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**BUREAU HASTINGS PARK
OFFICE OF THE CUSTODIAN
JAPANESE SECTION**

FILE No. 2326

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 INFORMATIONNAME: ARIZONO, ZentaroHOME ADDRESS: 357 Powell St., Vancouver, B.C.REGISTRATION NUMBER 01778SEX: MaleAGE: 61OCCUPATION: 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: NoneMARRIED? YesNAME OF WIFE OR HUSBAND: NIKAADDRESS OF WIFE OR HUSBAND: 357 Powell St., Vancouver, B.C.NAMES OF ANY LIVING CHILDREN: TAKASHI (M)ADDRESS OF CHILDREN: 357 Powell St., Vancouver, B.C.AGE OF CHILDREN: 15**STATEMENT OF ALL REAL PROPERTY** (Each parcel must be mentioned and particulars given)

1. LOCATION AND DESCRIPTION:

2. BUILDINGS AND OTHER IMPROVEMENTS:

EXHIBIT No. 645-3DATE Sept 8/48FILED BY G. S. a. P.

3. INSURANCE (Give particulars; state where policies are)

4. TAXES (Amount and where payable)

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

6. OCCUPANCY AND LEASES (If vacant so state)

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: 357 Powell St., Vancouver, B.C.
Apt. 5-rooms

2. LANDLORD'S NAME AND ADDRESS: Mr. Suzuki-357 Powell St., Vancouver
B.C.

3. PARTICULARS OF LEASE AND RENT AND DATE TO WHICH PAID: 15.00 per mth.
paid up to date.

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:

See 3/2/44 In the custody of the Naval Dept., Prince Rupert, B.C.:
One Gas-boat 6H.P. "Vivian" engine, 28'x7'6". App. \$400.00

At B.C. Packers Cannery, Nass River, B.C.:--
One "Coho net 200 fathoms App. \$100.00
One spring net 200 " " 50.00

May be assumed
to be settled direct
with B.C. Packers

5-7-44. J.B.

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)

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

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 9th day of April 1942.

(Signature)

J. W. Jones

Witness

FOR DEPARTMENTAL USE

INFORMATION FROM R.C.M.P.

Date

July 12, 1943

Our File No.

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Full Name

ARIZONO, Zentaw

(Surname in Block Letters)

Registration No.

01778

Male - Female

(check)

Age

Mar 10, 1881

Former Address

357 Powell St., Vancouver

Date Evacuated

11/4/42

Naturalized - Canadian-Born - National

(check)

Present Address

New Denver, B.C.

Married - Single

(check)

Name of Wife

Nika #03314

Name of Husband

-

Name of Mother

Name of Father

Names of Children under 16

Zalachi #15630

Requested by

[Signature]

Registered with Custodian

(Yes or No)

Additional Information

Fisherman - Gashoot #1210

Prince Rupert, B.C.

Name of Claimant

ARIZONO, Lantaro

Case

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Custodian File

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REAL PROPERTY										
Greater Vancouver		Rural (except V.L.A.)			V.L.A. (except Mission Village)		V.L.A. Mission Village		Total	
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		
PERSONAL PROPERTY										
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 & Not Found & Recorded Now Missing	45% of amount in next preceding column			
		10.00		2.00					2.00	
NETS										
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
							150.00		-	105.00
MISCELLANEOUS CHATTELS										
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			
TOTAL RECOMMENDATION										107.00

SUMMARY TAKEN FROM VESSELS RECORDS

Date: July 3, 1944

Name: ARIZONO, Zentaro

Reg. No. 01778

File: 2326

Boat File No.: CUSTODIAN 2326

Name of Vessel: "Hinata I" 27'x7'x3' (1931) Vivian 6 HP (1931)

Lic. or Reg. No.: Prince Rupert 1210

Naval No.: None

Owner's Valuation: \$400.00

JFVDC Valuation: None

Custodian Valuation: None

Date of Sale: June 22, 1943

Purchaser: Mr. Fossheim

Signature on Sales Papers: Custodian Sale

Selling Price: \$10.00

Paid to ~~owner~~ Custodian: 10.00

Supervision Costs: 2.50

Balance due Owner: 7.50

Paid to: Credited to account of Zentaro ARIZONO

Location of Boat at Sale: Cow Bay, Prince Rupert- Not in custody

Claims Against Canadian Govt.: None

Additional Information: This vessel was declared on JP as being in custody, but Naval Service reported that the vessel had not been taken into custody, but had been left by the owner of some other person, at the Guyehiro Boat Works, Cow Bay. The vessel was located at Cow Bay in June 1943. At that time the City of Prince Rupert was clearing Cow Bay of old boats, at the expense of the owners. The vessel was in poor condition and an offer of \$10.00 was accepted in order to avoid the expense of removing the boat.

F. Madison

File #706

September 20, 1947.

LIABILITY SUMMARY

Re: RIZZO, Antonio - Reg. No. 01778

This file reveals no liabilities of any kind.

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

C. Gray

File No. 2326.

CLAIMS DEPARTMENT

August 28th, 1944.

Zentaro ARIZONO - Reg. No. 01778

CREDITORS:

NO CLAIMS ON FILE

BRD:DE

*Claims closed
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September 20, 1947.

PERSONAL PROPERTY SUMMARYRe: ARIZONO, Zentaro - Reg. No. 01778

The above signed a declaration to the Custodian on April 9, 1942 and was evacuated on April 11, 1942. He declared that he lived in a 5 room apartment at 357 Powell Street and that the owner was Mr. SUZUKI of the same address. The rent amounted to \$15.00 a month.

Packers

Chattels: He declared at the B. C. Cannery at Naas River, B.C.:

One Coho net 200 fa. approximately \$100.00

One Spring net 200 fa. approximately 50.00.

There is no information on the file as to what became of these nets. However, there is a note from Mr. Green on the J. P. Form which reads as follows: "May be assumed to be settled directly with B. C. Packers 3/7/44". Possibly Mr. Green made that statement on the basis of information he had received from the cannery and which does not appear on this file. Possibly he just took it for granted that if the Japanese had not asked for any information for over 2 years, he must have disposed of the nets.

