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BUREAU POWELL STREET
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: YAMASAKI, Kinu (Mrs. Sotaro)

HOME ADDRESS: 238 Powell St., Vancouver, B.C

REGISTRATION NUMBER: 03341 SEX: Female AGE: 31

OCCUPATION: Housewife Storekeeper at same address

(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: None

MARRIED? Yes

NAME OF WIFE OR HUSBAND: Sotaro Filed 1338

ADDRESS OF WIFE OR HUSBAND: Evacuated to Jasper Camp, Alta.

NAMES OF ANY LIVING CHILDREN: Roy (M), Donald (M), Akira (M)

ADDRESS OF CHILDREN: is, same as above

AGE OF CHILDREN: 13, 12, 9 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) None

5. ENCUMBRANCES (Including any unregistered claims or deposit of title deed) None

6. OCCUPANCY AND LEASES (If vacant so state) None

STATEMENT OF REAL PROPERTY OCCUPIED

1. LOCATION AND DESCRIPTION: Lives at 236 Powell St., Vanc., B.C.

alone and one room, at present

2. LANDLORD'S NAME AND ADDRESS: G. Hayashi, same as above

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

Monthly rental \$50.00 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:

Located at 238 Powell St., Vanc., B.C., 1 electric cooler,

1 Ice Cream Refrig., 1 cash register, 1 counter, 2 showcases,

chair, 1 clock, 1 bed, 1 table, 1 gas stove, kitchen utensils,

declarant is trying to sell above goods, - no definite

arrangements made.

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~~ Electric Cooler - Coca Cola Co.,

Vanc., B.C. to extent of \$30.00. Ice Cream Refrig. - Snow-Freeze

Co., Vanc., B.C. to extent of \$110.00.

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) \$5.00 War Saving Certificate, in owner's possession.

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: ^{Pac 4026} E. A. Morris Tobaccos Ltd., Vanc. B.C. - \$250.00 ^{File 11238}

^{Pac 4027} Tobacco Jobbers, Vanc., B.C. - \$50.00 ^{settled in full pay acct at tobacco jobbers 2/1/43}

^{Ba 4604} Coca-Cola Ltd., Vanc., B.C. - \$30.00 ^{settled in full pay acct at Coca Cola 2/1/43}

^{Pac 4024} Snow Freeze Co., Vanc., B.C. - \$110.00 ^{settled in full pay acct at Sno. Frige 2/1/43}

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 _____ day of _____ 1942.

[Signature]
Witness

(Signature) K. Yamashita

FOR DEPARTMENTAL USE _____

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INFORMATION FROM R.C.M.P.

Date

Apr. 28/43

Our File No.

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Full Name

YAMASAKI (Kinu) Mrs. Sotaro
 (Surname in Block Letters)

Registration No.

03341

Male - Female
 (check) ✓

Age

Feb. 19, 1911

Former Address

238 Powell St., City

Date Evacuated

Oct. 26/42

Naturalized - Canadian-Born - National
 (check) ✓ ✓

Present Address

Slocan Extension, B.C.

Married - Single
 (check) ✓

Name of Wife

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Name of Husband

Sotaro # 03518

Name of Mother

(KOMO) (Kinu) (Weid)

Name of Father

TANAKA Tomisaburo
 (Weid)

Names of Children under 16

Loy Soich (M) Feb. 13/29

Hideo Donald (M) Dec. 10/30

Vernon Akira (M) Dec. 20/33

Requested by

[Signature]

Registered with Custodian

(Yes or No)

Additional Information

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File No. 11338.

CLAIMS DEPARTMENT

November 30th, 1943.

Sotaro YAMASAKI - Reg. No. 03518

CREDITORS:

E.A. Morris Ltd.	\$243.78
B.C. Telephone Co.	7.57
B.C. Electric Railway Co. Ltd.	6.80

*As admitted
Lm 6-44*

*Advised
with address of pt.*

DEBTORS:

Kawade Box Co. (In Bankruptcy) \$16.15

NOTE: Copy for file 7701 - Mrs. Sotaro YAMASAKI, Reg. # 03341

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File No. 7701.

CLAIMS DEPARTMENT

November 30th, 1943.

(Mrs. Sotaro) Kinu YAMASAKI - Reg. No. 03341

CREDITORS:

R. Tagashira Co. *hl files* \$ 4.62

City of Vancouver (Scav. Dept.) *hl files* 2.40

*advised with
address of Mrs*

*also denied
L14-6-44*

NOTE: Copy for File 11338 - Sotaro YAMASAKI, Reg. #03518.

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November 6, 1942

Mrs. Sotaro YAMASAKI
Registration No. 03341
Slocan Extension, B. C.

Dear Madam:

In your registration with the Custodian you declared personal property in Vancouver.

Our representative visited the address given, and was informed that you had taken your chattels with you or disposed of same prior to your evacuation.

If this is correct, we assume that you have no chattels in the restricted area of British Columbia requiring our protection. In such event, we would ask you to kindly sign and return the attached copy of this letter for our record.

Yours truly,

Geo. E. Spain
Protection Department

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November 30th, 1943.

