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PERSONAL

BUREAU POWELL STREET  
OFFICE OF THE CUSTODIAN  
JAPANESE SECTION

FILE No. 8954

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: ISHIWATA Hikotaro.

HOME ADDRESS: 743. West, 68th Avenue, Vancouver, B.C.

REGISTRATION NUMBER 05617. SEX: Male. AGE: 57.

OCCUPATION: Gardener.

(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: Mr. A. L. Wright, 5237. Connaught Drive, Vancouver, B.C.

MARRIED? Yes.

NAME OF WIFE OR HUSBAND: Umeno.

ADDRESS OF WIFE OR HUSBAND: as above.

NAMES OF ANY LIVING CHILDREN: Miyo (F)

ADDRESS OF CHILDREN: as above.

AGE OF CHILDREN: 21.

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.

CLAIM ON ANY SUCH PROPERTY  
None.

3. GIVE THE NAME AND ADDRESS OF ANY PERSON HAVING ANY INTEREST IN, OR

2. HORSES, LIVESTOCK AND OTHER ANIMALS, POULTRY AND PETS  
None.

1. GIVE BRIEF DESCRIPTION AND STATE LOCATION OF FURNITURE, FIXTURES,  
EQUIPMENT AND MACHINERY, STOCK IN TRADE AND PERSONAL EFFECTS.  
None.

**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:  
None.

3. PARTICULARS OF LEASE AND RENT AND DATE TO WHICH PAID:  
None.

2. LANDLORD'S NAME AND ADDRESS: Living with daughter who owns the house.  
Bungalow.

1. LOCATION AND DESCRIPTION: 743. West, 68th Avenue, Vancouver, B.C.

**STATEMENT OF REAL PROPERTY OCCUPIED**

9. IF FARM LAND STATE CROPS SOWN:  
None.

8. STATE IF ANY OTHER PERSON HAS ANY INTEREST:  
None.

7. STATE WHEREABOUTS OF TITLE DOCUMENTS:  
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 Sun Life Insurance Co., Vancouver, B.C.  
Beneficiary, daughter, Miyo. In own possession.

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 13th day of May, 1942.

[Signature]  
Witness

(Signature) Hikotaro Schwab

FOR DEPARTMENTAL USE

PD  
INFORMATION FROM R.C.M.P.

Date

July 22/43

File No.

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Full Name

ISHIWATA

Hitotaro

(Surname in Block Letters)

Registration No.

05617

Male - Female  
(check)

Age

48 1/3 1885

Former Address

743 West 68th Ave Vancouver B.C.

Date Evacuated

September 12, 1942

Naturalized - Canadian-Born - National  
(check)

Present Address

2681 Zatikue St. Montreal, P.Q.

Married - Single  
(check)

Name of Wife

Mme. 05680  
*July 1953*

Name of Husband

Name of Mother

not given

Name of Father

not given

Names of Children under 16

Requested by

ECF

Registered with Custodian

Yes  
(Yes or No)

Additional Information

Gardener - House & lot at

743 West 68th

LIABILITY STATEMENT

File No. 8724

Nov. 13/46

Re: Mikotaro ISHIMATA, Reg. No. 05617

A claim in the sum of \$111.90 was filed against Mikotaro ISHIMATA by the Provincial Board of Health on account of his son Takahashi, who died in one of the Provincial sanatoriums. As neither the father or the mother had any funds to pay this account the matter was taken up with the daughter Miyo. She stated that after the death of her brother the hospital presented them with a statement in the amount of \$111.90 and that this was paid in two amounts, and that until this date (June 13/46) she had heard nothing further from the hospital and was therefore surprised at receiving this bill after seven years. She further stated that although she had received money from the sale of her property that the amount she had had to spend in setting up their new home and furnishing it had taken most of her funds and that she did not see why she should be responsible for any further debt.

This information was passed on to Mr. McGree, Collector of Institutional Revenue and no reply has been received from him.

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

Nov. 13/46  
LHM:

  
L. McInnes

PERSONAL PROPERTY SUMMARY

File No. 8954

Nov. 18/46

RE: Hikotaro ISHIWATA, Reg. No. 05617

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

CHATELS: Mr. ISHIWATA, who made his declaration to the Custodian on May 13/42 and was evacuated on Sept. 12/42, declared no chattels, and none were found by the Custodian belonging to him. However in a letter dated Mar. 29/44 he asks to have a musical instrument shipped to him. He stated that this instrument had been left at T. MIMI'S, 331 Powell St. He stated the card attached to it bore his name, but that the Reg. No. was 05677. We have no one by the name of T. MIMI registered and on checking the Reg. No. 05677, File 12812, there are no chattels of any kind on that file. We replied to Mr. ISHIWATA's letter on Apr. 1/44 asking for more information but received no reply.


MONEYS RECEIVABLE: In July, 1945, the account of Hikotaro ISHIWATA was credited with the sum of \$3.00, being a refund of security deposit for light from the B.C.E.R.

LIFE INSURANCE: He declared a life insurance policy with the Sun Life Assurance Co. in the sum of \$1000.00, the beneficiary being his daughter, Miyo. The daughter was a property owner, and out of funds from sale of her property she requested us to pay premiums on the insurance policy of her father and also the policy of her mother. These different premiums were paid by us as requested but the policies were 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.

Nov. 18/46  
LBM:

  
L. McKinnon

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November 14th, 1946.

