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EVACUATION SECTION

Rec'd SEP 16 1943

File No.

Ans. *Don C*

Entered: *Chp*

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

OFFICE OF THE CUSTODIAN JAPANESE SECTION

FILE NO. *100266*

NAME: *Nobujiro Asano,*

HOME ADDRESS: *1024 West 6th Avenue, Vancouver*

REGISTRATION No. *02398*

SEX: *Male*

AGE: *41 yrs.*

MARRIED? *Yes*

OCCUPATION AND EMPLOYER: *Watchman, B. C. Security Commission.*

NAME OF WIFE OR HUSBAND: *Nobu* ADDRESS: *Sandon, B. C.*

NAMES OF LIVING CHILDREN: *Nobuo* ADDRESS: *Sandon, B. C.*

Fusayo ADDRESS: *Sandon, B. C.*

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 *15th* day of *September* 1943.

WITNESS: *[Signature]*

(Signature) *Nobujiro Asano.*

RETURNED TO JAPAN
GENERAL MEIGS
JUNE 1946

INFORMATION FROM R.C.M.P.

P.D. 24/3/43

DATE August 19, 1943

File No. 14266

11 Name ASANO, Nobujiro (Mr.)
(Surname in Block Letters)

Registration No. 02398 Male - Female
(Check) Age June 29, 1901.

Former Address 1024 W. 6th Avenue, Vancouver, B. C.

1652 W. 2nd Avenue, Vancouver, B.C.

Date Evacuated March, 1942 Naturalized - Canadian-Born - National
(Check)

Present Address Sanden, B. C. P. O. Box 181, Raymond, Alberta.

Married - Single
(Check)

Name of Wife (Nee' OMOTO) Nobu #02387

Name of Husband

Name of Mother (Nee' MATSIJURA) Ume (Japan) Name of Father Sakichi (Japan)

Names of Children under 16

Fusae (F) 14/11/26 - #15343

Nobuo (M) 3/5/27.

Requested by G. M. Registered with Custodian
(Yes or No)

Additional Information Sawall Hand.

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711 Stock Exchange Bldg.,
475 Howe Street,
Vancouver, B.C.
Oct. 16/46

Custodian of Enemy Property,
Royal Bank Building,
Vancouver, B.C.

TREASURY DEPT. CLAIM \$ 50

Dear Sir:

Re: ASANO, Nobujiro ¹⁴²⁶⁶ #02398

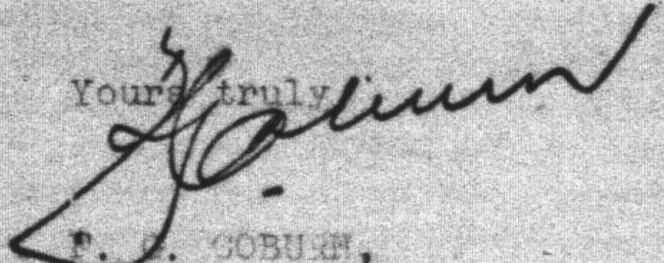
Please note that the above has been repatriated to Japan. At the time of repatriation, the following transactions took place:

Cash turned in - - - - - \$ 150.00

Draft Issued - - - - - \$ 200.00

It will be seen that this Japanese is indebted to the Department on account of repatriation in the amount of \$ 50.00. Therefore should you receive further funds on this account such funds should be turned into this office. It will be applied first to recoup the expenditure made and, second, if there is any surplus such surplus will be remitted to Japan for the account of the Japanese in question.

Yours truly,


F. C. GUBURN,
Supervising Treasury Officer.

FGC/EJ.

SUMMARY of LIABILITIES

File No. 14266

April 3, 1946.

Re: Nobujiro ASANO (Mr.)
Reg. No. 02396

No debts were declared by the above Japanese person but a review of this file revealed the following claims:

B. C. Electric Railway Company \$2.87

Sakubei IZUKAWA \$13.27

The above two claims were paid on March 8, 1946, and March 29, 1946, respectively, from funds standing to Mr. Asano's credit with the Custodian.

