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Surrey B.C.
OFFICE OF THE CUSTODIAN
JAPANESE SECTION

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: KOBAYASHI Jung
HOME ADDRESS: 836 Royal Ave., New Westminster B.C.
REGISTRATION NUMBER 08239 SEX: Male AGE: ?
OCCUPATION: Shoemaker

(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: Self

MARRIED? Yes

NAME OF WIFE OR HUSBAND: Satako

ADDRESS OF WIFE OR HUSBAND: 836 Royal Ave., New Westminster B.C.

NAMES OF ANY LIVING CHILDREN: Sadako (F) Yoshiko (F) Takako (F)
Toshikeko (M)

ADDRESS OF CHILDREN: 836 Royal Ave., New Westminster B.C.

AGE OF CHILDREN: 11, 9, 7, 2

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

1. LOCATION AND DESCRIPTION: none

2. BUILDINGS AND OTHER IMPROVEMENTS: none

3. INSURANCE (Give particulars; state where policies are) none

4. TAXES (Amount and where payable) none

5. ENCUMBRANCES (Including any unregistered claims or deposit of title deed)
none

6. OCCUPANCY AND LEASES (If vacant so state) none

7. STATE WHEREABOUTS OF TITLE DOCUMENTS: none
8. STATE IF ANY OTHER PERSON HAS ANY INTEREST: none
9. IF FARM LAND STATE CROPS SOWN none

STATEMENT OF REAL PROPERTY OCCUPIED

1. LOCATION AND DESCRIPTION: Rented house from
Name Unknown.
2. LANDLORD'S NAME AND ADDRESS: Name and Address unknown
3. PARTICULARS OF LEASE AND RENT AND DATE TO WHICH PAID:
Monthly rental of \$10.00. Paid up to date.
4. STATE WHEREABOUTS OF LEASE: none
5. SUB-TENANTS, IF ANY (Give name, address, rent and to what date paid)
none
6. IF FARM LAND, PARTICULARS OF CROPS SOWN: none

STATEMENT OF PERSONAL PROPERTY OWNED:

1. GIVE BRIEF DESCRIPTION AND STATE LOCATION OF FURNITURE, FIXTURES, EQUIPMENT AND MACHINERY, STOCK IN TRADE AND PERSONAL EFFECTS:
none
2. HORSES, LIVESTOCK AND OTHER ANIMALS, POULTRY AND PETS
none
3. GIVE THE NAME AND ADDRESS OF ANY PERSON HAVING ANY INTEREST IN, OR CLAIM ON ANY SUCH PROPERTY none

4. INSURANCE CARRIED ON ABOVE PROPERTY: none
5. MORTGAGES, LIENS AND OTHER CLAIMS ON PROPERTY IN POSSESSION OF
OTHERS: none
6. MONEYS OWING TO YOU (State if any of these debts assigned and if so, to whom)
\$300.00 owing from Customers. names and addresses unknown.
7. BONDS, DEBENTURES, SHARES, STOCKS OR OTHER SECURITIES (State whereabouts)
\$10.00 War Savings Stamps. In childrens names.
8. BANK ACCOUNTS: none
9. LIFE INSURANCE: none
10. INTEREST IN ANY ESTATES OR TRUSTS: none
11. SAFETY DEPOSIT BOX: none

LIABILITIES:

1. PERSONAL DEBTS: none
2. TRADE DEBTS: none

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 29th day of April 1942.

(Signature)

J. Kobayashi

T. B. V. Lhain
Witness

FOR DEPARTMENTAL USE

P.D. 12/7/43
 INFORMATION FROM R.C.M.P.

Date Aug 27/43

Our File No. 6913 JUN

Full Name Kobayashi, Ino
 (Surname in Block Letters)

Registration No. 08239

Male - Female
 (check)

Age Sept 25, 1903

Former Address 515 - 8th St. New Westminster

Date Evacuated 24/2/42 Naturalized - Canadian-Born - National
 (check)

Present Address London, B.C. New Denver B.C.
 (Rb M P May 7/47)

Married - Single
 (check)

Name of Wife (SHISAKA) Satchi 2238

Name of Husband

Name of Mother (TAKAHASHI) Name of Father Shirohichi (De'd)

Names of Children under 16 Toku #08155

TAKAKO Helen March 8/35 SADAKO Betty June 29/31

YOSHIKO Jane June 11/33 TISHIHEKO Thomas Feb 29/40

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

Additional Information Shoemaker

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June 26, 1942

The British Columbia Security Commission,
Marine Building,
Vancouver, B. C.