Mr. and Mrs. Sotaro YAMASAKI,
Reg. Nos. 03518 and 03341,
Slocan Extension, B.C.

Dear Sir and Madam:

re: Claims

In reviewing your files we have noted the following claims as lodged with the Custodian against you.

Against Sotaro YAMASAKI the following:

1. E.A. Morris Ltd.	\$243.78
2. B.C. Telephone Co.	7.57
3. B.C. Electric Railway Co. Ltd. (\$16.80 - Less \$10.00 deposit)	6.80

Against Mrs. Sotaro YAMASAKI the following:

4. R. Tagashira Co.	\$ 4.62
5. City of Vancouver (Scavenging Dept.) (April 1st - September 18th, 1942)	2.40

Mrs. YAMASAKI declared \$250.00 as owing to E.A. Morris Ltd. in her registration with the Custodian, which no doubt is the same account as above shown as \$243.78.

We shall be obliged if you will let us know if these claims are correct or otherwise at the present time. If they are correct please forward remittance to settle same. If you cannot do this let us know what the prospects are for payment in the near future.

The file of Sotaro YAMASAKI indicates that while operating as Maru Koshi Transfer he had a claim against the Kawade Box Co. for \$16.15. However, we assume that this has been settled as our several letters to him have brought us no reply, and we are not considering it at the present time.

B. R. Dusenbury,
Claims Department.

Yours truly,

An early reply is requested.

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January 14th, 1944.

Mr. and Mrs. Sotaro YAMASAKI,
Reg. Nos. 03518 and 03341,
Slocan Extension, B.C.

Dear Sir and Madam:

re: Claims

Please refer to our letter of the 30th November
last regarding five claims mentioned therein and let us have
immediate reply.

Yours truly,

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B. R. Dusenbury,
Claims Department.

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March 8th, 1944.

Mr. and Mrs. Setaro YAMASAKI,
Reg. Nos. 03518 and 03341,
Slocan Extension, B.C.

Dear Sir and Madam:

We wrote to you on the 30th November last and again on the
14th ult. regarding five claims lodged against you with the Custodian.
Please refer to our November letter and let us have reply even if you
cannot settle these claims now.

We shall be obliged for a reply by return mail, and awaiting
same, we remain,

Yours truly,


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B. R. Dusenbury,
Claims Department.

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May 26th, 1944.

Mr. H.L. Brown,
B.C. Security Commission,
360 Homer Street,
Vancouver, B.C.

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Dear Sir:

re: Claims - Mr. and Mrs. Sotaro YANASAKI,
Reg. Nos. 03318 and 03341, Slocan Extension, B.C.

On the 30th November last we submitted the following claims to the above for consideration and payment, if correct:

1. A.E. Morris Ltd.	\$243.78
2. B.C. Telephone Co.	7.57
3. B.C. Electric Railway Co. Ltd.	6.80
($\$16.60$ - Less $\$10.00$ deposit)	
4. R. Tagashira Co.	4.62
5. City of Vancouver (Scavenging Dept.)	2.40
(April 1st - September 18th, 1942)	

We wrote to them on the 14th of January and on the 8th of March asking for a reply to our November letter, but have received no answer to any of them. We, therefore, ask your co-operation in obtaining the necessary information as to the correctness of these claims, and the prospects for payment if correct.

Thanking you in advance, we remain,

Yours truly,

B. R. Dusenbury,
Claims Department.

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June 16th, 1944.

Messrs. E.A. Morris Limited,
435 Hastings Street W.,
Vancouver, B.C.

Dear Sirs:

re: \$243.78 - S. YAMASAKI, 238 Powell St.

We submitted the above claim to YAMASAKI some considerable time ago for consideration and payment if correct. We received no reply, and after writing him other letters and receiving no answer we took the matter up with the Supervisor of the B.C. Security Commission at the point of location, and are now in receipt of a letter from him.

He reports that YAMASAKI admits the claim as likely correct, though he has no book record of the account. Mrs. YAMASAKI was the one interviewed by the Supervisor and we quote from his letter in regard to payment of same as follows:

"The matter of paying the claims was discussed with Mrs. Yamasaki and she stated that they had no money as they were on maintenance, she could not see how it would be possible to make payment of any amount on the claims."

In view of this report it seems obvious that we can do no more to effect collection of this claim. As Mrs. YAMASAKI seems to attend to business matters for her husband, we have been forwarding our letters to Mr. and Mrs. Sotaro YAMASAKI, addressing them as follows:

Reg. Nos. 03518 and 03341,
Slocan Extension, B.C.

If you should write to them and come to any settlement please advise this office, so that we can make proper notation on the file. In the meantime we shall take no further action.

Yours truly,

B. R. Dusenbury,
Claims Department.

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June 16th, 1944.

Messrs. B.C. Telephone Co.,
Vancouver, B.C.

