

11961



PERSONAL

BUREAU HASTINGS PARK  
OFFICE OF THE CUSTODIAN  
JAPANESE SECTION

FILE NO. \_\_\_\_\_

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: OKAWA, Kayoshi

HOME ADDRESS: 325 W. 4th Ave., Vancouver, B. C.  
From Fanny Bay, B. C.

REGISTRATION NUMBER 07003 SEX: male AGE: 35

OCCUPATION: Logger

(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: Deep Bay Logging Co., Fanny Bay, B. C.

MARRIED? yes

NAME OF WIFE OR HUSBAND: Fumi

ADDRESS OF WIFE OR HUSBAND: 325 W. 4th Ave.,

NAMES OF ANY LIVING CHILDREN: Mechiko (F), Emiko (F).

ADDRESS OF CHILDREN: same address.

AGE OF CHILDREN: 6 and 1 year 3 months.

STATEMENT OF ALL REAL PROPERTY (Each parcel must be mentioned and particulars given)

1. LOCATION AND DESCRIPTION: \_\_\_\_\_

2. BUILDINGS AND OTHER IMPROVEMENTS: \_\_\_\_\_

3. INSURANCE (Give particulars; state where policies are) \_\_\_\_\_

4. TAXES (Amount and where payable) \_\_\_\_\_

5. ENCUMBRANCES (Including any unregistered claims or deposit of title deed) \_\_\_\_\_

6. OCCUPANCY AND LEASES (If vacant so state) \_\_\_\_\_



7. STATE WHEREABOUTS OF TITLE DOCUMENTS.

8. STATE IF ANY OTHER PERSON HAS ANY INTEREST.

9. IF FARM LAND STATE CROPS SOWN

**STATEMENT OF REAL PROPERTY OCCUPIED**

1. LOCATION AND DESCRIPTION: Lives in 3 room, 1 storey wooden frame

dwellling. Lited in company house at Fanny Bay, B. C.

2. LANDLORD'S NAME AND ADDRESS: Mr. Kagetsu, at Minto, B. C.

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

4. per month. Paid to date.

4. STATE WHEREABOUTS OF LEASE.

5. SUB-TENANTS, IF ANY (Give name, address, rent and to what date paid)

6. IF FARM LAND, PARTICULARS OF CROPS SOWN:

**STATEMENT OF PERSONAL PROPERTY OWNED:**

1. GIVE BRIEF DESCRIPTION AND STATE LOCATION OF FURNITURE, FIXTURES, EQUIPMENT AND MACHINERY, STOCK IN TRADE AND PERSONAL EFFECTS.

2 beds, 1 bed-chest, 1 stove, (2) 2 gas stoves, 6 boxes

kitchen utensils.

All of above in house at Fanny Bay, B. C. in care of Deep Bay

Logging Co. Key is in possession of company.

2. HORSES, LIVESTOCK AND OTHER ANIMALS, POULTRY AND PETS

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

CLAIM ON ANY SUCH PROPERTY



4. INSURANCE CARRIED ON ABOVE PROPERTY: \_\_\_\_\_

5. MORTGAGES, LIENS AND OTHER CLAIMS ON PROPERTY IN POSSESSION OF  
OTHERS: \_\_\_\_\_

6. MONEYS OWING TO YOU (State if any of these debts assigned and if so, to whom) \_\_\_\_\_

7. BONDS, DEBENTURES, SHARES, STOCKS OR OTHER SECURITIES (State whereabouts)  
Three \$8. War Savings certificates. In owner's possession.

8. BANK ACCOUNTS: \_\_\_\_\_

9. LIFE INSURANCE: \_\_\_\_\_

10. INTEREST IN ANY ESTATES OR TRUSTS: \_\_\_\_\_

11. SAFETY DEPOSIT BOX: \_\_\_\_\_

**LIABILITIES:**

1. PERSONAL DEBTS: \_\_\_\_\_

2. TRADE DEBTS: \_\_\_\_\_

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 31st day of July 1942.

(Signature)

K. Okawa

Walter Miller  
Witness

FOR DEPARTMENTAL USE



INFORMATION FROM R.C.M.P.

