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PERSONAL

BUREAU POWELL STREET
OFFICE OF THE CUSTODIAN
JAPANESE SECTION

FILE No. 9628

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: ARIMA Katsuko (Mrs Izo)

HOME ADDRESS: 237 Main St., Vancouver B.C.

REGISTRATION NUMBER 22 01108 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: Izo

ADDRESS OF WIFE OR HUSBAND: Grantbrook Camp

NAMES OF ANY LIVING CHILDREN: Etsuko (F) Toshiko (F) Masako (F)

Takako (F) Kazuo (M) Yuji (M)

ADDRESS OF CHILDREN: 237 Main St., Vancouver B.C.

AGE OF CHILDREN: 16, 13, 8, 6 months, 11, 4.

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

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

STATEMENT OF REAL PROPERTY OCCUPIED

1. LOCATION AND DESCRIPTION: 4 Renting 4 room dwelling house

237 Main St., Vancouver B.C.

2. LANDLORD'S NAME AND ADDRESS: General Administration Trust Co.

400 Block Hornby St., Vancouver B.C.

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

Rent Free.

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 237 Main St., Vancouver B.C.

3 Boxes to be left with Landlord

Containing
Remington Typewriter, Chinaware, School Books, Webster's Dictionary, Encyclopedia, Trunk of Clothing and Linen.

Box of Children's Toys, To be stored with Bowmans Storage.

Radio in the Custody of the R.C.M.P. Vancouver B.C.

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)
\$5.00 War Savings Certificate. In declarnts 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: 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 20th day of May 1942.

(Signature)

Katsuko Aima

[Signature]
Witness

FOR DEPARTMENTAL USE

INFORMATION FROM R.C.M.P.

P.D. 10/12/42

DATE 7/5/43

Our File No. 9628

Full Name ARIMA, Katsuko (Mrs. Izo)
(Surname in Block Letters)

Registration No. 01108

Male - Female
(Check)

Age 30/4/1905

Former Address 237 Main St., Vancouver, B. C.

Date Evacuated Sept. 4/42

Naturalized - Canadian-Born - National
(Check)

Present Address

new Denver.
Sloan Extension, B. C.

Married - Single
(Check)

Name of Wife

Name of Husband Izo #01107

Name of Mother Dec'd

Name of Father Dekichi #00844

Names of Children under 16 See husband's sheet

Requested by AM

Registered with Custodian
(Yes or No)

Additional Information

LIABILITY SUMMARY

File Nos. 14519
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Sept. 17, 1946.

RE: Izo ARIMA, Reg. No. 01107
Katsuko (Mrs. Izo) ARIMA, Reg. No. 01108

A claim in the sum of \$100.00 was filed against the above by the B.C.S.C. for funeral expenses in connection with Masako, the infant daughter of the above. There are no funds in this office to the credit of Mr. ARIMA and only \$37.94 in the account of Mrs. ARIMA. We have written to the Dept. of Labour asking them to advise us if they wish this balance sent to them as a partial payment of this account.

Mrs. Scobie, of the Dept. of Labour, phoned to us today and advised that their Department would not press this claim and that the money standing to the credit of Mrs. ARIMA could be sent to her.

There are no other claims on file.

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

Sept. 17/46
LEM:

W. H. Spain
G.B. Spain

PERSONAL PROPERTY SUMMARY

File 9628

Sept. 17/46

RE: Katsuko (Mrs. Izo) ARIMA, Reg. No. 01108

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

CHATELS: The above, who made her declaration to the Custodian on May 20/42 and was evacuated on Sept. 4/42, declared chattels stored at Bowmans Storage and a radio in custody of the R.C.M.P. The above and her husband owned a rooming house at 237 Main St. We received enquiries from the B.C.S.C. as to the assets of the above, who had told them that the furniture in the rooming house was her only asset. In a report received from the Canadian Credit Men's Trust Association we were advised that a bill of sale given by the husband of the above to Yee Hin covered the complete contents of the rooming house at 237 Main St. On April 27/43 we wrote to Bowman Storage re the goods of the above stored there and they advised us in their reply of April 28/43 that the goods of the above had been shipped to her on Nov. 20/42. This is confirmed by Mr. Izo ARIMA in a foot note at the bottom of our letter to him of June 15/43.

