we would point out that the balance standing at the credit of the Joint Account of yourself and your brother, as advised you in our letter of the 17/9/1943, was $126.00

Out of which our Insurance Department paid your Life Insurance premium of 33.78

Leaving a balance of $104.22
Out of which we have now paid 82.77

Leaving a balance of $ 21.45

So that instead of having any funds of your own in this account, we have used $6.17 of your brother's share to make up your insurance premium and you are, therefore, in debt to your brother to that extent.

Yours truly,

R. G. Bell,
Administration Department.

RGB/P.

c.c. to Mr. Matsuo KISHIMOTO.

NAME NAKAMURA, Masaichi

REGISTRATION NO. 11124 FILE NO. 7653

The following chattels were sold by public auction at Port Essington & Prince Rupert on July 15, 22, 29, 1944.

Side board	$ 10.00
Single bed and spring	7.00
Couch	2.75

Total			$ 19.75
Less Expenses:	Auctioneer's Fee:	$1.98	
	Advertising:	0.27	
	Moving:	5.14	$ 7.39
Net Proceeds Credited:			$ 12.36

Members of Custodian Staff Present. Mrs. N. E. Arnold

Extracted from Auctioneering List No. Prince Rupert 1

Remarks.

Original sent to evacuee May 14/47.

NAME NAKAMURA, Masanobu

REGISTRATION NO. 11124 FILE NO. 7653

The following chattels were sold by public auction at 992 Powell, Vancouver, B.C. on April 18, 1944.

Phonola mantel battery radio	$ 30.00

Total:			$ 30.00
Less Expenses:	(Auctioneer's Fee:	$3.00	
	(Advertising:	0.40	$ 4.64
	(Moving:	0.24	
	(Storage:	1.00	
Net Proceeds Credited:			$ 25.36

Members of Custodian Staff Present. Mr. Wills

Extracted from Auctioneering list No. Vancouver 17

Remarks.

Original sent to evacuee May 14/47.

7653 & 8497.

Mailed 19/5/47

May 14th, 1947.

REGISTERED MAIL.

Mr. and Mrs. Masanobu NAKAMURA,
Registration Nos. 11124 & 11101,
R. R. No. 3,
Chatham, Ontario.

Dear Sir and Madam:

Re: Accounts.

These files are up for review and we find that both the Personal Account of Mr. Nakamura and the Joint Account in your joint names, are inactive and should therefore be closed.

The balance standing at the credit of Mr. Nakamura's account is $17.36, made up of net proceeds ($12.36) from an auction sale of chattels, as per enclosed auction sheet, and refund of transportation expenses ($5.00) connected with delivery of the fishing vessel, "Silver Queen". As no further entries are expected we are enclosing our cheque in favour of Masanobu NAKAMURA for $17.36, and closing this account.

The balance standing at the credit of the Joint Account in the names of Masanobu and Yukiye NAKAMURA is $45.36, made up of proceeds ($20.00) from sale of coal (2 tons @ $10.00), and net proceeds ($25.36) from sale of a radio set, as per auction sheet enclosed herewith. It is the practice of this office to have on file original police receipt for cameras and radios before releasing the proceeds from sale of such articles, and if you will send your radio receipt we shall be pleased to mail you a cheque for the balance of this account. If the receipt has been lost we will send you a statutory declaration to be signed in lieu thereof.

We desire to have your acknowledgment of today's remittance for our records and for your convenience in replying we enclose a stamped addressed envelope.

Yours truly,

R. G. Bell,
Office of the Custodian.

RGB/P.
Encl. 4.

Office of the Custodian
506 Royal Bank Bldg.
Hastings & Granville
Vancouver, B.C.

Mr. W. E. Wilson.
R.R. 2,
Clearing Ont.
May 3/ 47

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R.C.D.

Dear Sirs.

Received cheque for 9.7.36 for which I thank you very much.

Would you kindly send me the statutory declaration to sign for I have lost the radio receipt.

Kindly let me know what have become of the following.

Yours truly,

File No
765-8497

Mrs. Amelia Nakamura
Reg No 111324.

1 Hot water tank.
1 Heater (stove)
11 Boat clamps
1 Gas Lamp with tube
1 Tool Grinder (Handmade)
5 Aluminum pots & pans.
7 Kitchen chairs
1 table.
2 Chisels Augers

7653.

June 12th, 1947.

Mr. Masanobu NAKAMURA,
Registration No. 11124,
c/o Mr. H. G. Wilson,
R. R. No. 1,
Charing Cross, Ontario.

Dear Sir:

Re: Radio receipt.

We are in receipt of your letter of the 31st ultimo and note that you have lost original police receipt for your radio set.

We enclose a form of statutory declaration which we are prepared to accept in lieu of lost receipt, if completed as required. On receipt of this document we shall be glad to remit the balance of your Joint Account, as advised in our letter of the 14th ultimo.

With regard to missing chattels, the Ohashi Store, where you left your chattels, was broken into and articles subsequently missing must be assumed to have been stolen. While regretting this we must add that the Custodian has taken all reasonable measures for the protection of personal goods, involving considerable expense in the employment of special staff for the purpose, but in spite of this breaking-in and vandalism has occurred from time to time. Burglary and theft are, of course, circumstances which sometimes happen to the most careful property owners, even when the owner is in residence and after taking every precaution against such possibilities. The police have been advised of thefts and the owners of articles recovered will be advised of such recoveries.

Yours truly,

R. G. Bell,
Office of the Custodian.

RGB/P.
Encl.

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EVACUATION SECTION
Rec'd JUN 27 1947
File No. 763
Ans.
Referred Bell

DECLARATION IN REGARD TO LOST RADIO RECEIPT

I, Masanobu NAKAMURA, Reg. No. 11124, of Charing Cross, Ontario, do hereby declare:

1. That I owned a Phonola Mantel Radio set (#291450) with Batteries, and that I delivered this radio complete with battries to P.B. Howe Lieut. R.C.N.R. 15 B on the 11th day of Feb. 19 42 and obtained a receipt therefor.

2. That I have made a most diligent search for the said receipt. I have not found the same and the sole reason for the non-production of the receipt is that it has been lost or accidentally destroyed.

3. That I, Masanobu NAKAMURA, Reg. No. 11124, the owner, am therefore entitled to the proceeds of the sale of my radio.

June 23rd/47
(date)

M. Nakamura
Masanobu NAKAMURA #11124