No other claims against the above Evacuee are revealed on this file.

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



P. Doust.

PD/ER

PERSONAL PROPERTY SUMMARY

Nobujiro ASANO (Mr.)

Reg. No. 02398

File No. 14266

Life Insurance:

A review of this file reveals that the above Evacuee has a life insurance policy with the Sun Life Assurance Company, No. 646646, the annual premium being \$48.95. At no time has this policy come under the jurisdiction of the Custodian's Office.

In a letter on file dated September 13, 1943, Mr. Asano advised us that he has a life insurance policy with the Prudential Insurance Company of America, No. 111468946, premiums on which he pays direct.

Specified
Articles:

A Marconi Radio, Ser. No. 67-58407, was handed over to the R. C. M. P. on March 9th, 1942, by Nobujiro Asano. This Radio was sold at Vancouver Auction 13 on March 14, 1944 for \$21.81 net and these funds were inadvertently credited to Mrs. Asano's account. On March 8, 1946, these funds were transferred to the husband's account, namely Nobujiro ASANO's, and R. C. M. P. receipt for the above mentioned radio is on file. (Supplementary Summary attached)

NO OTHER PROPERTY OF ANY KIND WHATSOEVER BELONGING TO THE ABOVE JAPANESE PERSON IS REVEALED ON THIS FILE.

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



P. Doflet.

PD/ER
April 4th, 1946.

MEMORANDUM

May 14th, 1943.

To: File 11136

From: Specified Articles Dept.

Re: ASANO, Nobujiro (Mrs. Nobu) - Reg. 02387

<u>ARTICLE</u>	<u>DESCRIPTION</u>	<u>APPRAISED VALUE</u>
<u>RADIO</u>	/Marcon Radio Ser. No. 67-58407	\$ 20.00

Sold at Vancouver Auction 13 on March 14, 1944 for the
net amount of \$21.81.

P. Doust.
P. Doust.
April 4, 1946

No.

F. 112

Royal Canadian Mounted Police

\$

Vancouver B.C. Mar 9 1944

Received from *Nobujiro ASANO, 1652 W. 2nd*
ave, Vancouver B.C.

1. Marconi Radio Serial # 67-58407

..... Dollars,

100

Signature

J. J. Mills Const.
Reg. No. 13648

File No. 14266.

CLAIMS DEPARTMENT

April 19th, 1944.

Nobuhiro ASANO - Reg. No. 02398

CREDITORS:

1. B.C. Electric Railway Co. Ltd. \$2.87
2. Sakubei ICHIKAWA 13.27

paid 8/3/46

paid 2/9/46

creditors advised to deal direct, no further action

No account as at April 19/44

Note: NO CLAIMS ON WIFE's FILE NO. 11136.

NAME ASANO, Hoku (Mrs. Hoku) (Mrs.)

REGISTRATION NO. 02387

FILE NO. 11134

The following chattels were sold by public
auction at 932 Powell, Vancouver, B.C. on March 14, 1944.

Marseni consol radio

\$26.00

Total:

\$26.00

Less Expenses: (Auctioneer's Fee: \$2.60
(Advertising: 0.39
(Moving: 0.20
(Storage: 1.00

\$ 4.19

Net Proceeds Credited:

\$21.81

Members of Custodian Staff Present. Mr. Wills

Extracted from Auctioneering list No. Vancouver 13

Remarks.

*Original sent to husband
on Feb 26/46*

ROYAL CANADIAN MOUNTED POLICE

No. 572

EXHIBIT REPORT

HEADQUARTERS File No.

SUB-DIV'N and File No. Vancouver

DIVISION and File No.

DETACHMENT and File No. U.I.R.

