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**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: OHASHI (Sumi) Mrs. Tomekichi
HOME ADDRESS: 129 Tenth St., New Westminster, B. C.
REGISTRATION NUMBER 08199 SEX: female AGE: 50
OCCUPATION: housewife

(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: husband

MARRIED? yes

NAME OF WIFE OR HUSBAND: Tomekichi 3344-08197

ADDRESS OF WIFE OR HUSBAND: same

NAMES OF ANY LIVING CHILDREN: Suyeko (F) Takeo (M) Ryuzo (M)
Yoneo (M)

ADDRESS OF CHILDREN: same address

AGE OF CHILDREN: 14, 11, 10, 8 yrs.

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

STATEMENT OF REAL PROPERTY OCCUPIED

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

1. LOCATION AND DESCRIPTION: 129 Tenth St., New Westminster, B. C.
6 roomed wooden frame bungalow.

2. LANDLORD'S NAME AND ADDRESS: Husband--same address

3. PARTICULARS OF LEASE AND RENT AND DATE TO WHICH PAID: none

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)

none

7. BONDS, DEBENTURES, SHARES, STOCKS OR OTHER SECURITIES (State whereabouts)

none

8. BANK ACCOUNTS:

none

9. LIFE INSURANCE: Prudential Life Insurance Co., Vancouver Branch.

Amount unknown. (group insurance). Policy at home.

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 6th day of May

1942.

(Signature)

S. OHA OHL

Witness

FOR DEPARTMENTAL USE

INFORMATION FROM R.C.M.P.

Date May 26/43.

Our File No. 2867

Full Name OHASHI (Sumi) Mrs. Tamekichi
(Surname in Block Letters)

Registration No. 08199

Male - Female
(check) ☒

Age Nov. 7, 1891

Former Address 129 - 10 St., New West B.C.

Date Evacuated May 13/42 Naturalized - Canadian-Born - National
(check) ☒

Present Address Kaslo, B.C.

Married - Single
(check) ☒

Name of Wife Tamekichi #08197

Name of Husband TERAMURA, Chosaburo (Deid)

Name of Mother (HIKIDA) Yone (Japan)

Name of Father

Names of Children under 16

Registered with Custodian Yes
(Yes or No)

Requested by C. G. Quinn

Additional Information Housewife. Comes up to lot & house as above.

File No. 7867

August 28th 1946.

GENERAL SUMMARY

Re: Sumi OHASHI (Mrs. Tomekichi)
Registration No. 08199

Chattels: The above-mentioned did not declare any chattels with the Custodian but on March 17th 1944 she completed Custodian Release Forms requesting shipment to her of a few articles. Sumi OHASHI's husband, Tomekichi OHASHI, declared household effects, therefore, chattels are dealt with on his File No. 3344.

Life Insurance: Above declared in 'JP' Form dated May 6th 1942: "Prudential Life Insurance Co., Vancouver Branch. amount unknown. (group insurance). Policy at home." No further information appears on file regarding this policy. Tomekichi OHASHI has been requested information regarding his family's life insurance but satisfactory particulars have never been received. No further action taken by the Custodian.

Claims: In letter dated April 8th 1946 Sumi OHASHI declared owing Dr. Eiju MIYAKE the sum of \$67.00, however, the Custodian holds no credit to her account. Tomekichi OHASHI in letter dated August 11th 1946, stated when he received his credit balance from the Custodian he would pay his wife's dental bill.

NO PROPERTY INTEREST, OTHER THAN THE ABOVE-MENTIONED ARE FOUND ON THIS FILE.

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

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Administration Department

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May 21st, 1946.

Mrs. Tomokichi (Sumi) OHASHI,
Reg. No. 08199,
P. O. Box 90,
Slocan, B. C.

Dear Madam:

Further to your request for payment of Dr. MIYAKE'S dental account amounting to \$67.00, we are now advised by the Department of Labour that you have elected to live on maintenance supplied by this Division while awaiting repatriation to Japan.

In view of this the Department of Labour will not agree to release your funds for this purpose as they should be conserved for the purpose of repatriation.

Yours truly,

W. J. Iverson,
Protection Dept.

WJI:DP



CANADA

DEPARTMENT OF LABOUR

JAPANESE DIVISION

360 Homer Street

VANCOUVER B.C.

EVACUATION SECTION

Rec'd MAY 17 1946

File No. 33449 7867

Ans. 17/5/46

Referred *Quinn*

16th May 1946.

Attention: Mr. W. J. Iverson.

Department of the Secretary of State,
Office of the Custodian,
506 Royal Bank Bldg.,
VANCOUVER, B. C.

Dear Sir,

Re: Sumi (Mrs. Tomekichi) OHASHI, #08199
Tomekichi OHASHI, Reg.No. 08197
Your File Nos. 3344, 7867

We have for acknowledgment your letter of the 6th instant and wish to advise that the above-named couple have elected to live on maintenance supplied by this Division while awaiting repatriation to Japan rather than on funds in your hands. In view of this, no Custodian funds can be released to them at this time and we shall feel obliged if you will hold their funds intact until further advised by this Department.

Yours truly,

M. L. Brown

M. L. Brown,
Office Manager.
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May 6th, 1946.

Department of Labour,
Japanese Division,
360 Homer Street,
Vancouver, B. C.

Dear Sirs:

Re: Sumi (Mrs. Tomekichi) OHASHI, Reg. 08199
Tomekichi OHASHI, Reg. 08197

A short time ago Mrs. Sumi OHASHI requested this office to pay Dr. E. MIYAKE of Slocan the sum of \$67.00 for dental services. We also received a similar request from Dr. MIYAKE and in both cases we advised these parties that Mrs. OHASHI has no credit balance with the Custodian.

