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INFORMATION FROM R.C.M.P.

Date Apr. 19/43

Our File No. MR

Full Name NAKAGAWA Kataro
(Surname in Block Letters)

Registration No. 03103 Male - Female
(check) Age _____

Former Address _____

Date Evacuated _____ Naturalized - Canadian-Born - National
(check)

Present Address Interned Dec. 13/41

~~Married~~ - Single
(check)

Name of Wife _____

Name of Husband _____

Name of Mother _____ Name of Father _____

Names of Children under 16 _____

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

Additional Information _____

MEMORANDUM RE CLAIMS

File No. 152 (Int)

Kotaro NAKAGAWA

P/W A-512

There are no claims on file against the above noted
Japanese person.

Certified to be in accordance with
information obtained at this date.

J. Foy

January 31st, 1946

PERSONAL PROPERTY SUMMARY

File No. 153 (Int)

Kotaro NAKAGAWA

P/W A-512

The only asset declared to the Custodian by the above named Internee was a Bank Account with the Royal Bank of Canada, East End Branch, Vancouver, B. C., amounting to \$864.13. These funds were forwarded to the Custodian by the Royal Bank and placed in the Internee's Account with the Custodian.

*Transferred to acct in
Royal Bank, London, Ont
Sept 20/46*

Securities: On December 18, 1941, a \$100.00 Victory Bond was forwarded to this office by Mr. K. KITAMURA of the TAISHODA Drug Store, for the account of NAKAGAWA. This Bond was purchased by NAKAGAWA while in the employ of this Company and is presently held in Envelope No. 267, in the Custodian Safety Deposit Box, for safe-keeping.

*- transferred to acct in Royal
Bank, London, Ont 01-9-8-46 - on request.*

Certified to be in accordance with
information obtained at this date.

J. Foy

January 31, 1946

Petawawa Internment Camp
Petawawa, Ontario,

1942.

Statement of Assets & Liabilities furnished by:-

P/W P- 1236.....NAKAGANE, YOTARO.

A BANK ACCOUNTS: 1. Name of Bank *The Royal Bank of Canada*
2. Branch *East End Branch Vancouver B.C.*
3. Cash Balance *About Eight Hundred Dollars 800.00*

B SECURITIES: 1. Description and Quantity *Nil*

2. Where Deposited *Nil*

C REAL ESTATE: 1. Description *Nil*

2. Location *Nil*

3. Municipality *Nil*

D INSURANCE: 1. Name of Company *Nil*

2. Number of Policies *Nil*

3. Amount of Each *Nil*

E CLAIMS: 1. Nature *Nil*

2. Amount *Nil*

3. Name and address of debtor *Nil*

F DEBTS: 1. Nature *Nil*

2. Amount *Nil*

3. Name and address of creditor *Nil*

Witness *K. Nakagawa*
Signature

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

NAME *SEN. KITAMURA*

ADDRESS *301 POWELL ST.
VANCOUVER, B.C.*

Rec'd	JUL 9 1942
File No.	158
Ans.	
Referred	

ROYAL CANADIAN MOUNTED POLICE

DIVISION "E" SUB-DIVISION Vancouver CIB DETACHMENT Intelligence Section
PROVINCE B.C. DATE Dec.15th,1941.

FILE REFERENCES
SECRET

RE:
KOTARO NAKAGAWA (Jap) Vancouver, B.C.

HEADQUARTERS

1. The above named who is at present in custody at the Canadian Immigration Detention Sheds, having been arrested as an alien enemy, was interviewed by the writer on Dec.11th,1941, in an effort to obtain information as to his assets or otherwise which might prove of assistance to the custodian of enemy alien property in the administration of his affairs.

SUB-DIVISION

2. NAKAGAWA is 31 years old, single, and is employed as a clerk in the TAISHODO drug store at 301 Powell St., Vancouver. Subject resides in a room over the store. The store is owned by a cousin of Nakagawa's Ken KITAMURA. Nakagawa receives a salary of \$60. per month. He has no interest in the stock of the store and apart from his personal effects his total assets are in a savings account with the Royal Bank of Canada, East End Branch which amounts to about \$800.

DETACHMENT

P. C. R.

3. This man has no safety deposit box and claims to have no investments of any kind or insurance. This has not as yet been verified but an effort will be made later with the cooperation of the custodian of enemy alien property to do so.

A. R. V. No.

H.A. Marted, A/Cpl.
Reg.No.12041.

DIARY DATE

SET FOR.....

DEPARTMENT OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE
OFFICE OF THE CUSTODIAN

1012 Royal Bank Bldg.,
Vancouver, B. C.,
December 17, 1941.

The Royal Canadian Mounted Police,
"E" Division,
C.I.B.,
Vancouver, B. C.

Dear Sirs:

Re: Kotaro Nakagawa, Your File 413.269-962 (154)

I have your letter of December 15th, with enclosure, and wish to thank you for the information given. In view of the fact that this party is a bachelor, the Custodian will take active control of his bank account, and will control same until his position is determined.

Yours truly,

GWMc/FC.

Authorized Deputy of the
Secretary of State and/or
Custodian.

VIA AIR MAIL

CANADA

RECEIVED
JAN 31 1942

DEPARTMENT OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE

OFFICE OF THE CUSTODIAN

ADDRESS ALL
COMMUNICATIONS
TO THE
CUSTODIAN'S OFFICE

PLEASE REFER
TO

FILE NO.

AHM/M

Victoria Building, 7 O'Connor St.,

Ottawa, January 29th, 1942.

