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PERSONAL

**BUREAU POWELL STREET
OFFICE OF THE CUSTODIAN
JAPANESE SECTION**

FILE No. 8303

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: OMIYA Masa (Mrs.) SeitaroHOME ADDRESS: 8722 Selkirk St., Vancouver, B. C.REGISTRATION NUMBER 00204 SEX: Female AGE: 28OCCUPATION: 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: Seitaro 054200207ADDRESS OF WIFE OR HUSBAND: Now at Camp #2, nr. Decoigne, Jasper, AltaNAMES OF ANY LIVING CHILDREN: Chiyeko (F)Morio (M)Akira (M)Tamiko (F)ADDRESS OF CHILDREN: 8722 Selkirk St., Vancouver, B. C.AGE OF CHILDREN: 9, 8, 7, 4 yrs. respectively**STATEMENT OF ALL REAL PROPERTY** (Each parcel must be mentioned and particulars given)1. LOCATION AND DESCRIPTION: None2. BUILDINGS AND OTHER IMPROVEMENTS: None3. INSURANCE (Give particulars; state where policies are) None4. 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

3. GIVE THE NAME AND ADDRESS OF ANY PERSON HAVING ANY INTEREST IN, OR CLAIM ON ANY SUCH PROPERTY
None

2. HORSES, LIVESTOCK AND OTHER ANIMALS, POULTRY AND PETS
None
2 tables
10 kitchen chairs
1 box carpenter tools
5 linoleums
1 gramophone
1 bureau
1 sofa
In charge of landlord who has key.

1. GIVE BRIEF DESCRIPTION AND STATE LOCATION OF FURNITURE, FIXTURES, EQUIPMENT AND MACHINERY, STOCK IN TRADE AND PERSONAL EFFECTS.
Located at 8722 Selkirk St., Vancouver, B. C. Will be left there

STATEMENT OF PERSONAL PROPERTY OWNED:

6. IF FARM LAND, PARTICULARS OF CROPS SOWN:
None

5. SUB-TENANTS, IF ANY (Give name, address, rent and to what date paid)
None

4. STATE WHEREABOUTS OF LEASE:
rental of \$7.00 paid to date
None

3. PARTICULARS OF LEASE AND RENT AND DATE TO WHICH PAID:
Monthly
2. LANDLORD'S NAME AND ADDRESS: Mr. Uchida, 8722 Selkirk St., Van., B.C.
5-room dwelling house

STATEMENT OF REAL PROPERTY OCCUPIED

1. LOCATION AND DESCRIPTION:
Located at 8722 Selkirk St., Van., B.C.
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

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: \$500.00 Royal Bank of Canada, 1305 S.W. Marine Dr.,
Van. 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 9th day of May, 1942.

A. McArthur
Witness

(Signature) *M. Ormish*

FOR DEPARTMENTAL USE

✓
INFORMATION FROM R.C.M.P.

Date

8/4/43

Our File No.

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Full Name

OMIYA Masa (Mrs. Seitara)
(Surname in Block Letters)

Registration No.

00204

Male - Female
(check)

Age

Dec. 1, 1913

Former Address

8722 Selkirk St., Van., B.C.

Date Evacuated

15/9/42

Naturalized - Canadian-Born - National
(check)

Present Address

Tashme, B.C.

Married - Single
(check)

Name of Wife

Name of Husband

YAMADA, Seishichi

Name of Mother

YAMADA, Kina

Name of Father

Seitara # 00207

Names of Children under 16

See Husband's Sheet

Requested by

Registered with Custodian

(Yes or No)

Additional Information

Husband is a gardener

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August 20, 1947.

LIABILITY SUMMARY

Re: OWILL, Wess - Reg. No. 00204

This file reveals no liabilities of any kind.

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

CC

R. C. Gandy
August 20, 1947.

J. no.
Mrs. Mee

711 Stock Exchange Bldg.,
475 Howe Street,
Vancouver, B. C.,
Oct. 29/46

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

TREASURY DEPT. CLAIM \$ *NIL*

Dear Sir:

8307
Re: OMIYA, Masa #00204

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 - - - - - \$ 1416.57

Draft Issued - - - - - \$ 1416.57

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
F. G. COBURN,
Supervising Treasury Officer.

FGC/EJ.

