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FILE NO. 13891

OFFICE OF THE CUSTODIAN
JAPANESE SECTION

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

NAME: OHAMA, Mrs. Kimi, OHAMA George, OHAMA Albert, OHAMA May.

HOME ADDRESS: 540 Scott Rd., New Westminster B.C. REGISTRATION No. 12765, 12766, 12760, 15263.

SEX: (F) (M) (M) (F) AGE: 57, 20, 18, 16 MARRIED? mother is widow (single)

OCCUPATION AND EMPLOYER: mother is housewife rest are farmers

NAME OF WIFE OR HUSBAND: none ADDRESS: none

NAMES OF LIVING CHILDREN: Sonny (M) ADDRESS: same as above
Reg. 15842

File 13899 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 18th day of April 1942.

WITNESS: "P. Allin"

(Signature) Kimi OHAMA
G. OHAMA
A. OHAMA
M. OHAMA

INFORMATION FROM R.C.M.P.

Date

Feb 19, 1947

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Full Name

O HAMA, Albert
(Surname in Block Letters)

Registration No.

12760

Male - Female
(check)

Age

Jan 28, 1924

Former Address

540 Scott Rd, RR #1, New Westminster

Date Evacuated

May 6/42

Naturalized - Canadian-Born - National
(check)

Present Address

Brooks, Alta

Married - Single
(check)

Name of Wife

Name of Husband

Name of Mother

nee Inouye, Kimi

Name of Father

Kenji - dead

Names of Children under 16

Requested by

[Signature]

Registered with Custodian

yes
(Yes & No)

Additional Information

Student

MEMORANDUM

To: Files 4979, 13890, 13891. ✓

September 9, 1943.

From: Specified Articles Department

Re: INOKUCHI, Yaichi - Reg. 12761
OHAMA, George - Reg. 12766
OHAMA, Albert - Reg. 12760

<u>ARTICLE</u>	<u>DESCRIPTION</u>	<u>APPRAISED VALUE</u>
TRUCK	1941 Dodge Express No. T 142 License No. (42) C 5548	\$975.00

Sold to: Land's Department

Selling Price: \$975.00

Lien Holder: Columbia Securities Ltd.

Amount of Lien: \$702.85

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CLAIMS DEPARTMENT

June 21st, 1943.

Albert CHAMA - 12760

CREDITORS:

NO CLAIMS ON FILE, At this date.

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COPY
of letter from

RETAIL CREDIT GRANTORS' BAILIFFS LTD.

May 27, 1942

Mr. Bead,
531 Royal Bank Bldg.,
City.

Dear Sir:

Further to our telephone conversation of April 30th, 1942
please find enclosed seizure notices for one 1942 Dodge 1/2-Ton
Express Truck and one 1942 Dodge Truck; also we are enclosing
seizure notice for one 1935 Ford Sedan, which we understand is
also in custody at Hastings Park.

Your truly,

Retail Credit Grantors' Bailiffs Ltd
per Albert Chapman Mgr.

per: A. Hardy

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NOTICE OF SEIZURE

To: Y. In kuohi, G. & A. Oahua, R.R.1, New Westminster, B. C.
and ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:-

Take notice that I have this 30th Day of April A. D. 1942
seized and taken possession of the undermentioned goods and chattels.

One 1942 Dodge 1/2 Ton Express Truck
Motor #T112- 49950, Serial # 3913325

for the sum of \$738.45 being amount due to Columbia Securities Ltd.
under a certain Conditional Sale Agreement dated the 2nd day of
December 1941

and that unless you pay the said sum together with interest, and expenses
of taking possession which have been incurred, within twenty-one
days from the date thereof the said goods and chattels will be sold
according to law.

DATED AT VANCOUVER, B. C. this 30th day of April 1942

Retail Credit Grantors' Bailiffs Ltd

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501 Royal Bank Bldg.,
Vancouver, B. C.,
June 13th, 1942.