Date Aug 25/43

Our File No. 11961

Full Name OKAWA Kayoshi  
(Surname in Block Letters)

Registration No. 07003

Male - Female  
(check)

Age Apr. 1, 1907

Former Address Panny Bay, B.C.

Date Evacuated Mar. 12/42 Naturalized - Canadian-Born - National  
(check)

Present Address Burns Lbr. & Coal Co.,  
Pasemore, B.C.

Married - Single  
(check)

Name of Wife (KONDO) Rumi # 07004

Name of Husband -

Name of Mother OKAWA Miki Name of Father Minekihi (Japan)

Names of Children under 16 (Japan)

Michiko (F) Aug 25/35

Emiko Patsy May 18/41

Requested by CCF

Registered with Custodian  
(Yes or No)

Additional Information Logger



P.O. Box 431,  
Cumberland, B.C.  
Oct. 7/42.

Mr. H.F. Green,  
Protection Dept.,  
Office of the Custodian,  
Japanese Evacuation Section,  
Vancouver, B.C.

Dear Sir:-

Report on OKAWA (Fumi) Mrs. Kayoshi Reg. # 17004.

1 & 2 Location and Nature of property. Four room dwelling  
Fanny Bay, B.C. Rent \$3.00 per month. Rent paid up to date.  
House vacant and boarded up. Property of Deep Bay Logging  
Camp, Fanny Bay, B.C.

3 Effects as listed from 1 to 40 same being packed in  
several boxes etc. We have shipped out on Sept. 3/42 3 tins  
effects, 1 box carpenter tools, 2 cartons effects, 1 wash  
boiler effects. (7pc.) in all. Balance in Royston storage  
are: 1 box cast heater, 1 old McLary range, 1 barrel effects # 2,  
1 trunk # 6, 1 couch and mattress # 1, 1 dresser # 1, 1 stone  
crook # 13, boxes # 3-4-8-12. (11pc. in all)

4 Insurances. \$500.00 Prudential Life Insurance Co.

5 Liabilities and personal debts. None to date.

6 Recommendations. Effects as listed above have been  
shipped out c/o B.C. Security Commission, Vancouver, B.C.  
Balance as listed are stored in Royston Hall R R # 1,  
Cumberland, B.C.

This will clean up this party's report to date.

Yours truly

*Matt. Brown.*  
Matt Brown.

Custodian Agent.



PERSONAL PROPERTY SUMMARY

File No. 11961

Re: Kiyoshi OKAWA

Reg. No. 07003

This man declared 2 beds, 1 bed chesterfield, a stove, 2 gas stoves and 6 boxes of kitchen utensils. His wife, file 1294, declared a long list of articles.

According to report from Matt Brown, Custodian Agent, at Cumberland, dated October 7th, 1942, 7 pieces of effects were shipped to these people on September 3rd, 1942. At that time he sent us a list of the articles in Royston storage.

The following articles were requested on 20th of December, 1943, and we assume that these were shipped as requested - a trunk, a dresser and 4 boxes.

On August 23rd, 1944 a cook stove, a cast iron heater and a bamboo rack, were sold for the net sum of \$13.57, which was credited to the account of this man.

Of the articles reported by Mr. Matt Brown as being in storage, a barrel of effects, a couch and mattress and a stone crock are unaccounted for. In addition to these, Okawa reported on October 31st, 1942, that the following articles should be at Cumberland - 6 chairs, 1 washtub, 2 double edged axes and a complete double bed with mattress. All of these articles, except 2 axes, were reported by Mrs. OKAWA, in her declaration, but were not inventoried by the Custodian's Agent at Cumberland.

This man declared 3 - \$8.00 War Savings Certificates in his own possession. These did not come under the control of the Custodian.

The radio declared by Mrs. OKAWA was reported by the Royal Canadian Mounted Police as having been surrendered by Kiyoshi OKAWA. This radio was sold by the Custodian on May 9th, 1944, for the net sum of \$19.78, which has been credited to the account of Kiyoshi OKAWA.

This file reveals no other property of any kind.

This summary is certified  
to be in accordance with  
information on file.

*J. Matheson*

February 11th, 1946.

FM:JS



11961

August 10th, 1942

Mr. Kayoshi Okawa, Reg. #07003,  
325 West 4th Avenue,  
Vancouver, B. C.