Nº 958

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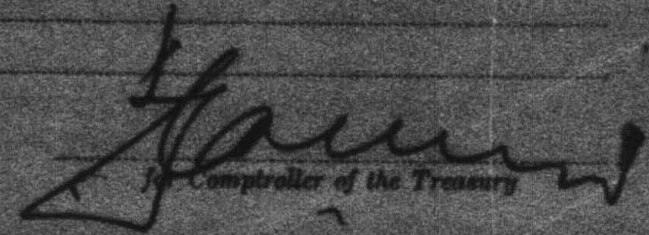
DOMINION OF CANADA
DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE

Issued at Tokyo, J.S.
Date July 26th, 1946

The Government of Canada acknowledges that OSIYA, Inc.
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 Registration Grant.

ORDER TO PAY RECOGNITION \$30.00 ✓
to pay Yoshida, the sum of \$30.00

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Comptroller of the Treasury

Tokyo, 8.

G-657-A

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DEPOSIT FORM

Reg. No. 00204 NAME: OMIYA MASA
(please print) Surname Given Name

| Cheques (must be certified) | | Cash | Dollars | Cents |
|-----------------------------|---------------|-------------------|---------|-------|
| List Bank Name and Branch | A m o u n t | X 1 | | |
| | | X 2 | | |
| | | X 5 | | |
| | | 3 X 10 | 30 | 00 |
| | | 1 X 20 | 20 | 00 |
| | | X 50 | | |
| | | X 100 | | |
| | | Total Bills | 50 | 00 |
| | Silver | | | |
| | Copper | | | |
| | Total Cheques | | | |
| | Total Amount | | | |
| | | Teller's Initials | | |

Herewith monies as shown above.

I wish to take all of these funds with me to Japan, plus \$ 100.00
Now on deposit with the Custodian. Yes; No;

I wish to take with me only the amount of the Government Guarantee
Yes No

Date: _____, 1946

OR

I have no money to turn in.

Date:

1940

Signature

X M. Omiya
Signature

711 Stock Exchange Bldg.,
475 Howe Street,
Vancouver, B.C.,
October 31st, 1947.

TREASURY DEPT. CLAIM \$ NIL

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

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Dear Sir:

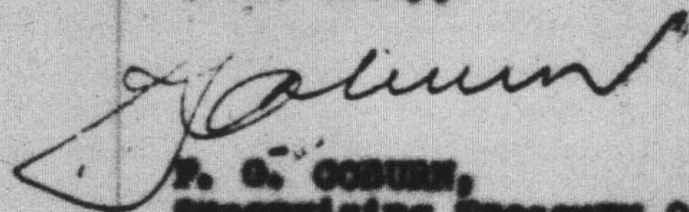
Re: - OMIYA, Masa #00204

This will acknowledge the sum of \$ 50.00
received from you on account of the above mentioned which
has been accounted for by this office in the proper manner.

this instance.

There has been no No.2 Receipt issued in

Yours truly,



F. G. COBURN,
Supervising Treasury Officer.

FGC/ES.

TREASURY DEPT. CLAIM \$ NIL

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May 27th, 1947.

Mr. Seisaku UCHIDA,
Reg. No. 01662,
c/o Montreal Day Nursery,
865 Richmond Square,
Montreal, Quebec.

Dear Sir:

We have for acknowledgement your letter of May 17th, 1947 and note that the chattels outlined in our letter of May 12th belonged to you, although they did not appear on the list signed by you under date of December 17, 1942.

We wish to advise that we received a letter from Mr. Wakabayashi dated May 13th, 1947, in which he requested information regarding the chattels he left along with yours at 8722 Selkirk Street, Vancouver, B. C. We have written to him advising that in the absence of any names or identification marks on the chattels removed from the above address, all goods were sold at public auction in the name of the owner of the house and that you have informed us that you will make direct settlement with him regarding his share of the chattel proceeds.

Before releasing to you the small balance standing to your credit with the Custodian we wish to have on file a letter from Mr. and Mrs. Wakabayashi confirming that they agree to settlement being made direct between you in connection with their share of the chattel proceeds, and we have written them in this regard today.

As requested by you in your letter of July 15th, 1946, and agreed to by Mrs. Omiya on July 26, 1946, the sum of \$50.00 has been transferred from your account with the Custodian to the credit of Mrs. Omiya's account, representing settlement in full of her share of the proceeds from the sale of chattels which she had stored along with yours at 8722 Selkirk Street. After allowing for the above transfer there is standing to your credit in this office the sum of \$23.90.

Yours truly,

E. Robertson,
Office of the Custodian

/ER

Copy

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#73.90

c/o Montreal Day Nursery,
865 Richmond Square,
Montreal, P.Q.