Retail Credit Grantors' Bailiffs Ltd.,
601 - 535 West Georgia Street,
Vancouver, B. C.

Dear Sirs:

On May 27th, 1942 you attached to your letter 3 documents entitled "Notice of Seizure"; 2 of these are dated April 30th, 1942 and the other one May 27th, 1942.

I regret that your letter has not been replied to before due to the fact that this office is extremely busy, so much so that it is difficult to keep correspondence up.

I am somewhat at a loss to know how the seizure was made; there has not been any actual seizure while, if there had been it would have been contrary to the Regulations. May I draw your particular attention to Regulation 51 which reads as follows:

"No property vested in the Custodian shall be forfeited for default in doing any act or making any payment in respect thereof, or attached, seized or taken under any legal process or any distress, or foreclosed, or sold under any mortgage, lien, pledge or charge, or sold for any tax or assessment.

One of these cars has been sold to the British Columbia Government for an amount in excess of the registered lien and therefore, when a cheque is received from the Government, the lien will of course be paid in full. This particular truck is a Dodge, D. D. 16 Express.

The Dodge 1942 Truck, 2 ton, was released some little time ago to the Pacific Co-operative Union at Mission City.

The Ford Sedan Car referred to by you is at Hastings Park.

For your further information, I would advise you that in each of these three cases, the Columbia Securities Limited notified this office of the amount of their lien and which amounts have been duly entered on the records of the Trustee.

You will of course have to get in touch with the Pacific Co-operative Union of Mission City with regard to the Truck that was released to them.

Yours faithfully,

Edgar T. Read
For (G. W. McPherson)
Authorized Deputy of the Secretary
of State and/or Custodian

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COPY OF A LETTER FROM COLUMBIA SECURITIES LIMITED, June 17, 1942.

Mr. Edgar T. Read,
501 Royal Bank Bldg.,
Vancouver, B. C.

Dear Sir:-

Your letter of June 13th to the Retail Credit Grantors' Bailiffs Limited, has been turned over to us. We are at a loss to understand the attitude of your office as the writer phoned there approximately two weeks ago and was informed that the two 1942 Dodge Trucks had been sold and we would be receiving the cheque in due course. We have then received the letter of June 13th in which you state that: "The Dodge 1942 truck, 2 ton, was released some little time ago to the Pacific Co-operative Union at Mission City."

In view of the fact that this firm did not have a five cent piece invested in this truck and your office had knowledge of our lien on the truck and your office had knowledge of our lien on the truck we are at a loss to understand why we were not advised when you released the truck. We have repossessed the truck from the Pacific Co-operative Union, and found that there was no spare tire or tube, also the tools are missing and there are no keys. Mr. Shimek advises us that this is the condition of the truck when released by yourselves.

In view of this being a very serious matter in regard to the tire as it was a brand new ten ply tire, we would appreciate you checking your records and advising us before we report this tire as stolen, as naturally we have to report this to the police and also our insurance company, but we do not wish to cause this trouble if your representatives took this tire off for safe keeping.

We understand that the Dodge Express Truck has been sold to the Provincial Government.

In regard to the Ford Sedan car, we would greatly appreciate it if you would advise us when this car is released in order that we may protect our equity.

In conclusion we would like to point out that the 1942 Dodge Truck which was brand new has been exposed to the weather ever since being surrendered to you at Hastings Park. Naturally this has not improved the condition of the truck at all.