Dear Sirs:

Re: Jun Kobayashi

This will confirm our telephone conversation of yesterday afternoon regarding a Mr. Jun Kobayashi, registration No. 08239, a shoemaker who until recently carried on business at 836 Royal Avenue, New Westminster.

We understood you to say that you desire to set Mr. Kobayashi up as a shoemaker in connection with one of your self supporting schemes. Furthermore we understood you to say that you had difficulty in getting hold of the shoemaking equipment previously operated by Mr. Kobayashi.

We have examined our files covering this case and find that Mr. Kobayashi registered with us on April 29th and at that time he did not declare ownership of any equipment or of any personal property or of any liabilities. In view of this we do not see that there is any way in which we can assist you in your desire to have Mr. Kobayashi supplied with adequate tools to carry on his trade.

The only assets admitted to us by Mr. Kobayashi consisted of a sum of \$10. invested in War Saving stamps and some \$300. accounts receivable from customers whose names and addresses were unknown to Mr. Kobayashi and which are unknown to us.

Yours truly,

R. P. Alexander,
Assistant Manager.

RPA/PMH

OFFICE OF THE CUSTODIAN
JAPANESE EVACUATION

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Sandon, B. C.
September 16, 1942.

Office of the Custodian,
Department of the Secretary of State,
Japanese Evacuation Section,
506 Royal Bank Building,
Hastings and Granville,
Vancouver, B. C.

Attention: Mr. H. F. Green

Dear Sir:

I wish to acknowledge your letter of Sept. 8th,
with regard to my personal property now stored at the
Buddhist Temple, 120 10th St., New Westminster.

I have, in one of the boxes, approximately two
hundred gramophone records. Would you please locate
the same and hand these over to Rev. Kenryu Tsuji of
the Hampa Buddhist Temple, 604 East Cordova Street,
Vancouver.

You will find enclosed the signed copy.

Thanking you for your trouble, I remain.

Yours truly,

Jun Kobayashi
Jun Kobayashi

K:S
Encl.

*up to him to come & get
them*

September 8th, 1942

File: 6913

Name: Jun KOBAYASHI

Reg. No.: 08239

GOODS MOVED FROM 836 ROYAL AVENUE
TO 120 10TH ST., BUDDHIST TEMPLE.

3	Dressers	#1/3
3	Mattresses	#4/6
1	Chest Drawers	#7
8	Chairs	#8/15
2	Stools	#16/17
1	Arm Chair	#18
1	Chair	#19
3	Bed Springs	#20/22
6	Bed Ends	#23/28
1	Bookcase	#29
1	Gramophone	#30
1	Carpet	#31
1	Tool Box & Contents	#32
1	Box H. H. Goods	#33
1	Carton H. H. Goods	#34
1	Table	#35
3	Bdl. Bed Rails	#36/38
1	Crock	#39
2	Wash Tubs	#40/41
1	Small Table	#42
1	Stove Board	#43
1	Baby Buggy	#44
1	Clock	#45
2	Leather Chairs	#46/47
1	Box	#48
1	Box Stove Lids	#49
1	Bdl. Brooms	#50
1	Spring Cot	#51
1	Range	#52
2	Heaters	#53/54
1	Kitchen Table	#55
1	Stove Back	#56
1	Stove Pipe	#57
1	Carton	#58

DISHES - Sold 27/7/44

1	Carton	#1
2	Boxes	#2/3

This represents all my chattels in the protected area of
British Columbia.

Date... Sept. 16/42 ... Signed... J. Kobayashi ...

Please sign and return one copy to this office.

COPY for File No. 6913.

EXTRACT

From letter, dated March 17th, 1943, of Supervisor at Sandon,
On File No. 6335.

"The two bills of the Royal Columbian Hospital are for the account of Jun Kobayashi, Reg. #08239, who resided at 806 Ewen Avenue, New Westminster, and who is the shoemaker in this camp. He cannot, at the present time, make any payment in cash due to the circumstances connected with the conduct of his business here. His position has been one which has necessitated his applying for relief for the past two or three months.

He is agreeable, however, to settlement of these accounts out of the proceeds of such assets as are at present in the Custodian's hands. These, we believe, consist mainly of household furniture."

[Handwritten signature]
26-3-43

MEMORANDUM

April 1, 1943

From the Desk of: D. Mactavish, Supervisor.

To: Mr. M. L. Brown Secretary.