Dear Sir:-

Our Cumberland agent has had some difficulty in identifying the effects applied for in your release of July 27th. You requested the following items:

1 Box carpenter tools (12 x 12 box)

Send also all kitchen utensils

Send all foodstuffs (No. 4 House)

Our agent can find only the following:

- ✓ #9 Wash boiler,
- ✓ #10 Carton full of miscellaneous things,
- ✓ 3 Tubs foodstuffs (un-numbered)
- ✓ #5 Box miscellaneous kitchenware.

Does this cover all your possessions that you require sent, and if not what are your wishes?

Yours truly,

H. F. Green  
Manager Protection Dept.

HFG:IF



11761

October 27, 1942

Mr. Kay-ichi OKAWA, #67003  
Slocan, B. C.

Dear Sir:

Re: Chattels

Our agent at Cumberland shipped to you, care of B. C. Security Commission, on the 3rd September seven pieces of your goods which were stored at Japanese Hall, Fanny Bay, B. C.

- 3 tins effects
- 1 box carpenter tools
- 2 cartons effects
- 1 wash boiler

Will you kindly confirm having received these seven pieces.

The following eleven pieces are stored in Royston Hall,  
R. R. 1, Cumberland, B. C.

- 1 box cast heater
- 1 McClary range
- 1 barrel of effects marked #2
- 1 trunk marked #6
- 1 couch and mattress marked #1
- 1 dresser marked #1
- 1 stone crock marked #13
- boxes, #3, #4, #8, #12

We enclose in duplicate copies of these two lists, and would ask you to sign one copy of each and return to us as soon as possible.

Yours truly,

H. F. Green  
Protection Department

RBM:MAD  
Enclosure



# ROYAL CANADIAN MOUNTED POLICE

Form 244

No. 795

## 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. # 07005) /

DATE March 21st, 1944.

Re: Kiyoshi OKAWA - Fanny Bay, B.C.  
(Name of File)

On July 30th, 1943. 1 F.R. Jefferson, Cst.  
(Date) (Member's Name)

Came into possession of the following described goods by

Handed over by R. C. M. Police, Victoria, B.C.

(State Authority from whom seized and place of seizure)

No. OF EXHIBIT	No. OF PACKAGES	CAPACITY OR SIZE	DESCRIPTION OF EXHIBITS
	1		Majestic Radio, 7 tube mantle model # 662, Serial No. 34696, Short Wave.

REMARKS: Handed over to the Custodian of Alien Property.

MAR 23 1944

(State briefly description)

DATE

Sgt. J. L. Smith For Custodian.  
(Signature of Custodian or Witness)

CERTIFIED CORRECT  
F.R. Jefferson, Reg. #10559, Cst.  
(Signature of Member)



# ROYAL CANADIAN MOUNTED POLICE EXHIBIT REPORT

Form 296

No. 11961

HEADQUARTERS File No.

Vancouver, Is. Section.  
SUB/DIVN & File No. J.119

DIVISION & File No. 451.269/2/1-27.

DETACHMENT & File No. Victoria, BC

DATE March 2nd, 1942

Re: Kiyoshi OKADA - Ferry Bay, BC, Japanese Registration.

On Feb. 22nd, 1942 Constable J.H. Banks.

Came into possession of the following described goods by gaining same under authority of the Customs of Canada Regulations, Feb. 5th, 1942.

No. of Sub.	No. of Packages	Qty. in Box	DESCRIPTION OF EXHIBITS
1.	1.		One Majestic Radio, 7 tube mantle model / 602 Serial No. 34425, short wave.

CERTIFIED CORRECT

J.H. Banks, Reg. No. 7425.

(Signature of member submitting report)



NAME OKAWA, Kayoshi

REGISTRATION NO. 07003

FILE NO. 11261

The following chattels were sold by public  
auction at Cumberland, B.C. on August 23, 1941.

Cook Stove  
Cast iron heater  
Bamboo rack

\$5.00  
10.00  
1.75

Total

\$ 16.75

Less Expenses: (Auctioneer's Fee: \$1.67

\$ 3.18

(Advertising: 0.67

(Moving: 0.34

Net Proceeds Credited:

\$ 13.57

Members of Custodian Staff Present. Mr. Matt Brown

Extracted from Auctioneering List No. Cumberland 1

Remarks.



