

1276

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: **ONO, Shigenobu**HOME ADDRESS: **Inverness Cannery, Skeena River, B. C.**REGISTRATION NUMBER **11048** SEX: **Male** AGE: **20**OCCUPATION: **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: **J. H. Todd & Sons, Victoria, B. C.**MARRIED? **Single**NAME OF WIFE OR HUSBAND: **-----**ADDRESS OF WIFE OR HUSBAND: **-----**NAMES OF ANY LIVING CHILDREN: **-----**ADDRESS OF CHILDREN: **-----**AGE OF CHILDREN: **-----**

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)

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: -----
8. STATE IF ANY OTHER PERSON HAS ANY INTEREST: -----
9. IF FARM LAND STATE CROPS SOWN: -----

STATEMENT OF REAL PROPERTY OCCUPIED

1. LOCATION AND DESCRIPTION: Cannery Cabin,
2. LANDLORD'S NAME AND ADDRESS: Inverness Cannery, Skeena River, B.
3. PARTICULARS OF LEASE AND RENT AND DATE TO WHICH PAID:
Rent free
4. STATE WHEREABOUTS OF LEASE:
5. SUB-TENANTS, IF ANY (Give name, address, rent and to what date paid)

6. IF FARM LAND, PARTICULARS OF CROPS SOWN: -----

STATEMENT OF PERSONAL PROPERTY OWNED:

1. GIVE BRIEF DESCRIPTION AND STATE LOCATION OF FURNITURE, FIXTURES, EQUIPMENT AND MACHINERY, STOCK IN TRADE AND PERSONAL EFFECTS:
and see 2/11/55 * 29'6" gas boat, value \$600. clear, in custody on Fraser River
Cohoe net, value, \$100. in care of Inverness Cannery, Skeena River
Eastman Kodak, No. 620, lens 8.45. and case. \$45. in custody

R. C. * Price Rupert, B. C.

* Sold to Inverness Cannery - \$100

2. HORSES, LIVESTOCK AND OTHER ANIMALS, POULTRY AND PETS

3. GIVE THE NAME AND ADDRESS OF ANY PERSON HAVING ANY INTEREST IN, OR CLAIM ON ANY SUCH PROPERTY: -----

4. INSURANCE CARRIED ON ABOVE PROPERTY: _____

5. MORTGAGES, LIENS AND OTHER CLAIMS ON PROPERTY IN POSSESSION OF
OTHERS: _____

6. MONEYS OWING TO YOU (State if any of these debts assigned and if so, to whom) _____

----- Sale of boat - \$600 - Inverness Cannery

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

War Savings Certificates, \$80 (No. T. E. 2420) in own possession

8. BANK ACCOUNTS: _____

9. LIFE INSURANCE: _____

10. INTEREST IN ANY ESTATES OR TRUSTS: _____

11. SAFETY DEPOSIT BOX: _____

LIABILITIES:

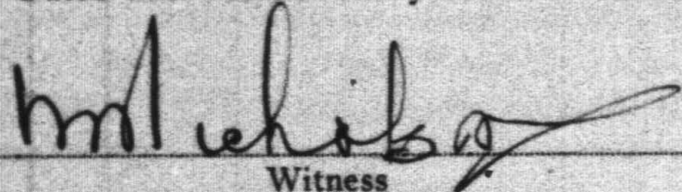
1. PERSONAL DEBTS: _____

2. TRADE DEBTS: _____

REMARKS: _____

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 24th day of March, 1942.


Witness

(Signature)

Shigenobu Ono

FOR DEPARTMENTAL USE _____

INFORMATION FROM R.C.M.P.

DATE April 3/43

ur File No. 1276

Full Name ONO, Shigenobu
(Surname in Block Letters)

Registration No. 11048

^V
Male - Female
(Check)

Age Feb. 20/1922

Former Address Inverness Cannery, Skeena River, B.C.

Date Evacuated 1/6/42

^V
Naturalized - Canadian-Born - National
(Check)

Present Address Slocan, B.C.

^V
Married - Single
(Check)

Name of Wife

Name of Husband

^{nee}
Name of Mother (MOTOMACHI) Rito #11064 Name of Father Juhei #11050

Names of Children under 16

Requested by J. Spratt

Registered with Custodian yes
(Yes or No)

Additional Information Fisherman. Owner of Gasboat.

LIABILITY SUMMARY

File 1276

January 25th, 1946.