Among the Japanese Fishing Vessel Files in the office there is a file, #14 in the name of the B. C. Packers Ltd. This file contains a list of Japanese accounts of the Mill Bay Cannery as at January 19th. 1942. They list Zentaro ARIZONO, owner of the Hinata #1 as being "all square". However, they also list Masao ARIZONO, his son, owner of the Hinata #2 as owing \$240.00 on a Spring net valued at \$50.00 and a Coho net valued at \$190.00. This would seem to be the same nets as the ones referred to above. Masao who was interned in May 1942 declared nothing and refused to give information while in the internment Camp. It is therefore presumed that the cannery took possession of the nets and completed settlement with Masao between January 19th. 1942 and Masao's internment in May of the same year. Should they have had a claim against either of these Japanese it would appear that it would have been filed long ago.

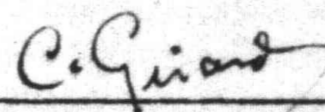
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Articles: ARIZONO declared one gas boat in the custody of the Naval Dept. at Prince Rupert, B.C. He valued it at \$400.00. In the list mentioned in the preceeding paragraph the condition of this boat is given as "poor".

This boat was located at Cow Bay in an extremely poor condition and was sold for the sum of \$10.00 to avoid the expense of removing the boat. For all details see the Vessel Summary. Expenses amounted to \$2.50 and the sum of \$7.50 was remitted to ARIZONO on August 30, 1944.

This file reveals no other property of any kind.

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



CANADA
DEPARTMENT OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE
OFFICE OF THE CUSTODIAN
JAPANESE EVACUATION SECTION

PHONE PACIFIC 6131

PLEASE REFER TO

FILE NO 11153

806 ROYAL BANK BLDG.,
HASTINGS AND GRANVILLE
VANCOUVER, B.C.

EVACUATION SECTION	
Rec'd	11153
File	REB 9 1943
Ans.	<i>Spain</i>
Referred	<i>Spain</i>

January 18, 1943

Mrs. Zentaro (Nika) ARIZONO
Registration No. 03314
New Denver, B. C.

Dear Madam:

In your registration with the Custodian you declared personal property at 355 Powell Street and at the same time you expressed your intention of selling your chattels. We have heard nothing further from you on the subject and, in the meantime, our representative has visited your former residence and was there informed that you had disposed of your chattels prior to your evacuation. If this is correct, we assume that you have no other personal property remaining in the restricted area of British Columbia requiring our protection - in which event we would ask you to kindly sign and return the attached copy of this letter for our record.

Your prompt reply will be appreciated.

Yours truly,

Nika Arizono

Geo. B. Spain
Protection Department

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Enc.

EXHIBIT NO.

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June 8, 1943.

Mr. Zentaro ARIZONO,
Registration No. 01778,
New Denver, B. C.

Dear Sir:

"Hinata #1" PR.1210

In your statement of personal property, you list the following:

"One gas-boat 6 H.P. Vivian engine 28'x7.6'; in the custody of the Naval Department."

Naval Service reports that this vessel was not taken into custody.

If you have a receipt from Naval Service for this vessel, would you kindly forward to this office details; such as, the name signed to the receipt and the date, which would be of aid to us in this connection.

If this vessel was not taken into custody by Naval Service, would you kindly tell us where it was left?

The serial number of the engine, your fishing license number and any other details that may be of aid in identifying this vessel would be appreciated.

Yours very truly,

F. Matheson,
Specified Articles Department.

EVACUATION SECTION

Rec'd JUN 21 1943

File No.

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Referred

2. ARIZINO
REGISTRATION No. 01798

NEW DAVENOR B.C.

JUNE 15, 1943

FILE NO, 2326.7

Dear Sir

Received your requesting letter on June 15th 1943. Yes it is right that my gas boat was HINATA #1

P.R. 12/0 x 6 H.P. VIVIAN engine 28' x 7.6' x the license #690. And the license issued April 3rd 1941.

Then, my address was #357 Powell St. Vancouver B.C. I could not tell you the full details of the rest because I have not a receipt from Naval Service nor was I present at the time for I was in Vancouver home.

The boat must be in the Custody of Naval Service at Prince Rupert, as I have been using it at Nass River Area, when Naval Officer came to take it away so I

know. Mr. Kimura who is
head of fishmen of Japanes also
takes charge of all the vessels for
Japanes to B.C.S.C. & Naval Ser-
vice too, I hope.

So, I think he should know
where he put my boat.

For full details ask Mr. Kim-
ura, please.

Yours very truly,
Fentaro Arizona.

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September 10, 1943

Mr. Zentaro ARIZONO,
Registration No. 31773,
New Denver, D. C.

Dear Sir:

This is to advise you of the sale of the fishing vessel "Hinata #1", Prince Rupert #1210, for the sum of \$10.00.

This vessel was not in the custody of the Naval Service, as stated in your declaration to the Custodian. We had great difficulty in finding this boat, and were fortunate at being able to dispose of it at all considering the condition of the boat.

Expenses incurred in the handling of this vessel amounted to \$2.50. The balance of \$7.50 has been placed to your credit in our trust account.

Yours very truly,

F. Matheson,
Specified Articles Department.

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September 10, 1943

Mr. Zentaro ARIZONO,
Registration No. 01772,
New Denver, B. C.

Dear Sir:

This is to advise you of the sale of the fishing vessel "Hinata #1", Prince Rupert #1210, for the sum of \$10.00.

This vessel was not in the custody of the Naval Service, as stated in your declaration to the Custodian. We had great difficulty in finding this boat, and were fortunate at being able to dispose of it at all considering the condition of the boat.

