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INFORMATION FROM R.C.M.P.

Date June 23/43

Our File No. 1472

Full Name KONDO, Suematsu
(Surname in Block Letters)

Registration No. 04859 Male - Female ☒ (check) Age Oct. 15, 1919

Former Address 320 21. 5th Ave., City

Date Evacuated Interned June 20/42 Naturalized - Canadian-Born - National ☒ (check)

Present Address Leaverleigh Farms, Port Credit, Ont

Married - Single ☒ (check) Name of Wife —

Name of Mother (nee KENNI) Take Name of Husband —

Name of Father Hansuke (Aid)

Names of Children under 16 # 11306

Requested by CCP Registered with Custodian — (Yes or No)

Additional Information Millhand - Powell Lbr. Co.,

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ROYAL CANADIAN MOUNTED POLICE

Detachment

Seizure No.

(For use when applicable)

EXHIBIT REPORT

Detachment File No.

Sub-Division File No.

Division File No.

Headquarters File No.

Detachment

Sub-Division **Intelligence Section.**Division **Vancouver, C.I.B.**

Date

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June 22, 1942

RE:—

Sumitaka KUNDO, (Jap. Reg. #04255) - Canadian Born.

On

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June 21st, 1942**W.C. Wallace, Cst. R.C.M.P.**

Come into possession of the following described goods by:—

seizure at time of arrest.

(State briefly authority, etc., whether by Search Warrant, etc.)

No. of Pages	Capacity or size	DESCRIPTION OF CONTENTS (Details to be given in full)
1		Six \$5.00 War Savings Certificates. Nos. A5120220, A5004054, A5000871, A5703086, A5002204, A5002130,

W.C. Wallace
 Reg. No. 12345 (W.C. Wallace) Cst.

DIVISION FILE NO.

622-255-000

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ROYAL CANADIAN MOUNTED POLICE

DIVISION
SUB-DIVISION
DETACHMENT
Vancouver, C.I.B. Intelligence Section.
DATE
June 22, 1942

FILE REFERENCES

RE: Suematsu KOWDO, (Jap. Reg. #04859) Canadian Born,
Vancouver, B.C.

HEADQUARTERS
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SUB-DIVISION

DETACHMENT

P.C.R.

A.R.V. No.

DIARY DATE

SET FOR

1. The writer accompanied by Csts. Robson H.E. and Price H.F. while on patrol in the Japanese community on the afternoon of the 20th instant apprehended the above named Japanese. Subject was supposed to have the Protected Area in April but had failed to do so, Subject stated he would not leave under any circumstances.

2. Subject was placed under arrest and handed over to the Military Guard at the Canadian Immigration Building, receipt for his living body is held on file here.

3. Forms 246 attached.

sgt Cst.
Reg. No. 12343 (W.C. Wallace)

"E" DIVISION.

ALL CORRESPONDENCE
TO BE ADDRESSED:-
THE OFFICER COMMANDING,
R.C.M. POLICE, VANCOUVER, B.C. L. H. 3A

ROYAL CANADIAN MOUNTED POLICE

C.I.B.

IN REPLY PLEASE QUOTE

DIV. FILE No. 42E.269-900

Vancouver, B.C.
June 22, 1942.

H. Q. FILE No. _____

G.W. McPherson, Esq.,
Authorized Deputy of the Secretary
of State and/or Custodian,
Royal Bank Building,
Vancouver, B.C.

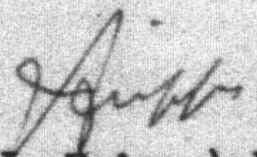
Dear Sir:

Re: Suematsu KONDO (C.B.)
JR #04859

I attach hereto copy of our Cst. Wallace's
report of even date in connection with the above named
subject, together with copy of Form 246 covering War
Savings Certificates taken from this subject at the
time of his arrest.

The War Savings Certificates in question
are attached hereto.

Yours truly,


(J. Fripps) D/Insp.,
for O.C. "E" Division (A.O.D.)

AHOJ/G
Encls.

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Legal Section.

501 Royal Bank Bldg.,
Vancouver, B.C.,
June 25, 1942.

Officer Commanding,
"E" Division,
Royal Canadian Mounted Police,
Vancouver, B.C.