SPECIFIED ARTICLES: The radio surrendered by the above to the R.C.M.P. on March 12/42 was handed over by them to the Custodian on April 25/44 and sold at auction for the net sum of \$37.94 and this sum credited to the account of the above.

WAR SAVINGS CERTIFICATE: The above declared a \$5.00 War Savings Certificate in her own possession. This was not brought under the control of the Custodian.

LIFE INSURANCE: Although the above declared no insurance, we received a letter from the New York Life Insurance Co. on Aug. 19/44 advising us that Policy #7,765,756 in the name of the above would mature on Aug. 25/44 and asking us for her present address. We replied to this letter on Aug. 22/44 giving them her address and asking that the cheque representing the maturity value of the policy in the sum of \$39.00, be sent to this office. We received this cheque from the company on Sept. 6/44 and remitted to Mrs. ARIMA on Sept. 8/44.

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.

Sept. 17/46

LBM:

no. G. B. Spain
G.B. Spain

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September 25th, 1946.

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

RE: Mr. and Mrs. Izo ARIMA
Reg. Nos. 01107 & 01108

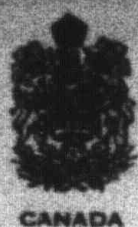
Dear Sirs:

We are in receipt of your letter of the 24th instant requesting us to remit the sum of \$37.94. We regret being unable to comply with your request as the said balance was remitted to Mrs. ARIMA on the 18th instant.

Yours truly,

G. B. Spain
Protection Department

GSS:LEM



CANADA

DEPARTMENT OF LABOUR
JAPANESE DIVISION

EVACUATION SECTION	
Rec'd	SEP 25 1946
File No.	14512/9628
Ans.	<i>Spain</i>
Referred	<i>Spain</i>

360 Homer Street,
Vancouver, B. C.
September 24th 1946

Dept of Secretary of State,
Office of the Custodian,
506 Royal Bank Building,
Vancouver, B. C.

Attention Mr G. B. Spain

Dear Sir,

Re: Mr and Mrs Izo ARIMA
Regd Nos 01107 & 01108
Custodian File #14519 /9628

Referring to your letter of the 13th inst., we shall feel obliged if you will remit the balance of \$37.94 to this Department to be applied against the funeral bill incurred by us in July 1943.

Yours truly,

M.L. Brown
Office Manager.

MMS

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September 12, 1946.

REGISTERED

Mrs. Katsuko ARIMA,
Reg. No. 01106,
NEW DENVER, B.C.

Dear Madam:

We enclose herewith Custodian cheque in the sum of \$37.94, being net proceeds from sale of your radio. As this is your total credit with this office we are now closing your file. Kindly acknowledge receipt of cheque.

Yours truly,

G. B. Spain
Protection Department

LBM:

Encl. (1)

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Sept. 13th, 1946.

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

Re: Mr. and Mrs. Ise ARIMA
Reg. Nos. 01107 & 01108

Dear Sirs:

We have a credit balance in favour of Mrs. ARIMA in the sum of \$37.94 derived from sale of her radio, and would like to remit this sum and close her file.

It is noted however that you filed a claim against Mr. and Mrs. ARIMA in the sum of \$100.00 for funeral expenses in connection with the funeral of their daughter Masako. Would you please advise us if it is alright for us to pay Mrs. ARIMA this money.

Yours truly,

G. B. Spain
Protection Department

CBS:LEH

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January, 18th, 1946.

Mrs. Katsuko ARIMA,
Reg. No. 01108,
NEW DENVER, B.C.

