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**PERSONAL**

**BUREAU POWELL STREET  
OFFICE OF THE CUSTODIAN  
JAPANESE SECTION**

FILE No. 8577

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: SUMI Hanako

Now at 1677 W. 2nd Ave., Van., B. C.

HOME ADDRESS: 1606 W. 2nd Ave., Vancouver, B. C.

REGISTRATION NUMBER 09320

SEX: Female

AGE: 24

OCCUPATION: Housekeeping

(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: Day work

MARRIED? No

NAME OF WIFE OR HUSBAND: None

ADDRESS OF WIFE OR HUSBAND: None

NAMES OF ANY LIVING CHILDREN: None

ADDRESS OF CHILDREN: None

AGE OF CHILDREN: None

**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: Located at 1677 W. 2nd Ave., Vancouver, B.C.

2. LANDLORD'S NAME AND ADDRESS: Lives with parents, pays board

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: \$230.00 Imperial Bank of Canada, 4th & Granville St., Van., B. C.
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 11th day of May, 1942.

[Signature]

Witness

(Signature) Nanako Sumi

FOR DEPARTMENTAL USE

INFORMATION FROM R.C.M.P.

Date

Sept. 14/43.  
Aug. 18/43

Our File No. 8571

Full Name SUMI Hanako (Surname in Block Letters)

Registration No. 09320

Male - Female  
(check)

Age Apr. 18, 1918

Former Address

1606 21. 2nd Ave. City  
1677 21. " " "

Date Evacuated

Nov. 5/42

Naturalized - Canadian-Born - National  
(check)

Present Address

Bay Farms, Sloan, B.C.  
c/o Mrs. MacMillan (checked 23/8/46)  
308 Orville Parkway  
Toronto, Ont.

Married - Single  
(check)

Name of Wife

Name of Husband

Name of Mother

<sup>nee</sup> (YASUDA)

Name of Father

Yashimatsu

Names of Children under 16

# 09322

# 03663

Requested by

J. Spratt

Registered with Custodian

(Yes or No)

Additional Information

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4/11/43

REAL PROPERTY SUMMARY

File 8577

August 23, 1946.

Re: SUMI, Hanako,  
Reg. No. 09320.

This file reveals that the above named owned no real property in the protected area of British Columbia.

The file also reveals that the above carried no Fire Insurance.

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

August 23, 1946.  
GBS:CG

*G. B. Spain*  
G. B. Spain.



PERSONAL PROPERTY SUMMARY

File No. 8577

Nov. 27/46

RE: Miss Hanako SUMI, Reg. No. 09320

This file reveals that Miss SUMI owned no real property in any protected area of B.C., and did not carry any fire insurance.

CHATELS: Miss SUMI made her declaration to the Custodian on May 11/42 and was evacuated on Nov. 5/42. She declared no chattels. There is a letter on file however, dated Jan. 29/43, from the B.C.S.C. stating that a total of sixteen boxes, cartons, etc., were shipped to Y.H. and M. SUMI at Slocan. Her father is Yoshimatsu and her mother Matsuno, so the shipment would be chattels belonging to the parents. This has been noted on the files of the father and mother.

SPECIFIED ARTICLES: On March 9/42 Miss SUMI surrendered the following to the R.C.M.P.:

One R.C.A. Victor radio and gramophone Serial No. 269  
One No. 2 Brownie box camera

The radio was sold at auction for the net sum of \$111.47 and this sum credited to the account of Miss SUMI.

The camera is still in our storehouse and we are writing her today asking for receipt, or if receipt is lost, to sign declaration we are enclosing. When this is received the camera will be mailed to her.

*Camera mailed Dec 7, 1946*

BANK ACCOUNT:

She declared an account in the Imperial Bank of Canada, 4th and Granville St. in the sum of \$230.00. This was not brought under the control of the Custodian.

No property interests other than those mentioned above are found on this file.

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

Nov. 27/46

LBM:

*L. McKinnon*  
L. McKinnon

MEMORANDUM

July 31, 1943

To: File 8577

From: Specified Articles Department

Re: SUMI, Hanako - Reg. 09320

| <u>ARTICLE</u> | <u>DESCRIPTION</u>                                                      | <u>APPRAISED VALUE</u> |
|----------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------|
| CAMERA         | No. 2, Brownie Box.                                                     | \$1.50                 |
| RADIO          | ✓ R.C.A. Radio and<br>Gramophone. Serial<br>No. 269.<br><i>Comp #32</i> | 75.00                  |

1. See by auction 11/6/44. Vancouver 24  
Sale Price of radio was \$130.00. The expenses  
were \$18.63, leaving a net sum & he credited of \$111.47  
The camera was mailed to Hanako Sami  
on December 7, 1946

LF

*J. Matheson*  
Dec 7, 1946

No.

