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PERSONAL

BUREAU POWELL STREET
OFFICE OF THE CUSTODIAN
JAPANESE SECTION

FILE No. 8844

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: WAKABAYASHI Masu (Mrs. Kyutaro)

HOME ADDRESS: 70 E. 6th Ave., Vancouver, B. C.

REGISTRATION NUMBER 04783 SEX: Female AGE: 36

OCCUPATION: 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: None

MARRIED? Yes

NAME OF WIFE OR HUSBAND: Kyutaro

ADDRESS OF WIFE OR HUSBAND: Now at Camp Hope, B. C.

NAMES OF ANY LIVING CHILDREN: Hisako (F)

Hisao (M)

ADDRESS OF CHILDREN: 70 E. 6th Ave., Vancouver, B. C.

AGE OF CHILDREN: 16, 13 yrs. respectively

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

- 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

1. LOCATION AND DESCRIPTION: Located at 70 E. 6th Ave., Van., B. C.

6-room dwelling house

2. LANDLORD'S NAME AND ADDRESS: W. B. Owen, 140 E. Broadway,

Vancouver, B. C.

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

rental \$12.50 paid to end of May, 1942

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: None

9. LIFE INSURANCE: \$1,000.00 Joint policy with husband Crown Life, Van., B. C. Policy # unknown. Policy in owner's possession. Husband beneficiary

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 12th day of May, 1942.

[Signature]
Witness

(Signature) Madu Wakabagusin

FOR DEPARTMENTAL USE

INFORMATION FROM R.C.M.P.

Date Dec 9/42

Full Name WAKABAYASHI (Masu) Mrs Kyutaro
(Surname in Block Letters)

Registration No. 04783

Male - Female
(check)

Age 47/1905

Former Address 70 St 6th Ave City

Date Evacuated Sept 9/42

Naturalized - Canadian-Born - National
(check)

Present Address Indians BC 184 Queen St. W.
Hamilton, Ont. April 21/47

Married - Single
(check)

Name of Wife _____

Name of Husband WAKABAYASHI Kyutaro

Name of Mother WAKABAYASHI Mitsu Name of Father " Tajiro deceased #66314

Names of Children under 16 see husband's form

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Registered with Custodian Yes
(yes or no)

Requested By Miss Carroll

Additional Information owns 2 cameras #627

PERSONAL PROPERTY SUMMARY

File No. 8844

April 21, 1947.

RE: Masu (Mrs. Kyutaro) WAKABAYASHI
Reg. No. 04788

This file reveals Mrs. WAKABAYASHI owned no real property in any protected area of B. C. and did not carry any Fire Insurance.

CHATELS: Mrs. WAKABAYASHI made her declaration to the Custodian on May 12/42 and was evacuated on Sept. 9/42. She declared no chattels on her original declaration. However chattels were found at 70 E. 6th Ave., her former residence, and sold at Vancouver auctions #31 and 32, for the total net sum of \$22.42 and this sum was remitted to her on Dec. 7/44 through the B.C.S.C. A wicker basket and bag were sold at auction on Dec. 7/45 for the net sum of \$.63, and this sum credited to her account. This is her only credit with the Custodian. A basket was inventoried at 70 E.6th on Sept. 13/44. It would appear that she left some goods with friends at 2233 Quebec St. but she has given us no details regarding this matter and the Custodian has therefore taken no action.

There are no chattels dealt with on the file of her husband, File 1421 and he has been repatriated to Japan.

SPECIFIED ARTICLES: She surrendered two kodaks to the R.C.M.P. on March 16/42. These were handed over to the Custodian on Aug. 16/44 and mailed to Mrs. WAKABAYASHI on Nov. 27/45. The camera receipt is on file.

LIFE INSURANCE: She declared a joint policy with her husband in the Crown Life Insurance Co. in the sum of \$1000.00. This was not brought under the control of the Custodian.

No property interests other than those mentioned above are found on this file.

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

April 21/47

LEM:


L. McKinnon

CHATTEL SUMMARY

File No. 8844

April 21, 1947.

RE: Masu (Mrs. Kyutaro) WAKABAYASHI
Reg. No. 04783

Mrs. WAKABAYASHI made her declaration to the Custodian on May 12/42 and was evacuated on Sept. 9/43. She declared no chattels left in the protected area on her original declaration. However in her letter of Sept. 15/44 she asks about goods left at 2233 Quebec St. The person listed as living at this address in the directory is W. Orre. Mrs. WAKABAYASHI gave us no further information regarding chattels left at this address unless the 2 beds, window blinds and one framed mirror she asks about in her letter of Oct. 3/44 were supposed to have been left there. At any rate she does not answer our enquiries for more information regarding goods left at this address and no action was therefore taken by the Custodian.

We advised her in our letter of Sept. 25/44 that we had found goods at 70 E. 6th Ave. which appeared to belong to her. This was her address prior to her evacuation. We also enclosed the auction sheet for Van. auction #31 showing the sum of \$20.42 credited to her account. She wrote and asked for this money, but we advised that it would be necessary for her to furnish some proof of ownership as she had not declared any chattels in her original declaration. She sent a signed declaration properly notarized stating that these goods belonged to her. We therefore remitted to her the net proceeds from auction #31 in the sum of \$20.42 and Van. auction #32 in the sum of \$2.20, a total of \$22.42.