Dear Sirs:

re: \$7.57 - S. YAMASAKI, 232 Powell St. PA 8645

We submitted the above claim to Mr. and Mrs. Sotaro YAMASAKI, formerly of the above address, some considerable time ago, as well as more recently, without receiving any reply, and finally took the matter up with the Supervisor of the B.C. Security Commission at the point of location. We are now in receipt of a letter from the Supervisor of the Commission who reports having interviewed Mrs. YAMASAKI. She replies that the account is more than likely correct, although they have no book record of the claim. We quote from the Supervisor's letter in regard to payment as follows:

"The matter of paying the claims was discussed with Mrs. Yamasaki and she stated that they had no money and as they were on maintenance, she could not see how it would be possible to make payment of any amount on the claims."

In view of the foregoing it is obvious that we cannot effect collection of this account. Their addresses are:

Reg. Nos. 03518 and 03341,
Slocan Extension, B.C.

should you wish to contact them. Mrs. YAMASAKI is reported as the one attending to any business enquiries for her husband.

If you should write to them and arrange any settlement please advise this office, so that we can make proper notation on the file. In the meantime we shall take no further action.

Yours truly,

B. R. Dusenbury,
Claims Department.

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June 16th, 1944.

Messrs. B.C. Electric Ry. Co. Ltd.,
Hastings and Carrall Sts.,
Vancouver, B.C.

Dear Sirs:

re: \$6.80 - S. YAMASAKI, 238 Powell St.

We submitted the above claim to Mr. and Mrs. Sotaro YAMASAKI, formerly of the above address, some considerable time ago, as well as more recently, without receiving any reply, and finally took the matter up with the Supervisor of the B.C. Security Commission at the point of location. We are now in receipt of a letter from the Supervisor of the Commission who reports having interviewed Mrs. YAMASAKI. She replied that the account is more than likely correct, although they have no book record of the claim.

We quote from the Supervisor's letter as follows:

"The matter of paying the claims was discussed with Mrs. Yamasaki and she stated that they had no money and as they were on maintenance, she could not see how it would be possible to make payment of any amount on the claims."

In view of the foregoing it is obvious that we cannot effect collection of this account. Their addresses are:

Reg. Nos. 03518 and 03341,
Slocan Extension, B.C.

should you wish to contact them. Mrs. YAMASAKI is reported as the one attending to her husband's business affairs.

If you should write to them and arrange any settlement please advise this office so that we can make proper notation on the file. In the meantime we shall take no further action.

Yours truly,

B. R. Dusenbury,
Claims Department.

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June 16th, 1944.

Messrs. R. Tagashira & Co.,
c/o Mr. Geo. E. McCrossan, K.C.,
Barrister and Solicitor,
470 Granville St.,
Vancouver, B.C.

Dear Sirs:

re: \$4.62 - Mrs. K. YAMASAKI,
236 Powell St., Vancouver, B.C.

We submitted the above claim to Mrs. Kimi YAMASAKI, formerly of the above address, some considerable time ago, as well as more recently, without receiving any reply, and finally asked the co-operation of the B.C. Security Commission at the point of location.

We have now received a report from the Supervisor of the Commission who has interviewed Mrs. YAMASAKI. She has denied owing the account. Consequently we can do no more than refer the matter back to you to deal with direct.

Her address is:

Registration No. 03341,
Slocan Extension, B.C.

If you should contact her and arrange a settlement kindly advise this office, so that we can make proper notation on the file. In the meantime we shall take no further action.

Yours truly,

B. R. Dusenbury,
Claims Department.

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June 16th, 1944.

City of Vancouver,
Scavenging Department,
City Hall,
Vancouver, B.C.

Dear Sirs:

re: \$2.40 - Mrs. K. YAMASAKI,
236 Powell Street, Vancouver, B.C.

We submitted the above claim to Mrs. Kinu YAMASAKI, formerly of the above address, some considerable time ago, as well as more recently, without receiving any reply, and finally asked the co-operation of the B.C. Security Commission at the point of location. We have now received report from the Supervisor of the Commission who has interviewed Mrs. YAMASAKI. She has denied owing the account, consequently we can do no more than refer the matter back to you to deal with direct.

Her address is:

Registration No. 03341,
Slocan Extension, B.C.

If you should contact her and arrange a settlement kindly advise this office, so that we can make proper notation on the file. In the meantime we shall take no further action.

Yours truly,

B. R. Dusenbury,
Claims Department.

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June 16th, 1944.

Mr. H.L. Brown,
B.C. Security Commission,
360 Homer Street,
Vancouver, B.C.

Dear Sir:

re: Claims - Mr. and Mrs. Sotaro YAMASAKI,
Reg. Nos. 03518 and 03341

We are in receipt of your letter of the 14th inst. with enclosure of copy of letter of the 9th inst. from Mr. Burns, Supervisor at Lemon Creek, B.C., in connection with the above matter.

It is noted that you state that our letter of the 26th ult. relative to these parties was "evidently sent direct to the Project." In reply to this we wish to state that our May letter, as all similar letters, was addressed to you at 360 Homer Street, Vancouver, B.C., and should have gone direct to you.

Thanking you and Mr. Burns for this co-operation, we remain,

Yours truly,

B. R. Dusenbury,
Claims Department.

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