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PERSONAL

BUREAU POWELL STREET

FILE NO. 9248

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: KONISHI, Chojiro

HOME ADDRESS: 224 1/2 E. Georgia St., Vancouver, B.C.

REGISTRATION NUMBER 01653 SEX: Male AGE: 41

OCCUPATION: Unemployed (Formerly owned and operated rooming house at 224 1/2 E. Georgia St., This has been sold and money red'd in full.)

(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: None

MARRIED? Yes

NAME OF WIFE OR HUSBAND: ~~KONISHI~~ Shizuko

ADDRESS OF WIFE OR HUSBAND: 224 1/2 E. Georgia St., Vancouver, B.C.

NAMES OF ANY LIVING CHILDREN: Aiko (F) Sumiyo (F) Masaki (M)

ADDRESS OF CHILDREN: 224 1/2 E. Georgia St., Vancouver, B.C.

AGE OF CHILDREN: 13, 9, 4.

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

1. LOCATION AND DESCRIPTION: 224 1/2 E. Georgia St., Vancouver, B.C.
2 storey brick rooming house.
2. LANDLORD'S NAME AND ADDRESS: Yon Chon, 224 1/2 E. Georgia St.,
Vancouver, B.C.

3. PARTICULARS OF LEASE AND RENT AND DATE TO WHICH PAID:
No rent. Declarant sold the building to Mr. Chon and is living
in 3 rooms until his evacuation.
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:
Located at 224 1/2 E. Georgia St., Vancouver, B.C. -- 2 beds, kitchen
utensils, 1 bureau, -- all to be left in a small room of said
rooming house. Mr. Chon, the owner, will have the key.

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: None6. MONEYS OWING TO YOU (State if any of these debts assigned and if so, to whom)
None7. BONDS, DEBENTURES, SHARES, STOCKS OR OTHER SECURITIES (State whereabouts)
None

8. BANK ACCOUNTS: None

9. LIFE INSURANCE: Sun Life Assurance Co. Pol. No. 2282679, Benef. wife.

Van. Branch, Royal Bank Bldg.
~~Son, Masaji, age 4, has policy # P107,468 with Monarch Life, Van. Branch.~~
Benef. father, Chojiro.

10. INTEREST IN ANY ESTATES OR TRUSTS: None

11. SAFETY DEPOSIT BOX: None

LIABILITIES:

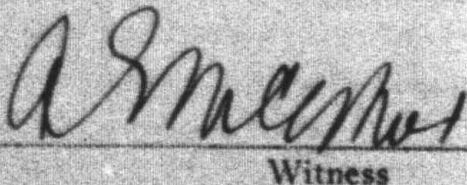
1. PERSONAL DEBTS: None

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 15th day of May 1942.



Witness

(Signature)

Chojiro. Konishi

FOR DEPARTMENTAL USE

INFORMATION FROM R.C.M.P.

DATE July 2, 1943

Our File No. 9248

Full Name KONISHI, Chojiro
(Surname in Block Letters)

Registration No. 01653 Male - Female
(Check) Age Sept. 3, 1901

Former Address 2242 E. Georgia St., Vancouver, B. C.

Date Evacuated March 6, 1942 Naturalized - Canadian-Born - National
(Check)

Present Address R.R. #5, Hamilton, Ont. c/o G.W. Wallis.

Married - Single
(Check) Name of Wife KONISHI, Shizuko #01841

Name of Husband _____

Name of Mother _____ Name of Father _____

Names of Children under 16 see over

Requested by LF Registered with Custodian
(Yes or No)

Additional Information Roominghouse keeper.

File No. 9218

August 4th, 1944

CLAIMS DEPARTMENT

Chofiro KONISHI - Reg. No. 01653

CREDITORS:-

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1. B. C. Electric Railway Co. Ltd. \$1.53
a/c No. 1255/900

No claims on wife's file # 9158

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(Information supplied by Ins. Co.)

LIFE INSURANCE

Name Mr. Chojiro KONISHI

File No. 9248

Shoan B. C.