Shigenobu ONO. Reg. No. 11048

This file reveals no liabilities.

This summary is certified to be in
accordance with information on file.

DATED:

G. MacLean
8/2/46

PERSONAL PROPERTY SUMMARY

File No. 1276

January 25th, 1946.

Shigenobu ONO, Reg. No. 11048

In his Declaration to the Custodian, March 24th, 1942, this man declared ownership of a fishing vessel valued at \$600.00. This fishing vessel was sold by Shigenobu Ono through the Japanese Fishing Vessels Disposal Committee for the total sum of \$600.00. After deductions of \$8.50 to cover the Committee's charges, the balance of \$591.50 was paid to Ono on March 30th, 1942.

He declared a Cohoe Net valued at \$100.00 in the care of Inverness Canneries, Skeena River. Nothing further appears on the file in regard to this net, and it is likely that this was disposed of by Ono himself, prior to his evacuation as he did not leave the protected area until June 1st, 1942.

He declared an Eastman Kodak camera and case valued at \$45.00. This camera was reported to this office by the Royal Canadian Mounted Police as having been surrendered by Juhei Ono, father of this man. This camera was sold by the Japanese to a Mr. Taylor and was handed to the purchaser in December, 1943 by the R.C.M.P.

He declared \$80.00 worth of War Savings Certificates. These were in his own possession at the time of his declaration and did not come under the control of this office.

The sum of \$50.25 has been credited to this account in full settlement of the claim filed by Ono with the Japanese Fishing Vessels Disposal Committee for refund of expenses incurred in delivering the vessel, "J.O." to Naval Service, Steveston, in December, 1941. This file reveals no other property of any kind.

This summary is certified to be in accordance with information on file.

DATED: *G. Macdonald*
8/2/46

SUMMARY TAKEN FROM VESSELS RECORDS

Date: Dec. 29, 1943

Name: Shigenobu ONO

Reg. No. 11048 File: 1276

Boat File No.: JFVDC # 262

Name of Vessel: "J.O." 3047 29'x7'x3' (1931) Palmer 7 HP (1931)

Lic. or Reg. No.: Prince Rupert 199

Naval No.: PR.053-C

Owner's Valuation: \$600.00

JFVDC Valuation: Not valued

Custodian Valuation: " "

Date of Sale: March 18, 1942

Purchaser: J. H. Todd & Sons Ltd.

Signature on Sales Papers: S. Ono

Selling Price: \$600.00

Paid to JFVDC ~~on Custodian's~~ \$600.00

Supervision Costs: \$8.50

Balance due Owner: \$591.50

Paid to: Shigenobu ONO on March 30, 1942

Location of Boat at Sale: New Westminster

Claims Against Canadian Govt.: None

Battery, generator, compass & wrenches held by owner at time of impounding.

Additional Information:

Bill of sale reads: boat to be in first class condition and in running order. All equipment to be included in price.

As there is no claim for missing inventory, the boat equipment must have been supplied either by Shigenobu ONO or from equipment pool at New Westminster.

MacKison
8/2/46

FM

CLAIM

November 13, 1944

FILE: 1276

CREDITOR: Shigenobu ONO, 11048

DEBTOR: Canadian Government

AMOUNT: \$90.25

Expenses incurred in connection with the seizure and removal from the Skeena River to Fraser River of the M/V. "J.O." PR. 199.

Sm

File No. 1276

December 23, 1943.

MEMORANDUM TO FILE Re: Shigenobu ONO

The 620 Jiffy Kodak received from this Japanese has been handed to Mr. Taylor as per attached. Mrs. Taylor will be seeing the owner in the near future and will see if any further particulars can be discovered.

HFG:EB


.....

Received from office
of the Custodian
one 620 Litty
Kodak sand to be brought
to Cincinnati Ohio.

H. Taylor
424 E. Euclid St
City.

21/12/43.

"E" DIVISION.

L. H. 3A

ROYAL CANADIAN MOUNTED POLICE

C.I.B.

IN REPLY PLEASE QUOTE

DIV. FILE No. 43E.269/2/1-25
42E.269/2/1-113

H. Q. FILE No. _____

Vancouver, B.C.
July 20, 1943.

H.F. Green, Esq.,
Protection Department,
Office of the Custodian,
Japanese Evacuation Section,
506 Royal Bank Bldg.,
VANCOUVER, B.C.

