





NAVAL MESSAGE

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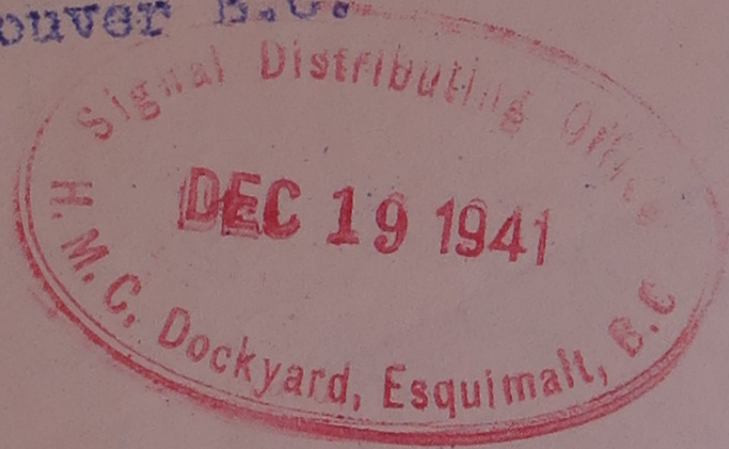
NOI/C VANCOUVER

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GOAV  
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CURRENT LOG

COPC

Request approval to release Japanese Fishing boats on authority  
of Mr. G.W. McPherson, authorized Deputy of the Secretary of  
State and or Custodian, Customs House, Vancouver B.C.

1805Z/19/12/41



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GIVENCHY LOG

INTERCEPT GROUP

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FROM:  
COPC

IMPORTANT

Instructions:  
of Priority,  
NOTWT  
(exercise).

NSHQ 621

It has been brought to my notice that there may be considerable transfer of ownership of Japanese manned fishing boats in order to avoid legitimate detention of these boats. It is recommended that registration of Japanese manned fishing boats sent in for protective custody may be frozen until such time as a committee properly appointed by the Govt. may thoroughly investigate the status of these boats and their ultimate disposition.

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Instructions:  
Priority,  
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FROM: ~~KT~~ 59  
HSHQ

Pass to

COPC 851 (R) NOI/C Vancouver

Your 2026Z 20th . Immediate orders are being issued by Department of Transport to all Registrars of Shipping in British Columbia to the effect that no transfers of Japanese owned or manned fishing vessels are to be made without reference to Ottawa. This ruling is effective as from 7th December 1941

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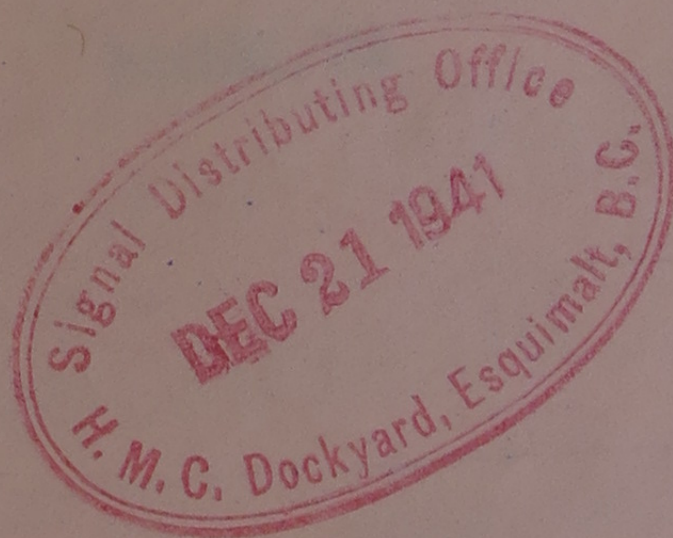
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C.O.P.C. (R) GIVENCHY

COAV  
C.O.  
CURRENT LOG

105 Japanese fish boats arrived Annacis Island Sunday  
21st December

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TOR 0142Z/22

D.A.S. 21-12-41

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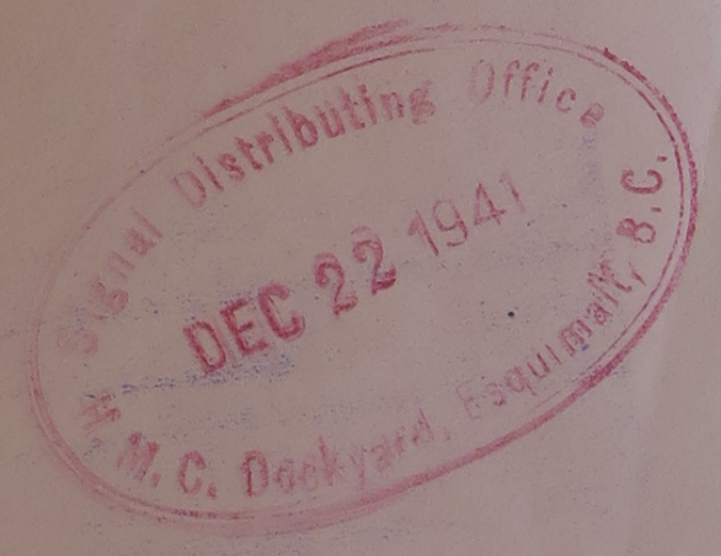
COAV TK RT 1842

NOI/C VANCOUVER.

COPE (R) GIVENCHY

134 Japanese boats arrived Annacis Island today  
Monday 22nd. This makes total of 761 boats at Annacis  
Island.

0220z/23



TOR. 0236z/23

DS 22-12-41

22-12-41

T/T P/L

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Passed Vancouver at T/T 1930/21

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SO(1)  
A/SO(1)  
SEC COPC  
CY LOG

INTERCEPT GROUP

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FROM: NSHQ

Instructions:  
on of Priority,  
al, NOTWT  
exercise).