NAME OKAWA, Kayoshi

REGISTRATION NO. 07003

FILE NO. 11961

The following chattels were sold by public  
auction at 992 Powell St., Vancouver on May 9th, 1944.

Majestic Mantel Radio (battery)

\$ 24.00

Total	(Auctioneer's Fee)	\$ 2.40
	(Advertising)	0.57
Less Expenses:	(Moving)	0.25
	(Storage)	<u>1.00</u>

\$	24.00
\$	<u>4.22</u>
\$	<u>19.78</u>

Net Proceeds Credited:

Members of Custodian Staff Present.

Mr. Wills

Extracted from Auctioneering list No.

Vancouver 19.

Remarks.



MEMORANDUM

September 24, 1943.

TO: File No. 11961

FROM: Specified Articles Department.

Re: OKAWA Kayoshi, Reg. No. 07003

<u>ARTICLE</u>	<u>DESCRIPTION</u>	<u>APPRAISED VALUE</u>
RADIO	S. Majestic 7 tube mantle model #662 Serial No. 34696 short wave	

S. sold by auction 9/5/44 Vancouver B.C.

Sale Price	724.00
Expense	4.22
Balance credited	19.78

*E. M. H. Co.*  
11/2/46



11961 & 1294.

February 11th, 1946.

REGISTERED MAIL

Mr. and Mrs. Kiyoshi OKAWA,  
Registration Nos. 07003 and 07004,  
Lemon Creek, B. C.

Dear Sir and Madam:

In reply to your letter of January 5th, we wish to inform you that the radio surrendered by you has been sold by this office for the net sum of \$19.78, which has been credited to your account.

The majority of the chattels declared by you were shipped to you in 1942 and 1943. The saleable articles remaining were sold for the net sum of \$13.57, which has been credited to the account of Mr. OKAWA.

Two Life Insurance Policies declared by Mrs. OKAWA did not come under the control of this office.

The three War Savings Certificates declared by Mr. OKAWA did not come under the control of this office.

Enclosed herewith is Custodian's cheque for the sum of \$33.35, representing all funds standing to your credit with this office. This cheque is payable to Mr. Kiyoshi OKAWA.

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 attached cheque, we enclose a stamped addressed envelope for your convenience in replying.

Yours truly,

F. Matheson  
Protection Department.

FM:JS  
1 cheque  
1 encl.



11961 & 1294.

February 12th, 1946.

Mr. Matt Brown,  
P. O. Box 431,  
Cumberland, B. C.

Dear Sir:

Re: Kiyoshi OKAWA and Mrs. Fumi OKAWA.

On October 7th, 1942, you reported a box heater, McLary range, a barrel of effects, a trunk, a couch and mattress, a dresser, a stone crock and 4 boxes in Royston storage, belonging to these people.

On November 10th, 1942, we wrote you listing ten pieces, which Mr. OKAWA said should be at Cumberland, in addition to the articles reported by you. These were 6 chairs, 1 washtub, 2 double edged axes, and a complete double bed with mattress. At that time we asked you to try to locate these pieces and let us know whether these were on hand. We appear to have received no reply from you in connection with this.

On December 20th, 1943, Mr. OKAWA sent a Custodian Release for 1 trunk packed with kitchen utensils, a dresser and 4 boxes containing kitchen utensils. We do not know whether these were shipped.

The stove and heater which were in storage at Cumberland, were sold on August 23rd, 1944.

If the articles requested on December 20th, 1943, were shipped there still remain to be accounted for 1 barrel of effects, 1 stone crock, 6 chairs, 1 washtub, 2 double edged axes, and a complete bed with mattress.

Would you kindly let us know whether shipment was made in accordance with Custodian Release of December 20th, 1943, and also let us know what happened to the other chattels belonging to this man.

Yours truly,

F. Matheson.  
Protection Department.

FM:JS



P. O. Box 431,  
Cumberland, B. C.,  
Feb. 22/46.

Mr. F. Matheson,  
Protection Dept.,  
Office of the Custodian,  
Vancouver, B. C.

