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OFFICE OF THE CUSTODIAN  
JAPANESE SECTION

FILE NO.

8915

To be completed by persons of the Japanese race having no property in any protected area.

NAME: KONO (Itoyo) Mrs Jitsugo

HOME ADDRESS: 34th Ave., Ruskin B.C.

SEX: Female AGE: 44 REGISTRATION No. 13378

OCCUPATION AND EMPLOYER: Housewife MARRIED? Yes

NAME OF WIFE OR HUSBAND: Jitsugo ADDRESS Grantbrook B.C.

NAMES OF LIVING CHILDREN: Kimiko (F) 12 ADDRESS 34th Ave., Ruskin B.C.

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

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I certify that the above information is true and complete and state that I have no property of any kind whatsoever in any protected area in British Columbia.

Dated this 11th day of May 1942.

WITNESS:

D. McWilliam

(Signature)

Itoyo Kono



FOR DEPARTMENTAL USE

HOW DO YOU PROPOSE TO PAY THESE OFF?

LIST OF LIABILITIES:

none



INFORMATION FROM R.C.M.P.

Date Oct. 15/43

Our File No. 8915

Full Name KANO (Itoyo) Mrs. Jitsugo  
(Surname in Block Letters)

Registration No. 13378

Male - Female  
(check)

Age Mar. 25/1928

Former Address 34th Ave., Ruskin, B.C.

Date Evacuated Oct. 14/42 Naturalized - Canadian-Born - National  
(check)

Present Address Takano, B.C.  
4<sup>th</sup> Sept. 1946 c/o W.S. Crowell, Uxbridge, Ontario.

Married - Single  
(check)

Name of Wife —

Name of Husband Jitsugo # 12289

Name of Mother (YAMANAKA) <sup>me</sup> Ito Name of Father SAKATA, Zenauke

Names of Children under 16 (Aid)  
Kimiko (F) 22/4/30

Requested by EPG Registered with Custodian (Yes or No)

Additional Information Passport read in name of  
Takano, alternate spelling of Japanese  
characters ..



INFORMATION FROM R.C.M.P.

Date Aug. 4/42

Our File No. 8915

Full Name KONO (Haya) Mrs. Jitsugo  
(Surname in Block Letters)

Registration No. 13378

Male - Female  
(check)

Age Mrs. 25, 1898

Former Address 34th Ave., Ruskin, B.C.  
Butler's Mill, Ruskin, B.C.

Date Evacuated Oct. 13/42 Naturalized - Canadian-Born - National  
(check)

Present Address Tashme, B.C.

☒ Married - Single  
(check)

Name of Wife -

Name of Husband Jitsugo #12299

Name of Mother (YAMANAHA)

Name of Father SAKATA, Zenzuke

\*Names of Children under 16 Ito (David)  
Kimiko (F) 22/4/30

Requested by Violet Scott

Registered with Custodian  
(Yes or No)

Additional Information \_\_\_\_\_  
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(Information supplied by Ins. Co.)

LIFE INSURANCE

Name Mrs. Itoyo Kono

File No. 8915

Tashme B.C.

Reg. No. 13378

Company Sun Life

Agency Vancouver

Policy No. 2244183

Premium - \$ 27.74

Payable: <sup>X</sup> Annually, Semi-annually or monthly

Month September Day 24

REMARKS:

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Letter sent 25/8/48



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

Isakme, B.C.,  
Feb 13, 1946.

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| EVACUATION SECTION |             |
| Rec'd              | FEB 14 1946 |
| File No.           | 8915-2      |
| Ans.               |             |
| Refused            | Anderson    |

Dear Sirs,

I wish to inquire about the sum of \$200.00 which we lent to Mr. Takekuma Yakushiro on the 15th January, 1941. It was the money of Mrs. Itayo Kono (Reg. # 13378) and she would like to have the \$200.00 as early as possible.

Yours truly  
(Mrs) Itayo Kono  
Reg # 13378.





DEPARTMENT OF LABOUR  
JAPANESE DIVISION

360 Homer Street  
VANCOUVER B.C.

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| EVACUATION SECTION |             |
| Rec'd              | APR 27 1946 |
| File No.           | 4728        |
| Ans.               |             |
| Referred           | Anderson    |

26th April 1946

Attention: Mr. W. E. Anderson.

Department of the Secretary of State,  
Office of the Custodian,  
506 Royal Bank Bldg.,  
VANCOUVER, B. C.

Dear Sir,

Re: Jitsugo KONO  
Reg. No. 12299

We are in receipt of a letter from our Tashme Supervisor regarding the funds of the above-named man. We cannot find any correspondence on file and we therefore assume that Mr. Hartley has received a letter direct from your office. We note that this man's funds have already been transferred to his wife's account.

This man's income is sufficient for the support of his family, and as he has not signed for immediate repatriation we shall feel obliged if you will hold the funds in your hands intact until further advice from this office.

Yours truly,

M. L. Brown,  
Office Manager.

MMS/GM



April 25, 1946,  
Vancouver, B. C.

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

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| EVACUATION SECT |             |
| Rec'd           | APR 26 1946 |
| File No.        | 9915        |
| Ans.            |             |
| Referred        | Anderson    |

Dear Sir

I wish to inquire about my loan of \$200.00 to Mr. Takuma Yakashiro who wrote to me the other day, asking us whether we had received the money yet but we haven't so please send it as early as possible. I presume that you have received a paper from Mr. Hartley of Tacoma inquiring you to send it to me.

I shall be very obliged if you will send me the money at your earliest convenience.

Yours truly,  
(Mrs.) Itoyo Kono.  
Reg # 13378.



1st May, 1946.

Mrs. Itoyo KONO,  
Registration No. 13378,  
Tashme, B.C.