Dear Sir:

Re: KONDO, Suematsu.
Your File No. 42E.269-900

I am in receipt of your letter of
the 22nd instant, together with enclosures as
stated, for which I thank you.

Yours faithfully,

Rigar T. Read.

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

ETR/VJ

C. W. D. A.
DEPT. OF THE CUSTODIAN OF STATE
Office of the custodian

Victoria Building, 7 O'Connor St.
Ottawa, Ont.

File No.....

257-04859

KONDO SNEMATSW

Dear Sirs:

In order to assist this office in the administration of your property, kindly submit a complete statement covering the following with full particulars in each case; should you have nothing to report, insert the word "NIL", sign your name and please return this letter at once.

A BANK ACCOUNTS: 1. Name of Bank..... Nil.....

2. Branch.....

3. Cash Balance.....

B SECURITIES: 1 Description and quantity..... Nil.....

W.O.R. SAVING... CERTIFICATES... 30.00 ✓

C REAL ESTATE: 1. Description..... Nil.....

2. Location.....

3. Municipality.....

D INSURANCE: 1. Name of Company..... PRUDENTIAL INS. CO. ✓

2. Number of policies..... 2

3. Amount of each..... 1000 - 1500

E CLAIMS: 1. Nature..... Nil.....

2. Amount.....

3. Name and address of debtor.....

F DEBTS: 1. Nature..... Nil.....

2. Amount.....

3. Name and address of creditor.....

Witness

Signature

If you have appointed a relative or a friend to look after your interests, kindly furnish his name and address.

NAME..... Forays London

ADDRESS..... 343 - WEST 5TH AVE. VAN B.C.

Yours very truly,

(A.H. Mathieu)
Assistant Deputy Custodian

p.l.p.

Quote: 101-P-257

DEPARTMENT OF NATIONAL DEFENCE
-Army-

REGISTERED

Internment Camp,
ANGLER, Ontario,
7th August 1942.

Authorized Deputy Custodian,
501 Royal Bank Bldg.,
VANCOUVER, B.C.

Rec'd	AUG 11 1942
File No.	1002
Ans.	
Referred	☒

Re: P/W A-257. KONDO. Suematsu.

1. Enclosed herewith are Insurance Policies held by the above P/W Internee for your safe-keeping.

Policy No. M6 633 464	\$800.00
" No.395 129 267	\$320.00

also Premium Receipt Book for Policy M6 633 464

2. Kindly acknowledge receipt.


Captain,
for (W.J.H. Ellwood) Lieut-Colonel,
Commandant,
Angler Internment Camp,
Veterans Guard of Canada.

Encl: Policies etc; as above.

CVD/CAR

COPY TO: C.I.O., Ottawa.

File 6

1002

501 Royal Bank Bldg.,
Vancouver, B.C.,
August 12th, 1942.

Prudential Life Insurance Co.,
510 West Hastings Street,
Vancouver, B.C.

Dear Sirs:

Re: P/W A-257. KONDO, Suematsu

According to information supplied by
the above noted Internee he carries two Insurance
Policies with your Company as follows:

M6633464, \$800.00
395129267, 320.00

If this information coincides with
your records, will you kindly supply this office
with Form D at your earliest convenience.

Yours truly,

K.W. WRIGHT
For, Authorized Deputy of the Secretary
of State and/or Custodian

FC/DG

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501 Royal Bank Bldg.,
Vancouver, B.C.,
August 12th, 1942.

The Commandant,
Interment Camp #101,
Angler, Ontario.

Dear Sir:

Re: P/W A-257. KONDO. Suematsu

I have your letter of August 7th
enclosing Insurance Policies with the Prudential
Life Insurance Company Nos. M6633464 for \$800.00
and 395129267 for \$320.00 which are held by the
above noted Internee.

Yours truly,

K. W. WRIGHT
For, Authorized Deputy of the Secretary
of State and/or Custodian

PC/DG

Quote: 101-P-257

DEPARTMENT OF NATIONAL DEFENCE
-Army-

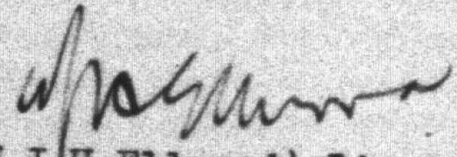
Internment Camp,
ANGLER, Ontario,
23rd August 1942.