EV. & SEC. SECTION
Rec'd FEB 26 1946
File No. 11961 / 11294
Ans.
Referred

Dear Sir:-

Re: Kiyoshi OKAWA and Mrs. Fumi OKAWA.  
File #11961 & #1294.

On checking as per your letter of Feb. 12/46 on the above mentioned party we find that on Sept. 3/42 a shipment went forward to K. OKAWA, c/o B.C. Security Commission, Vancouver, B. C., consisting of seven pieces as per Bill of Lading enclosed.

Also a shipment sent direct to K. OKAWA, C.P.R. Freight Prepaid, on Jan. 5/44 to Lemon Creek, Slokan, B.C., consisting of nine pieces. These pieces were 1 Crock of effects #13; 4 Boxes effects #3, #4, #8, & #12; 1 Dresser crated #1; 1 Trunk #6; 1 Barrel effects #2; 1 Bdl. Couch and mattress, etc, as per B. C. Security release dated Dec. 29/43.

Articles sold at Public Auction, Aug. 23/45, are 1 Cook Stove; 1 Cast Iron Heater; 1 Bamboo rack.

The articles mentioned, 6 chairs; 1 Wash Tub; 2 Axes; 1 Complete Bed, we have no record of these or to their whereabouts.

This will keep you to date on the above mentioned articles.

Yours truly

*Matt. Brown*

Matt. Brown  
Custodian Agent

MB/G  
Encl.







# CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY COMPANY

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## THIS MEMORANDUM

is an acknowledgment that a bill of lading has been issued and is not the Original Bill of Lading, nor a copy or duplicate, covering the property named herein, and is intended solely for filing or record.

Shipper's No.....

Agent's No.....

RECEIVED, subject to the classifications and tariffs in effect on the date of the receipt by the carrier of the property described in the Original Bill of Lading.

at Courtenay, B. C. Jan. 5 1942

from..... the goods described below, in apparent good order, except as noted (contents and condition of contents of packages unknown), marked, consigned and destined as indicated below, which said Company agrees to carry to its usual place of delivery at said destination, if on its road, otherwise to deliver to another carrier on the route to said destination. It is mutually agreed, as to each carrier of all or any of said goods over all or any portion of said route to destination, and as to each party at any time interested in all or any of said goods, that every service to be performed hereunder shall be subject to all the conditions, whether printed or written, herein contained (including conditions on back hereof) and which are agreed to by the shipper and accepted for himself and his assigns.

The Rate of Freight from.....

to..... is in Cents per 100 Lbs. IF Special

IF	Trans. 1st IF	Class IF	Class IF	Class IF	Class IF	Class IF	Class IF	Class IF	Class IF	Class IF	Class IF	Class per

(Mail Address—Not for purposes of delivery.)

Consigned to Mrs. K. OKAWA

Destination Lemon Creek { Province or B.C. State of County of

Route..... Car Initial..... Car No.....

QUANTITY	DESCRIPTION OF ARTICLES AND SPECIAL MARKS	WEIGHT (Subject to Correction)	CLASS OR RATE	CHECK COLUMN	If charges are to be pre- paid, write or stamp here, "To be Prepaid."
1	Crock, effects #13				<i>Prepaid</i>
4	Bx. Effects #3, 4, 8, & 18				
1	Dresser, crated #1				
1	Trunk #6				Received \$ 18.62 to apply in prepayment of the charges on the property described hereon. <i>Prepaid</i>
1	Barrel, effects #2				
1	Couch & Matress, etc.				
9	<i>COPY</i>	700	266		Agent or Cashier
					Per.....
					(The signature here acknowledges only the amount prepaid.)
					Charges Advanced :
					\$.....

*Max Bunn* Shipper. *W. White* Agent.  
Per *C. M. Bunn* Per *W. White*



LIABILITY SUMMARY

File No. 11961

Re: Kiyoshi OKAWA

Reg. No. 07003.

The only claim revealed by this file is that of Doctor  
H. UCHIDA for \$2.50. This claim was withdrawn by Doctor UCHIDA.

This summary is certified  
to be in accordance with  
information on file.

*Matthewson*

February 11th, 1946.

FM:JS