Dear Madam:

In reply to your letter of the 25th April, asking that the funds held to your credit at this office be sent to you, as we informed you previously this office co-operates very closely with the Department of Labour, and it is the policy that no remittances of funds be made to residents in Department of Labour Housing Centres unless it is recommended by that Department.

The Department of Labour Head Office has written to us stating that as your husband's income is sufficient for the support of the family, they cannot recommend that additional funds be sent to you.

In view of the above recommendation please be advised that we are withholding the remittance of your funds until such time as you can obtain the necessary recommendation from the Department of Labour.

Yours truly,

W.E. Anderson,  
Administration Department.

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Island, B.C.  
May 7, 1946.

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

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| EVACUATION SECTION |            |
| Rec'd              | MAY 8 1946 |
| File No.           | 8913       |
| Ans.               |            |
| Referred           | Anderson   |

Dear Sir

I received your letter dated May 1, stating that you are withholding the remittance of our funds and that my husband's income was sufficient for the support of the family.

My husband is intending to put false teeth in and I would like to get a pair of glasses which is impossible to get with only my husband's pay.

I would be very much obliged if you will send some of it at your earliest convenience.

Yours truly,  
(Mrs) Itoyo Kono  
Reg # 13378.



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9th May, 1946.

Department of Labour,  
Japanese Division,  
360 Homer Street,  
Vancouver, B.C.

Dear Sirs:

Re: Mrs. Itoyo KONO - Reg. No. 13378

The following is quoted from a letter from the above Japanese dated 7th May:-

"I received your letter dated May 1, stating that you are withholding the remittance of our funds and that my husband's income was sufficient for the support of the family.

My husband is intending to put false teeth in and I would like to get a pair of glasses which is impossible to get with only my husband's pay.

I would be very much obliged if you will send some of it at your earliest convenience."

Both she and her husband have been pressing this office for a remittance of funds, of which there is a credit of \$132.00 in Mrs. KONO's account here. On the 26th April, you recommended that no remittance be made to them as the man's income was sufficient to support the family.

We have explained to them the policy of this office regarding remittances to residents in your housing areas, but apparently we cannot make them understand this policy. We would appreciate your asking your Supervisor at Tashae to interview these people and explain why they cannot have their funds, or if there has been any change in their financial position since last month, would appreciate receiving your recommendation for any funds required.

Yours truly,

W.E. Anderson,  
Administration Dept.

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Mr. H. S. Croxall,  
Uxbridge, Ont.,  
August 26, 1946.

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

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| EVACUATION SECTION |            |
| Rec'd              | SEP 3 1946 |
| File No.           | 8915       |
| Ans.               |            |
| Referred           | Anderson   |

Dear Sir:

I would like to inquire about the \$200.<sup>00</sup> loan to Mr. Takekuma Yakashiro. I understand that \$70.<sup>00</sup> was paid to Dr. Tai Kuzuhara, dentist of Doshme, and \$65.<sup>00</sup> to The Mission Memorial Hospital. We were informed at Doshme, that the remaining \$65.<sup>00</sup> would be given to us if we moved out of B. C. Since we are in need of it very much, I would be very much obliged if you will send it to me at your earliest convenience.

Yours truly  
Mrs. Itoyo Kono  
Reg. # 13378.



GENERAL SUMMARY

File No. 8915

4th September, 1946.

Re: Mrs. Itoyo KONO - Reg. No. 13378

When registering with this office the above Japanese declared no assets or liabilities. However in February, 1946, a loan of \$200.00 made by her husband, Jitsugo KONO, to Takekuma YAKASHIRO, was repaid to him. Jitsugo KONO had two claims filed against him which were paid from this amount, leaving a balance of \$132.00, which at his request was transferred to Mrs. Itoyo KONO's account.

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| Dr. E.J. Macrett          | \$18.00 |
| Mission Memorial Hospital | 50.00   |

A further claim filed by Dr. Tai KUZUHARA was paid in the amount of \$75.00, from her account at her request.

This file reveals no other liabilities or assets and needs no further administration.

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

W. E. Anderson

*for file*

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4th September, 1946.

REGISTERED

Mrs. Itoyo KONO,  
Registration No. 13378,  
c/o W.S. Croxall,  
Uxbridge, Ontario.

Dear Madam:

As requested in your letter of the 26th August, we enclose herewith Custodian cheque in the amount of \$57.00, which represents the balance of your funds held at this office.

The original sum of \$200.00 which was derived from a loan repaid to your husband by Takekuma YAKASHIRO, was reduced to \$132.00 after payment of two claims against him.

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| Dr. E.J. Eacrett          | \$18.00 |
| Mission Memorial Hospital | 50.00   |

This balance of \$132.00 was transferred to your account upon receipt of instructions from your husband, and from this sum, Dr. Tai KUZUHARA's claim of \$75.00 was paid as requested by you.

It would appear that we have accounted for all the property of every kind left by you in the Protected Area which vested in the Custodian and in order that you may confirm this and acknowledge the cheque we are enclosing a stamped addressed envelope for your convenience in replying.

Yours truly,

W.E. Anderson,  
Administration Dept.

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Encls. (2)  
Cheque.



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12th February, 1947.

AIRMAIL

Mr. & Mrs. Jitango KORO,  
Reg. Nos. 12299 & 13378,  
175 Elm Street,  
Toronto, Ontario.

Dear Sir & Madam:

Re: Sun Life Insurance Policy No. 2,181,650

As requested by the Sun Life Assurance Company, we enclose  
herewith their cheque in your favour for \$100.00, being a loan on  
security of the above noted contract.

Yours truly,

W.E. Anderson,  
Office of the Custodian.

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Encl. (cheque)