July 15, 1946

Mr. P. Douet,
Administration Dep't,
Office of the Custodian,
506 Royal Bank Bldg.,
Vancouver, B.C.

Dear Sir:

Re: File No. 1167
UCHIDA Seisaku, Reg. No. 01662

I am in receipt from Mr. S. Omiya a letter requesting yours truly to forward to your office the list of chattels which were stored at 8722 Selkirk St., Vancouver prior to disposition by the Office of the Custodian.

I believe Mr. Omiya has been instructed by your office to contact me with regards to the claim he has made for the chattels that were auctioned along with mine.

At this point I must make clear that I did not accept any responsibility for Mr. Omiya's properties when the claimant requested me for storage, and as it is impossible for me to know exactly what chattels of his remained from the results of the theft (this I was informed by Mrs. Chisholm of Shaughnessy St.) may I instruct your office to forward to Mr. S. Omiya of Tashme, B.C., the amount of fifty dollars (\$50.00) from my remaining credit with the Custodian. Please forward to me if possible the balance of the credit.

I am informed that Mr. Omiya is leaving for Japan in the very near future, wherefore, your immediate attention to this matter will be greatly appreciated.

Thanking you for your endless services, I remain:

Yours respectfully,

S. Uchida

P.S. Correction:

It is Mrs. Mase Omiya who has written to you regarding the chattels that were stored at my former home. I am making this addition to prevent confusion.

*Tashme, B.C. JUL 26 1946.
I am prepared to accept the sum of \$50.00 (fifty dollars) from Mr. S. Uchida in full payment for my effects.
Mr. Omiya*

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July 24, 1946.

Mrs. Masa OMIYA,
Reg. No. 00204,
TASHME, B.C.

Dear Madam:

We are in receipt of your letter of the 22nd instant from which we note you have written to Mr. Seisaku UCHIDA by airmail requesting him to notify us which chattels from 8722 Selkirk St. belonged to you.

We have not heard from him on the subject, and unless an early reply is received, we are afraid it will be impossible to credit your account with proceeds of sale before your departure.

Yours truly,

G.B. Spain
Protection Department

GBS:LBM

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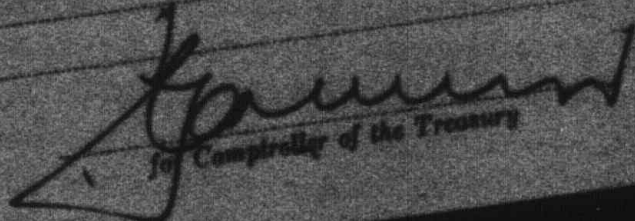
DOMINION OF CANADA
DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE

No. 706
Issued at: Tokyo 2404
Date: June 26th, 1946

The Government of Canada acknowledges that UNITA 1946
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 Ca-
nada by way of Repatriation Grant.

~~CHARGE OF PROCEEDS~~
800.00
566.57
21,366.57

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Comptroller of the Treasury

Tashkent

G-651

DEPOSIT FORM

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Reg. No. 00204 Name: OMIYA MASA -----
(please print) Surname Given Name

| Cheques (must be certified) | | Cash | Dollars Cents |
|-----------------------------|---------------|-------------------|-----------------|
| List Bank Name and Branch | Amount | X 1 | |
| <u>Royal Bank Draft</u> | <u>566 57</u> | X 2 | |
| | | X 5 | |
| | | X 10 | |
| | | <u>40</u> X 20 | <u>800. --</u> |
| | | X 50 | |
| | | X 100 | |
| Total Cheques | | Total Bills | <u>800. --</u> |
| | | Silver | |
| | | Copper | |
| | | Total Cheques | <u>566. 57</u> |
| | | Total Amount | <u>1366. 57</u> |
| | | Teller's Initials | <u>1</u> |

Herewith monies as shown above.

I wish to take all of these funds with me to Japan, plus \$ NIL
now on deposit with the Custodian. Yes _____ No _____

I wish to take with me only the amount of the Government Guarantee
Yes _____ No _____

Date: _____, 1946

OR

I have no money to turn in.

Date: _____, 1946

Signature

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July 3rd, 1946.

Mrs. Masa OMIYA,
Reg. No. 00204,
TASHME, B.C.

