

1159



Steveston Branch  
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: SHIOBAKI, SeirokuHOME ADDRESS: House No. 42, Phoenix Cannery, Steveston, B.C.REGISTRATION NUMBER 03595 SEX: Male AGE: 65OCCUPATION: Fisherman

(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: A.B.C. Packers, Steveston, B.C. *(farmer)*MARRIED? YesNAME OF WIFE OR HUSBAND: TanADDRESS OF WIFE OR HUSBAND: House No. 42, Phoenix Cannery, Steveston B.C.NAMES OF ANY LIVING CHILDREN: Kiyomi (M),ADDRESS OF CHILDREN: Steveston, B.C.AGE OF CHILDREN: 18**STATEMENT OF ALL REAL PROPERTY** (Each parcel must be mentioned and particulars given)1. LOCATION AND DESCRIPTION: None2. BUILDINGS AND OTHER IMPROVEMENTS: None3. INSURANCE (Give particulars; state where policies are) None4. TAXES (Amount and where payable) None

5. ENCUMBRANCES (Including any unregistered claims or deposit of title deed)

None6. 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 House No. 42, Phoenix Cannery, Steveston, B.C
2. LANDLORD'S NAME AND ADDRESS: A.B.C. Packers, Steveston, B.C.
3. PARTICULARS OF LEASE AND RENT AND DATE TO WHICH PAID:  
Arrangement with the A.B.C. Packers, Steveston, B.C.
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:
- |                          |         |       |
|--------------------------|---------|-------|
| 1 bath tub approx. value | \$30.00 |       |
| 100 records              | "       | 80.00 |
| Electric Massage Set     | "       | 30.00 |
| Carpenter's tools        | "       | 30.00 |
| 2 Men large saws         | "       | 16.00 |
| 3 lanterns               | "       | 4.00  |
| 2 oil stoves             | "       | 18.00 |
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: \_\_\_\_\_

None

10. INTEREST IN ANY ESTATES OR TRUSTS: \_\_\_\_\_

None

11. SAFETY DEPOSIT BOX: \_\_\_\_\_

None

**LIABILITIES:**

1. PERSONAL DEBTS: \_\_\_\_\_

None

2. TRADE DEBTS: \_\_\_\_\_

None

REMARKS: Key to #42 Phoenix Cannon will be left with the cannon upon evacuation

None

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 4th day of April

1942

*A. S. McArthur*

Witness

(Signature)

*Senroku Shirozaki*

FOR DEPARTMENTAL USE



INFORMATION FROM R.C.M.P.

DATE May 7/43

ur File No. 1159

Full Name SHIOSAKI, Seiroku  
(Surname in Block Letters)

Registration No. 03595 <sup>V</sup> Male - Female  
(Check) Age April 15/1877

Former Address P.O. Box 178, Steveston, B.C.

Date Evacuated 11/5/42 <sup>V</sup> Naturalized - Canadian-Born - National  
(Check)

Present Address Minto City, B.C.

Greenwood

<sup>V</sup> Married - Single  
(Check)

Name of Wife <sup>nee</sup> (SHIOZAKI) Tan #03597

Name of Husband

Name of Mother

Name of Father

Names of Children under 16

Requested by E.C.T.

Registered with Custodian Yes  
(Yes or No)

Additional Information Salmon Fisherman, Radio, Philco . S.N. W. 04391  
& Gramophone Attached.



PERSONAL PROPERTY SUMMARY

File No. 1159

September 25, 1946.

RE: Seiroku SHIOSAKI, Reg.No.03595

This file reveals the above owned no real property in any protected area of B.C., and did not carry any Fire Insurance.

**CHATELS:** The above, who made his declaration to the Custodian on April 4/42 declared goods as shown on Chattel Schedule on file, left at House #42 Phoenix Cannery, Steveston. His wife, File 1003, also declared goods at this house and these are also listed on Chattel Schedule, and since the proceeds from sale of same have been credited to a joint account in the name of the above and his wife, the Chattel Schedule has been made in duplicate, one for each file.

On July 3/42 Custodian agent, Mr. C.C. Robinson inventoried goods in the name of Mrs. Seiroku SHIOSAKI which he found in Phoenix Cannery House #44, List #80. A copy of this list was sent to Mr. Seiroku SHIOSAKI, which he signed on Dec. 9/42 and returned to this office. Mr. Robinson also inventoried goods in the name of Seiroku SHIOSAKI on July 3/42 found at House #42 Phoenix Cannery, List #81. A copy of this list was sent to Mrs. SHIOSAKI which she confirmed on Dec. 9/42 and returned to us. Since the lists had not been signed by the right parties, she having signed his list and he hers, we advised them on Oct. 25/45 that we had transferred the proceeds from sale of all chattels to a joint account in their names. Chattels removed from houses #42 and #44, Phoenix Cannery, were sold at auction for the net sum of \$74.26 and this sum credited to the joint account of the above and his wife.