Inventory No. 615 on file shows a basket inventoried in the name of Mrs. WAKABAYASHI at 70 E. 6th Ave. A wicker basket and bag were sold at auction on Dec. 7/45 for the net sum of \$.63 and this sum credited to her account with the Custodian. This is her only credit with the Custodian.

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

April 21/47
LEW:


L. McKinnon

NAME YAMAYASHI, Masa (Mrs. Kyuzo)

REGISTRATION NO. 04753 FILE NO. 5844

The following chattels were sold by public

auction at Vancouver, B. C. on December 7th, 1945.

Wicker basket & bag \$.55

Total	(Auctioneer's Fee \$.06	\$.55
Less Expenses:	(Advertising .03	\$.22
	(Moving .11	
Net Proceeds Credited:		\$.63

Members of Custodian Staff Present. Mr. Wills

Extracted from Auctioneering List No. Vancouver 56

Remarks.

NAME WAKABAYASHI, Masu (Mrs. Kyutaro)

REGISTRATION NO. 04783

FILE NO. 5844

The following chattels were sold by public
auction at 922 Powell St., Vancouver on September 26, 1944.

Ficks and sledge	\$ 1.25
Bikes	1.80

Total	(Auctioneer's Fee) \$ 0.30	\$ 3.05
Less Expenses:	(Advertising) 0.11	\$ 0.85
	(Moving) <u>0.14</u>	
Net Proceeds Credited:		<u>\$ 2.20</u>

Members of Custodian Staff Present.

Mr. Wills

Extracted from Auctioneering List No.

Vancouver 32.

Remarks *not in inventory*

NAME WAKABAYASHI, Masu (Mrs. Etsuro)

REGISTRATION NO. 04783

FILE NO. 9841

The following chattels were sold by public
auction at 932 Powell St., Vancouver, B.C. on September 13, 1944.

Knives	\$ 0.88
3 Levels and grass shears	0.88
Wire basket and coat hangers	0.88
Trays and cutlery	0.88
Curtain of Kalamine	0.88
2 Curtains part time paint	0.88
Laquerware	0.88
Gas Flats	0.88
3 Shovels	0.88
Printer	0.88
Forks, shovels and saws	0.88
Roller	0.88
Long Shave	0.88
6 Kitchen chairs	0.88
Japanese Windmill	0.88

Total		\$ 25.30
Less Expenses:		\$ 4.88
(Auctioneer's Fee)	\$2.53	
(Advertising)	0.54	
(Moving)	1.81	
Net Proceeds Credited:		\$ 20.42

Members of Custodian Staff Present. Mr. Wills

Extracted from Auctioneering List No. Vancouver 31

Remarks. *In Inventory with file*

MEMORANDUM

August 31, 1945.

TO: File No. 8844
FROM: Specified Articles Department.

Re: WAKABAYASHI Masu, Reg. #04783

<u>ARTICLE</u>	<u>DESCRIPTION</u>	<u>APPRAISED VALUE</u>
CAMERA	#A 130 Kodak #81462 & case no lense	no value
CAMERA	A 222 Kodak #37408 & Leather Case. No lense	no value

RCMP No. 627

These cameras were surrendered to the Royal Canadian Mounted Police on March 16, 1945, and were turned over to the Custodian on August 16, 1944. The RCMP Receipt for these cameras was sent to this office and is filed under date of November 23, 1945, with request for return of camera to owner. *Cameras mailed on Nov. 19, 1946.*

J. Maclean
Nov. 23, 1945

ROYAL CANADIAN MOUNTED POLICE

EXHIBIT REPORT

No. 627

HEADQUARTERS File No.

SUB-DIV'N and File No. **Vancouver**

DIVISION and File No.

DETACHMENT and File No. **GIB**

J.R. 04783

DATE **Aug. 17, 1944.**

Re: **Masa (Mrs. Kyutaro) HAKABAYSHI, Vancouver, B.C.**

On **Mar. 16/42.** **1** **D.E. McLaren** **Cst.**

Came into possession of the following described goods by

Handed over by owner.

(State Authority from whom seized and place of seizure)

No. OF EXHIBIT	No. OF PACKAGES	CAPACITY OR SIZE	DESCRIPTION OF EXHIBITS
	1		f A 130 Kodak f 81463 & Case (1)
	1		A 122 Kodak f 37408 & leather case (2)
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REMARKS: **Handed over to Custodian Alien Property**

DATE **Aug. 16, 1944.**

(State briefly disposition)

Leo C. Spence for Custodian
(Signature of Custodian or Witness)

CERTIFIED CORRECT
F.H. Jefferson
F.H. Jefferson **Cst.** **#10589**
(Signature of Member)

208 Second Ave

Tashme, B.C.

Sept, 25, 44.

THE CUSTODIANS OFFICE
506 Royal Bank Building
Hasting and Granville
Vancouver, B.C.