O: COPC 842 (R) NOI/C Vancouver

Your 0131Z 20th paragraph 2

Mr MCPHERSON is custodian for enemy property and has no authority to authorize release of ships seized in prize. A.B. MACDONALD K.C. is being instructed court procedure by Department of Justice by airmail. You should convey your views to Mr. MACDONALD. My 1635 Z/20 nineteenth refers.

1535Z/20

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Jap fish boats*  
NOI/C VANCOUVER

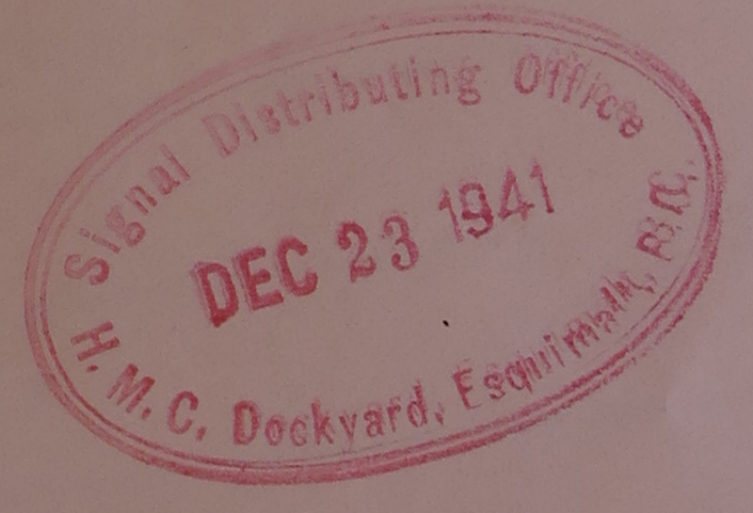
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COPC (R) GIVENCHY

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O (I)  
ASO (I)  
SO (O)  
ASO (O)  
C/WTR  
COAV  
CXO  
LOGS

Japanese fishboats arriving at Annacia Island  
today Tuesday 23rd of December 84 ## which makes total  
at Island 845

024Dz/24



T/T P/L TOR. 0250z/24 DS 23-12-41

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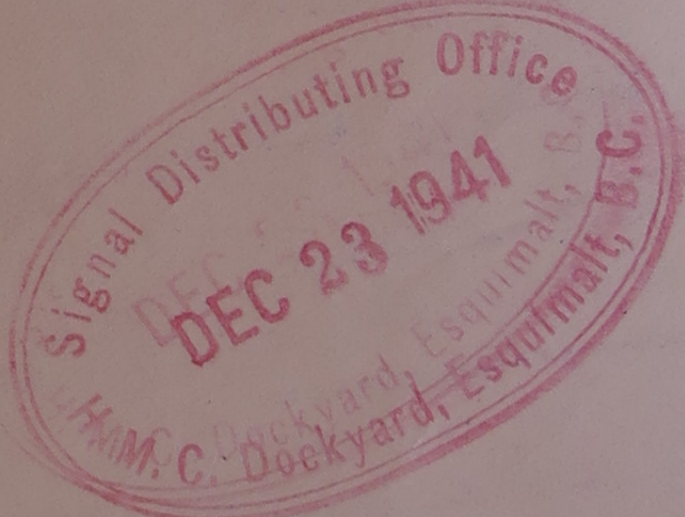
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NOL/C VANCOUVER.

COAV

Japanese fishboats which may be suitable for patrol  
service Barclay Sound, Jersey Island, Departure Bay, Marmoe,  
Western Chief, Rose N, Hattie 5, Hattie 7, Jessie Allen,  
Steveston 2, Three Queens, Seiner, Seiner 1, Menzies Bay,  
C.F.C., Western Main, Izumi 2, Izumi 3, Izumi 5, Otter Bay,  
Mosbey 3, May S.

0235z/24



23-12-41

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TOR. 0247z/24

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NAVAL

W/T to Rupert  
T/T to Vancouver

C 8406

INTERCEPT GROUP

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FROM:

COPC

NOIC PRINCE RUPERT NOIC VANCOUVER

The following has been received from NSHQ begins: Your

2026Z/20. Immediate orders are being issued by Dept. of

Transport to all registrars of shipping in British Columbia

to the effect that no transfers of Japanese owned or named

fishing vessels are to be made without reference to Ottawa.

This ruling is effective as from 7th Dec. 41. T.O.C. 1508Z/21.

Ends.

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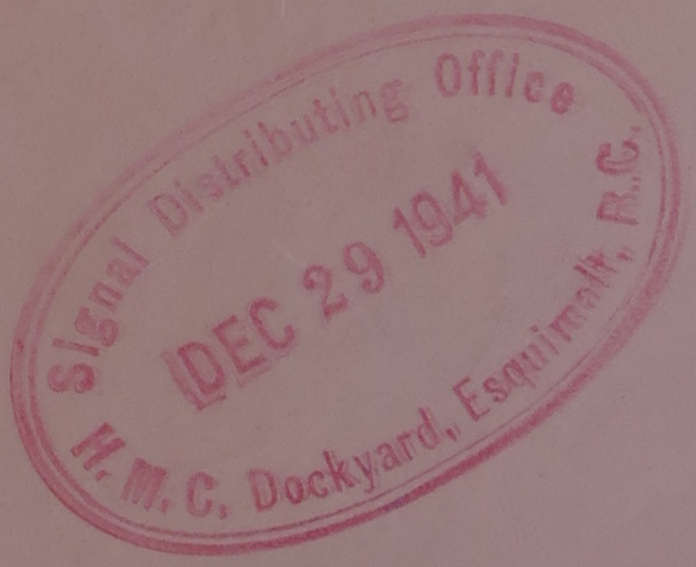
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NOI/C VANCOUVER