Dear Madam:

When you registered at the office of the Custodian at Powell Street, you declared the following personal property at 8722 Selkirk St.

| | |
|--------------|-------------------------|
| 1 Sofa | 10 Kitchen chairs |
| 1 Ice box | 2 Tables |
| 1 Bureau | 1 Box carpenter's tools |
| 1 Gramophone | 5 Linoleums |

When Mr. Seisaku UCHIDA, the owner of the house, registered at our office, he declared the following items in the house at 8722 Selkirk St., as belonging to you:

| | |
|---------------------|----------------------|
| 3 Beds with springs | 1 Tool box and tools |
| 1 Big ice box | 1 Bicycle |

You have now submitted to our representative on his recent visit to Tashme, a list of 38 different articles.

In the absence of any names or identification numbers on the chattels removed from this address, all the furniture and personal property was removed and sold in the name of the owner of the house, Mr. UCHIDA. The list of goods sold at auction was sent to Mr. Seisaku UCHIDA, c/o Montreal Day Nursery, 865 Richmond Square, Montreal. It will be necessary for you to write to Mr. UCHIDA and request him to notify us which items on the list belonged to you. On receipt of a letter from him indicating all items belonging to you, we will transfer the funds from their sale from his account to your account, so that these funds may be made available to you before your departure.

It is important that you write to him immediately and ask him to advise us by air mail, otherwise his reply may reach us too late.

Yours truly,

G. B. Spain
Protection Department

GBS:LEB

ADDRESS

8722 Belkirk St.,

Panouver, B.C.

Furniture

- ✓ 1 Chesterfield
- ✓ 1 Colonia Gramophone (console)
- ✓ 1 Electric Record Player
- ✓ 25 Records
- ✓ 1 Table
- ✓ 1 Medicine Cabinet
- ✓ 1 Double bed
- ✓ 2 Three quarter bed.
- ✓ 1 dresser with mirror without frame
- ✓ 1 Refrigerator
- ✓ 1 Kitchen Stove (Black)
- ✓ 1 Heater Stove
- ✓ 1 Hot water tank with outfit
- ✓ 67 pieces dinner set.
- ✓ 6 sets of Ornamental Dolls.
- ✓ Christmas Decoration with 3 sets of lights
- ✓ 1 Violin with case + Outfit.
- ✓ 1 Bicycle
- ✓ 1 Screen Door.
- ✓ 7 Blind
- ✓ 1 Table Lamp.
- ✓ 24 Book of Knowledge.
- ✓ 8 Kitchen Chairs
- ✓ 3 Linoleum Carpet.
 - 1 is 6ft - 9ft.
 - 1 is 9ft - 9ft.
 - 1 is 9ft - 12ft.

10 ft.

7 Table

10 ft.

10 ft.

10 Chairs

5 Chairs

10 ft.

Green Group

150 ft. 3 inches low
 1 Box of Carpenter Tools
 1 Garden Shear
 2 Shovel
 2 Axe
 1 double 1 sample
 1 Lawn mower (Stanley)
 10 Garden rake
 5 Garden rake
 1 Hoe and saw 4 ft
 2 Spade
 3 Shovel
 1 All sprayer
 1 Sprayer with 10 ft hose
 1 Pump 3 ft
 2 ft

MEMORANDUM

January 7, 1943

To: Files Nos. 11647, 10560 & 8303

From: R. P. Green

On the back of his J. P. form Mr. Seisaku UCHIDA declares that he holds at 8722 Selkirk Street articles for Mrs. Masa OMIYA and Mrs. Siseburo WAKABAYASHI. All these things were subsequently moved to 8757 Selkirk Street - being our storage in that district - and Mr. UCHIDA has signed this list as comprising all his chattels in the restricted area.

It appears from Mrs. Wakabayashi's file (Mr. Spain's memo of July 25th) that this lady left nothing in the restricted area, but from the ink notations on Seisaku UCHIDA's list, it appears that 4 beds, 1 dresser, and 1 portable gramophone, at least, are her property.

Mrs. Masa OMIYA'S things have been moved, as per memo appearing on her file.

SPAIN

On the back of Masa Omiyas
Declaration is a note
Inquired by J. F. Trumbull stating
that her goods were moved
to 8759 Selkirk St.
July 29/46
no such name in directory
name of
8759 Selkirk
St. 8757
Selkirk

File #8303

October 24, 1942

MEMO TO FILE

From Mr. Spain.

All chattels at 8722 Selkirk Street
have been moved to the Custodian storage at
8757 Selkirk Street, under the name of Ishahara,
Mrs. Masao, Registration No. 01656. See our
inventory No. 95.

GBS:FC

file 10948
daughter of
S. Uchiyama
file 11667
chattel moved
to 11667.
no chattel
declared by
Mr. Ishahara.