J.R.# 07320

Royal Canadian Mounted Police

F. 112

\$

Vancouver, B.C. Mar. 9, 1942

Received from

~~From #~~ Herako SUMI  
1677, W. 2nd ave. Vancouver, B.C.

1. R.C.A. Victor combination radio  
and Victrola Serial # 269  
1. no. 2 Brownie camera

Dollars,  
100

Signature

J. F. Miles Cst  
Reg. # 13648

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December 7, 1946.

Miss Hanako SUMI,  
Reg. No. 09320,  
c/o Mrs. MacMillan,  
303 Oriole Parkway,  
TORONTO, Ont.

Dear Madam:

Thank you for your letter of the 28th ultimo enclosing receipt for the radio and camera, together with twenty five cents for packing and mailing camera.

Your camera was mailed to you yesterday, mailing charges being twenty five cents.

We enclose herewith Custodian cheque in the sum of \$111.47, being the net proceeds from sale of your Victor combination radio and gramophone.

As there are no other assets or property of any kind belonging to you remaining under the control of the Custodian, we are now closing your account and your file.

Kindly acknowledge receipt of the enclosed cheque.

Yours truly,

F. Matheson  
Office of the Custodian

LEM:

Encl. (1)

# ROYAL CANADIAN MOUNTED POLICE

Form 36A

## EXHIBIT REPORT

No. 32

HEADQUARTERS File No.

SUB-DIV'N and File No. Vancouver

DIVISION and File No.

DETACHMENT and File No. C.I.B.

(J.R. 09530.)

DATE May 27th 1944

Re: Haruko SUMI, 16 W. H. Street, Vancouver, B.C.

On March 9th 1942 D.R. Holaren, Capt. (Holder's Name)

Came into possession of the following described goods by

Handed over to (State name and place of seizure)

| No. OF EXHIBIT | No. OF PACKAGES | CAPACITY OR SIZE | DESCRIPTION OF EXHIBITS                                                   |
|----------------|-----------------|------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------|
|                | 1               |                  | R.C.A. Radio and Gramophone, Serial No. 259<br>No. 2 Brownie Reox Camera. |
|                |                 |                  | 8577                                                                      |

REMARKS: Handed over to the Custodian of Alien Property.

(State briefly disposition)

DATE May 27th 1944

CERTIFIED CORRECT

*W. J. Spain*  
Signature of Detachment or Witness for Custodian

*W. J. Spain*  
R. Jefferson, No. 10559

NAME WILL. B. BAKER

REGISTRATION NO. 09320

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

Victor Combination School

\$130.00

Total

(Storage) \$ 1.00

\$130.00

Less Expenses:

(Auctioneer's Fee) 13.00

\$ 18.53

(Advertising) 3.06

(Moving) 1.47

\$111.47

Net Proceeds Credited:

Members of Custodian Staff Present. Mr. Mills

Extracted from Auctioneering List No. Vancouver 24

Remarks.

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December 16th, 1943.

Miss Hanako SUMI,  
Registration No. 09320,  
Bay Farns, B. C.

Dear Madam:

We have an offer of \$50.00 for your  
radio now stored with the Royal Canadian Mounted  
Police.

Please advise us promptly whether you  
accept this offer or refuse same.

Yours truly,

Geo. B. Spain,  
Protection Department.

GBS/HMS

Offer received from Constable Jefferson,  
R. C. M. P. Barracks,  
Vancouver, B. C.

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January 29, 1943

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

Dear Sir: Subject: SUMI, Y., H. and M.,  
Reg. Nos. 03243, 09320 & 09322

The following boxes, two - #2, 4, 5, 6, 10, 12,  
two - #12, 16, 21, 22, 25, 26 and 30, as per Custodian  
Release of December 22, which was sent to you January  
25th, were sent from 604 Cordova Street, this morning.  
These were shipped to the above named owners at Slocan  
City.

I have also secured and shipped the cardboard  
carton of books which makes a total of sixteen pieces.

I am sending you an extra copy of this letter for  
Mr. Smith's convenience.

Yours very truly,

  
M. L. Brown  
Office Manager

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March 25th, 1944

Mr. Hanako SUMI,  
Registration No. 09320,  
Slocan City, B. C.