On June 11/43 we received from the above a list of fishing nets which he stated he had left at the house of Mr. Ingram on Garry St., Steveston. All nets found at 139 Garry St. tagged with the name of the above were sold for the sum of \$90.00 and a Custodian cheque in this sum was remitted to the above on Jan. 12/46.

**SPECIFIED ARTICLES:** According to information supplied to this office the above was the registered owner of a fishing vessel the "S.S. 1254" which was sold through the Japanese Fishing Vessel Disposal Committee for the net sum of \$591.50 and this sum was paid to the above through his attorney, Mr. U. SAKAMOTO on July 13/42. Full details are given on the Specified Articles Summary on file.

The Philco radio which the above surrendered to the R.C.M.P. was handed over by them to the Custodian and sold at auction for the net sum of \$34.50 and this sum was remitted to the above on Sept. 6/45.

**MONEYS RECEIVABLE:** The sum of \$5.00 was transferred from B. C. Electric Railway Suspense Acct. to the account of the above after we had received his letter of May 2/46 stating that this sum belonged to him.

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.

Sept. 25/46

REM:LEM

*R.B. Mackenzie*

R.B. Mackenzie



SUMMARY TAKEN FROM VESSELS RECORDS

Date: June 21, 1944

Name: SHIOZAKI, Seiroku  
SHIOSAKI

Reg. No. 03595

File: 1159

Boat File No.: JFVDC 663

Name of Vessel: "S. S. 1254", 31'x7'x3' (1930) Vivian 15 HP

Lic. or Reg. No.: New Westminster 1986

Naval No.: NW.089-D

Owner's Valuation: \$1,500.00

JFVDC Valuation: 546.00 Survey #576 NW

Custodian Valuation: None

Date of Sale: July 13, 1942

Purchaser: British Columbia Packers Ltd.

Signature on Sales Papers: U. Sakamoto, Att'y for S. Shiosaki

Selling Price: \$600.00

Paid to JFVDC ~~as Custodian~~: 600.00

Supervision Costs: 8.50

Balance due Owner: 591.50

Paid to: S. Shiozaki, per U. Sakamoto, July 13, 42

Location of Boat at Sale: New Westminster

Claims Against Canadian Govt.:  
None

Additional Information:

*Ym at L. 1007  
April 26/46*



MEMORANDUM

July 30, 1943

To: File 1159

From: Specified Articles Department

Re: SHIOSAKI, Seiroku - Reg. 03595

<u>ARTICLE</u>	<u>DESCRIPTION</u>	<u>RCMP No. 115</u>	<u>APPRAISED VALUE</u>
RADIO	S. Philco, Serial No. WO4391, Model 3630-X. Chassis 3630 Code 121, and gramophone attachment.		\$35.00,

*S. Said by auction May 9/44 Vancouver 19.*

Sale Price: \$41.00

Expenses: 6.50

RCMP Receipt: Received & filed Sept. 1/45

Amount credited: 34.50

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This file reveals no motor-vehicles, cameras or  
firearms. For report on vessel see "Summary from Vessels Records"

LF

August 27, 1945.

J. Macdonald



LIABILITY SUMMARY

File No. 1159

October 5th, 1945.

RE: Seiroku SHIOSAKI, Reg.No. 03595

This file reveals no claims against this person.

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

*R.B. Mackenzie*

R. B. Mackenzie

October 5th, 1945.

RBM:LEW



NAME SHIOSAKI, Seiroku

REGISTRATION NO. 03595

FILE NO. 1159

The following chattels were sold by public  
auction at 992 Powell St., Vancouver, B.C. on May 9th, 1944.

Philco console Radio

\$ 41.00

Total	(Auctioneer's Fee: \$4.10
	(Advertising: 0.98
Less Expenses:	(Moving: 0.42
	(Storage: 1.00

\$	41.00
\$	6.50
\$	34.50

Net Proceeds Credited:

Members of Custodian Staff Present.

Mr. Wills

Extracted from Auctioneering list No.

Vancouver 19.

Remarks.



NAME SHIOSAKI, Seiroku  
SHIOSAKI, Tan (Mrs. Seiroku)

REGISTRATION NO. 03595  
03597

FILE NO. 1199  
1003

The following chattels were sold by public  
auction at Steveston, B.C. on February 25, 1944

Pair of skates

\$ 0.25 /1

Total  
Less Expenses: (Auctioneer's Fee: \$0.02  
(Advertisings 0.01  
(Moving: 0.02

\$ 0.25  
\$ 0.05  
\$ 0.20

Net Proceeds Credited:

Members of Custodian Staff Present. Mr. Harris

Extracted from Auctioneering List No. Steveston 7.