Expenses incurred in the handling of this vessel amounted to \$2.50. The balance of \$7.50 has been placed to your credit in our trust account. ✓

Yours very truly,

F. Matheson,
Specified Articles Department. \

Agreement for Sale of Vessel

BETWEEN:

THE SECRETARY OF STATE OF CANADA ACTING IN HIS CAPACITY
AS CUSTODIAN AS VESTED OWNER OF THE INTEREST OF

Montaro ARIZONO

(hereinafter called the "Vendor")

OF THE FIRST PART

AND

Fossheim

(hereinafter called the "Purchaser")

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: **HINATA I**

Port of Registry: **Prince Rupert**

Official Number: **1210**

Length: **27'**

Breadth: **7'**

Depth: **3'**

Propelling power: **Vivian 6 H. P.**

For the price or sum of \$ **10.00**

Payable as follows: **Cash**

FURTHER, the Vendor covenants with the said

Fossheim

and his assigns,

that he has power to transfer, in the manner aforesaid, the premises hereinbefore expressed to be transferred, and that he has no knowledge of any encumbrances and accepts no responsibility for same other than to the amount of the purchase price referred to above.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF the parties hereto have hereunto set their hands and seals
this **22** day of **June, A. D., 1943.**

SIGNED, SEALED and DELIVERED

in the presence of:

C O P Y

H. G. Helgerson Ltd.

Real Estate Brokers

P. O. Box 593

PRINCE RUPERT, B.C.

June 11th, 1943.

File G-95.

Miss F. Matheson,
Specified Articles Department,
Office of the Custodian,
Vancouver, B.C.

Dear Miss Matheson:-

We had some correspondence with you during April re two boats, (1), "K.Y. #1" P.R. 0167 which we reported to you as being nothing but a dilapidated hulk. (2), "Hinati I" P.R. 1210, which we reported as being unable to locate.

Today at a better stage of the tide we made a further search and found the "Hinati". It, also, is in a most dilapidated condition. Most of the woodwork in both these boats is rotten and broken and both are practically valueless.

A man named Andrew Fossheim has offered us \$20.00 for the two boats and we think it advisable that you accept this. As we remarked in our last letter the City Council have given orders for the removal of all these old hulks, and it would probably cost us that much to have them taken away.

Please advise us as quickly as possible, as the man is anxious to know your decision.

Yours very truly,

H. G. HELGERSON LTD.

"H. E. Arnold"

Manager.

NEA:JR

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June 8, 1943.

H. G. Helgerson Ltd.,
P. O. Box 593,
Prince Rupert, B. C.

Dear Sirs:

"Hinata #1" PR.1210

With further reference to your letter of May 10th, the description of this vessel given to us is as follows:

Length: 27 feet	Width: 7 feet	Depth: 3 feet
Vivian engine 6 H. P.	Gillnet Boat	Age: 10 years

On November 27th, 1942, this boat was reported to be lying alongside the Suyehiro Boat Works, at Cow Bay. At that time, the engine had been removed.

Possibly the police, the Indian agent and the Registrar of Shipping might be of aid in tracing this boat.

Yours very truly,

F. Matheson,
Specified Articles Department.

JAPANESE FISHING VESSELS DISPOSAL COMMITTEE

Committee:

THE HONORABLE MR. JUSTICE SIDNEY SMITH
CHAIRMAN

COMMANDER E. L. JOHNSON, D.S.O., R.C.N.R.
KISHIZO KIMURA

A. E. McMASTER, EXECUTIVE ASSISTANT

1528 MARINE BUILDING
VANCOUVER, B.C.

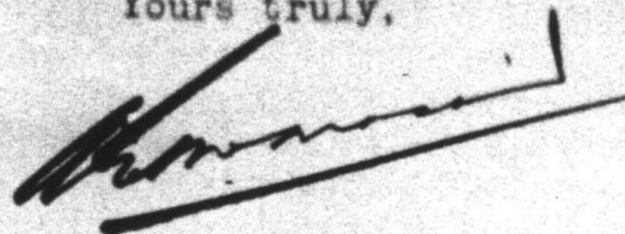
Dec. 3th. 1942

Fishing Vessels Department,
Office of the Custodian
912 Royal Bank Bldg.
Vancouver, B. C.

Dear Sir:

The attached letter from Commander Reid
is in answer to our letter of November 23rd.
and will be found under our unidentified
vessels file M/V "HINATA" P. R. 1210.

Yours truly,



AEM/T
enc.

A. E. McMaster
Executive Assistant.

2 Encl.



Department of National Defence

Naval Service

IN REPLY PLEASE QUOTE

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3th November

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A.E. McMaster Esq.
Japanese Fishing Vessel Disposal Committee
1528 Marine Building
Vancouver, B.C.

Dear Sir:

M/V HINATA -- PR 1210

In reply to your letter of 23rd November, regarding the Japanese Vessel "Hinata", a copy of the report made by Lieut. F.H. Smyly, is enclosed.

For your information, I may say that the Suyehiro Boat Works are in Cow Bay. It would appear that the "Hinata" has either been sent to Suyehiro for safe keeping or repairs, probably at some time immediately prior to the Japanese boats being taken up. Suyehiro is, of course, not in Prince Rupert now.

Yours truly,

COMMANDER, R.C.N.R.
Naval Officer-in-Charge
Prince Rupert, B.C.

replied by
AHR:GR

November 23, 1942

Commander A. H. Reed, R.C.N.R.,
Officer-in-Charge,
H. M. C. "Chatham",
PRINCE RUPERT, B. C.

Dear Commander Reed:

Enclosed herewith a descriptive sheet
of M/V "Hinata I" PR 1210.

We have not been able to discover any
information about this vessel from Navy lists, but
the owner claims that the boat was left at Suyehiro
Boat Works in Prince Rupert. We cannot reconcile
this name with any naval catalogues, and it occurs
to me, that you might be able to obtain some infor-
mation for us. We should appreciate your making
enquiries as we are closing our office the end of
this week. Kindly address your letter to the Cus-
todian of Enemy Property, 912 Royal Bank Building,
Vancouver, B. C.