Re: June KOBAYASHI, Serial #00222

EVACUATION SECTION	
Rec'd	APR 6 1943
File No.	
Ans.	<i>R.P.D.</i>
Referred	

The above-named has received a letter from Mr. McAllister of the Claims Department, Office of the Custodian, dated March 26 informing him that the undernoted claims have been preferred against him:

Storey & Campbell Limited	\$ 37.98
M. Nishiguchi & Co., Ltd.	\$ 8.30
Royal Columbian Hospital	\$ 20.49
" " "	\$ 65.00

In his letter Mr. McAllister asks for confirmation that the claims are correct, and requests Kobayashi to send him a check in settlement.

Mr. Kobayashi has asked us to explain that the amount of Storey and Campbell Limited was taken over by the B. C. Leather Company Limited, and is included in the amount guaranteed by the Commission. This would appear to be the case from a copy of a letter on our file dated July 8, 1942 from the B. C. Leather Company Limited addressed to Mr. Lyster in which they state that the amount of \$167.10 covers the accounts of Storey and Campbell and Denby's.

We presume, therefore, that this is the account referred to by the Custodian. Unfortunately, the sum of \$37.98 is not specifically mentioned in the letter, but we presume that this is the account referred to. Would you be good enough to check this with Messrs. B. C. Leather Company Limited, and advise the Custodian according to your findings.

With regard to the accounts of Nishiguchi and Company Limited, and the Royal Columbian Hospital, Mr. Kobayashi states that these are in order, but that he has no immediate funds out of which to make payment.

This is in accordance with the letter we wrote you on March 17, a copy of which was forwarded for Mr. McAllister's use. You will recollect that Kobayashi was agreeable to the settlement of these accounts out of the proceeds of his furniture which is at present in the Custodian's hands, and which he expects to be sold in order to liquidate these debts.

An extra copy of this letter is enclosed for use of the Custodian's office.

B. C. SECURITY COMMISSION, SANDON, B.C.

DM/TS

c.c. Custodian's Office.

[Signature]
D. Mactavish, Supervisor

See APR 15, 1943

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Rec'd	APR 6 1943
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Ans.	<i>BRD</i>
Referred	<i>McAllister</i>

5th April, 1943.

Mr. D. MacTavish, Supervisor, B. C. Security Comm'n., Sandoz.

Re: J. Kobayashi. No. 08239

This will acknowledge receipt of your memorandum of the 1st instant, with reference to claims filed with the Custodian in respect to the above.

We have checked with the B. C. Leather Company and they advise that the Storey & Campbell account in the amount of \$37.98 is definitely the item which was taken over by the B. C. Leather Company account. It is now included in the account which they designate as "machinery account". We also advised the B. C. Leather Company with regard to rental arrangements which are being effected in connection with Mr. Kobayashi's equipment.

D. W. Simmons
D. W. Simmons,
Chief Accountant.

DWS:MF

c.c. Mr. A. McAllister,
Claims Dept., Custodian's Office. ✓

SEE APRIL 1, 1943.

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April 7th, 1943.

Messrs. M. Nishiguchi Co. Ltd.,
Bridge River Townsite,
Shalalth P.O., B.C.

Dear Sirs:

re: Jun Kobayashi - \$8.30

We submitted the above claim to KOBAYASHI for payment and he admits that it is correct but has no immediate funds out of which to make payment. As we have no funds of his on hand, we suggest that perhaps you would like to contact him, and accordingly we give you his present address which is Sardon, B.C.

We will take no further action regarding this claim, but would ask that you advise this office should you effect a settlement with him.

Yours truly,

A. McAlister,
Claims Department.

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File No. 6333
No. 6913

April 8th, 1943

MEMORANDUM

To: Mr. Green
From: Claims Dept.

Re: Jim KOBAYASHI - Reg. No. 08232

Please note letter of the Supervisor of the B.C. Security Commission at Sandon, B.C. dated March 17th, on File No. 6333, and extract on File No. 6913, with particular reference to the following paragraph:

"We is agreeable, however, to settlement of these accounts out of the proceeds of such assets as are at present in the Custodian's hands. These, we believe, consist mainly of household furniture."

Please advise Claims Dept. of the results of your investigation.

END:DE

April 12th, 1943

To: Claims Department
From: Mr. Green

This man's effects are duly stored at the Custodian's storage in New Westminster. We do not think, however, that we can consider making at the present time any sale of these assets as the storage is very full and it would be difficult and expensive to remove them. We would, therefore, much prefer to wait until such time

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April 14th, 1943.