Remarks.



NAME SHIOHAKI, Seiroku  
SHIOHAKI, Tan (Mrs. Seiroku)

REGISTRATION NO. 03595  
03597

FILE NO. 1159  
1003

The following chattels were sold by public  
auction at Steveston, B.C. on February 18, 1944.

Kitchenware  
Chinaware  
Pots & Pans

\$ 0.40 K  
0.60 cl.  
2.10 K

Total (Auctioneer's Fee: \$0.31  
Less Expenses: (Advertising: 0.19  
(Movings: 0.40

+ \$ 3.10  
\$ 0.90  
2.20

Net Proceeds Credited:

Members of Custodian Staff Present.  
Extracted from Auctioneering List No.

Mr. Harris  
Steveston 6.

Remarks.

✓



NAME SHIOBAKI, Seiroku  
SHIOBAKI, Tan (Mrs. Seiroku)

REGISTRATION NO. 03596  
03597

FILE NO. 1159  
1203

The following chattels were sold by public  
 auction at Steveston, B.C. on January 14, 1944

13 dinner plates	2.00 ch
7 Bowls	1.10 ch
21 Dishes	1.60 ch
12 Small glasses	0.80 ch
2 Plates	1.25 ch
6 Bowls	1.90 ch
13 China trays	0.90 ch
3 Bowls	0.75 ch
4 Glass bowls	1.25 ch
Saucers	0.75 ch
4 Plates & jug	1.00 ch
2 Glass vases	0.35 ch
6 Platters	1.60 ch
4 Japanese china boxes	1.90 ch
Tea pot & pots	2.00 K
Carton Sundry china	2.90 ch

Total	(Auctioneer's Fee: \$2.15	* \$ 21.45
Less Expenses:	(Advertising: 0.91	\$ 5.44
	(Moving: 2.38	
Net Proceeds Credited:		\$ 16.01

Members of Custodian Staff Present. Mr. C.C. Robinson

Extracted from Auctioneering List No. Steveston 3.

Remarks.



NAME

SHIOSAKI, Seiroku  
SHIOSAKI, Tan (Mrs. Seiroku)

REGISTRATION NO.

03595  
03597

FILE NO.

1159  
1903

The following chattels were sold by public  
 auction at Stevenson, B.C. on December 10, 1943.

3 Parcels  
 Wall clock  
 Bureau with mirror  
 High chest of drawers with mirror

0.10 M  
 \$ 3.50 F  
 3.75 —  
 4.50 —

Total (Auctioneer's Fee: \$1.18  
 (Advertising: 0.61  
 Less Expenses: (Movings) 1.33

\$ 11.05

\$ 3.12

Net Proceeds Credited:

\$ 8.73

\$

G.C. Robinson

Members of Custodian Staff Present.

Stevenson 2.

Extracted from Auctioneering List No.

Remarks.



CHattel Schedule

File Nos. 1159 & 1003

Sept. 25/46

RE: Seiroku SHIOSAKI & Tan (Mrs. Seiroku) SHIOSAKI  
Reg. Nos. 03595 & 03597

DECLARED BY Seiroku  
SHIOSAKI on April 1/42 at  
House #42, Phoenix Cannery

INVENTORIED by Custodian  
agent, C.C. Robinson at  
House #42 and #44 on July  
3/42 - lists 80 and 81

SOLD

OTHER  
DISPOSITION

1 bath tub

not found or  
maybe left as  
a fixture  
not found

100 records

Electric massage set

1 case electric massage (electric health machine  
(electric health machine  
(both sold 14/11/45

carpenter's tools

2 large saws

3 lanterns

2 oil stoves

3 lanterns

not found  
not found  
missing  
not found

DECLARED BY Mrs.  
SHIOSAKI on  
April 3/42

Kitchenware

1 box china

1 box kitchenware

1 tin box crated

1 wooden box, closed

2 cartons

3 cardboard boxes

} These may  
} have contain-  
} ed china and  
} kitchenware as a  
} large quantity was sold

Jan. 14/44

Feb. 18/44

July 20/45

3 stoves

1 stove top

1 small heater

1 cook stove

1 chesterfield

Sept. 21/45

Feb. 16/45

discarded

discarded

sofa

carpet

4 beds

4 iron beds

4 mattresses

4 beds

4 tables

3 loose cushions

17 sold July 20/45

(1 chest of drawers - bureau with mirror &

( with mirror

(1 chest drawers

( with mirror

1 large clock

1 bundle umbrellas

Dec. 10/43

3 parasols sold

Dec. 10/43

5 tables

40 cushions

1 dresser

1 bundle bedding

1 large wooden cask

not found

missing

discarded

missing

missing

discarded

may have con-  
tained clothes  
given to  
U.N.R.R.A.