Yours very truly,

A. E. McMaster,
Executive Assistant.

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CABLE ADDRESS
"CANFISCO" VANCOUVER
ALL CODES

INCORPORATED APRIL 30th 1906

BANKERS
THE CANADIAN BANK OF COMMERCE
VANCOUVER, CANADA

The Canadian Fishing Company Ltd.

PRODUCERS AND DISTRIBUTORS OF FRESH, FROZEN, CURED, AND CANNED FISH
ICE AND COLD STORAGE

FOOT OF GORE AVENUE
VANCOUVER, B.C.
CANADA

November 12, 1948

Office of the Custodian
Department of the Secretary of State

Japanese Evacuation Section

Attn: F. Matheson

Re: "Hinaka No 2"

Dear Sirs:

We have for acknowledgement your letter of the 6th inst.
and have noted the contents with interest.

You are fully authorised to use such of the documents in the file
lent you, as you may wish and we trust that they will prove of
value to the department.

Re: "K.Y. No 1"

We acknowledge receipt of the Department's cheque No 7003 for the
sum of \$ 7.50 in our favor, in connection with the disposal of the
above vessel, for which we thank you.

Yours very truly,

THE CANADIAN FISHING COMPANY LIMITED,

T.B. Quisenberry
T.B. Quisenberry,
Manager, TALLHEO PLANT

DJG/



ALL AGREEMENTS AND CONTRACTS ARE CONTINGENT UPON FIRE, STRIKES, ACCIDENTS, AND ALL OTHER CONDITIONS BEYOND OUR CONTROL. ALL CONTRACTS ARE SUBJECT TO APPROVAL
BY AN OFFICER OF THE COMPANY. UNLESS OTHERWISE SPECIFIED ALL PRICES ARE F.O.B. SHIPPING POINT. WE RESERVE THE RIGHT TO CORRECT STENOGRAPHIC ERRORS.

C.I.F. QUOTATIONS FURNISHED

EVACUATION SECTION	
Rec'd	NOV 13 1948
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Ans.	
Referred	<i>Matheson</i>

INTER-OFFICE CORRESPONDENCE

ATLIN FISHERIES
LIMITED

PRINCE RUPERT, B.C.

Date March 10th 1942.

To Vancouver.

Attention Mr. T. B. Quisenberry.

I am in receipt of your letter of March 6th and there is little I can add to what Helin has already told you, however, when Helin gets back to town I will get some further details from him.

I know that Helin located the two boats at Cow Bay, Prince Rupert harbor and that the tide is going in and out of them daily.

Nobody is looking after them and Helin claims they are not worth looking after.

We do not think the Navy knows anything about them and in any case they would not be interested in a couple of abandoned wrecks.

We will endeavor give you more details after we see Henry Helin again.

Yours very truly,

[Handwritten signature]

② Please refer to "Certificate" of British Registry in filling this blank; special attention is required in cases of "Length" "Width" and "Depth"
此ノ書式ヲ御記入時ニ充分「登録證」ヲ御覽下サシ 特ニ「長さ」「幅」及「深さ」ニ御注意願ヒマス

Name of Vessel (船名)	HINATA /	Official Number (登記番號)	Naval Control Number (海軍省ノ番號)
Port of Registry (登記港名)	Prince Rupert, B.C.	Date of Registry (登記期日)	
Gross Tonnage (総噸數)		Net Tonnage (ネット噸數)	
Length ② (長さ)	27'	Width ② (幅)	7'
Depth ② (深さ)	3'		
Make of Engine (Present) (機械ノ名) (現在ノ)	Vivian	Date When Re-installed (若シ入替ヘシ場合ハ其ノ期日)	10 yrs.
Horse Power (馬力)	6 H.P.	Knot (Speed) (速力)	
When Hull Built (船体建造期日)	10 yrs.	When Hull Rebuilt (若シ改造ノ場合ハ其ノ期日)	
Type of Vessel: (船ノ型)	Seiner <input type="checkbox"/>	Packer <input type="checkbox"/>	Gill-Netter <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	セイナー	パッカー	ギルネット
			Troller <input type="checkbox"/>
			トロラー
			Trawler <input type="checkbox"/>
			底引き
			Other <input type="checkbox"/>
			其他
Formerly Used as (従来ノ用途)	Gill-netter	Value (Replacement) (船價) (建造スル場合)	
Date When Surveyed Last (最近ノヤーベイヤレタル期日)		Value (Present) (船價) (現在ノ)	\$400.00
Place of Operation (使用區域)	Naas River	Value (Insured) (船價) (保険ヲ附スル場合)	
Charter Rate: 1940 (船賃料金率)	Own use	Chartered To: 1940 (船賃先)	
1941	" "	1941	
Amount of Mortgage, If Any (抵當額ノ金額)	\$11	Mortgaged To: (抵當權者入先)	
Registered Owner's Name (登録船主名)	Zentaro Arizona	Actual Owner's Name (現實所有者名)	Zentaro Arizona
ADDRESS (住所)	357 Powell St., Vancouver, B.C.	ADDRESS (住所)	357 Powell St., Vancouver, B.C.

Remarks:
(註)

Tied up at Prince Rupert, B.C.

British Columbia Packers Limited

OUR SPECIALTY
CLOVER LEAF
BRAND



SALMON
FOOT OF CAMPBELL AVE.
VANCOUVER.
CANADA

CABLE ADDRESS: PACKERS
ALL CANS USED
P. O. BOX 938

PACKERS OF FINEST CANNED
SALMON UNDER MANY
WELL KNOWN BRANDS

June 11, 1948.

Miss F. Matheson,
Department of the Secretary of State,
506 Royal Bank Building,
Hastings & Granville,
Vancouver, B. C.

EVACUATION SECTION	
Rec'd	JUN 12 1948
File No.	2326/747
Ans.	
Referred	<i>out to Matheson</i>

Dear Miss Matheson:

Re: ARIZONO, Zentaro, Reg. No. 01778,
ARIZONO, Masao, G/V Hinata II, P.R. 1211.