M. L. Brown, Esq.,
B.C. Security Commission,
Marine Building,
Vancouver, B.C.

Dear Sir:

re: Jun KOBAYASHI. Reg. No. 08239

We wish to acknowledge receipt of copies of
letters as follows:

Supervisor at Sandon, dated April 1st, 1943; and
Your Chief Accountant D.W. Simmons, dated April 5th, 1943

re the above, for which we thank you.

We note the reference to sale of household
furniture of this Japanese, and may say that his effects
are in storage at New Westminster where the warehouse
is very full and it would be difficult and expensive to
remove them. Unless there is particular urgency, there-
fore, no action toward disposal will be taken at the
present time.

Yours truly,

BRD:DE

A. McAlister,
Claims Department.

NAME KIMAYASHI, Jun

REGISTRATION NO. 08239

FILE NO. 6913

The following chattels were sold by public
auction at Surrey, B. C. on September 27, 1944.

2 Shelves dishes

\$ 4.00

Total

(Auctioneer's Fee: \$ 0.40

\$ 4.00

Less Expenses:

(Advertising: 0.07

\$ 1.32

(Movings: 0.85

Net Proceeds Credited:

\$ 2.68

Members of Custodian Staff Present.

Mr. E. H. Anderson

Extracted from Auctioneering List No.

Surrey 6.

Remarks.

NAME KOBATASHI, Jun

REGISTRATION NO. 06299

FILE NO. 6913

The following chattels were sold by public
 auction at New Westminster, B.C. on November 17, 1943.

Sanitary Couch	\$ 6.50
Cont. Post Bed & Springs	11.00
Iron Bed & Springs	2.00
Heater	12.00
Franklin Heater	1.50
2 Easy Chairs	10.00
White Bed & Springs	6.00
Chest Drawers	2.00
Dresser	6.50
Phonograph	5.00
Table & Basket	0.50
Dashboard	3.50
Side Board	1.00
Ce. cart	1.50
Bag tools	2.75
2 Tables	2.00
Clock	3.25
Carpet	10.00
Dresser & Chest of Drawers	18.00
2 Stools	1.25
7 Chairs	9.25
2 Chairs	0.50
2 Galv. Tubs	1.50
Bed. & Contents	1.50
Dashboard	0.25
Range	8.00

Total:	(Auctioneer's Fee: \$12.33	\$ 123.25
	(Advertising: 9.52	
Less Expenses:	(Moving: 6.89	\$ 34.21
	(Rent of Auction Hall: 5.47	
Net Proceeds Credited:		\$ 89.04

Members of Custodian Staff Present. Mr. Iverson

Extracted from Auctioneering list No. New Westminster 2.

Remarks.

NAME KOBAYASHI, Jun

REGISTRATION NO. 08239

FILE NO. 6913

The following chattels were sold by public
auction at New Westminster on November 26, 1943.

Box Sundries

\$ 1.00

Total:		<u>\$1.00</u>
Less Expenses:	(Auctioneer's fee: \$.10	
	(Advertising: .04	<u>\$.23</u>
	(Moving: .05	
	(Rent of hall: .04	
Net Proceeds Credited:		<u>\$.77</u>

Members of Custodian Staff Present. Mr. Iverson

Extracted from Auctioneering list No. New Westminster 3.

Remarks.

File No. 6913

January 13, 1944.

MEMORANDUM

To: The File

From: Protection Department

Re: J. KOBAYASHI

STORED IN BUDDHIST TEMPLE, NEW WESTMINSTER

1 Box Dishes

WJI
WJI/ms

January 26, 1944.

MEMORANDUM

To: The File

From: Protection Department

Re: J. KOBAYASHI

Stored in Buddhist Temple

Following Mattresses cannot be sold unless Fumigated or
Sterilized as per Certificate noted below:

Mattress #4
" 6
" (small)

"Custodian of Enemy Property,
Vancouver, B. C.

Dear Sir:

Attention: Mr. Iverson

According to the Health Act, R.S.B.C. 1936, Section 94 and in connection with communicable diseases such as smallpox, scarlet fever, diphtheria, typhus or typhoid fever, cholera, measles, whooping cough, mumps or any other contagious or infectious disease, clothing or bedding, mattresses, etc. must either be disinfected or sterilized before offered for sale or else destroyed.

In our opinion, we do not think the returns on this sort of chattels would justify the cost of processing.

(signed) TRAPP MOTORS LIMITED,
Auctioneers & Appraisers,
"T. D. Trapp"

Certificate of Disposal

"This is to certify that the City of New Westminster Incinerator has this day received a quantity of mattresses to be destroyed in compliance with the Health Bylaws respecting the sale of used clothing and mattresses, etc.