DATE Feb. 15th, 1944

Re: Nobujiro ASANO, 1652 W. 2nd Ave., Vancouver, B.C.
(Name of File)

On Mar. 9th, 1942 1 D.R. 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		Marconi Radio Serial No. 67-52107
			11136

REMARKS: Handed over to the Custodian of Alien Property.

(State briefly disposition)

DATE FEB 17 1944

Leo D. Spence for Custodian
(Signature of Recipient or Witness)

CERTIFIED CORRECT
P.H. Jefferson
P.H. Jefferson, Reg. #10559, Cst.
(Signature of Member)

File 11136

CLAIM

DATE

September 19th, 1942.

CREDITOR

Sakuhei Izukawa, #00874,
P. O. Box 27,
Raymond, Alta.

DEBTOR

Nobukichi Asano
1024 W. 6 Ave.
Vancouver, B. C.

AMOUNT OWING

\$13.27

AGENT

ORIGINAL FILE

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Paid March 29/46

CLAIM

File No. 14266

DATE

May 1, 1942.

CREDITOR

B.C. Electric Rly. Co. Ltd.

DEBTOR

N. Asano

(a/c No. 3105/1770)

AMOUNT OWING

\$2.87

AGENT

nil

ORIGINAL FILE

G. 68

Paid March 1/26

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(Information supplied by Ins. Co.)

LIFE INSURANCE

Name ASANO, Mr. Nobujiro (Policyholder) File No. 14266
Sandou B.C. Reg. No. 02398

Company Sun Life

Agency Vancouver

Policy No. 646646

Premium - \$ 48.95

Payable: ^x Annually, Semi-annually or monthly

Month March Day 1st

REMARKS: This policy is made payable to Vancouver General Hospital

Let's see 26/8/43

11266

August 20, 1943.

Mr. Nobujiro ASANO,
Registration No. 02398,
Sandon, P. C.

Dear Sir:

On June 14th. we sent you three copies of the 'JP' Property Declaration Form requesting you to complete the forms and return two copies to us. We also enclosed a stamped and addressed envelope for your reply but we have so far received no answer from you.

Will you please, immediately on receipt of this letter, complete and return to us either the forms sent to you previously or, if you have no property of any kind remaining in the Protected Area, the enclosed yellow "No Property" Declaration card.

Your prompt attention to this matter will be appreciated.

Yours truly,

D. M. Chope,
Administration Department.

DMC/IMS
Enc.

Sandon, B. C.,
Sept. 13, 1943.

Mr. D. M. Chope,
Administration Dept.,
Office of the Custodian,
506 Royal Bank Building,
Hastings & Granville,
Vancouver, B. C.

EVACUATION SECTION	
Rec'd	SEP 16 1943
File No.	14266
Ans.	mg 34
Referred	Gibson

Dear Sir:

With reference to your letter of August 26th, form letter #118, 14266, I wish to inform you that I have continued premium payments on my insurance, Prudential Insurance, #11468946, Account No. 508, to date. Prior to evacuation, I paid premium in advance and after evacuation, I have continued the weekly payments on a monthly basis for the sake of convenience in remitting.

An enquiry from you to the Prudential Insurance Company of America, 470 Granville Street, 711 Roger Building, Vancouver, B. C., will verify this information.

I have in my keeping, my premium receipt book in which is shown my monthly remittances.

I trust that this information will clarify matters with regard to my insurance.

Yours sincerely,

Nobujiro Asano
Nobujiro Asano, #02398.

NA:EH

14266

October 6th, 1944

B. C. Electric Railway Co. Ltd.,
425 Carrall Street,
Vancouver, B. C.

Dear Sirs:

re: N. ASANO
a/c No. 3105/1770

With reference to your claim of \$2.87 against the above named. We have written to him on several occasions but he does not reply. As he has no funds with the Custodian, we regret we cannot do anything further to assist you.

We suggest that you contact him direct; his address is:-

Nobujiro ASANO,
Reg. No. 02398,
Sandon, B. C.