We are now in receipt of a request from Tomekichi OHASHI, the husband and we note that he has a balance of \$292.64 on the Custodian books but that your Department requested us to hold these funds as OHASHI had signed for voluntary repatriation.

Will you kindly advise whether Dr. MIYAKE is to be considered?

Yours truly,

W. J. Iverson,
Protection Dept.

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April 24th, 1946.

Mrs. Tomekichi (Sumi) OHASHI,
Registration No. 08199,
P. O. Box 90,
Sloean, B. C.

Dear Madam:

In regard to your request that the Custodian pay Dr. E. MIYAKE the sum of \$67.00 for dental services, we are unable to do so as you have no credit in this office.

You may remember that all your family affairs coming under the control of the Custodian are dealt with under your husband's name.

Yours truly,

W. J. Iverson,
Protection Dept.

WJI:DP

P. O. Box 90,

Slocan, B.C.,

April 8, 1946.

The Custodian's Office,
Vancouver, B.C.

EVACUATION SECTION

Rec'd APR 12 1946

File No. 7867

Ans.

Referred

Dear Sir:

During Christmas season, I had my false teeth put in, which amounted to sixty-seven dollars (\$67.00). I regret to say that we are still in debt as we are in a difficult condition. Besides the commission has been unable to offer my husband a suitable job which we depended upon. I, therefore, wish you to kindly consider this matter and please send the sum of money to Mr. Miyake in Slocan City.

Thank you,

Yours very truly,

(MRS.) SUMI OHASHI

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August 14th, 1944

Mrs. Tomokichi OHASHI,
Registration No. 08199,
P.O. Box 454,
Kaslo, B.C.

Dear Madam:

We note an enquiry some time ago for shipment of a silver challenge cup.

This has now been located and will be forwarded to you by express.

Yours truly,

WJI/MHG

W. J. Iverson,
Protection Department.

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Mrs. Sumi OHASHI,
Registration No. 08199,
P.O. Box 454,
Kaslo, B.C.

June 13, 1944.

Dear Madam:

We attach hereto copy of letter sent to Mrs. K. Shintani at New Denver and you will note that it refers to electric record player claimed by you and Mrs. Shintani as being left at 129, 10th. St., New Westminster.

We regret that there is nothing further we can do but if we hear anything further in the matter we will gladly write you.

Very truly yours,

W.J. Iverson
Protection Department.

WJI/GM

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Mrs. Kohatsu SHINTANI,
Registration No. 08419,
New Denver, B.C.

June 12, 1944.

Dear Madam:

Answering your letter of May 1, 1944 we may say that further inquiries were made of Mrs. Alexander the tenant at 102 10th. Street.

Mrs. Alexander definitely states that there are no other effects belonging to you remaining at this address and as we have stated before, all your possessions were removed and sold at auction, there were no record players with these goods.

Under the circumstances there is nothing further we can do in the matter.

Yours very truly,

W.J. Iverson
Protection Department.

WJI/GM

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Mrs. Sami Ohashi,
Registration No. 08199,
P.O. Box 454,
Kaslo, B.C.

June 6, 1944.

Dear Madam:

We have been requested by the B.C. Security Commission to furnish a statement of any personal effects belonging to you that have been sold at auction.

In this connection please be advised that no chattels were declared by you, your husband however, did declare household effects and we shall be glad to send a statement of goods sold on request from him.

Very truly yours,

W.J. Iverson
Protection Department.

WJI/DM
c.c.B.C.S.C. ✓

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April 14, 1944.

Mrs. Sumi OHASHI,
Registration No. 08199,
P. O. Box 454,
Kaslo, B. C.

Dear Madam:

With reference to your request of March 27, 1944 for shipment of 2 Record Players and Records. You state that these were left at 129 - 10th Street, New Westminster.

We may say that all your effects found at this address were sold at Public Auction and the proceeds credited to you. However, the articles in question were not amongst these and on enquiry of Mr. Alexander, he states that he knows nothing of them. Therefore we can only assume that they were taken away with you at the time of evacuation.

Yours truly,

W. J. Iverson
Protection Department.

WJI/pls

EVACUATION SECTION
Rec'd MAR 22 1944
File No. 7267
Ans. [Signature]
Referred [Signature]

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BRITISH COLUMBIA SECURITY COMMISSION.

CUSTODIAN RELEASE FORM

Address Kamlo, B. C.

Date March 17/44

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

I, Sumi OHASHI, Police Registration No. 08199
hereby request you to release to me the under-noted property
stored at 129-10th St., New Westminster, B. C
in possession of Mr. Alexander, registered with custodian.
and I release you from any claim whatsoever with respect to
such property.

Description of Property:

1 record player - crated (labelled, Mr. Shintani)
1 record player - not crated, found in bottom drawer of bureau.
Records- only, ones that are wrapped in paper.

Original Address 129-10th St., New Westminster, B. C.

Date Evacuated to Vancouver _____

Date Evacuated to Present Address May 13/42.

Number in Family - 12 years and over 6

Number in Family - 5 to 11 years old 1

Number in Family - under 5 _____

TOTAL NUMBER IN FAMILY 7

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

APPROVED:
BRITISH COLUMBIA SECURITY COMMISSION

Per: [Signature]

S. OHASHI
Claimant Signs Here

Vancouver, B.C. March 21st, 1944.

Custodian of Alien Property,
506 Royal Bank Bldg., VANCOUVER, B.C.

Att'n Mr. W.J. Iverson

Two copies of Release to you. Have a \$5.00 deposit which does not seem to be
enough. You will make shipment in the usual way, all charges prepaid to our
account, sending cartage and bill of lading to this office promptly. Do not
make special trip.

B.C. SECURITY COMMISSION

[Signature]
C.W. Fisher - Transportation

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