Dear Madam:

We have received from the Department of Labour,
Japanese Division, a letter together with the R.C.M.P. receipt
for your radio.

The present is to advise you that your radio was sold
at public auction for the net sum of \$37.94, which amount has been
credited to your account.

Under these circumstances, we are unable to ship the
radio to you as requested.

Yours truly,

G. B. Spain
Protection Department

GBS:LBM

2 C.C. to Dept. of Labour

No.

F. 112

Royal Canadian Mounted Police

4A 01108

Vancouver B.C. 12-3-1942

Received from Mrs. 120 - ARIMA

237 Main St. Vancouver.

One radio General Electric

Model H61 Serial No 288

Dollars,

100

Signature

Ct. D. G. Sinclair
Reg. No. 13575

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September 8, 1944.

Mrs. Katsuko ARIMA,
Registration No. 01108,
SLOCAN EXTENSION, B. C.

Dear Madam:

Re: New York Life
Policy #7765756

We have received from the New York
Life and enclose herewith their cheque for \$39.00
in full settlement of the maturing value of the
above numbered policy.

Yours truly,

S. H. Gibson,
Insurance Department

SMC:JS

Encl.

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August 22, 1944.

New York Life Insurance Company,
1211-1219 Vancouver Block,
VANCOUVER, B. C.

Dear Sirs:

Re: Policy No. 7766756
Mrs. Katsuko ARIMA

We have received your letter of August 19th and would advise that the address of the above named policyholder is:

Registration No. 01108,
SLOCAN EXTENSION, B. C.

We understand the policy mentioned above matures on August 25th, for \$39.00. When your cheque is ready, will you kindly make it out in the usual manner directing it to your assured through this office.

Yours truly,

S. M. Gibson,
Insurance Department

SMG:JS

NAME ARIMA, Katsuko (Mrs. Iso)

REGISTRATION NO. 01106

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The following chattels were sold by public
auction at 992 Powell St., Vancouver on May 27, 1944.

G. E. Mantel Radio

\$ 45.00

Total	(Auctioneer's Fee)	\$ 4.50
	(Advertising)	1.08
Less Expenses:	(Moving)	0.48
	(Storage)	<u>1.00</u>

\$	45.00
\$	7.06
\$	<u>37.94</u>

Net Proceeds Credited:

Members of Custodian Staff Present.
Extracted from Auctioneering list No.
Remarks.

Mr. Wills

Vancouver 19

*original
mailed
Jun 15/46*

ROYAL CANADIAN MOUNTED POLICE

No. 289

EXHIBIT REPORT

HEADQUARTERS File No.

SUB-DIV'N and File No. Vancouver.

DIVISION and File No.

DETACHMENT and File No. C.I.B.

(Jap. Reg. No. 01109).

DATE April 25th, 1944.

Re: Izo ARIMA (Mrs.), 257 Main St., Vancouver, B.C.
(Name of File)

On March 12th, 1942 1 D. E. McLaren, Cst.
(Date) (Member's Name)

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		Radio - General Electric, Model H61, Serial No. 288.

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REMARKS: Handed over to Custodian of Alien Property.

(State briefly disposition)

DATE APR 25 1944

L. C. Spar for Custodian.
(Signature of Recipient or Witness)

CERTIFIED CORRECT

F. R. Jefferson
F. R. Jefferson, Can. 410559.

MEMORANDUM

May 13th, 1943.

To: File 9628

From: Specified Articles Dept.

Re: ARIMA Mrs. Izo - Reg. 01108

<u>ARTICLE</u>	<u>DESCRIPTION</u>	<u>APPRAISED VALUE</u>
<u>RADIO</u>	S. General Electric, model H61, Serial No. 288.	\$ 24.50

S. sold by auction May 9/44 Vancouver 17.



Bowman Storage *Limited*

FURNITURE AND PIANO
STORAGE A SPECIALTY
MOTOR VAN SERVICE
WAREHOUSE SPACE TO RENT
PRIVATE ROOMS HEATED
RAILWAY TRACKAGE
ALL WAREHOUSES

MOVING · PACKING · STORING · SHIPPING

TELEPHONES
HASTINGS 0920

827-831 POWELL STREET

CAPACITY
112,000 SQUARE FEET

VANCOUVER, B.C.