INVENTORIED, etc.SOLDOTHER  
DISPOSITION

2 baskets clothes		U.N.R.R.A.
1 suit case	July 20/45	missing
1 ironing board		missing
1 roll oil cloth		missing
1 signal set in case		missing
13 chairs		missing
2 benches		missing
1 pr. rubber boots		U.N.R.R.A.
2 baskets clothes		U.N.R.R.A.
1 generator		missing
1 tin box clothes		U.N.R.R.A.
1 box R.R. lanterns		missing
lead lines		missing
3 boxes boat gear		missing
2 funnels		missing
1 pr. binoculars - opera glasses	Nov. 14/45	
kimonas	Nov. 14/45	

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

Sept. 25/46

REN:LEM

*R.B. Mackenzie*  
R.B. Mackenzie



NAME SHIOBAKI, Sairoku  
SHIOBAKI, Tan (Mrs. Sairoku)

REGISTRATION NO. 03595  
03597

FILE NO. 1159  
1003

The following chattels were sold by public  
auction at Steveston, B.C. on November 14, 1945.

Kimmas etc.  
Opera glasses  
Electric Health machine  
Electric Health machine

\$ 7.75 cl  
2.00 m  
5.00 — } 25.00  
17.00 — }  
A

Total (Auctioneer's Fee: \$3.18  
Less Expenses: (Advertising: 1.08  
(Moving: 1.23

\$ 31.75  
\$ 5.49  
\$ 26.26

Net Proceeds Credited:

Members of Custodian Staff Present. Mr. Wills

Extracted from Auctioneering List No. Steveston 42.

Remarks.



NAME SHIOSAKI, Seiroku  
SHIOSAKI, Tan (Mrs. Seiroku)

REGISTRATION NO. 03595  
03597

FILE NO. 1159  
1003

The following chattels were sold by public  
auction at Steveston, B.C. on September 21, 1945.

- Box heater

5.25 F

Total

(Auctioneer's Fee: \$0.53)

Less Expenses: (Advertising:

0.34

(Moving:

0.68

Net Proceeds Credited:

\$	5.25
\$	1.55
\$	3.70

Members of Custodian Staff Present.

Mr. Harris

Extracted from Auctioneering List No.

Steveston 38.

Remarks.



MEMORANDUM

File No. 1003

Sept. 20/45

TO: The File

FROM: Mr. R. B. Mackenzie

RE: Tan (Mrs. Seiroko) SHIOZAKI

The following articles were destroyed or abandoned  
as being of no value:

- 1 Large carton
- 1 Wood box (destroyed by rats)

RBM:LEW

*RBM*



SHIOZAKI, Seiroku  
NAME SHIOZAKI, Ten (Mrs. Seiroku)

REGISTRATION NO. 03995  
03997

FILE NO. 1199  
1009

The following chattels were sold by public  
auction at Stevenson, B.C. on July 20, 1945

5 Cushions	\$ 1.40 F
Clock (alarm)	0.60 F
10 Cushions	2.10 F
2 Cushions	1.50 F
Kitchen ware etc.	✓ 1.00 K
Suitcase, trays	1.75 M
Chinaware	✓ 1.00 Ch
China & glass	✓ 1.00 Ch

5 1.40  
10 2.10  
2 1.50  
17 5.00 ✓

1.00 K  
1.00 Ch  
1.00 Ch  
3.00 ✓

Total (Auctioneer's Fee: \$1.04  
Less Expenses (Advertising: 0.80  
(Savings: 1.12

\$ 10.35
\$ 2.96
\$ 7.39

Net Proceeds Credited:

Members of Custodian Staff Present.

Mr. Harris

Extracted from Auctioneering List No.

Stevenson 37.

Remarks.



NAME SHIOSAKI, Seiroku  
SHIOSAKI, Tom (Mrs. Seiroku)

REGISTRATION NO. 03595  
03597

FILE NO. 1159  
1003

The following chattels were sold by public  
auction at Stevenson, B.C. on February 16, 1943.

Chesterfield

7 \$ 13.00 -

Total

Less Expenses: (Auctioneer's Fee: \$1.30  
(Advertising: 0.59  
(Movings: 1.34

Net Proceeds Credited:

\$	13.00
\$	3.23
\$	<u>9.77</u>

Members of Custodian Staff Present. Mr. Harris

Extracted from Auctioneering List No. Stevenson 29.

Remarks.



Sept. 25/46

RE: Seiroku SHIOSAKI, Reg. No. 03595

All trunks and personal belongings in storage at Steveston were opened and inspected in October, 1945. Goods of no value were discarded; clothing of no saleable value were turned over to U.N.R.R.A.; saleable articles were auctioned and any personal photographs or goods of a personal nature are stored at the Buddhist Temple at Steveston ready for shipment at the request of the Japanese.