In reply to yours of June 9th, we have investigated the details relative to the above. Our records show Masao Arizono on the Mill Bay books in 1942. A credit from nets was applied to the 1941 debit balance of \$240.00, thus wiping out the account.

Regarding Zentaro Arizono, we are unable at this time to locate any details. If you are able to offer any further information we will gladly investigate the matter again.

Yours very truly,

BRITISH COLUMBIA PACKERS LIMITED,

J. Matheson
Credit Department.

Case No. 645 - Zentaro ARIZONO, Reg. No. 01778, File 2326

Claim: "Hinata No. 1" Gasboat Licence Prince Rupert 1210
Purchased 1934 at \$400.00
New planking 200.00

Gross Claims: \$400.00

Sale: Date: June 22, 1943
Location: Suyehiro Boat Works, Cow Bay, Prince Rupert
Purchaser: Andrew Fossheim
Sale Price: \$10.00
Expenses: 2.50
Net Credits: 7.50

Transcript Page 3
Boat was left "On
the Naas River at
the Mill Bay Cannery
and the Navy took it
away."

See also JP stating
boat in Naval custody,
Prince Rupert.

Memorandum Kichiso Kimura to A. E. McMaster, April 6, 1942.
Exhibit No. 4 - "The owner claims vessel left at Suyehiro
Boatworks in Prince Rupert. Mr. Suyehiro stated vessel was
still there when he left Prince Rupert about March 20th."

Transcript P.5 L.20-30. "Suyehiro asked me for the loan of
the boat."

The derelict boat sold by Custodian for \$10.00 was found
at Cow Bay, near Suyehiro Boat Works.

Transcript Page 4
Lines 1-10
Boat in good seaworthy
condition

B.C. Packers Ltd. Mill Bay Accounts as at January 19, 1942
reports condition of boat "Hinata #1" as ~~poor~~ See JFVDC

File General #14.

See Inter-Office memo of Canadian Fishing Co. Ltd. March 10/42
which refers to the two boats at Cow Bay as abandoned wrecks
in which the tide is going in and out daily.

See report Nov. 27, 1942 by F.H. Smyley, Naval Service.
"Boat not taken over by Navy. She is lying alongside
Suyehiro Boat Works, at Cow Bay." "Boat is a complete wreck".

See H.G. Helgeson Ltd. letter June 11/43 - "In most dilapidated
condition - practically valueless. City Council have given
orders for removal of these old hulks".

Summary

This boat was not in Naval custody. Claimant has stated Suyehiro asked him for
the loan of the boat. Boat was not moved from Suyehiro Boatworks until after sale
of the derelict to Fossheim in June, 1943.

Information on file indicates boat practically valueless at time of vesting.

Mill Bay Cannery reported boat's condition as poor in January, 1942.

Representatives of the Canadian Fishing Company who inspected this boat in
March, 1942 referred to it as an abandoned wreck.

Boat reported to Custodian by claimant, April 9/42 -

Evidence by claimant at hearing creates doubt of his credibility.

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MEMORANDUM

Re: Zentaro ARIZONO, Reg. No. 01778, File 2326

This man is the father of Masao ARIZONO, File XI.747, whose claim for personal property loss is to be heard at Lethbridge on or about the same date as the claim of the father is to be heard.

Furniture The furniture in claim was reported by the wife of Zentaro Arizono. It was not found by Custodian. See letter of Jan. 18/43, signed by Mrs. Arizono indicating that she had disposed of this furniture, and had no property remaining.

Fishing Boat Claim and letter of June 21/43 indicates boat to have been at Nags River, Bay, but memo of April 6/42 from Mr. Kishiso Kimura states that owner had informed him that his boat was left at Suyehiro Boatworks, and that it was there when owner ^{Suyehiro} left Prince Rupert around March 20/42. See letters of Oct. 15, Oct. 29, Nov. 27, 1942, re the boat found in Cow Bay, Prince Rupert, at Suyehiro Boatworks. See letter of June 11/43, re boat found by Custodian agent in Cow Bay and reasons for disposal of boat at \$10.00.

Nets JP shows two nets valued at that time by owner at \$150.00. B. C. Packers Ltd., who operated Mill Bay Cannery and who reported to Custodian Japanese goods left at the cannery, did not report any goods belonging to Zentaro Arizono. However, B. C. Packers did report that a credit for nets was applied to the 1941 debit balance of \$240.00 of Masao Arizono. Masao Arizono has claimed \$500.00 for a spring net and a cohee net left at Mill Bay, but did not report any such property to the Custodian previously.

/TM

Smithson

MEMORANDUM

February 27, 1944.

TO: Mr. P. G. Shaver

FROM: Mr. J. G. Gering

Re: Case 644 - REXWORTH, James (Sam)
" 645 " Barthelme (Felix)

Barthelme on April 9, 1943, declared the existence of the following, purportedly being at R.O. Fashers' Quarry at Ross River:

One Coke	net	200	ft.	app.	\$100.00
" Spring	"	200	"	"	\$ 50.00

James, being interned, refused to provide the authorities with any information relative to his personal estate. (See Angler Camp letter dated November 18, 1943, Case 644).

On June 9, 1943, the Canadian requested information from R.O. Fashers regarding notes left by the above Japanese, and their reply of June 21, 1943, (Case 645) noted that \$250.00 worth of notes by James since 1943 had been liquidated by requisition of the two notes declared by James. R.O. Fashers stated that they could not locate any details regarding Barthelme. R.O. Fashers' further letter of December 7, 1943, notes their method of valuing the notes, and does not provide any information re Barthelme. This letter notes the notes as being used for two years.