Reg. No. 01653

Company Sun Life

Agency Vancouver

Policy No. 2282679

Premium - \$ 30.02

Payable: Annually, Semi-^Xannually or monthly

Month October Day 5

REMARKS:

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Letter sent 25/8/43

BRITISH COLUMBIA SECURITY COMMISSION.

CUSTODIAN RELEASE FORM

Address Slocan City, B. C.Date June 22, 1943210 Blg. Town.To: The Secretary of State, acting in his
capacity as Custodian, Vancouver, B.C.

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Ans.

Referred

I, KONISHI, Chojiro, Police Registration No. 201653

hereby request you to release to me the under-noted property

stored at 224 1/2 Georgia Street, E., Vancouver, B. C.in possession of Custodiansand I release you from any claim whatsoever with respect to
such property.Description of Property:Two pr. Bed Ends Two pr. Bed Rails One Coil Spring One MattressOne Suit Case Three Cartons One Japanese Doll (Glass Case)One Pr. Scales Misc. Dishes & Utensils Four Paper BoxesThree Paper Packages One Electric FanOriginal Address 224 1/2 Georgia Street, E., Vancouver, B. C.

Date Evacuated to Vancouver _____

Date Evacuated to Present Address May 24, 1942Number in Family - 12 years and over OneNumber in Family - 5 to 11 years old TwoNumber in Family - under 5 NilTOTAL NUMBER IN FAMILY FiveI agree to pay all charges as required by the British Columbia
Security Commission.

APPROVED:

BRITISH COLUMBIA SECURITY COMMISSION

Per: E. AdamsC. Konishi
Claimant Signs Here\$5.10 deposit balance next month.
See July 6/43.

September 24th, 1942

Name: KONISHI, Chojiro

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Reg. No: 01653

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PROPERTY LOCATED IN A LOCKED ROOM AT
224 1/2 EAST GEORGIA.

- 2 Pr. Bed Ends
- 2 " " Rails
- 1 Coil Spring
- 1 Mattress
- 1 Suit Case
- 3 Cartons
- 1 Japanese Doll (Glass Case)
- 1 Pr. Scales
- Misc. Dishes & Utensils
- 4 Paper Boxes
- 3 Paper Packages
- 1 Electric Fan

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

Date... *June 22/43* Signed... *Ch. Konishi*

Please Sign and return one copy to this office.

See June 28/43

*This form requested
by station*

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September 24th, 1942

Mr. Chojiro Konishi,
Registration No. 01653,
Slocan City, B. C.

Dear Sir:-

Our representative has visited your former residence at 224 1/2 East Georgia Street and has taken an inventory of your chattels which are contained in a locked room there.

If this list is correct, please sign and return one copy of the enclosed lists to us.

You may retain the other list for your own reference.

Yours truly,

Geo. B. Spain
Protection Department

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Aug 27th 1942.
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H. F. Green Esq.

Dear Sir:-

Re your letter of the 24th
advising me of the whereabouts of my effects
which were left at 224 1/2 Georgia East.

Everything is O. K.

Thanking you for your interest in this
affair I remain

Yours. truly

Thos. J. Henderson.

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August 24th, 1942

Mr. Henderson,
P. O. Drawer 6,
New Westminster, B. C.

Dear Sir:-

Re: Mr. & Mrs. Chojiro Konishi

Further to our letter of August 10th, we have now heard from the Konishis that during your absence from Vancouver, your brother came and took away your clothing and tools left at 224 1/2 Georgia Street. Apparently this brother took his own and your property to an elder brother's house in Kerrisdale. Would you make further enquiries and advise us if everything is satisfactory?

Yours truly,

H. F. Green
Manager Protection Dept.

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Dear Sir, re your file No. 9248-*sub to Green*
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Yours truly,

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3 Bed suits
1 bed spring.

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Aug 13th 1942.

Sloean City B.C.

Dept of the Secretary of the Custodian.

Mrs H. F. Green.

Dear Sir:-

Received your letter dated Aug 4th
regarding my 2 Beds "Kitchen
utensils & am bureau"

The 2 Beds was left in Bath room
main floor. East End

and Kitchen utensils & Bureau
was left in the linen cupboard

Mr. Phou, the care taker knows
where all my belonging are.