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 SHIOSAKI, S. Lot 346

1 carton - opened:

U.N.R.R.A. - 4 ladies coats  
 1 man's coat

Discarded - rags

1 kori - opened:

Auction - 1 pr. cheap binoculars

✓ 4 kimonos

2 pieces cloth

U.N.R.R.A. - 2 dresses

1 shirt

2 pieces underwear

Discarded - rags

Personal - photographs

1 album

1 packing case - opened:

Auction - toys

1 mirror

1 case lacquerware

U.N.R.R.A. - 2 shirts

Discarded - 1 small carton of paper

1 small carton of Japanese books & scribblers

1 small box of old papers

1 small carton of rags

1 small carton of rags and 2 hats

Personal - 1 book

photographs

1 Japanese musical instrument

Lot 168.

2 small black suitcases

Auction - beautician's electrical equipment

*R.B. Macleod*



Name: SHIOSAKI, Seiroku

File: 1159

Reg. No: 03595

CHATTELS

OFFICE OF THE CUSTODIAN  
JAPANESE SECTION

RECEIVED  
DEC 14 1942

- 1 large clock ✓
- 1 chest of drawers with mirror ✓
- 1 pr. rubber boots ✓
- 2 baskets clothes ✓
- 1 generator
- 1 tin box clothes ✓
- 1 box R.R. lanterns ✓
- 3 lanterns ✓
- lead lines ✓
- 3 boxes boat gear
- 2 funnels ✓
- 1 box china ✓
- 1 box kitchen ware ✓

*2 1/2 sets  
approx*

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

Date December 9, 1942 Signed Seiroku Shiosaki

Please sign and return one copy to this office.

EXHIBIT NO.

322-5

DATE

7 June 1948

FILLED BY

Crowson



# Royal Canadian Mounted Police

Vancouver B.C. March 10 1942

\$

Received from Roy Tennant OTANI on behalf of  
S. SHIOZAKI

Steveston B.C.

One Radio Philco

Serial No. W04391

Dollars,

Model 3630X Chain 3630 Code 121

+ gramophone attachment

Signature

J. F. Miles Cst



# ROYAL CANADIAN MOUNTED POLICE

Form 200A

No. **115**

## EXHIBIT REPORT

HEADQUARTERS File No.

SUB-DIV'N and File No. **Vancouver**

DIVISION and File No.

DETACHMENT and File No. **C.I.B.**

(Jap. Reg. 03595)

DATE **April 24th, 1944**

Re: **S. SHIOSAKI, Steveston, B.C.**

On **March 10th, 1942** **P.R. Jefferson, Cst.**

Came into possession of the following described goods by

**Handed over by Roy Tsuchihira OTANI**  
(State Authority from whom seized and place of seizure)

No. OF EXHIBIT	No. OF PACKAGES	CAPACITY OR SIZE	DESCRIPTION OF EXHIBITS
	<b>1</b>		<b>Radio - Philco, Serial No. W 04391, Model 3630X, Chassis 3630, Code 121, and gramophone attachment.</b>
<p>EXHIBIT NO. <b>322-3</b></p> <p>DATE <b>7 June 1948</b></p> <p>FILLED BY <b>Croon</b></p> <p><b># 1159</b></p>			

REMARKS: **Handed over to the Custodian of Alien Property.**

DATE **APR 25 1944**

(State briefly disposition)

**CERTIFIED CORRECT**  
**P.R. Jefferson, Cst.**  
**10559, Cst.**



Name of Owner: (Mr.) Seiroku Shiosaki

Registration No.: 03595

Address: Minto Mine, B.C.

VACUATION SECTION	
Rec'd	JUN 11 1943
File No.	1159
Ans.	
Referred	Section

FISHING NET INVENTORY

1. Place of Storage Mr. W. C. Ingram's House (Garry St.

(a) In whose care Mr. W. C. Ingram Steveston, B.C.

(b) Whereabouts of key (if any) \_\_\_\_\_

2. Description of nets as follows:

Type	Mesh	Ply	Mesher Depth	Fathom Length	Valuation	Any other marks of identification
(1) Sockeye Net	5 7/8"	5/50	50	200 ft.		used for only 1 year
(2) Coho Net	7"	6/40	45	200 ft		used for only 1 year
(3) Sockeye Net	5 1/4"	4/40	50	200 ft		used for only 1 year
(4) Sockeye Net	5 7/8"	7/50	50	200 ft		used for 2 years

Please send me the money to the above address  
as soon as you sold them.  
Yours truly,  
S. Shiosaki

See letter  
June 11/43  
800 ft

N. B. Please do not exaggerate fathom length or valuation, as this will only make it harder to identify your nets, and to credit any money received from their sale to their rightful owners.