Claims

Exhibit #2 of Case 644 notes James claiming for the following notes only:

1 Spring	net	9 1/2	ft.	1200	ft.	(200	ft.	2 yrs. used	\$200.00
1 Coke	"	7 1/2	"	"	"	"	"	"	\$100.00

Exhibit #1 of Case 645 notes Barthelme claiming for the following notes only:

1 Spring	net	9 1/2	ft.	1200	ft.	(200	ft.	1 yr. used	\$200.00
1 Coke	"	7 1/2	"	"	"	"	"	2 yrs. used	\$100.00

From the foregoing the following points are submitted for consideration:

- Barthelme declared two sets of the same type and length for which he is now claiming, the claimed value being \$300.00, whereas the declared value was \$200.00.
- James, while refusing to declare any details, is also claiming for two sets of the same type, with the same length as Barthelme, the claimed value being \$200.00 or \$100.00 higher than Barthelme's.
- R.O. Fashers noted the existence of two sets with James shown as the owner, they also noted that no record of any sets in Barthelme's name.

In view of the above and as James did not declare any sets, and as the two declared by Barthelme were requisitioned by R.O. Fashers to satisfy

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an outstanding debt, neither of the above Japanese are considered by this office to be eligible for any award. However, Counsel have seen fit to award Saito \$215.00 for notes missing to his claimed value of \$330.00 and have agreed with us in Hase's case.

Our objection is based on the following points:

- (a) Notes declared at \$130.00 by Saito
" claimed " \$330.00 " "
Award \$215.00 to "
- (b) It is reasonable to assume that as both father and son worked together at the same place, and as the son was informed, that the father declared the note for the two of them. Both having the same beneficial interest.
- (c) As they both worked together and as Hase incurred a debt of \$210.00 to the Company, it is submitted that the notes declared by Saito were used by the Company to liquidate Hase's indebtedness due to the Company recognizing the fact that both had the same interest and were in fact partners.

On the basis of the above, the notes declared by Saito are not missing and therefore not subject to an award.

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To: Mr. Alexander

From: F. Matheson

June 7, 1943.

MEMORANDUM to File 2326

Is there anything further we can, or should, do in connection with the vessel "Hinata I", whose history is given in the attached memorandum?

Mr. Smith did not remember anything of this.

FM

MRS. MATHESON

Thank you for your memorandum dated June 7th. According to Mr. F. H. Seyley's report dated November 27, 1942, the "Hinata I" was not taken over by the Navy, is a complete wreck, and is lying alongside the Soyokiro Boat Works, at Cow Bay, and Mr. Seyley further indicates that the engine had been removed. Helgerson's new report they have found the boat under a bridge.

I would suggest: (1) that you report to Mr. Zentaro Arizono, who reported that the boat had been taken into custody by the Navy, that the boat was in fact not taken into custody by the Navy, and asking him at the same time where he left the boat, in whose care, and on what conditions, (2) that you make enquiries of Helgerson's as to what disposition they can make of the boat as it now stands, and (3) ascertain, if possible, who removed the engine, why, and on what conditions.

Thereafter information obtained will better enable decision to be made for settling the case of the "Hinata I".

PMH

WPA:NA

July 3, 1944

ARIZONO, Zentaro

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CUSTODIAN 2326

"Hinata I" 27'x7'x3' (1931) Vivian 6 HP (1931)

Prince Rupert 1210

None

\$400.00

None

None

June 22, 1943

Mr. Fossheim

Custodian Sale

\$10.00

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10.00

2.50

7.50

Credited to account of Zentaro ARIZONO

Cow Bay, Prince Rupert- Not in custody

None

This vessel was declared on JP as being in custody, but Naval Service reported that the vessel had not been taken into custody, but had been left by the owner of some other person at the Guyehiro Boat Works, Cow Bay. The vessel was located at Cow Bay in June 1943. At that time the City of Prince Rupert was clearing Cow Bay of old boats at the expense of the owners. The vessel was in poor condition and an offer of \$10.00 was accepted in order to avoid the expense of removing the boat.

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June 23, 1943.

The Registrar of Shipping,
Prince Rupert, B. C.

Dear Sir: Re: "Hinata #1" PR. 1210

You are hereby advised of the sale of the above-
indicated vessel by the Secretary of State of Canada
acting in his capacity as Custodian as vested owner
of the interest of Zentaro ARIZONO to
Fossheim, for the total sum of Ten Dollars and No Cents.

Please advise when this transfer has been executed
and your "Permission to Clear" letter issued to the new
owner, pending completion of documents.

Yours very truly,

F. Matheson,
Specified Articles Department.

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June 14, 1943.

H. G. Halgeron, Ltd.,
P. O. Box 593,
Prince Rupert, B. C.

Dear Sirs:

In reply to your letter of June 11th, regarding the boats "K. Y." #1, PR.0167 (this number I think is incorrect) and the "Hinati I" PR.1213, we wish to advise that you are to make the sale at the price offered, unless in the meantime a better offer has been received. As you state, it would cost something to have these moved.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Yours very truly,

F. Matheson,
Specified Articles Department.

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June 8, 1943.

H. G. Helgerson Ltd.,
P. O. Box 593,
Prince Rupert, B. C.

Dear Sirs:

"Hinata #1" PR.1210

With further reference to your letter of May 10th, the description of this vessel given to us is as follows:

Length: 27 feet	Width: 7 feet	Depth: 3 feet
Vivian engine 6 H. P.	Gillnet Boat	Age: 10 years

On November 27th, 1942, this boat was reported to be lying alongside the Suyehiro Boat Works, at Cow Bay. At that time, the engine had been removed.

Possibly the police, the Indian agent and the Registrar of Shipping might be of aid in tracing this boat.

Yours very truly,

F. Matheson,
Specified Articles Department.

Copy of Letter from

H. G. Helgerson Ltd.

May 10, 1943.

F. Matheson,
Specified Articles Dept.,
Office of the Custodian,
Vancouver, B. C.

Dear Sir:

Replying to yours of the 21st ult, re certain boats at Cow Bay, we were able to take advantage of the tide and good weather and make a search in the mud around Cow Bay.