Mr. Hiketaro ISHINATA,  
Reg. No. 05617,  
2661 Zotikus St.,  
MONTREAL, P.Q.

Dear Sir:

We enclose herewith Custodian cheque in the sum of \$3.00, being a refund of security deposit from the B. C. Electric Railway Company Ltd. As you declared no personal property whatsoever and this is your total credit with the Custodian, we are now closing your account and your file. Kindly acknowledge receipt of this cheque.

Yours truly,

F. Matheson  
Office of the Custodian

LEM:

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July 7th, 1945.

Mr. J. G. McCrae,  
Collector of Institutional Revenue,  
Court-house,  
Vancouver, B. C.

Dear Sir: Re: Yukimichi ISHIWATA - Claim of \$111.90.

Respecting the above claim, will you please note that the B. C. Security Commission advise us that they have contacted their placement officer at Montreal regarding this claim and he reports as follows:

"We called Miss Ishiwata into the office today in order to get this matter straightened out and she consulted her mother. It seems that after her brother died the hospital presented them with a statement in the amount of \$32.10, presumably the full amount for public patients and according to their financial status. This bill was paid in two amounts and until today, they were never approached by the hospital to make further payments and seemed quite surprised that after seven years another bill should confront them.

Miss Ishiwata received money from the sale of her property but due to setting up their home and being required to furnish it, the money has dwindled and she does not see why she should be called upon to be responsible for this further debt.

From all appearance I do not think there is such possibility of collecting anything from the Ishiwatas, therefore, will you please advise the Department of the Custodian of the above information and oblige."

In view of the above, we are afraid there is nothing further we can do in the matter—please advise us, however, if you wish us to take any further action. You are aware that Yukimichi Ishiwata died in May 1938.

Yours truly,

P. Douet,  
Administration Department

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BRITISH COLUMBIA SECURITY COMMISSION

276 St. James Str. W. Montreal, Que.  
June 16th, 1945.

Mr. M. L. Brown, Office Mgr.  
British Columbia Security Commission,  
360 Homer Street,  
VANCOUVER, B. C.

Re: Hikotaro ISHIWATA  
Reg. No. 05617

Replying to your letter of June 12th regarding  
the above-named.

We called Miss Ishiwata into the office today  
in order to get this matter straightened out and she consulted  
her Mother. It seems that after her brother died the hospital  
presented them with a statement in the amount of \$32.10,  
presumably the full amount for public patients and according  
to their financial status. This bill was paid in two amounts  
and until today, they were never approached by the hospital to  
make further payments and seemed quite surprised that after  
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property but due to setting up their home and being required  
to furnish it, the money has dwindled and she does not see why  
she should be called upon to be responsible for this further  
debt.

From all appearance I do not think there is much  
possibility of collecting anything from the Ishiwatas, there-  
fore, will you please advise the Dept. of the Custodian of the  
above information and oblige.

"G. E. Lunn"

(Mrs.) G. E. Lunn  
Placement Officer

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April 1, 1944.

Mrs. Mikotaro ISHIWATA,  
Registration 05617,  
New Denver, B. C.

Dear Madam:

We have your letter of March 29, 1944, but cannot trace  
any chattels registered by you.

Please advise us of your registration number as there may  
be some confusion in names.

Yours truly,

Geo. B. Spain  
Protection Department.

GBS/pls

EVACUATION SECTION	
Dept. APR 1 1944	
File No. 9124	Wm
Referred	Spain

Mar. 29/44,  
Spencer  
New Denver,  
B.C.

Dear Sir,

In regards to musical instrument left at T. Kuni's, 331 Powell St. (upstairs)

I would appreciate it if you could forward same to me.

It was in a banjo case (Japanese instrument, string)

Name on card was H. Ishiwata. Reg. No. was that of another party - 808677.

Thanking you, I remain,  
Yours respectfully,

H. Ishiwata

(NEW DENVER, B.C.)

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July 28, 1943.

Miss Miyo ISHINATA,  
Registration No. 09022,  
New Denver, B. C.

Dear Madam:

Re: Prudential Life Policy No. M5052274-Miyo ISHINATA  
" " " " M7154897-Umeno "  
Sun Life Policy No. 2186677-Hikotaro "

I wish to acknowledge your letter of July 15th asking us to make payments on your father's Life Insurance as well as your own and your mother's under policies as listed above.

I have today telephoned to the Sun Life and am advised that the premium on your father's policy, payable semi-annually, on May 15th and November 15, is \$24.17, and also that the outstanding loan against your father's policy as at July 15th last, was \$192.68. As you will see from the above figures the total premium payable for one year on your father's policy would be \$48.34 and divided by 12 it would be approximately \$4.00 a month. Add this to the monthly premium for your own and your mother's insurance and you have a total of approximately \$10.65.

The rent being obtained from your dwelling is \$25.00 a month of which only \$15.00 could be used for Life Insurance, so that you see there would be about another \$4.00 a month that could be applied towards paying off the loan on your father's policy.

We do not wish to have to make monthly payments on account of the work it involves but I would suggest when taking care of the premiums every six months that the payment could also be made at that time, in connection with the loan on your father's policy, necessarily it would have to be confined to the amount available after seeing that we had sufficient for maintenance cost in connection with your dwelling at 743 68th Avenue. If my suggested arrangement is satisfactory to you, kindly advise me and we will do the best we can with it.

Yours truly,

S. M. Gibson,  
Insurance Department

SMG:JS