Check No 535 - 4/4" x 5 1/2" x 50 - Valued \$200.00, sold \$100.00  
x Phoenix Cannery. Tagged S. Shiosaki - very possible answer  
lived lived at Phoenix Cannery



# Agreement for Sale of Vessel

BETWEEN: SEIROKU SHIOSAKI, formerly of Steveston, B.C.

(hereinafter called the "Vendor")

~~BRITISH COLUMBIA PACKERS LTD.,~~

AND

BRITISH COLUMBIA PACKERS LTD., foot of Campbell Avenue, Vancouver, B.C.

(hereinafter called the "Purchaser")

OF THE FIRST PART

OF THE SECOND PART

In consideration of the sum of \$1.00, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, we agree to the sale and purchase of the vessel hereunder described:

Name of Vessel: "B B"

Port of Registry: New Westminster, B.C.

Official Number: NW 1986

Length: 31'

Breadth: 7'

Depth: 3'

Propelling power: 15 H.P. Vivian gas engine

For the price or sum of \$ 600.00

Payable as follows: Cash.

FURTHER, we the said Seiroku Shiosaki,

for my heirs, covenant with the said British Columbia Packers Ltd. and their assigns, that we have power to transfer in the manner aforesaid, the premises hereinbefore expressed to be transferred, and that the same are free from encumbrances, except as hereunder set out:

BALANCE of purchase price to be secured forthwith by mortgage on the vessel.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF the parties hereto have hereunto set their hands and seals this second day of June A.D. 1942.

SIGNED, SEALED and DELIVERED  
in the presence of:

S. Shiosaki  
Y. Sakamoto  
atty



115-9  
CASE NO. 522

JAPANESE PROPERTY CLAIMS COMMISSION

Grand Forks, B.C.

June 7, 1948

IN THE MATTER OF THE CLAIM OF  
SEIROKU SHIOSAKI

PROCEEDINGS AT HEARING



IN THE MATTER OF THE "INQUIRIES ACT"  
PART I. REVISED STATUTES OF CANADA 1927. CHAPTER 92

JAPANESE PROPERTY CLAIMS COMMISSION

B E F O R E  
(HIS HONOUR, JUDGE M.M. COLQUHOUN, SUB-COMMISSIONER)

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20 APPEARANCES:

HAROLD W. McINNIS, Esq.,

appearing for the  
Dominion Government

A.E. COBUS, Esq.,

appearing for the  
Claimant

L.A. DODD, Esq.,

Secretary to Grand  
Forks Sub-Commission

G.N.R. UPTON, Esq.,

Official Interpreter

G. HAMBLETON, Esq.,

Official Reporter

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S. Shiosaki  
In Chief

MR. COBUS: The claim, your honour, of Shiosaki, Seiroku, which is No. 89 on the Secretary's list. This will become Case No. 322.

SEIROKU SHIOSAKI, the Claimant herein, being first duly sworn, testified through the official interpreter as follows:

10 MR. COBUS: I would ask leave, your honour, to amend the claim, which is a claim for personal property only. Item 6, the fishing boat, is abandoned subject to the Terms of Reference being broadened. We now have summarized the claim under two heads: "Nets and Lines," valued at \$500.00, and, under the general heading "Chattels," \$400.00, a total claim of \$900.00. The credit to the Custodian is \$279.00, leaving a net claim of \$620.20.

DIRECT EXAMINATION BY MR. COBUS:

20 Q: Witness, I produce to you a statement concerning the nets and lines for which you are making a claim. Did you instruct Mr. Leckie to prepare this statement for you and is that your signature?

A: Yes.

Q: The statements contained therein, are they true to the best of your knowledge and recollection?

A: Yes.

MR. COBUS: I ask leave to file the statement as the first exhibit, your honour.

(STATEMENT MARKED EXHIBIT NO. 1)

30 MR. COBUS: The statement is a brief one, your honour.



S. Shiosaki  
In Chief

He has listed four nets, has given complete details as to the kind of nets he is claiming for, the original value thereof and the estimated value at the date of evacuation. Then, in the middle of the page, he has noted four lead and cork lines which were purchased in 1939; those he values at \$200.00, making a total claim for nets and lines, \$500.00.

10 He says that the lines were left at the Phoenix Cannery warehouse at Steveston, B.C. with his name on tags which were attached. The nets were left at Mori's house, which he says is the same as Mr. Ingraham's house, which was located on Garry Street, Steveston, B.C. He adds that he has allowed for depreciation on nets and lines.

Q: Witness, I produce to you a statement concerning certain personal chattels for which you are claiming. Did you instruct Mr. Leckie to prepare this statement for you and is that your signature?