Yours truly,

A. McAlister,
Claims Department.

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October 6th, 1944

Mr. Sakurai IZUKAWA,
Registration No. C087A,
P.O. Box 181,
Raymond, Alta.

Dear Sir:

re: \$13.27 - Nobukichi ASANO
1024 W. 6 Ave.,
Vancouver, B.C.

With reference to your claim of \$13.27 against the above named,
We have written to him on several occasions but he does not reply. As he has
no funds with the Custodian, we regret we cannot do anything further to assist
you.

We suggest that you contact him direct; his address is:-

Nobujiro ASANO,
Reg. No. 02398,
Sandon, B. C.

Yours truly,


AMcA:ND

A. McAllister,
Claims Department.

February 20, 1946,
Quebec, B. C.

The Custodian's Office,
Department of the Secretary of State of Canada
Ottawa, B. C.

EVACUATION SECTION	
Rec'd	FEB 25 1946
File No.	1586
Ans.	207-7-6
Referred	Ans. 101

Dear Gentlemen:

Upon receiving from the Royal Canadian Mounted Police a letter in reply to my question of what became of my radio, serial number 69-58409, I would like to inquire if the same is still in your custody or had been sold through your office.

If it had been sold, would it be possible to receive the amount of the sale or the net proceeds? If it had not been sold, would you please forward the radio to the above address. It is understood that I would have to pay for shipping charge.

Yours respectfully,
Nobuko Kano.

14266 - 11136

February 26, 1946

Mr. Nobujiro ASANO,
Reg. No. 02398,
Rosebery, B.C.

Dear Sir:

With reference to your letter of February 20th we would advise that the Radio in question was sold on March 14, 1944, the net proceeds being \$21.81 as per auction list attached. We find that the above amount was credited to your wife but if the radio was yours it will be a simple matter to transfer the \$21.81 to your account. Please forward to us the R.C.M.P. receipt given to you when you handed the radio over to the R.C.M.P. in March 1942 as we must have this before any funds can be released.

We would take this opportunity of reminding you that we have written you on two or three occasions respecting the following claims:

B.C. Electric Railway Co.	- \$ 2.87
Sakubei IZUKAWA	- \$13.27

but have received no reply from you. If you admit these claims then please confirm that we may pay same. If not, then please give us your reasons for non-payment. You will appreciate that we cannot release the funds received from the radio until the matter of these two claims is cleared up. If it should be that your wife owned the radio and agrees that these debts may be paid, then we must have a letter from her to this effect.

We await your early reply and enclose a stamped and addressed envelope to facilitate matters.

Yours truly,

P. Douet,
Administration Department

PD/ER
Enc. 1

Vancouver, B. C.,
March 3, 1946.

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

EVACUATION SECTION	
Rec'd	MAR 7 1946
File No.	14266
Ans.	7/17/46
Referred	Count

Dear Gentlemen:

In reference to your letter of February 26th, I shall enclose the official B.C.M.P. receipt for the radio which rightfully belongs to me as you could see by the receipt form.

As for the debt to the B.C. Electric Railway Company, amounting to \$2.87, I have lost the bill and have forgotten the amount but if these are the right figures, I would be grateful if you will clear my debt through your office.

However, I am sure that there is a mistake on your side or upon your sheet Sakutai Gyukawa when you called my attention to the fact that I owe him \$13.27. To assert my claim, I shall enclose the bill, which I had in my possession. If you think I am mistaken, I shall write to him personally upon the matter if I

obtain his present address. If not, I would be grateful if you will
please forward me the net proceeds of:

Net proceeds from the sale of radio — \$21.81

Less expenses or debts to C. C. R. — 2.87

Dr. Robert Lyndson — 9.97

Final net proceeds = \$21.81 - \$2.87 - \$9.97

Yours truly,

Walter C. Chase.

10367-A and 14266

March 8th, 1946.