April 28, 1943.

EVACUATION SECTION	
Rec'd	APR 29 1943
File No.	
Ans.	
Referred	<i>Spain</i>

Mr. G.B. Spain,
Office of the Custodian,
506 Royal Bank Building,
Vancouver, B. C.

Dear Sir:-

Re File No. 9628.

We are in receipt of your letter of April 27th., with regard to goods belonging to Mrs. Izo (Katsuko) Arima.

Mrs. Arima's goods were shipped to her at New Denver on November 20th, 1942.

We have nothing in storage for her now.

Yours very truly,

BOWMAN STORAGE LIMITED

Arhibald

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SECRETARY

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April 27, 1943.

Bowman Storage Limited,
829 Powell Street,
Vancouver, B. C.

Dear Sirs:

Mrs. Izo (Katsuko) ARIMA, in her registration stated that she had stored her personal property with you.

We have no advice from you on the subject and should be obliged if you would kindly inform us what you are holding in storage for Mrs. Arima.

Yours truly,

Geo. B. Spain.
Protection Department.

GBS/MFP

COPY
New Denver, B. C.,
March 23, 1943.

Messrs. P. S. Ross & Sons,
Royal Bank Bldg.,
Vancouver, B. C.

Gentlemen:

I've surrendered my radio about a year ago to the Mounted Police in Vancouver. Now that we have electricity in this New Denver, my children wish to get their radio very much. I've asked the R. C. M. P. here and he had informed me to write to you. My children miss music and there isn't much entertainment for them here, so I would appreciate very much if you could let me know if I could get my radio back or not. If I could have it back, please let me know what step I should take.

Yours truly,

"(MRS.) KATSUKO ARIMA"

March 25, 1943

B. C. Security Commission,
Welfare Department,
Marine Building,
Vancouver, B. C.

Dear Sirs:

Attention Mr. M. L. BrownRe: ARIMA, Izo. #01107

Referring to your letter of March 23rd, the above party has never registered his affairs with us, but his wife, Katsuko Arima, Reg. No. 01108, declared that she owned some household equipment at 237 Main Street and which she had arranged to be stored with Bowmans Storage.

In a circular letter from the Canadian Credit Men's Trust Assoc. Ltd. dated May 28th, 1942, they stated that a Bill of Sale was given by Katsuko Arima to Yee Hin covering the complete contents of the Empress Rooms for the sum of \$1650.00.

Yours truly,

G. D. Wilson
Administration Department

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DEPARTMENT OF
LABOUR



CANADA

EVACUATION SECTION	
Rec'd	MAR 24 1943
File No.	9628
Ans.	<i>[Signature]</i>
Referred	<i>Milson</i>

BRITISH COLUMBIA SECURITY COMMISSION

Welfare Dept

March 23rd, 1943

355 BURNARD STREET,
VANCOUVER, B.C.

Department of the Secretary of State,
Office of the Custodian,
Japanese Evacuation Section,
506 Royal Bank Building,
Hastings & Granville,
Vancouver, B.C.

Attention Mr. R.P. Alexander.

Dear Sir:

Re: ARIMA Izo, #01107

We have received an enquiry from our New Denver
Welfare Manager regarding the above family, who are applying
for assistance.

Prior to evacuation they operated a rooming house
at 237 Main Street, Vancouver. The building was rented, but the
furniture was their own, and this is now in your custody.
Mrs. Arima states that this furniture is their only asset.

We would be glad to hear from you as to whether
there are any funds available for the needs of these people.

Yours very truly,

BRITISH COLUMBIA SECURITY COMMISSION,

[Signature]
M. L. Brown,
Office Manager.

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