We found the boat "K.Y.#1", PR.016E (Your letter had this last letter as F. The boat is right under the bridge resting on its side, and in our opinion is of no use. It has been lying there for years, and is very rotten. I got an old boat builder from a nearby shop to look at it. He crawled over it and says the timbers are all rotten and there is nothing useful left in it. This is apparent from even a glance, the sides are broken and there is nothing except the shape of a boat useable in it. It should be burnt or towed out to sea. The City Council have given orders to all owners of old hulks in this vicinity to remove them, so we may have to deal with it before long.

The vessel "Hinata I" PR.1210 was not to be found anywhere around there. It occurs to me that when Mr. Smith, of the Protection Dept., visited here shortly after evacuation, he asked me to drive him to Cow Bay to look for an old boat (which may have been the "K.Y.#1" and which we did not find, probably because it was under the bridge, where I found it today), and at that time he mentioned a boat that he understood had been taken over by an Indian from the SueHiro boatshop. I do not remember the details, as we were not then in charge of boats, but it is possible that this is the boat you are now inquiring about. If Mr. Smith or his records are available, some light may be shed on the matter.

Yours very truly,

H. G. Helgerson Ltd.

"N. E. Arnold",

Manager.

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April 21, 1943.

H. G. Helgerson, Ltd.,
P. O. Box 593,
Prince Rupert, B. C.

Dear Sirs: Attention: Mrs. H. E. Arnold

The vessel "Hinati I" PR.1210, owned by Zentaro ARIZONO, was left at the Suyehiro Boatworks in Prince Rupert, when the Japanese left Prince Rupert last year. We have no record of this boat having been disposed of. The description given to us is:

Gill-Netter - L: 27' B: 7' D: 3', 6 HP Vivian Engine
Age: 10 years Engine Re-installed: 10 years Value: \$400.00

There is also said to be a boat known as "K. Y.#1" PR.016F, lying at Cow Bay. This is owned by a man named Isusmatsu KAMEI, and has license PR.1511. This boat is probably in very bad shape.

It is possible that this office has asked for information about these boats before. If so, I cannot find it, and if you have any information, we would be pleased to receive it.

Yours very truly,

F. Matheson,
Specified Articles Department.

Prince Rupert, B.C.
27th November, 1942.

FROM: Extended Defence Officer,
Prince Rupert, B.C.

TO : Commanding Officer,
H.M.C.S. "Chatham",
Prince Rupert, B.C.

JAPANESE BOAT "HINATA I"

SUBMITTED:

With reference with Mr. A.E. McMaster's letter of November 23rd, 1942. This boat was not taken over by the Navy. She is lying alongside Bayshore Boat Works, at Cow Bay.

2. The boat is a complete wreck and the engine has been removed.

(SGD) "F.H. Smyley"
Extended Defence Officer.

IN THE MATTER OF THE "INQUIRIES ACT"
PART I. REVISED STATUTES OF CANADA 1927. CHAPTER 99.

JAPANESE PROPERTY CLAIMS COMMISSION

B E F O R E
(HIS HONOUR JUDGE L.H. STACE, SUB-COMMISSIONER).

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Lethbridge, Alberta,
September 8th, 1948.

IN THE MATTER OF THE CLAIM OF
YENTARO ARIZONO.

PROCEEDINGS AT HEARING.

20 APPEARANCES:

G.E.A. REE, Esq., K.C., appearing for the
Dominion Government.

A.G. VIRTUE, Esq., K.C., appearing for the
Claimant.

MRS LILLIE THOMAS, Secretary.
D.J. HANDFORD, Esq., Official Interpreter.
S.R. HOWARD, Esq., Official Reporter.

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Arizono, Z.,
In Chief.

THE SECRETARY: Case No. 645, Zentaro Arizono.

ZENTARO ARIZONO, the claimant herein,
being first duly sworn, testified
through the Interpreter as follows:

DIRECT EXAMINATION BY MR. VIRTUE:

Q Are you the father of the last claimant?

A Yes.

10 Q Now I show you a form of summary of evidence
in support of your claim (indicating). Look at it.
This is page 1, this is page 2, claiming for two
nets, this is page 3, claiming for your vessel,
"Hinata No. 1"; this is page 4 with your personal
property and your household furniture, and this is
page 5 (indicating). Did you sign that?

A Yes.

Q Now was this claim prepared for you in my office
with the help of an Interpreter?

A Yes.

Q Are the statements that are made in this claim true?

20 A Yes.

Q And are the prices you have put on your property
fair prices?

A Yes.

MR. VIRTUE: I will put that in as an exhibit.

(SUMMARY MARKED EXHIBIT NO. 1).

MR. VIRTUE: Q Now you were a fisherman, were you?

A Yes.

Q And before you were evacuated, did you make your
home in Vancouver?

30 A Yes.

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E. Ariseno,
In Chief.

Q And did you do your fishing out of the Port of Vancouver?

A: Yes.

Q And the name of your boat was "Hinata No. 1"?

A Yes.

Q And your son's boat was "Hinata No. 2"?

A Yes.

Q And each of you had your own boat and fishing equipment?

A: Yes.

10 Q When you left your nets, when you were evacuated and left your nets did you mark your nets with your name?

A: Yes.

Q And left them hung up?

A Yes.

Q All right. I want to ask you one more question. When you left your boat, where did you leave it?

A On the Naas River at the Mall Bay Cannery, and the Navy took it away.

Q The Navy took the boat away?

A Yes, it was towed away by the Navy.

20 Q So that you left your boat in charge of the Navy?

A Yes.

Q What condition was it in when the Navy took it?

A I was in Vancouver at that time but from what I heard it was towed away by the Navy, taken off the ways, and towed away.

Q When the boat was last in your possession was it in good sailing condition, seaworthy condition?

A The last time I used it, it was in good condition.

30 Q And was that just a little while before the Navy took it?

A I was catching coho salmon with it, but I don't know when the Navy took it away.

Q Well all we will say is this, up to the last time that you used it, the boat was in good seaworthy condition?

A Yes.

Q And the Navy took it a few days after that? Well, put it this way: Was the boat in good, seaworthy condition when you were evacuated, as far as you know?

A As far as I know, but I was in Vancouver.