Dear Mr. McPherson,

Re: Kotaro Nakagawa

Before your arrival in Ottawa you sent me from Vancouver a letter dated December 20th, along with a First War Loan Dominion of Canada Bond for \$1,000, and a cheque in favour of the Custodian for \$11.69, with instructions to keep the documents in safekeeping until your return when you would explain the transaction.

You evidently overlooked giving the explanation when in Ottawa and I would now appreciate hearing from you as to the disposal of the Bond and the cheque.

Yours sincerely,

A. H. Mathieu

(A. H. Mathieu)
Assistant Deputy Custodian.

W. G. McPherson, Esq.,
1409 Royal Bank Bldg.,
Vancouver, B.C.

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240 King St.,
London, Ontario
July 22nd, 1946

Office of the Custodian,
Royal Bank Building,
Vancouver, B.C.

EVACUATION SECTION	
Rec'd	JUL 26 1946
File No.	153
Ans'd	
Refer'd	579

Dear Sir:-

My bank account and the Victory Bond have been held in custody by your office shortly after the outbreak of the war, and have been frozen at the end of last year. Now since I've been released from the internment and am residing in London, I presume the freeze should have been lifted. For future convenience I would like to have them near at hand, so would you kindly transfer them to the Royal Bank of Canada in London, Ontario.

Your favourable and immediate action will be much appreciated.

Yours very truly,

K. Nakagawa
(Kotaro Nakagawa)

ENEMY SECTION	
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Dept. of Labour, Jap. Sec. Div.
Approval to send \$10000
Bond & cash bal. obtained
Aug. 17/46. *Woff*

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Enemy Section

509 Royal Bank Bldg.,
Vancouver, B.C.,
19th August, 1946.

The Manager,
Securities Department,
Royal Bank of Canada,
Hastings & Granville Sts.,
Vancouver, B.C.

Dear Sir:

Re: Kotaro NAKAGAWA, #03103

Will you kindly transfer the enclosed \$100.00 1st War
Loan Bond, No. A131352, to the Main Office of the Royal Bank of
Canada, London, Ontario, to be held for the order of Mr. Kotaro
Nakagawa, 240 King St., London, Ontario.

Your account for the above service should be forwarded
to this Office.

Kindly acknowledge receipt of this Bond on the enclosed
copy of this letter.

Yours truly,

W.J. JOHNSTON
ADMINISTRATION DEPARTMENT

WJJ/DG
Encl.

The Royal Bank of Canada
Vancouver, B.C.

[Signature]
Manager.

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The Royal Bank of Canada

LONDON, ONT.

ENEMY SECTION	
October 12th, 1946.	Rec'd
File No.	
App'd.	
Re'd	

The Office of The Custodian,
506 Royal Bank Building,
VANCOUVER, B. C.

Dear Sir:

With reference to your letter of
October 7th, under file #153, Enemy Section,
we have to-day credited Mr. Kotaro Nakagawa
Reg.#03103 with the proceeds of your cheque
for \$679.56.

Yours truly,


H. F. Dinner,
pro Manager.

HFD/E.

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Enemy Section

506 Royal Bank Building,
Vancouver, B.C.,
7th October, 1946.

The Manager,
The Royal Bank of Canada,
Main Office,
London, Ontario.

Dear Sir:

Re: Kotaro NAKAGAWA, Reg. No. 03103

We are in receipt of your communication of 1st instant.

It is quite possible that your customer, Kotaio Nakagawa, is the same person as Kotaro Nakagawa for whose credit we sent cheque for \$679.56. All Japanese persons are registered with the Royal Canadian Mounted Police and we would suggest, therefore, that you ascertain if Kotaio Nakagawa's Reg. No. is 03103, which is the Reg. No. of Kotaro Nakagawa.

Yours truly,

D. Graham,
Office of the Custodian

/DG

The Royal Bank of Canada

Please address
all communications
to the Manager

Refer to file
ATH/E.

London, Ont.

October 1, 1946

ENEMY SECTION	
Rec'd	OCT 7 1946
File No.	
Refer'd	

Office of The Custodian,
506 Royal Bank Building,
VANCOUVER, B. C.

Gentlemen:

With reference to your letter of September 20th. under file #153 Enemy Section re Kotaro Nakagawa. Reg. #03103 we wish to advise that we have a savings account in the name of Kotaio Nakagawa whose address is 240 King Street, London, Ontario.

As there is a slight difference in the spelling of the christian name we are holding you cheque for \$679.56 pending your confirmation that these two parties are one and the same and authorizing us to place the proceeds of the cheque to our customer's account.

Yours truly,



H. F. Dinner,
pro Manager.

OFFICE OF THE CUSTODIAN—Enemy Section

File No. 153

Name: Kotaro NAKAGAWA

Reg. No.: 03103

P/W/ A 512

Home Address

STATEMENT OF ALL REAL PROPERTY

1. Location and Description *nil*

Vested

2. Buildings and Other Improvements *nil*3. Insurance *nil*4. Taxes (amount and where payable) *nil*5. Encumbrances *nil*6. Occupancy and Leases (if vacant so state) *nil*7. State if any other person has any interest *nil*

STATEMENT OF PERSONAL PROPERTY OWNED

1. Give brief description and state location of Furniture, Fixtures, Equipment and Machinery, Stock in Trade and Personal Effects *nil*

2. Name and Address of any person having any claim on such Property

3. Insurance Carried on Personal Property

4. Bonds, Debentures, Shares, Stocks or other Securities *Victory Bonds - \$100.00*
*Held in Safety Deposit Box, Envelope No. 267*5. Bank Accounts and Disposition of same *Royal Bank of Canada - \$864.13**Received 16-9-42 and placed in Trust Acct. #2.*

6. Life Insurance No record of life insurance on file

7. Liabilities other than items 4 and 5

8. Remarks