Mr. Sakurai IZUKAWA,
Reg. No. 00674,
C/o B. Sugamoto,
Raymond, Alberta.

Dear Sir:

Re: Nobujiro ASANO, Registration
No. 02398, Roseberry, B. C.

We have on file a claim of yours for \$13.27 against
the above, formerly of 1024 West 6th Avenue, Vancouver, B.C.

In a letter dated March 3rd Mr. Asano sent us an ac-
count dated January 25th, 1942, the amount being \$14.97, less a
payment of \$5.00, leaving a balance outstanding of \$9.97. He
claims that this is the total amount due to you and is prepared
to take the matter up personally with you if you disagree with
the above amount. It certainly appears from the signed account
that \$9.97 is correct so will you please confirm this by return
that we may forward you a cheque in settlement and thus close
the matter.

To facilitate matters we attach a copy of this letter
which please sign and return in the stamped and addressed envelope.

Yours truly,

P. Doust,
Administration Department

PD/ER
Attach. 1

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March 11th, 1946

B. C. Electric Railway Co. Ltd.,
Carrall & Hastings Streets,
Vancouver, B.C.

Dear Sirs:

Re: Nobujiro ASANO, formerly of
1024 W. 6th Ave., Vancouver, B.C.

Enclosed please find our cheque in the amount of
\$2.87 representing the balance of an account due May 1, 1942,
by the above Evacuee.

Kindly let us have your receipt for the above pay-
ment in due course.

Yours truly,

P. Douet,
Administration Department

PD/ER
Enc. 1

CANADA

DEPARTMENT OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE
OFFICE OF THE CUSTODIAN

JAPANESE EVACUATION SECTION

PHONE PACIFIC 6121

PLEASE REFER TO

FILE NO. 14266 - 10367A

808 ROYAL BANK BLDG.
HASTINGS AND GRANVILLE
VANCOUVER, B.C.

March 18, 1946.

in lat 418.94

Mr. Nobujiro ASANO,
Reg. No. 02398,
Rosebery, B. C.

Dear Sir:

EVACUATION SECTION	
Rec'd	MAR 28 1946
File No.	14266/10367
Ans.	
Referred	<i>Douet</i>

On receipt of your letter of March 3rd we wrote to Mr. Sakuhei IZUKAWA giving him full details of how you arrived at the balance of \$9.97 due to him. He has now written to us under date of March 14th reaffirming that the amount due to him is \$13.27, made up as follows:

To January 25, 1942, amount due as per statement sent to us by you	\$14.97
Paid February 12, 1942	5.00
	\$ 9.97
Goods as per copy of invoice attached	3.30
TOTAL:	\$ 13.27

We trust you now agree to the amount due and shall be glad if you will confirm by signing the attached copy of this letter that we may pay this account without further delay. To facilitate your prompt reply a stamped and addressed envelope is enclosed.

We have paid the \$2.87 owed by you to the B. C. Electric Company and will forward you the balance standing to your credit after payment of the amount due to Mr. Isukawa.

Yours truly,

P. Douet,
Administration Department

PD/ER
Enc. 3

AGREED:

Nobujiro Asano
Nobujiro ASANO, #02398.

CANADA

DEPARTMENT OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE
OFFICE OF THE CUSTODIAN

JAPANESE EVACUATION SECTION

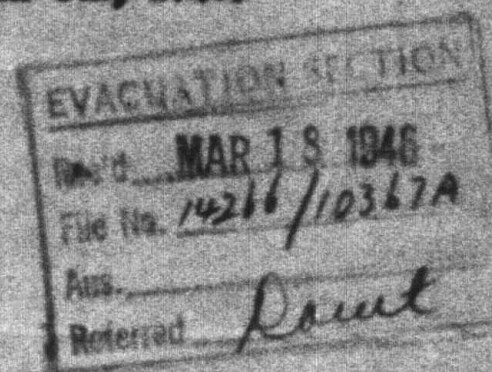
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PLEASE REFER TO

FILE NO. 10367-A and 14266

505 ROYAL BANK BLDG.
HASTINGS AND GRANVILLE
VANCOUVER, B.C.

March 6th, 1946.