EVACUATION SECTION	
Rec'd	SEP 27 1944
File No.	8844
Ans.	
Referred	

Dear Sir;

Before the evacuation to Tashme, we left some of our goods in the house lot of 2233 Quebec St, and some time ago in September, they wrote to us that the one of the Inspector from the Custodain came to look over and took all the goods from there. would you be kind enough to give us the list of goods you have from us?

I shall be much obliged, if you could send them goods over to us, if possible.

Please write to us at your earliest convenience.

Thanking you,

Yours,

(Mrs.) M. Wakabayashi

Parole no. 04783

10-26-6
sent to
custodian + 31

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Charlotte

September 29, 1944.

Mrs. Masu WAKABAYASHI,
Registration No. 04783,
208 Second Avenue,
Tashme, B. C.

Dear Madam:

We have your letter of September 25th regarding chattels said to have been left at 2233 Quebec Street. In your registration with the Custodian you advised us that you had no personal property, subsequently we discovered chattels under your name at 70 East 6th Avenue and these were sold at public auction as per list attached.

If you left other items in this district, please advise us full particulars as soon as possible.

Yours truly,

Geo. B. Spain

Protection Department.

GBS/pls
Attach.

208 Second Ave,
Tashme, B.C.
Oct. 3, 44

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THE CUSTODIANS OFFICE
506 Royal Bank Bldg.
Hastings and Granville
Vancouver, B.C.

EVACUATION SECTION	
Rec'd	OCT 4 1944
File No.	8844
Ans.	
Referred	<i>Spain</i>

Dear Sir;

I received your letter of Sept 29 44 regarding the sales of our personal belongings. We checked the items with our lists, and found out that there was supposed to be 2 beds, and also an odd window blinds, and 1 Framed Square Mirror, which was a keepsake, were these included inside with that list that you sold, or else if its not sold yet, please check over once more.

I wonder what happen to the money, of the total which you sold from our goods.

Please write to us at your earliest concenience

Thanking you

Yours

(Mrs.) Masu
Wakabayashi
04783.

208 Lathford St
Oct 17, 44.

File No. - 8844

The Custodian's Office
506 Royal Bank Bldg
Hastings & Granville
Vancouver B.C.

EVACUATION SECTION	
Rec'd	OCT 20 1944
File No.	8844
Ans.	Wpat
Referred	Spain

Dear Sir,

You wrote to us saying that our
chattel were sold, which credited us with \$20.42
would you be kind enough to send this money
as I busted my glasses, my son needs
a new one, as you can see, that we are
in need of money very much, and if you
can send it to us immediately, I shall be
much obliged.

Thanking You

Yours
(Mrs.) Masu
Makabayashi
04783.

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October 20th, 1944

Mrs. Masu WAKABAYASHI,
Reg. No. 04783,
208 Tashme, B.C.

Dear Madam:

We are in receipt of your letter of the 17th instant regarding chattels sold under your name, amounting to \$20.42.

When you and your husband registered with the Custodian you declared no personal property. The amount mentioned above was tentatively credited to your account.

We consider that some proof of ownership is necessary under the circumstances, and would suggest that you discuss this matter with the Supervisor of the B.C. Security Commission at Tashme.

Yours truly,

Geo. B. Spain,
Protection Department

GBS:LM

DECLARATION

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

I, Mrs. Masu WAKABAYASHI, of 208 Tashme, B.C. do hereby declare that the articles mentioned in your letter of October 20th, 1944 and the attached sheet value of \$20.42 are my property.

And I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing it to be true and knowing that it is of the same force and effect as if made under oath, and by virtue of the "CANADA EVIDENCE ACT."

WITNESS TO SIGNATURE:-
I have known the above party
at the address stated.

J. Thibault.....
.....

SIGNATURE.....

Mrs. Masu Wakabayashi
.....
.....

TASHME
DECLARED BEFORE ME AT.....

BRITISH COLUMBIA
in the Province of.....

This....17th.....day of NOVEMBER.....

A. D. 1944.

Walter H. Hartley.....
A Commissioner for taking Affidavits
within the Province of British Columbia.

No.

F. 112

Royal Canadian Mounted Police

L.R. 04783

Vancouver TSC

\$

March 16th 1942

Received from

Masu (Mrs. Kyutaro) WAKABAYASHI

One No. A-130 Kodak - Serial No. 81462

and leather case.

One No. A-122 Kodak - Serial No. 37408

and leather case.

Dollars,

100

Signature

D. McTear est

208 Second Ave
TASAME, B.C.
Nov. 19/45

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

EVACUATION SECTION	
NOV 23 1945	
File No.	8844
Adm.	Spain
Checked	

Dear Sir

Enclosed please find a receipt
of paper, which I received while I was living
in Vancouver. Please send it back to us, as we
will be enclosing the \$35⁴ Thirty five cents
= 70⁴ for a camera.

Thanking You
MRS. K. M. WAKABAYASHI
208 SECOND AVE,
TASAME, B.C.

mailed Nov 27⁴ 45
as per insurance
receipt attached
see V. K. Kawan
Postage 41 cent
Handling 5 "

Sincerely
T. M. Kawan