COPC (R) GIVENCHY

932 Japanese fishing boats at Annicis Island today  
29th December.

00402/30



*4302 informed*

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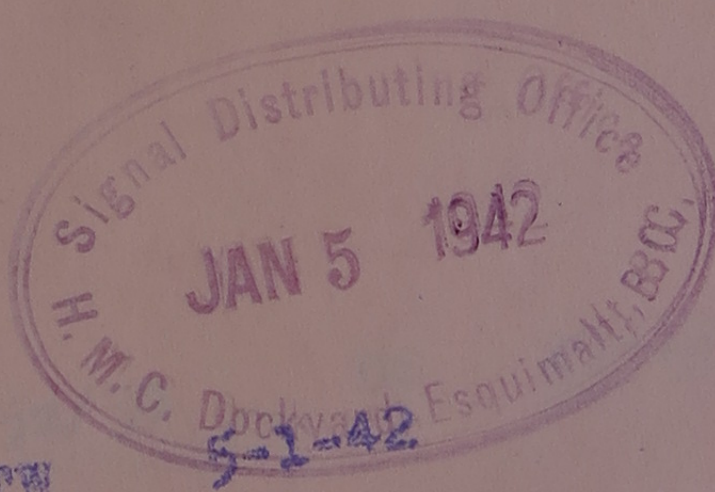
FROM:

C.O.P.C.

FOI/C VANCOUVER

Pass the following to Carl Halterman, Union Steamships Ltd.  
Your letter of 29th December no objection to your committee  
examining fishing vessels but no commitments can be made  
concerning release of any vessel.  
2. N.S.H.Q. have been requested to set up a board to deal with  
release of vessels.

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CIVILIAN  
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INTERCEPT GROUP

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FROM:

1930

COPY 994

COPC 994

Your 07012/10/12 What adequate steps have been taken and who is the responsible Authority to prevent deterioration of boats damage by frost or other sources to machinery and electrical equipment.

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From:

NSHQ OTTAWA

GR 107

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COPC 52

NAVY SUPT  
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Your 18482/6

(1) Dept of Transport have been requested to requisition all eleven vessels for delivery to you at Steveston forthwith.

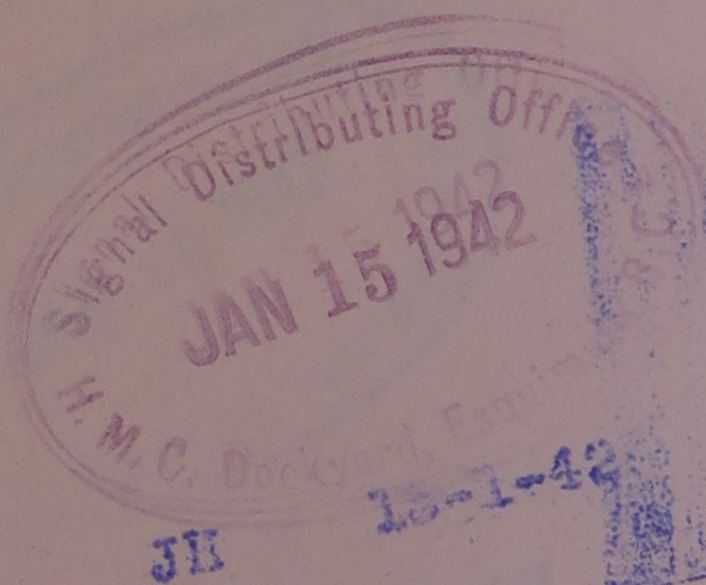
Also to arrange for inspection and appraisal.

(2) Vessels are not to be employed until inspected and appraised.

(3) Complete inventory of stores etc. to be made.

(4) In addition to the above eleven vessels approval has been received to requisition three more vessels. Request you forward names and owners recommended.

1683Z/14



(Re cypher)

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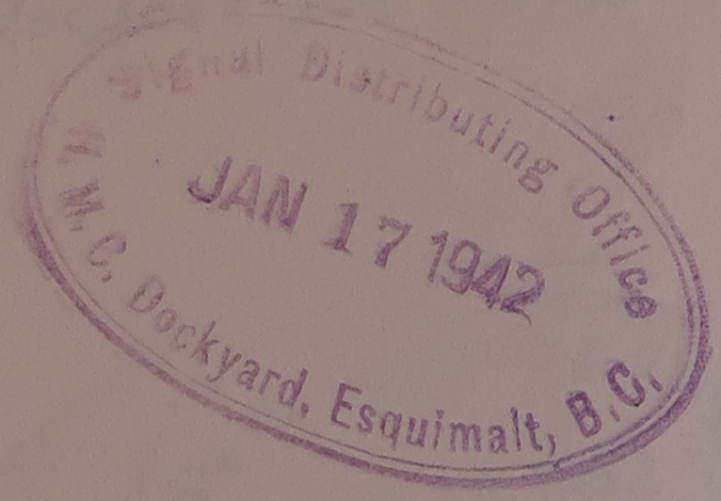
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FMO  
NAVAL SUPT  
PEO  
CE  
SSO  
SB  
LOGS

Commander B.L.D. Johnson R.C.N.R. is appointed  
Naden additional for special duty on staff of  
COPC to date 21st. January 1942. This officer will  
represent the Department on the Commission for the  
disposal of Japanese fishing craft.