Authorized Deputy Custodian,
501 Royal Bank Bldg.,
VANCOUVER, B.C.

Rec'd	AUG 27 1942
File No.	101-P-257
Ans.	
Referred	☒

Re: P/W A-257. KONDO, Suematsu.

The above Internee states that \$30.00 worth of War Savings Certificates were confiscated from his suitcase by Officials at Immigration Bldg., Vancouver, on June 21st 1942, and he wishes to know if they were handed to you for safe-keeping. If not if you would have this matter investigated.


(W.J.H. Ellwood) Lieut-Colonel,
Commandant,
Angler Internment Camp,
Veterans Guard of Canada.

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COPY TO: C.I.O., Ottawa.

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912 Royal Bank Bldg.,
Vancouver, B.C.,
August 28th, 1942.

The Commandant,
Internment Camp #101,
Angler, Ontario.

Dear Sir:

Re: P/W A-257, KONDO, Suematsu

I have your letter of August 23rd in which you enquire about \$30.00 worth of War Savings Certificates which were taken from the above noted Internee's suitcase at the Immigration Building, Vancouver.

I wish to advise that these Certificates have been forwarded to this office and are now held in the safety deposit box on behalf of the Internee.

Yours truly,

Miss P. Carroll
For, Authorized Deputy of the Secretary
of State and/or Custodian

PC/DG

INTERMENT OPERATIONS

Prisoner of War Business Letter

From No. 257.

To The Custodian,

Name KONDO, Seimatsu,

Royal Bank Bldg

Camp 101,

Vancouver, B. C.

Angler, Ontario,

Date December 30, 1942.

Rec'd	JAN 5 1943
File No.	1002
Ans.	
Referred	

Sir:

I shall be much appreciated if you could arrange to get redemption of six (6) \$5.00 War Savings Certificates taken from me at the Vancouver Immigration Building, and now held in custody, at your earliest convenience, then send the proceeds to the credit of my canteen fund account in this camp.

Yours faithfully,

S. Kondo
Seimatsu KONDO, #257.

Distribution	By Camp Commandant	By Comm'r of Internment Operat's
Original	To Auth: Custodian, Vancouver	To
Duplicate	To " "	To
Triplicate	To C.I.O.	Filed
Quadruplicate	Filed Camp 101	Retained by Camp Commandant

Remarks

Remarks

*read + noted
for Camp Commandant
Reid Huggins*

Commandant of Internment Camp 101

Commissioner of Internment Operations

1002

912 Royal Bank Building,
Vancouver, B.C.,
January 6, 1943.

The Commandant,
Internment Camp #101,
Angler, Ontario.

Dear Sir:

Re: P/W A-257, EDWLO, Belmatan

Attached hereto are six(6) \$5.00 War Savings Certificates to be endorsed by the above noted Internee. When this had been done will you kindly return the certificates to this office and we will forward same to Ottawa for redemption value in compliance with the request contained in P/W Business Letter, dated December 30th, 1942.

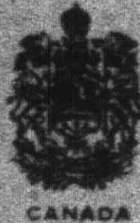
Yours truly,

Miss F. Carroll
For, Authorized Deputy of the Secretary
of State and/or Custodian

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WAR SAVINGS CERTIFICATES
CERTIFICATS D'ÉPARGNE DE GUERRE

BUREAU DU RÉGISTRAR
CERTIFICATS D'ÉPARGNE DE GUERRE
350, AVENUE KING-EDWARD
OTTAWA



Rec'd	FEB 17 1943
File No.	
Ans.	
Referred	MISS Graham

OFFICE OF THE REGISTRAR
WAR SAVINGS CERTIFICATES
350 KING EDWARD AVENUE
OTTAWA

February 12th, 1943.
Please refer to File D.

The Custodian of Enemy Property,
912 Royal Bank Bldg.,
Vancouver, B. C.

Your file No. 1002
Re: P/W A-257, KONDO, Seimatsu

Dear Sir:

We are enclosing herewith our Cheque No.
B 207185 which has been issued in your favour for credit
to the account of the marginally noted in the amount of
\$24.33.