Mr. Sakurai IEMURA,
Reg. No. 00874,
C/o N. Sugamoto,
Raymond, Alberta.

Dear Sir:

Re: Nobujiro ASANO, Registration
No. 02396, Roschary, B. C.

We have on file a claim of yours for \$13.27 against
the above, formerly of 1024 West 6th Avenue, Vancouver, B.C.

In a letter dated March 3rd Mr. Asano sent us an ac-
count dated January 25th, 1942, the amount being \$14.97, less a
payment of \$5.00, leaving a balance outstanding of \$9.97. He
claims that this is the total amount due to you and is prepared
to take the matter up personally with you if you disagree with
the above amount. It certainly appears from the signed account
that \$9.97 is correct so will you please confirm this by return
that we may forward you a cheque in settlement and thus close
the matter.

To facilitate matters we attach a copy of this letter
which please sign and return in the stamped and addressed envelope.

Yours truly,

[Signature]
P. Doust,
Administration Department

PD/ER
Attach. 1

10367 - 14266

March 29th, 1946.

Mr. Sakuhei IZUKAWA,
Reg. No. 00874,
P. O. Box 181,
Raymond, Alberta.

Dear Sir:

We duly received your letter of March 14th and on again communicating with Mr. Nobujiro ASANO, he has agreed that the amount you claim owing for groceries is \$13.27 and your account has, therefore, been credited with this amount, which please note.

Yours truly,

P. Douet,
Administration Department.

PD/ER

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REGISTERED MAIL

April 8, 1946.

Mr. Saburo ASANO,
Registration No. 02396,
ROSENBERG, B.C.

Dear Sir:

We duly received a copy of our letter of March 18th, 1946, signed by you, agreeing to the amount owed to Mr. Sakurai IZUKAWA, namely \$13.27, and this amount has now been paid from the amount standing to your credit, namely \$18.94. The above was the only outstanding claim on your file, you having previously agreed to the payment of \$2.87 to the D. C. Electric Railway Company.

As you are aware, the original funds standing to your credit were from the sale of your radio, the amount being \$21.81, and with the settlement of the two claims mentioned above this leaves a credit balance of \$5.76 for which, as requested, our cheque is enclosed.

As no real property was declared by you, the only item we have been concerned with is your radio, which was sold. 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 cheque we are enclosing a stamped and addressed envelope for your convenience in replying.

Yours truly,

P. Doust,
Administration Department

PD/ER
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DOMINION OF CANADA
DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE

Issued at **NEW DENVER, D.C.**
Date **May 21st, 1946**

The Government of Canada acknowledges that **ASANO, Nobuhiro**
has surrendered property situated in Canada as described herein and agrees to remit the yen equivalent of the net proceeds
of such property immediately, or upon liquidation if such action is required, to Japan under arrangements made with,
and approved by, the United States Government and the Military Authorities in Japan; Provided that from the proceeds
of such property there shall be retained such amounts as are required to repay advances made by the Government of Ca-
nada by way of Repatriation Grant.

NOT NEGOTIABLE

Cash \$150.00

R. B. Deane
for Comptroller of the Treasury

Roseburg, B. C.,
April 17, 1946.

Department of the Secretary of State,
Office of the Custodian,
505 Royal Bank Building,
Fasting and Seaville,
Vancouver, B. C.

EVACUATION SECTION	
RECD	APR 23 1946
FILE NO.	14266
Ans.	Dyle
Referred	Law

Dear Sir:

I acknowledge the receipt of the cheque
amounting to five dollars and seventy-six cents (\$5.76).

I also hereby confirm your report that I
have no more real property in your custody and I
thank you for your attention to my neglected pay-
ments.

Yours truly,

Thelma Brown