1804Z/17



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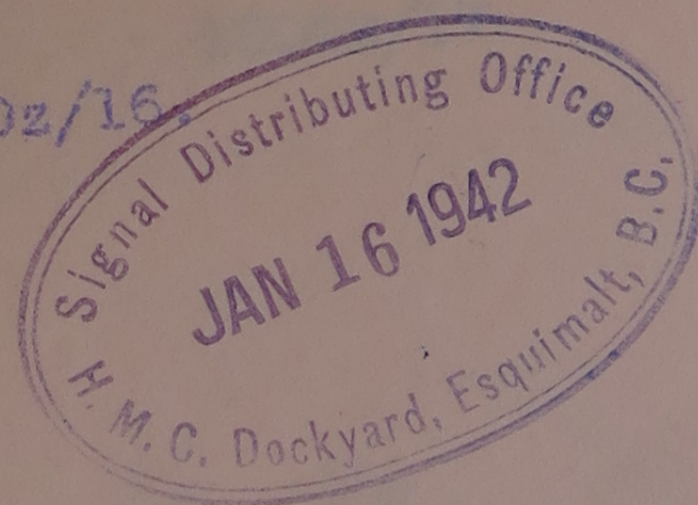
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COPC (R) GIVENCHY

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NSO  
SUP NO  
NAVAL SUPT  
LOGS.  
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Japanese fish boat Departure Bay moored at Annacis Island  
caught fire at 2230 Thursday 15th January. Boat was beached  
and is now submerged, extent of damage will be ascertained  
when boat is refloated.

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# NAVAL MESSAGE

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SO(1)2  
COPC 2

INTERCEPT GROUP

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FROM: COPC

N S H Q 863

Your 1549Z/16.

Satisfactory arrangements has been made with North Shore Packing Co. representative. All of ten boats on charter by this company are Japanese owned and are under protective custody. Five of these have been requisitioned by RCN, which is considered a reasonable proportion considering number of Japanese owned boats previously requisitioned was nil. Manager of Company will be satisfied if he can be given priority in chartering substitutes from boats under protective custody not required by naval service. Recommend this company be given reasonable facilities to this end.

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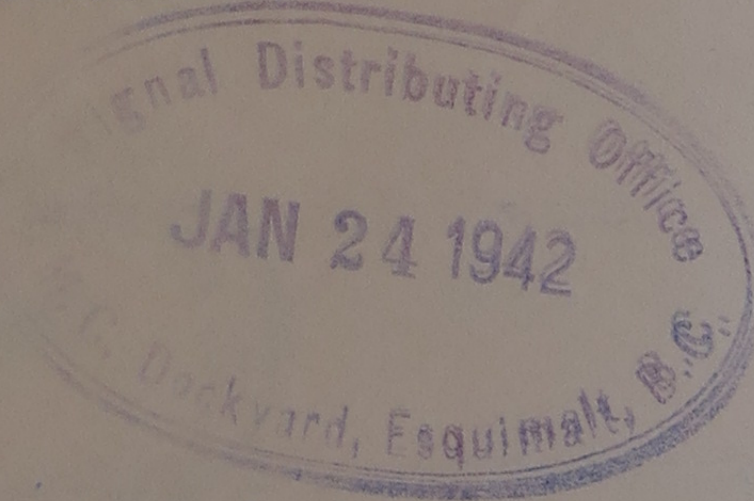
From:

C.C.P.C.

NOI/C VANCOUVER.

Japanese fishing vessel disposal commission report  
the following. Commissioners have just examined vessels  
at New Westminster and regret deplorable condition.  
Request detailed condition each vessel when impounded  
and present condition with all particulars available.

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SEC COFC 2.  
LOG BSO COAY.

SECRET.

INTERCEPT GROUP

FROM:  
COFC.

NCI/C VANCOUVER.

Pass to Japanese Fishing Vessel Disposal Commission.  
Circumstances attending detention of the boats precluded inventory taking, and subsequent work mooring all in one small area and attending to their safekeeping under severe weather conditions fully occupied the number of men available. Damage sustained is being attended to by skilled Naval ratings. Dolphins are now being installed to give maximum safety possible and additional experienced ratings provided under a senior officer to adequately attend to moorings. General appearance of boats as a whole is not considered unusual in this type of boat after a hard season's work. Cleaning and painting does not usually begin until the spring.

0749Z/25.

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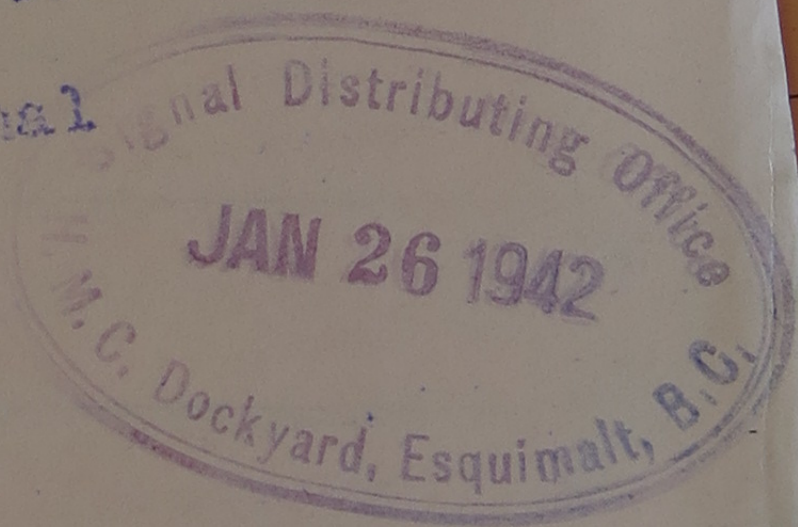
From:

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COPC

NAVAL SUPT  
SUP NO  
TEO  
COAV  
LOGS

Following from Japanese fishing vessel Disposal  
Committee BEGINS: Your 0751 Z/25 the Committee  
hope to obtain the details in your records as per  
our 0320 Z/25. The Committee is concerned as to  
the physical condition of these vessels because  
their task of disposal is made very difficult under  
the present circumstances. The Committee is of the  
opinion that you do not fully appreciate the situ-  
ation and suggest you come here and make personal  
survey. 1820 Z/26 ENDS. 1855 Z/26



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C.O.P.C.