(signed) "E. L. Slevin"

(Originals of above on File No. G/182)

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Sandon, B.C.

January 24, 1944.

Office of the Custodian
506 Royal Bank Building
Hastings & Granville
VANCOUVER, B.C.

Gentlemen:

I acknowledge receipt of your letter of
17th inst., with reference to release of one Gramophone
and Records and in which you state that my Gramophone has
been sold and proceeds credited to my account.

I do not wish to have the Japanese Shrine
and the Japanese Dolls shipped here, but would you kindly
forward the Records as soon as possible.

Thanking you, I remain,

Yours very truly,

Jun Kobayashi
Jun KOBAYASHI, Reg. #08239.

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March 3, 1944.

Mr. Jun KOBAYASHI,
Registration No. 08239,
Sandon, B. C.

Dear Sir:

Your Gramophone Records were forwarded by
Canadian Pacific Express last month and we trust
you have now received them.

Yours truly,

W. J. Iverson,
Protection Department.

WJI/EG

cc to Mr. W. C. Fisher,
Transportation Officer,
B. C. Security Commission,
360 Homer Street,
Vancouver, B. C.

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BRITISH COLUMBIA SECURITY COMMISSION.

CUSTODIAN RELEASE FORM

Address

SANDON

Date November 18, 1945



The Secretary of State, acting in his
capacity as Custodian, Vancouver, B.C.

Jun KOBAYASHI

Police Registration No. 08239

hereby request you to release to me the under-noted property
stored at 120 Tenth St., Buddhist Temple, New Westminster, B. C.
in possession of The Custodian
and I release you from any claim whatsoever with respect to
such property.

Description of Property:

1 only Gramophone /50 and records in 1 Carton Box.

(Your File No. 8915)

Original Address 856 Royal Avenue, New Westminster, B. C.

Date Evacuated to Vancouver June 15, 1942

Date Evacuated to Present Address June 17, 1942

Number in Family - 12 years and over 1

Number in Family - 5 to 11 years old 3

Number in Family - under 5 1

TOTAL NUMBER IN FAMILY 5

I agree to pay all charges as required by the British Columbia
Security Commission.

APPROVED:

BRITISH COLUMBIA SECURITY COMMISSION

Per: B. H. Adams

J. Kobayashi
Claimant Signs Here

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April 10, 1944.

To: The File

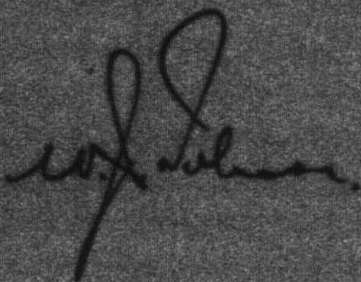
From: Mr. Iverson

Re: KOBAYASHI, Jun

All chattels of this Japanese have been removed from storage and sold at Public Auction with exception of any personal effects listed as being stored in the Buddhist Temple, New Westminster, or destroyed.

This completes the file so far as disclosed chattels are concerned.

WJI/pls



GOODS LEFT AT BUDDHIST TEMPLE NEW WESTMINSTER

Disposed to
S. A.

Personal
effects

KOBAYASHI, Jun 6913 #45

Rags &
Remnants

Shrine

May 31st, 1949.

Mr. Jun KOBAYASHI,
Reg. No. 08239,
New Denver, B. C.

Dear Sir:

We are in receipt of your letter of April 5th, and in reply wish to advise that on May 31st, 1949, we shipped to you prepaid, via Canadian Pacific Express, one parcel containing goods which was in our storage.

When said parcel is received by you, please acknowledge receipt of same for our records.

In the event that one or more items of any value do not belong to you, please communicate with this office by mail as the Custodian is closing out his storage warehouse in New Westminster. It may be that you will find some means of identification on examination of the contents and in that case we should be advised in your letter. You might also advise us at the same time whether unidentifiable items are of little or no value and would not justify further shipping charges.

Yours truly,

W. J. Johnston,
Office of the Custodian.

WJJ/js

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Referred	<i>[Signature]</i>

New Denver B.C. ,

June 6 , 1949 .

Office of the Custodian ,
506 Royal Bank Building ,
Hastings & Granville ,
Vancouver B.C.

Dear Sirs ;

I am acknowledging your letter of May 31, and we have also received the mentioned parcel . Upon close examination of the contents of the parcel , I have identified them as belonging to myself .

Thank you for forwarding to us the above parcel mentioned .

This above refers to File No. 6913 .

Yours truly ,

J. Kobayashi

Reg. No. 08239