This cheque covers the redemption value of
six \$5.00 War Savings Certificates forwarded in your letter
of the 18th ultimo.

Yours very truly,

for Registrar.

Enclosure: 1

File

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January 18, 193.

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Camp Commandant,
Internment Camp,
Angler, Ont.

Dear Sir:

P/W A-257. KONDO, Seizatsu

I have your letter of January 12th enclosing
six \$5.00 War Savings Certificates duly endorsed
by the above noted internee. These are today
being forwarded to Ottawa for the cash surrender
value.

Yours truly,

Miss F. Carroll.
For, Authorized Deputy of the Secretary
of State and/or Custodian.

FC/MFP

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January 18, 1943.

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Bank of Canada,
Ottawa, Ontario.

Dear Sirs:

Re: P/W A-257, KONDO, Seimatsu

I attach herewith six \$5.00 War Savings Certificates which have been duly endorsed by the above noted internee, and would appreciate it if you would forward a cheque for the cash surrender value, made payable to the Custodian of Enemy Property.

Yours truly,

Miss F. Carroll.
For, Authorized Deputy of the Secretary
of State and/or Custodian.

FC/MFP
Encls.

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912 Royal Bank Building,
Vancouver, B.C.,
February 18, 1943.

The Commandant,
Internment Camp #101,
Angler, Ontario.

Dear Sir:

Re: P/W A-257, KONIO, Seimatsu

In accordance with the request contained in P/S
Business Letter, dated December 30, attached hereto is cheque
for \$24.33 in the Internee's favour, being proceeds from the
sale of his six \$5.00 War Savings Certificates. Will you kindly
place this cheque to his credit in the Canteen.

Yours truly,

K.W. WRIGHT
COUNSEL TO THE CUSTODIAN

KWW/DG
Encl.

1002

911 Royal Bank Building,
Vancouver, B.C.,
February 18, 1943.

Office of the Registrar,
War Savings Certificates,
350 King Edward Avenue,
Ottawa, Ontario.

Dear Sirs:

Re: P/W A-237. KONDO, Seimatsu

We have your letter of February 14th enclosing
your cheque for \$24.33 (No. B207185) being redemption value
of six \$5.00 War Savings Certificates belonging to the above
Internee.

Official receipt is attached hereto.

Yours truly,

K.W. WRIGHT
COUNSEL TO THE CUSTODIAN

KWW/DG
ENCL.

NOTICE OF RELEASE

Rec'd	JUN 9 1943
File No.	1002
Ans.	
Referred	

Internee's No. J. 257 Name KONDO, Sumatsu

Camp Angler Internment Camp

Residence:

At time of internment: 343 - West 5th Ave., Vancouver, B.C.

To which proceeding on release: Port Credit, Ontario,

Date Released from Internment 1st June, 1943.

Authority R.C.M.P. File C 11-19-2-13, dated 18-5-43.

Conditions Released conditionally upon his accepting employment offered by Mr. Graham Pipher, Ontario representative of the British Columbia Security Commission, and comply with whatever regulations the British Columbia Security Commission may issue affecting him.

H. N. Streight

(H. N. Streight),
Colonel,
Director, Prisoners of War.

OTTAWA, 5th June, 1943.

Copy:

R.C.M.P.
Custodian ✓
Dependents' Section
File

POW 20
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912 Royal Bank Bldg.,
Vancouver, B. C.
June 23rd, 1943.

REGISTERED

Mr. Suematsu Kondo,
Leaverleigh Farms,
Port Credit, Ont.

Dear Sir:

We are returning herewith two insurance
policies - Prudential Life #395129267 and #M6633464,
held by the Custodian for safekeeping.

Yours truly,

K. W. Wright
COUNSEL TO THE CUSTODIAN

/MS
Enc. 2

Envelope No. 135--Safety Deposit Box

1002
File No. 927

KONDO, Suematsu

War Savings Certificates

Forwarded to Camp
for endorsement
6-1-43

A5126520 - \$5.00
A3994054 - \$5.00
A2696871 - \$5.00
A5793986 - \$5.00
A6822264 - \$5.00
A7872138 - \$5.00

Rec'd June
22/43 from
W. L. M. P.

{ Insurance Policy - Prudential - 395129267
" " " " 176632464

removed 25-6-43.

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