N.O.J/C PRINCE RUPERT

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G/WTR  
SIO  
SUP. F.O.  
NAVAL SUPT.  
LOGS

If any Japanese vessels under protective custody  
in Prince Rupert area become submerged due to  
leaks or any other reasons arrangements are to be  
made at once to pull boat out of water and repairs  
made good, Engine to be stripped and reassembled.  
A report is to be forwarded to C.O.P.C. in all  
cases.

Signal Distributing Office  
JAN 27 1942  
H.M.C. Dockyard, Esquimalt, B.C.

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W/T -B-

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COAV @ 1122

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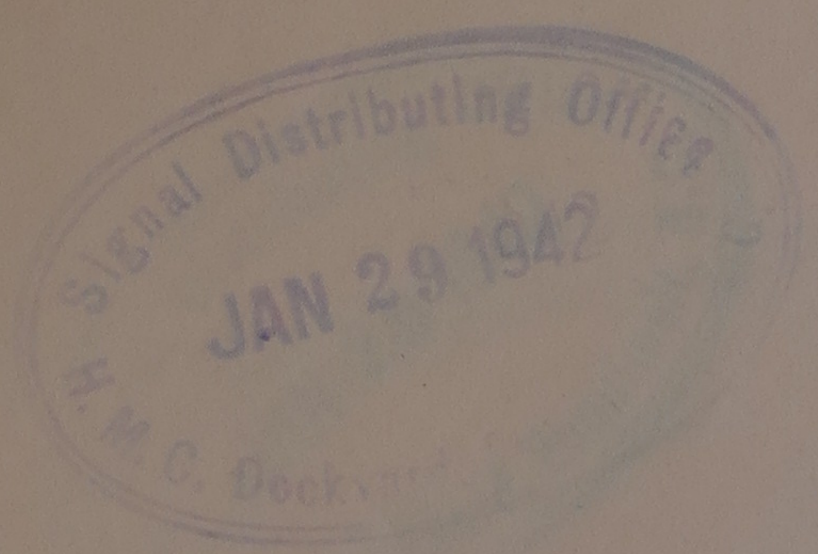
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GIVENCHY

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CURRENT LOG

Japanese Fishing Vessel Disposal Commission  
requests names, registered numbers, owner's names  
and addresses of boats at Prince Rupert as soon  
as possible.

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From:

COPC

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C/WTR  
SIO  
SUP NO  
NAVAL SUPT  
LOGS

NOI/C VANCOUVER

Your 0130Z/31. Following have been recommended for requisitioning:

Glendale V, Rootka Sound, May S., Olympia II, Departure Bay  
Springtime V, Seiner, Western Chief, G.S.C. II, Halta VII,  
Kurashio, Arashio, Western Maid, Barkley Sound, Loyal II,  
Departure Bay II, Smith Sound, Howe Sound, Jessie Island D,  
Merry Chase, Chamis Bay, Camenila, Early Field, Moreby III.

This is four more than twenty actually required to cover possible  
rejections by steamboat inspector.

0724Z/31  
Signal Distributing Office  
JAN 30 1942  
Esquimalt, B.C.

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# HAVLIK TROUT HATCHERIES

LARGEST HATCHERIES IN THE  
NORTHWEST

RAINBOW  
EASTERN  
BROOK  
CUT-THROAT

RECEIVED  
CUSTOMS AND EXCISE

JAN 29 1942

Astoria  
~~XXXXXXXX~~, OREGON

Collector's Office.  
VICTORIA, B. C.  
Customs Department.  
Canadian Parliament Bldg.  
Victoria, B.C.  
Gentlemen:

I see by pictures in the press that you have quite a large fleet of Jap fishing boats at one of your Vancouver Island Harbors. I hardly suppose that you will let these boats lay there until the war is over, and if you will lease them out, I would be interested in the leasing of one or two of them. I assume that they are in running condition, or I would pice some that are.

If the YELLOW BELLIES had the chance to grab some of our boats, we would never see them again, so I do not feel that we would do anything that is not within reason if we leased them and put them to use.

Respectfully Yours

Cyril D. Havlik



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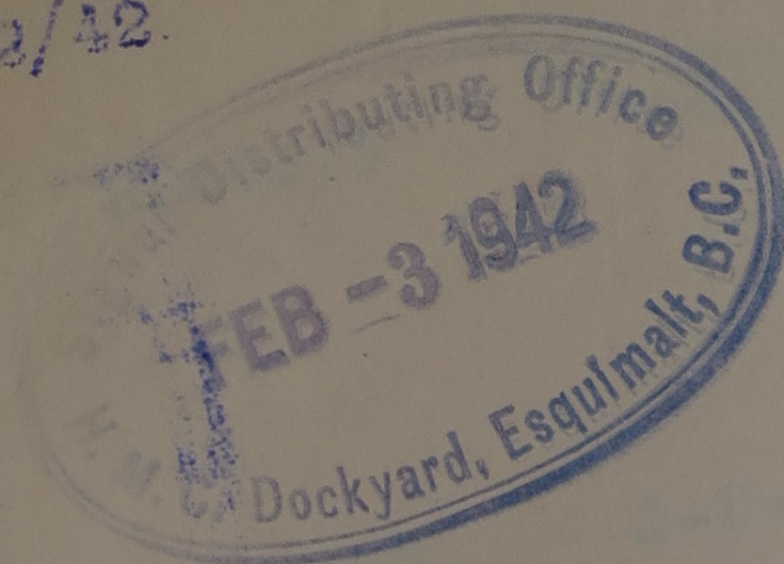
From:

