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BUREAU POWELL STREET
OFFICE OF THE CUSTODIAN
JAPANESE SECTION

FILE NO. 10957

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

NAME: NATSUHARA Keoru.

HOME ADDRESS: 545 Powell St., Vancouver, B.C.

REGISTRATION No. 05117

SEX: (M)

AGE: 17

MARRIED? No.

OCCUPATION AND EMPLOYER: Student at Britannia High School. Vancouver, B.C.

NAME OF WIFE OR HUSBAND: None

ADDRESS: _____

NAMES OF LIVING CHILDREN: None

ADDRESS: _____

ADDRESS: _____

ADDRESS: _____

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 22nd. day of June. 1942.

(Signature) Keoru Natuhara

WITNESS: D. M. Chope.

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 INFORMATION FROM R.C.M.P.

Date June 30/43.

Our File No. 10957

Full Name NATSUMURA Kaoru
 (Surname in Block Letters)

Registration No. 05717 Male - Female (check) Age Dec. 5, 1924

Former Address 545 Powell St. City

Date Evacuated July 2/42. Naturalized - Canadian-Born - National (check)

Present Address Vancouver 15/8/47
 2 Keatswood, B.C.

Married - Single (check)

Name of Wife _____

Name of Husband _____

Name of Mother (^{nie} OTARU) Suway Name of Father WATSUMURA

Names of Children under 16 # 06688 Kamerosuke # 06687

Requested by _____ Registered with Custodian _____ (Yes or No)

Additional Information Student

LIABILITY SUMMARY

File No. 10957

Dec. 9/46

RE: Kaoru NATSUHARA, Reg. No. 05117

There are no claims filed against Kaoru NATSUHARA.

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

Dec. 9/46
LEN:

L. McInnes
L. McInnes

PERSONAL PROPERTY SUMMARY

File No. 10957

Dec. 9/46

RE: Kaoru NATSUHARA, Reg. No. 05117

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

CHATELS: NATSUHARA registered with the Custodian on June 22/42 and was evacuated on July 2/42. He signed a yellow "No property" card stating he owned no property of any kind whatsoever in any protected area of B.C. However he wrote to us on March 31/45, April 8/45 and April 23/45 asking about a record player and case which he said were marked with the name and registration of his father. No such articles were found among the goods belonging to the father.

His file has been credited with the sum of \$2.61 from sale of an old propeller. This is evidently an error as Mr. Harris just gave us the number "10957" with no name and then when we asked him about this again on May 3/45 he stated it should be file number 10987, but this is the file number of a Pitt Meadows farmer who has been in Essondale since 1939. We are therefore transferring this sum to Chattel Suspense Account.

SPECIFIED ARTICLES: NATSUHARA surrendered an R.C.A. Victor radio to the R.C.M.P. on Mar. 10/42 and handed over to the Custodian on Feb. 17/44. It was sold at auction for the net sum of \$57.75 and this sum remitted to him on May 3/45.

ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE: There is a letter on file dated April 10/43 to NATSUHARA regarding a sum of \$39.72 owing by Tasaburo CHAKI, File 11686/1. However on File 11686/1 the name is just listed as K. NATSUHARA so it is more likely that the sum is owing to the father. At any rate CHAKI has acknowledged the claim but is unable to pay the debt and NATSUHARA has been advised.

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.

Dec. 10/46
LBM:

L. McKinnon
L. McKinnon

*dealt with
under file 10934
Aug. 13-47*

MEMORANDUM

July 26, 1943

To: File 10957

From: Specified Articles Department.

Re: NATSUHARA, Kaoru - Reg. 05117

<u>ARTICLE</u>	<u>DESCRIPTION</u>	<u>APPRAISED VALUE</u>
RADIO	✓ R.C.A. Victor, Model 08-1. Combination Gramophone, Serial No. 105.	\$35.00

Gross sale price 67.00
Expenses 9.25
Net price 57.75

Money remitted May 3/45

LF

a claim has been filed
by K. Natsuhara, File 10934
in this radio.
1 - Sold by auction 11/13/44 Vancouver 12

MEMORANDUM

File No: 10957

Dec. 10/46

TO: Miss C. Girard

FROM: L. McKinnon

RE: KAGU NATSUMURA, Reg. No. 05117

Mr. Harris sent into the office the sum of \$2.61 being proceeds from sale of an old propeller and gave the file number of the owner as 10957. When we brought to his attention the fact that this was the file number of a young student at Britannia High, Mr. Harris said it should be file No. 10987. However this is the file number of a Pitt Meadows Farmer who has been in Escandale since 1939, so it does not seem any more likely that the propeller belonged to him. Will you please therefore transfer it to Chattel Suspense Account.

L. McKinnon

LEM:

Accounting Department:

Charge to File 10957 and credit to Net Suspense Account- 10957 or 10987 (?) -

Sold by Mr. Harris - January 9, 1945 - 1 Old propeller \$2.61

Transferred, December 10, 1946.

C. Girard

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May 3rd, 1945.

Mr. KAZUO HATSUMURA,
Reg. No. 05117,
B.X. District,
Vernon, B. C.

Dear Sir:-

In answer to yours of April 23rd enclosing the B.C.M.P. receipt for your radio, we have now pleasure in sending you our cheque for \$57.75 being the net amount for which it was sold.

We thank you for giving us particulars of your gramophone and records and we are keeping this on file. We are afraid, however, that it is most unlikely that we shall now be able to trace these articles since we see, on reference to your father's file, that our investigating agents reported on July 6th, 1942:-

"A. Noodle manufacturing equipment stored at 566 Powell Street (where it has since been disposed of).

"B. Personal belongings. This man has moved to Westwood with his family and has taken all his personal belongings of any value with him. We can consider the matter closed."

Under these circumstances, you will appreciate that it will be very difficult for us to do anything but as mentioned above, we have a record of this matter on our files.

Yours truly,

H. F. Green
Protection Department

Enc.
HFG:IF

File No. 05117

Royal Canadian Mounted Police

F. 112

\$

Vancouver March 10 1942

Received from

KAORI NATSUMI HARA

545 Lowell St. Vancouver

One Radio RCA Victor

Model 08-1

Combination Gramophone

Serial 105

Dollars,

Signature

[Handwritten Signature]

10957 & 10934

APRIL 11, 1945.

Mr. Kaoru NATSUHARA,
Registration No. 05117,
B.X. District,
Vernon, B. C.

Dear Sir:

We wish to acknowledge your letter of April 8th.

With reference to the radio surrendered by you, and the money received from the sale of this radio, we would like to point out that the receipt from the police is required as evidence of your ownership of the radio. When you registered with this office you declared that you owned no property of any kind whatsoever in the protected area of British Columbia. No money from the sale of radios is released until the person claiming ownership sends us the receipt in proof of his or her right to receive the funds. In your case, the fact that you stated that you owned no property of any kind is an additional reason why the money must be held for this proof. As soon as we receive the receipt, we will send you the money. Without the receipt, the money will be held here.

In regard to the portable phonograph and records in record case, about which you enquired on behalf of your father, we wish to advise that we have read through your father's file and can find no mention whatever of these articles. Your father did not declare ownership of such articles when he registered with the Custodian on June 20, 1942. He has not declared these at any time since. We cannot give protection to property of whose existence we have no knowledge. If you will give us a description of these articles and tell us where they were left and in whose care they were left, our Protection Department might be able to find them. We will do what we can anyway. These should have been reported three years ago when your father registered with this office. Unless you can give us some definite information as to the location of these effects we doubt if we can do anything at this late date.

Yours truly,

F. Matheson,
Specified Articles Department.