Awaiting your reply, we are,

Very truly yours,

COLUMBIA SECURITIES LIMITED

Per R. B. Ross

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LIST OF JAPANESE ACCOUNTS ———— COLUMBIA SECURITIES LIMITED

<u>Name & Address</u>	<u>Contract #</u>	<u>Make of Vehicle</u>	<u>Balance</u>	<u>Exp. Date</u>	<u>Date Registered</u>
TAKAKI, Katsu 95 West 5th Ave., Vancouver, B.C.	7995	1939 Dodge 48 Coupe Motor #11C3319 Ser'l #931885	\$505.20	July 10/41	July 14/41
IKAWA, Sadao West Bank, B.C.	8056	1940 Plymouth Coach Motor #P9C2778 Ser'l #9370366	\$494.13	July 25/41	July 29/41
KIMCHI, K. Brown Road, Langley Prairie	8348	1935 Ford Sedan Motor #1282615 Ser'l / do	\$227.62	Oct. July 20/41	Oct. 23/41
YAMAGUCHI, Yaichi 1111, George & Albert R.R.#1, New Westminster B.C.	8419	1942 Dodge 1/2 Ton Express Motor #T112-49950 Ser'l #8918825	\$702.85	Nov. 25/41	Dec. 3/41
YAMAGUCHI, Terakuni R.R.#1, Mission, B.C.	8455	1942 Dodge Truck Motor #T1180-6061C Ser'l #8948902	\$1564.48	Dec. 21/41	Dec. 30/41

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February 19th, 1943

Mr. Albert OHAMA,
Registration No. 12760,
Painier, Alberta.

Dear Sir:-

Enclosed please find a statement covering sale of the Dodge Express Truck which, according to the terms of the Conditional Sales Agreement with the Oliver-Overand Motors Ltd., was one in which you, George Ohama, and Yaichi Inokuchi were all three interested.

Net proceeds, as you will note, amounted to \$249.75. We presume that all three of you had an equal or one-third interest in the car but request your confirmation and the confirmation also of your two friends, to whom we are also writing today, before correctly disbursing the amount involved.

Please write to us fully at your earliest convenience.

Yours truly,

R. P. Alexander
Manager


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Copies sent to George Ohama and Yaichi Inokuchi

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May 20, 1943.

Mr. Albert Ohama,
Registration No. 12760,
Brooks, Alberta.

Dear Sir:

You will recall that the sale of the Dodge express truck in which you, George Ohama and Yaichi Inokuchi were equally interested, resulted in net proceeds of \$249.75. From this figure of \$249.75 a cheque for \$100.00 was forwarded to you jointly on May 11th.

Please note that we have transferred from a Trust Account in the names of the three individuals named, one-third of the balance involved amounting to \$49.92, to your own account, and this figure of \$49.92 therefore stands to your credit.

We would appreciate your advising us whether or not we have your authority to utilize any necessary portion of your credit balance with us, towards meeting the obligation your mother, Mrs. Kimi Ohama (who is dealt with under our file No. 6710) has towards the Singer Sewing Machine Company.

Yours truly,

R. P. Alexander,
Manager.

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Rainer, Alaska
May 30, 1943.

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REFERRED <i>Ingaluath</i>

Dear Sis:

Am checking you for the ~~signature~~
Please settle the debt of my mother,
Mrs. K. Okuma, with the Singer Sewing
Machine Company, using my credit.
Understand my credit amounts to some
\$49.92. Also, please pay for the shipping
charges.

Please forward the remaining
amount of money to me.

Thanking you I remain

Yours truly,
Albert Okuma
Reg. No. 12760.

W. B. at # 92
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Howe until we hear from Singer re shipping charges?
advise mother that wife will be shipped # 6710
[Signature]
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June 23rd, 1943.

Messrs. Singer Sewing Machine Co.,
742 Granville Street,
Vancouver, B. C.

Dear Sir:

Re: Mrs. Kimi OHAMA
Reg. No. 12765,
Your a/c No. 6130

Enclosed herewith find our cheque No. 3857 for \$31.59, which represents the final installment and full settlement of your claim against the above named.

This amount has been paid by her son Albert who wishes the machine sent to his mother at:- c/o John Bennett, Rainier, Alta. He has asked us to pay the charges from his account. Will you, therefore, please inform us what these charges will amount to and we will let you have a cheque to cover.

Yours truly,

A. McAlister,
Claims Department.

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Encl.