NOI/C VANCOUVER

C. GIVENCHY (R) COPO

Following from NOI/C New Westminster begins:  
Request information on policy of guarding impounded fishing  
vessels now at Local Shipyards numbering 44 to date estimated  
increase 30 per week. We are unable to supply guard from complement  
at New Westminster.  
2. Submit that as the Majority of vessels are damaged in a Naval  
Surveyor may be appointed. ends.

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February 4, 1942.

Mr. Joseph E. Look,  
711 B Street,  
San Mateo, Calif. U.S.A.

Dear Sir:

With reference to your letter to the  
Customs Collector, Vancouver Island, dated Jan.  
29th, I beg to advise that these fishing vessels  
are not for lease but for sale only.

Yours very truly,

A.E. McMaster,  
Executive Assistant.

JAM/PH.



711 "B" Street,  
San Mateo, Calif. U.S.A.  
January 29, 1942.

Customs Collector,  
Vancouver Island,  
British Columbia, Canada

Dear Sir:

Please inform me regarding the leasing of a fishing  
boat, trawler type, between forty and fifty feet in length,  
to be used north of Eureka, California.

I am an American citizen, born in the United States,  
and would use this boat if available for fishing purposes only.

Yours truly,

Joseph E. Look,  
711 B Street,  
San Mateo, Calif. U.S.A.



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From:

*J. F. Fasham*  
*U.S.N.*

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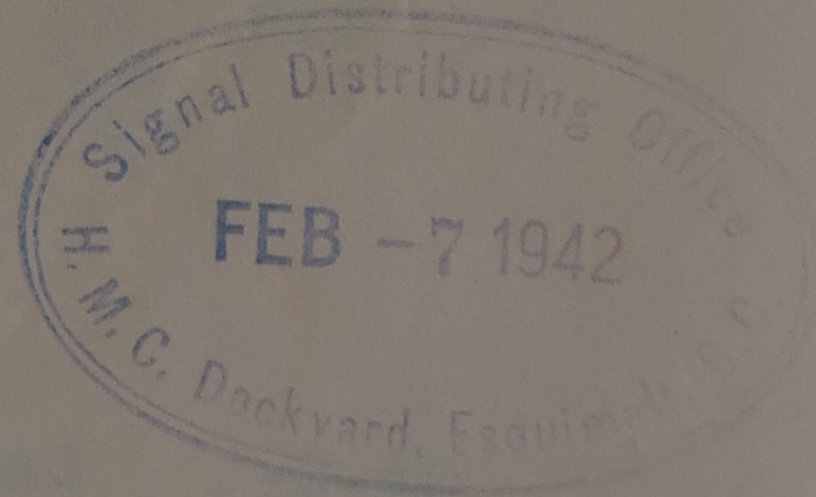
S O (I) ESQUIMALT

Enquiries reaching us here as to whether Japanese  
fishing craft in your custody are for sale if so what are  
conditions and can U.S. citizens offer bids.

SIGNED CONSULAR SHIPPING ADVISER AT SEATTLE

2009 Z/ 7

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VANCOUVER @ 2053

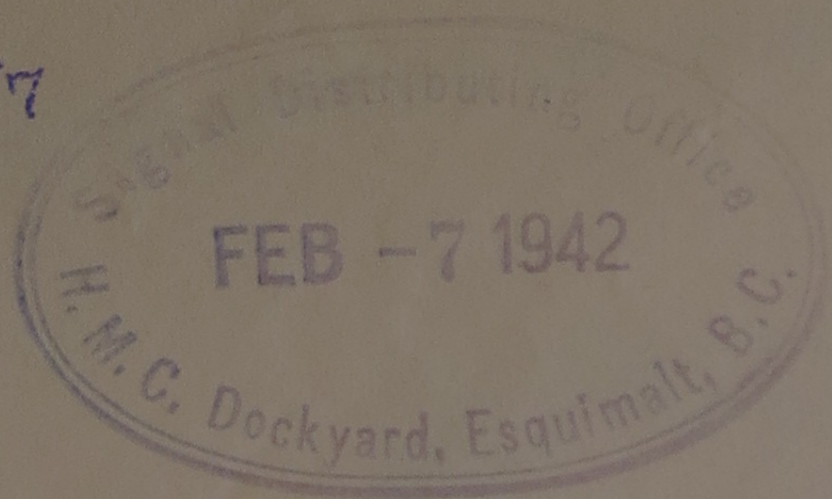
NOI/C VANCOUVER (R) C.O.P.C.

GIVEN CITY

Your 1925 Z/6 to C.O.P.C.  
"M.I." engine 15 H.P. Vivian is at  
Annacis Island owner M. Ikari  
369 Powell Street Vancouver  
approved to sell as is

2037 Z/7

(Re: Gill net boat "M.I.")