A: Yes.

Q: Are the contents of that statement true to the best of your knowledge and recollection?

A: Yes.

MR. COBUS: I would ask leave to file the personal chattels statement, your honour.

(STATEMENT MARKED EXHIBIT NO. 2)

MR. COBUS: The statement is complete in itself inasmuch as the witness has listed under "A" certain household chattels, and under "B" he has made a separate



account of a Philco radio. He says the goods for which he is claiming are valued after allowing depreciation. He says that the radio was turned in to the R.C.M.P. at Vancouver in April, 1941.

Would my learned friend produce the R.C.M.P. receipt from the Custodian's file?

MR. McINNES: I produce what purports to be, on the Royal Canadian Mounted Police Stationery, a receipt for one Philco radio, dated the 25th of April, 1944.

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MR. COBUS: Witness, I produce to you a receipt dated April 24, 1944 which says that on March 10, 1942 certain goods came into the hands of the R.C.M.P. and under "description" they have listed one radio, Philco, Serial No. W 04391, and so on. Is this the receipt for the radio which you turned in to the mounted police?

A: This is my radio.

MR. COBUS: At the bottom of the form, your honour, there is this remark, that it was "Handed over to the Custodian of Alien Property." I file it on behalf of the Crown.

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(RECEIPT MARKED EXHIBIT NO. 3)

MR. COBUS: Would my learned friend produce the Analysis of Personal Property Claim?

(Handed to Mr. Cobus)

MR. COBUS: I would ask to file the Analysis on behalf of the Crown, your honour.

(ANALYSIS MARKED EXHIBIT NO. 4)

30 MR. COBUS: Your witness.



S. Shiosaki  
Cross exam

10 MR. McINNES: It is submitted, your honour, that the  
nets and lines were never declared, never found,  
and do not come within the Terms of Reference.  
Alternatively it is submitted that certain nets  
were found at the home of one Mori, which is  
not the place where the net inventory discloses  
they were, and that these nets and lines, such  
of them as bore the name of the claimant, were  
sold for their fair market value and he received  
credit therefor. As far as the chattel claim  
is concerned, it is submitted that these goods  
were sold for their fair market value.

CROSS EXAMINATION BY MR. McINNES:

Q: Witness, you and your wife both filed J.P. forms,  
did you not? A: Yes.

Q: And neither of you at that time declared any  
nets or fishing gear? A: I did not put  
it in there, I only put my household furniture.

20 Q: Yes. I am producing to you two documents which  
purport to be statements by yourself and your  
wife of all the chattels which you left in the  
protected area. A: Yes.

MR. McINNES: I would like to file these, your honour.  
They are both dated the 9th of December, 1942.  
They are signed by this witness and his wife  
and set out inventories of goods which they claim-  
ed were left in the protected area and belonged  
to them.



Q: Now, you still hadn't mentioned at that time  
that you had any fishing gear. A: No.

Q: You are claiming here \$300.00 for four nets.

A: Yes.

Q: And the Custodian did find four nets which were  
sold for \$190.00, isn't that right?

A: Yes, I received that.

Q: And he found those at a man called Mori's house.

A: Yes.

10 Q: Now, were these lead and cork lines supposed to  
be at the same place as the nets?

A: I left those at the Phoenix Cannery.

Q: The lines were in a different place than the  
nets, then? A: Yes.

Q: Did you at any time ever tell the Custodian that  
these lines were at the Phoenix Cannery?

A: No.

MR. McINNES: That is all, thank you.

MR. COBUS: I would like to call attention, your honour,  
20 to the Analysis sheet which is filed as Exhibit  
4, and point out that in the Custodian's own  
analysis, with respect to the four lines under  
"Details of Claim," he has shown the amount for  
which the claim is being made, \$200.00, under the  
heading "No account, theft."

That is all, your honour.

THE COMMISSIONER: That is all, thank you.

(Witness aside)

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(PROCEEDINGS ADJOURNED SINE DIE)



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I hereby certify the foregoing to be a true and accurate transcript of the proceedings herein.

*Carlon Hambleton*  
G. Hambleton  
Official Reporter

I hereby certify that the foregoing transcript purports to be an accurate record of the evidence adduced before me.

M.M. Colquhoun  
Sub-Commissioner

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DEFENCE BRIEF

Grand Forks  
7 June 1948

Seiroku SHIOSAKI

File No. 1159

Case No. 322 ✓

PERSONAL PROPERTY CLAIMS

1. Chattel Claim

I 275.00 Household goods  
II 125.00 Radio  
\$400.00

(a) H.H. goods valued by  
claimant at \$225.00 Sold by Auction \$48.80  
  
Radio valued by  
claimant at \$125.00 " " " \$41.00

Witness: Thompson & B., Auctioneers  
Wills (Radio) }  
Harris ✓ } Attended Sale.  
Robinson ✓ }

Radio appraised at \$35.00.