EVACUATION SECTION	
Rec'd	JUL 21 1943
File No.	1276 X 160
Ans.	24/7
Referred	<i>[Signature]</i>

Dear Sir:

Re: Shigenbu ONO - JR #11048,
Junel ONO - JR #11050.

With reference to your letter of the 7th inst., addressed to our Prince Rupert office, please find attached hereto copy of Prince Rupert detachment report of the 14th inst., from which it will be noted that the camera handed over by our Force is identical with the camera received from the Naval Service.

It will also be noted that the receipt attached to your letter of June 9th, 1943 makes no mention of any other camera but the 620 Kodak.

If there is any further question in connection with this matter, please endeavour to obtain the original receipt to assist in our investigation.

Yours truly,

[Signature]
(C.K. Gray) Supt.
for O.C. "E" Div. (A.O.D.)

DEM/G
Encl.

ROYAL CANADIAN MOUNTED POLICE

P. 117

DIVISION **"E"** SUB-DIVISION **"E"** DETACHMENT **Prince Rupert**
 PROVINCE **B. C.** DATE **July 14th. 1943.**

FILE NO. **Re: ONO, Shigenbu, Reg. No. 11048 and**
ONO, Juhei, Reg. No. 11050.

HEADQUARTERS

SUB-DIVISION

DETACHMENT

P.C.R.

A. R. V. No.

DIARY DATE

SET FOR.....

1. Attached hereto please find copies of a letter received at this Detachment from the Protection Dept., Dept. of the Secretary of State, Japanese Evacuation Section, under date of July 7th. 1943, in connection with the Kodak Camera seized from the above named and forwarded to the O. C. "E" Div. on the 29th. ult. per instructions received on 23-6-43 from the Officer I/c "E" Div. C. I. B.

2. It will be noted in the attached letter that there is an item referring to a pencil notation on the original receipt obtained from the R. C. Navy, the copy of the receipt received with the original request for the camera does not bear this notation.

3. The camera in this instance is well remembered by the writer by the home made wooden box which contained it at the time it was received from the R. C. Navy, at which time all articles received were closely examined for any identification marks, such as serial numbers, etc., and had this camera being of an expensive type it only stands to reason that a full description would have been noted on the F. 246.

4. Under the circumstances it would appear that either item B. or C of Para. 4, of the attached letter has occurred as I can definitely state that the camera forwarded by this Det. is identical to the one received from the R. C. Navy.

Att:

SGD A/Cpl.
 (J.F.Piper) Reg.No.11929.
 I/c Prince Rupert Det.

1276
1650

July 7th, 1943

The R. C. M. P.,
Prince Rupert, B. C.

Dear Sirs:-

Re: ONO, Shigenobu--#11048
ONO, Juhei--#11050

Further to ours of June 9th, we have now received safely, the 620 Kodak Jiffy Camera belonging to Juhei Ono.

We are sorry to trouble you further, but a question has now arisen which we think needs further investigation and in which we think you may be interested. You will remember that with our previous letter we sent you a copy of the R. C. M. P. Skipper's receipt for the radio and camera. We do not think, however, that this copy bore on it the following pencil notation which appears on the original.

"Kodak 620 F 4.5 Kodak Anastigmat Lens, speed up to 250 sec., self-timer. In a gray color box with name and address."

As our records show that you held a 620 Kodak Jiffy Camera and as the pencil notation referred to above mentions 620, we assumed that these were identical instruments. The camera we received from you, however, though it is a 620 (being merely a film measurement) has certainly not an F 4.5 Anastigmat Lens nor has it speed up to 250 seconds being merely a cheap camera with a fixed lens aperture and shutter speed.

Under these circumstances, one of three things seems to have occurred.

(a) You have in addition belonging to Juhei Ono, a camera of the above description (F 4.5 etc. etc.). We much hope that this is so and if it is, request you to

Lenin 2/7

Feb. 10th 1942.

Inverness Cannery House #15
Skeena River.

Mr. S. Juhei Ono 1 6 tube Victor mantel
radio also 1 Kodak 620 taken on board H. M. C. S.
Cougar.

G. B. LeVae

Svp. R. C. N. R.

Camera is property of Shigenobu Ono.

J. Ono.

Kodak 620 #4.5 Kodak an Astigmat Lense.

Speed up to 250 sec. self-timer.

In a grey color box with name and address.

(above particulars also given in Japanese)

C O P Y