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**NAVAL MESSAGE**

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From:

*Jap Fishery*  
*Director*

S.O.(1) ESQUIMALT

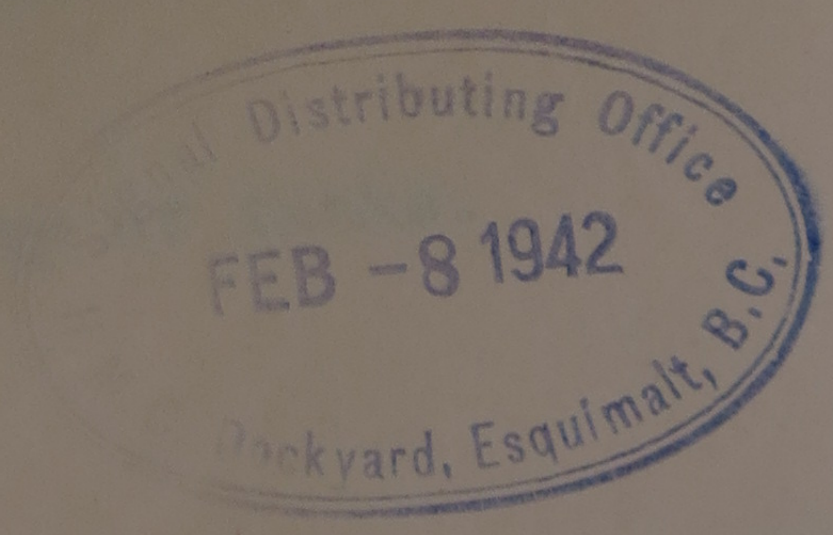
H.B.M. CONSUL SEATTLE (S.A.)

Your 2009z/7.

Owing to necessity of maintaining Canadian Fishing Industry at its maximum and certain requisitions by R.C.N. it is not anticipated any vessels will be available for purchase by U.S. Citizens.

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San Mateo, Calif. U.S.A.



# NAVAL MESSAGE

**From:**

NOI/C VANCOUVER

C. O. P. C.

MR DRYD

Following from J.F.V.D.C. begins  
Confirming telephone conversation Saturday with C.O.A.V.;  
Preliminary surveys of the fleet indicate the likelihood of numerous  
claims for damage and for missing equipment. A full time marine  
surveyor has been appointed to our staff, and we have others to draw  
on. Our system requires the owners to file damage claims, if any,  
before sale can be completed. If it is arranged that these claims  
be settled promptly, the owners will be more amenable, and time  
and effort definitely minimized.

It is recommended that you appoint a responsible officer, or officers, to make recommendations for the settlement of claims. It has been agreed with C.O.A.V. that settlement of claims below \$100.00 may be agreed upon forthwith. We think this limit should be extended to \$250.00, and claims exceeding that amount be subject to discussion between C.O.P.C. and this committee.

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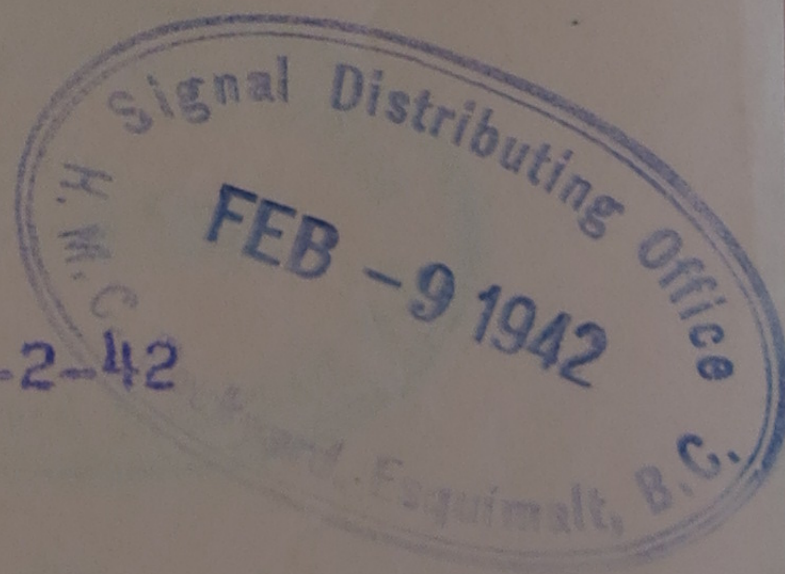
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From:

GIVENCHY

*Japan Fishing Vessels*  
JOL/C VANCOUVER

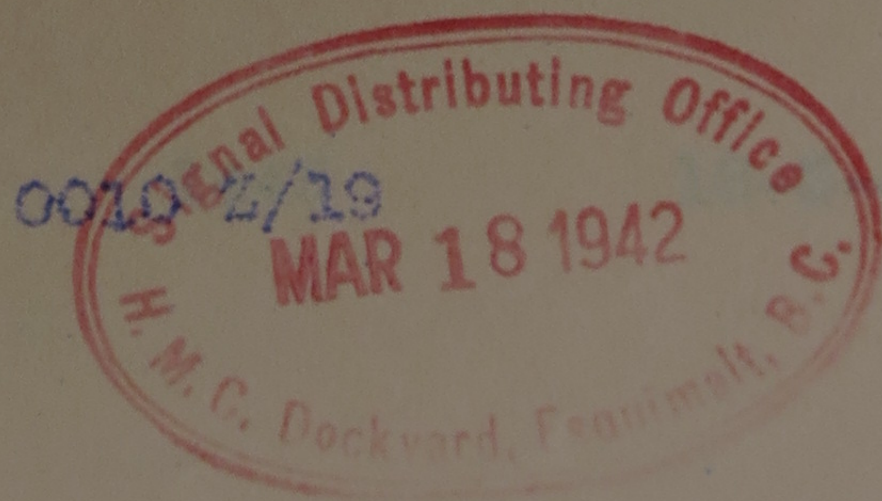
For Lt. Belyea.