(b) H.H. goods (carpet) declared but not found \$50.00

Witness: C.C. Robinson ✓

This carpet was not inventoried by  
Custodian's field men and was not  
on the lists (Ex. 322-5) signed by  
the claimants, of all chattels  
owned by them in the protected area.

Ex. 1 - Chattels statement.  
Ex. 3 - R.C.M.P. receipt for radio.  
Ex. 4 - Analysis of Personal Property Claim.

Sold for F.M.V.

2. Fishing Nets Claim

I \$300.00 - 4 Nets  
II 200.00 - 4 Lead & Cork lines  
\$500.00

(a) Nets valued by claimant at \$300.00 sold for \$190.00.

No nets were declared on J.P. form,  
but all nets found at 139 Garry Street  
tagged with claimant's name were sold,  
one for \$100.00 3 Dec. 42, the rest  
for \$90.00 27 Jan. 43. Total 800  
fathoms as claimed on the list received  
11 June 1943.



(b) Lines not declared and not found \$200.00.

*The Morays then  
lines were stolen.*

No lines were declared on J.P. form and none belonging to claimant were found: further, claimant did not report any lines on his net list received by Custodian 11 June 43. The lead lines on the chattel list Ex. 322-5 were claimed by Mori file 4969 and were sold for 45.00 and the proceeds credited to Mori who has since received the money.

RWN/mw



October 3rd, 1950.

Mr. Seiroku SHIOSAKI,  
Box 548,  
Greenwood, B. C.

Dear Sir:

Re: Japanese Property Claims Commission  
Case No. 322

We have received from the Co-Operative Committee on Japanese Canadians, Release executed by yourself covering the award recommended under the above Commission, for the sum of \$211.79.

Cheque for \$199.54 is enclosed herein, and the sum of \$12.25 has been paid to the Co-Operative Committee on Japanese Canadians for legal fees as authorized.

Yours truly,

F. G. Shears,  
Director.

FUS-js  
1 encl.



Name of Claimant **SHIOSAKI, Seiroku**Case **322**Custodian File **1159**

<u>REAL PROPERTY</u>											Total
Greater Vancouver		Rural (except V.L.A.)			V.L.A. (except Mission Village)		V.L.A. Mission Village				
Sale Price	5% thereof & 12.50	Sale Price	10% thereof	Charges 12.50 & Comm.	Sale Price	Total Award 80% of all Sale Prices % of Amount Total	Sale Price	Total Award 125% of all Sale Prices % of Amount Total			
<u>PERSONAL PROPERTY</u>											
Motor Vehicles			Boats and Boat Gear								
Sale Price	25% thereof	Sale Price	Nelson Bros. 23.5% of Sale Price	Other Sales 28.5% of Sale Price	Equipment charges paid to purchasers in error. Repay to owners	Amount of Claims for Boat Gear Declared & Recorded Now Missing	45% of amount in next preceding column				
<u>NETS</u>											
Total award for Nets plus Sale Price		Total Claim for Nets Sold, Declared Not Found and Recorded Now Missing			Percentage Total Award to Total Claim		Claim for Nets Sold Declared Not Found, & Recorded Now Missing		Apply % ratio to Claim	Deduct Custodian Sale Price	
							300.00 200.00			190.00	160.00
<u>MISCELLANEOUS CHATTELS</u>											
Claim for goods Sold By Auction	Sale Price of Goods Sold By Auction	Rebates of charges 30% of Sale Price	Ratio in % of Sale Price to Claim	Claim for goods Declared Not Found, Recorded Now Missing, & Sold Not Paid	Applica- tion of % ratio to amount in next preceding column	Sale Price of goods Sold by Tender	12% of Sale Price				
288.50	89.80	26.94	31.07%	80.00	24.85			51.79			
TOTAL RECOMMENDATION											211.79



28th March, 1951.

Mr. Seiroku SHIOSAKI,  
Regn. No. 03595,  
Greenwood, B.C.

Dear Sir:

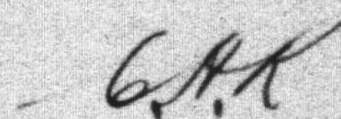
Distribution is now being made from the assets  
of the River Fish Company at the rate of \$33.98 per share.  
You were the holder of 5 shares and payment to you is as  
follows:

5 shares	\$169.89
Less previously advanced	<u>70.00</u>
	\$ 99.89

Custodian cheques for this amount is attached  
hereto.

Please acknowledge receipt.

Yours truly,



C. H. Reed,  
Office of the Custodian.

CH:HA  
Encl.