Please find enclosed "Key"
to linen cupboard under lock.
a key when I left

Yours Truly

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Reg # 01653

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August 10th, 1942

Mr. Henderson,
P. O. Drawer 6,
New Westminster, B. C.

Dear Sir:-

Re: Mr & Mrs. Chojiro Konishi

We wrote to you on July 13th that we could find nothing at 224 1/2 East Georgia Street which appeared to belong to you. The Japanese who ran the Shakespeare Rooms are now in Sloan and we have written to them requesting them to answer by return mail giving particulars of where your effects were left.

Yours truly,

H. F. Green
Manager Protection Dept.

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August 10th, 1942

Mr. and Mrs. Chojiro Konishi,
Registration Nos. 01653 & 01841,
Slocan, B. C.

Dear Sir and Madam:-

Further to our letter of August 4th, will you also kindly advise by return mail, the whereabouts of some clothing and tools belonging to Mr. T. J. Henderson previously left at 224 1/2 Georgia Street. Mr. Henderson is very anxious to trace these effects and we request you kindly to write to us by return mail and give us what information you can. They apparently consisted of clothing and carpenter tools left with Mrs. Chojiro Konishi.

Yours truly,

H. F. Green
Manager Protection Department

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August 4th, 1942

Mr. Chojiro Konishi, Reg. #01653,
Slocan, B. C.

Dear Sir:-

In your registration form of May 15th, you declared two beds, kitchen utensils, and one bureau, all to be left in a small room at 224 1/2 East Georgia. On investigation we can only find some miscellaneous articles in a linen cupboard and Mr. Chon the owner can give us no information. Is this linen cupboard the small room you referred to and if not, where else should we look? Please let us have a reply.

Yours truly,

H. F. Green
Manager Protection Dept.

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file this please.

August 4th, 1942

Mr. Spain,
Hastings Park,
Vancouver, B. C.

Dear Sir:-

Re: KONISHI, Shizuko Mrs. Chojiro
Registration No. 01841

Will you please contact the above lady
and ask her what happened to some clothing and tools
belonging to Mr. T. J. Henderson, left at 224 1/2 East
Georgia formerly occupied by her? We have visited
this address but have been unable to find anything.

Yours truly,

H. F. Green
Manager Protection Dept.

now at Sloan

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Mr. H. F. Green,
B. C. Security Commission,
Vancouver B. C.

Aug. 12th 1942.

Dear Sir:

I wrote a letter to the R. C. M. P. some time ago, asking if they would contact the Japanese Landlady of the Shakespeare rooms, at 224½ East Georgia St. and find out what became of my effects which were left in her care.

They (the R. C. M. P.) wrote me a letter, which I received on July 21st, telling me they had turned my letter over to your department. As I have not heard from you yet, I am wondering if you received this letter. In case you have not, I will tell you what I would like to find out, and would appreciate it very much if you would look into the matter at your earliest opportunity, as it is of great importance to me to have these goods located as soon as possible.

I left my clothing and carpenter tools, which are of considerable value, with this woman at 224½ Georgia St East. Since that time, I

understand that your apartment has moved
this woman and her 3 children to Hoating
park.

I am not sure of her name, but I think it
is Kersahine. However she was the landlady
of the Shakerian Home, so I suppose you have
her name and present address in your file.
If you would contact her and find out
what became of my clothing and toothbrush, I would
be extremely grateful.

Yours Truly

J. J. Henderson

P.O. Box 1000

New Westminster, B.C.

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Mr. Austin Taylor.

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Dear Sir:-

C. Konishi
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July 6th 1942.
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I understand ~~the~~ ^{the} department for the evacuation of the Japanese, have taken possession of the goods of the absent tenants of rooming houses from which Japanese landlords have been taken.

I would appreciate it very much if you would let me know as soon as possible how soon I could get my clothing + carpenter tools, which were in charge of the Landlady of the Shakespear Room at 224 1/2 East Georgia St.

These tools are the means of me earning my living, and needless to say are of great value to me.

Hoping to hear from you at an early date.

I remain

Yours truly

Thos. J. Henderson.

Deaver C.

New Westminster

B. C.

declares nothing
See husbands form
Kawata