Following from Japanese Fishing Vessel Disposal

Committee begins

Number of vessels on our list as impounded by Navy  
as follows sixty seiners one hundred and twenty  
trollers six hundred and thirty-three gillnetters  
one hundred and thirty-nine packers eight-five  
miscellaneous total one thousand and thirty-seven

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MS 669

NO050

UM 56

VO11P

MN 1200 NW100E

CM 3311 N 037 B

NW08CH

Twenty eight vessels in all



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From:

GR 96

NBSQ OTTAWA

COPC 765

YOUR 2226Z/3

Department of fisheries has agreed to suggestion to submit to council that committee's terms of reference be widened. Proposals have been sent for comment to committee by fisheries and include provision for payment for damage claims by fisheries. Whitmore of fisheries proceeding Vancouver 10th and has been requested to arrange if possible for continuity of claim settlement pending council authority.

2052Z/9

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TOR. 2225

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ESQUIMALT, B.C.

E. H. Clayton



NAVAL MESSAGE

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A/SO(I)  
SC(O)  
A/SO(O)  
W/WTR  
COAV  
SIO  
LOGS

# NAVAL MESSAGE

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RCNB @ 2213

From: GR 33

COPC 919 (R) NADEN 353

NSHQ OTTAWA

Your 1949Z/27

Request being made to Department of Fisheries along lines  
of your memorandum

1430 tender

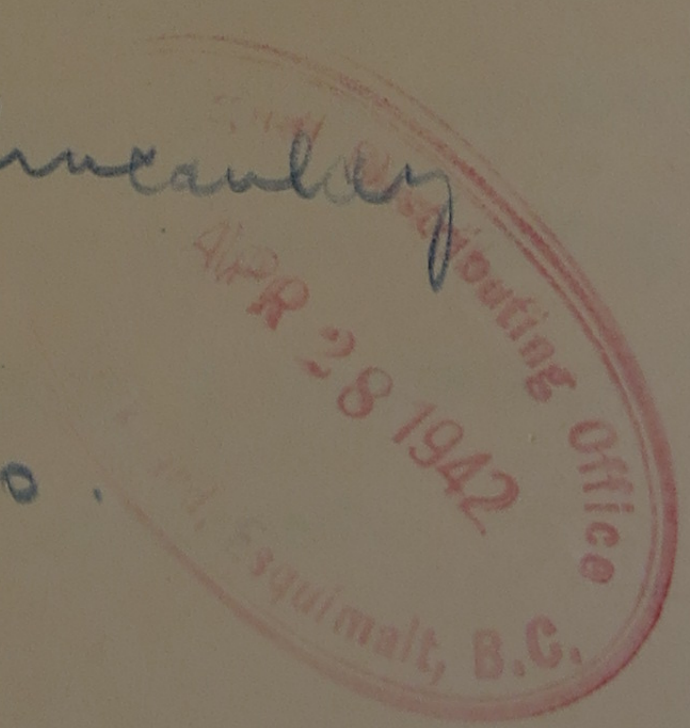
2220Z/28

600303 Breen gun

Boat at Vancouver

(Re guards for Jap. Fishing Vessels)

Tower 160 Boat A/A @ 1000.



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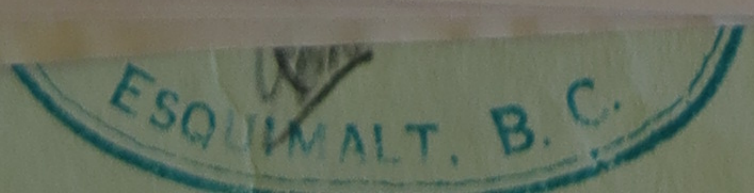
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E. H. Chyler



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## NAVAL MESSAGE

From:

C.O.P.C. (4)

/C VANCOUVER

CONFIDENTIAL

1 to 5,7,11,12,23,27,32,33,17,31,30,Logs

Pass to Japanese Fishing Vessel Disposal Committee:-

Your letter of 15th. June request Bills of Sale be forwarded.

N.S.H.Q. have been requested to approve local payment of

accounts. Request individual account be made for each boat

stating owner and signed by members of committee as certification

of appraised price. Individual cheques will be forwarded if

approval received from Hqtrs.

1718Z/18

5-1-128

Vancouver by T/T @ 1754Z/18

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TCR 1754

DAS

18-6-42

ESQUIMALT, B.C.

*E. H. Clayton*



COMMERCIAL FISHERMEN'S WEEKLY, Friday, Mar. 31, 1944.

## TWO-THIRDS OF JAPANESE BOATS BACK IN FISHERIES

Of the 1,337 Japanese-owned fishing boats confiscated in British Columbia by the Navy shortly after Japan's entry into the war 887 or approximately 66 percent have been sold for use in the coast fisheries.

The largest number, 660, were acquired by fishing companies either for resale to individuals or for own use. B.C. Packers bought 237 boats; Canadian Fishing Co., 151; Anglo-B.C. Packing Co., 99; Nelson Bros. Fisheries, 67; J.H. Todd & Sons, 29; Francis Millerd & Co., 29; Great West Packing Co., 22; Cassiar Packing Co., 13; North Shore Packing Co., 7, and Queen Charlotte Fisheries, 6.

The entire fleet was classified as 860 gillnet boats, 148 carriers, 141 cod, crab and other types, 120 trollers, and 68 seiners.

Sales to the fishing industry realized \$1,021,530 which, less 1 percent service charge, was paid to the Japanese owners.

Average price of seine boats was \$5,694; carriers, \$2,275; trollers, \$1,321; cod, crab and other types of boats, \$740, and gillnet boats, \$620.

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