Dear Sir:-

We have received your letter of March 15th asking that your radio be delivered to Mrs. Dolnage. If the radio is not sold in the meantime, we will arrange this as soon as you send us the R.C.M.P. receipt given to you at the time the radio is turned in. It will also be necessary for Mrs. Dolnage to care for your small camera as the police will not release one without the other. Mrs. Dolnage says she will do this.

Please note that as far as this office is concerned, we will accept no further responsibility once Mrs. Dolnage has received your radio and camera.

Yours truly,

H. F. Green  
Protection Department

\* *Dolnage*

HFG:IP

August 23, 1946.

Miss Hanako SUMI,  
Reg. No. 09320,  
Bay Farms,  
Slocan, B.C.

Dear Madam:

A review of your file has disclosed the following:

Your radio was received by us from the R. C. M. P. and sold at public auction for the net sum of \$111.47. We should like to send our cheque for this amount and close your account but are unable to do so before we receive from you the R.C.M.P. receipt. This receipt is proof of your ownership and we would urge you to send it in as soon as possible.

On the same receipt there is a No. 2 Brownie Box Camera which is in our Warehouse and on receipt of 25¢ in postage stamps to cover mailing charges, the camera will be packed and mailed to you.

You declared \$230.00 in the Imperial Bank of Canada, but this did not come under control of the Custodian.

A number of boxes included in Custodian release issued to your father and mother were shipped on January 29, 1945 through the B.C. Security Commission. These boxes were not declared by you and are covered on your parents' files.

Yours truly,

G. B. Spain,  
Protection Department.

GBS:CG.

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November 27, 1946.

Miss Hanako SUMI,  
Reg. No. 09320,  
c/o Mrs. MacMillan,  
303 Oriole Parkway,  
TORONTO, Ont.

Dear Madam:

We wrote to you on August 23, 1946, advising that your radio had been sold for the net sum of \$111.47, and this sum credited to your account with the Custodian. We also advised you that your Brownie camera was in storage in our warehouse. We requested that you send us the receipts which you received from the Royal Canadian Mounted Police at the time the radio and camera were surrendered.

As you have not complied with this request we assume the receipts have been lost. We are therefore enclosing two declarations regarding loss of receipts which we would ask you to sign and return to us. As soon as these are received we will be able to mail your camera to you and release the funds from sale of your radio. Your early reply will be appreciated.

Yours truly,

F. Matheson  
Office of the Custodian

LHM:

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Toronto, Ont.,

EVACUATION 29/76.

Rec'd DEC 3 1946

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Ans.

Referred ~~Matthew~~

Dear Sir:-

I am enclosing ~~the receipt~~ of my radio and Brownie Camera. I am very sorry that I've delayed. When I receive your letter that was the time we were just evacuated out east and I was unable to find the receipt. But finally I've found it so I enclosed with the letter.

Also enclosed the 25¢ in stamps to cover mailing charges for my Brownie camera.

Thank you.

Yours truly,  
Haruko Sumi.

# 09320.

DECLARATION AS TO LOST CAMERA RECEIPT

|                    |                 |
|--------------------|-----------------|
| EVACUATION SECTION |                 |
| Rec'd              | DEC 9 1946      |
| File No.           | 8577            |
| Ans.               |                 |
| Referred           | <i>Matthias</i> |

I, Hanako SUMI, of Toronto, Ontario, do hereby declare:

That I owned a No. 2 Brownie box camera and that I delivered this camera to the Royal Canadian Mounted Police on the 9th day of March, 1942, and obtained a receipt therefor.

That I have made a most diligent search for the said receipt. I have not found the same and the sole reason for the non-production of the receipt is that it has been lost or accidentally destroyed.

That I, Hanako SUMI, the owner, am therefore now entitled to the return of my camera.

DATE:

*Hanako Sumi*  
Signature

DECLARATION AS TO LOST RADIO RECEIPT

I, Miss Hanako SUMI, of Toronto, Ontario, do hereby declare:

That I owned an R.C.A. Victor radio and gramophone, Serial No. 269, and that I delivered this radio to the Royal Canadian Mounted Police on the 9th day of March, 1942, and obtained a receipt therefor.

That I have made a most diligent search for the said receipt. I have not found the same and the sole reason for the non-production of the receipt is that it has been lost or accidentally destroyed.

That I, Miss Hanako SUMI, the owner, am therefore now entitled to the proceeds of the sale of my radio.

DATE

Hanako Sumi.  
Signature