Q You were in Vancouver and where was the boat?

A In Prince Rupert.

Q In Prince Rupert; is that where you fished from, Prince Rupert? Just a moment, let us clear this up. I think I can clear this up very quickly.

THE SUB-COMMISSIONER: I hope so.

MR. VIRTUE: I hope so, too.

Q Where did you leave the boat when you last saw it?

20 A At the cannery.

Q At the cannery? A: At the cannery.

Q At where, Vancouver, or Prince Rupert?

A Nass River.

Q Where is that?

A Mall Bay Cannery, B.C. Packers Mall Bay Cannery.

Q Is that near Prince Rupert or is it near Vancouver?

A About eighty miles from Prince Rupert.

Q About eighty miles from Prince Rupert?

A Yes.

30 Q And was the boat in good condition then?

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In Chief.
Cross-Exam.

A Yes.

Q And the Navy took it from there?

A Yes.

Q All right.

10 MR. RICE: I am submitting, your Honour, that the fishing vessel or boat was sold through the Japanese Fishing Vessels Disposal Committee and the claim is not within the terms of reference. I am submitting that the nets appear to be the property of the son and they were kept by the Mall Bay Cannery of the B.C. Packers Company for a debt which was owing of \$250.00, and that the son was interviewed with regard to these chattels and he refused to give any information to the Custodian. I submit that the nets that were declared and not found, the Custodian is not responsible for the same.

CROSS-EXAMINATION BY MR. RICE:

20 Q You told the Custodian that you left your boat at the B.C. Packers' Cannery, Naas River, did you not?

A: Yes.

Q As a matter of fact, you left your boat with the Suyehiro Boat Works, didn't you -- S-u-y-e-h-i-r-o (spelling) Boat Works?

A Suyehiro asked me for the loan of the boat.

MR. RICE: I wish to submit as an exhibit, your Honour, an analysis of personal property claim.

(ANALYSIS MARKED EXHIBIT NO. 2).

30 MR. RICE: Q: I show you a J.P. form (indicating). Is

that your signature?

A Yes.

Q That is your form, and that was completed on the
9th of April, 1942?

A Yes.

MR. RICE: I would like to submit that, your Honour, as
an exhibit.

(J.P. FORM MARKED EXHIBIT NO. 3).

MR. VIRTUE: Have you a copy of that, Mr. Rice?

10 MR. RICE: Just a minute.

MR. VIRTUE: If it has been marked, may I see it?

(Exhibit No. 3 to Mr. Virtue).

MR. RICE: Q: You are claiming for the value of two
nets, a spring net valued at \$200.00, which you
say you paid \$350.00 for, and a cohee net which
you say is valued at \$150.00, and which you claim
you paid \$350.00 for. Did you own those nets?

THE INTERPRETER: I am afraid I can't remember all
those figures; if I could have that form.

20 MR. RICE: Perhaps you had better refer to Exhibit 1,
the second page.

A Yes.

Q You owned them?

A: Yes.

Q I notice in your J.P. form that you valued the
cohee net at \$100.00 and the spring net at
\$50.00. Why is it that you have raised your
price on both of these nets now?

THE SUB-COMMISSIONER: Is there any answer?

THE INTERPRETER: There is no answer, your Honour.

30 THE SUB-COMMISSIONER: He is not answering that, Mr.

E. Ariseno,
Cross-Exam.
Re-Direct Exam.

Rice.

MR. RICE: All right. I would point out, your Honour, that no furniture was declared by this claimant. There was furniture declared by his wife which was disposed of by her.

Q I think you made it clear in your evidence that you did not see the Navy or anyone take away your boat?

A: No.

Q All right.

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RE-DIRECT EXAMINATION BY MR. VIRTUE:

Q Did you and your wife live in the same house?

A Yes.

Q Did you use the same furniture?

A Yes.

Q And when you were evacuated you didn't show any furniture on your J.P. form but your wife showed the furniture on her form?

A Yes, I believe so.

20 MR. VIRTUE: Now, I would like my learned friend to show me the report dated April 6th, 1942, which was in the Custodian's file, a report regarding the boat.

MR. RICE: Yes, here it is.

MR. VIRTUE: This is a report dated April 6th, 1942, which I would like to put in, and it reads:

"Re 'Hinata 1' P.R. 1210, owner Zentaro Ariseno."

It is dated April 6th, 1942.

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"The owner claims that the vessel was left

E. Arizono,
Re-Direct Exam.

"at Suyehiro Boat Works in Prince Rupert and reported same to the Navy. Mr. Suyehiro now in Hastings Park clearing pool stated that the vessel was still there when he left Prince Rupert on or about March 20th. As much as there is no watchman now, please advise the Navy to look after the boat."

MR. RICE: That is a memorandum that is unsigned.

10 It is just a blank statement that my learned friend is going to put in and I am certainly objecting to this statement going in against the Custodian.

MR. VIRTUE: It comes from my learned friend's own file.

MR. RICE: Yes, but because it comes from my file or a memorandum that is on one of my files, it does not say that that is evidence against my client, the Custodian, at all.

(MEMORANDUM MARKED EXHIBIT NO. 4).

MR. VIRTUE: That is all, thank you, Mr. Arizono, as
20 far as I am concerned.

THE SUB-COMMISSIONER: Is he abandoning his claim here for furniture, do I understand you?

MR. VIRTUE: I didn't get that, sir.

THE SUB-COMMISSIONER: Is he abandoning his claim for furniture?

MR. VIRTUE: Yes, I think he is, or I can say that that is the case. It was evidently declared by his wife. Well, I can't say that we are abandoning it, sir. I was under the impression that his wife
30 had put in a claim but I am informed now that no

claim has been put in for the furniture by the wife and that is the reason that he is claiming for the furniture now. That is, it was a joint family affair. She declared it and he did not, and that is why he didn't declare it because she had. She put it in her J.P. form. I think my learned friend has her J.P. form and I think we had better put that in. That is why he is claiming for the furniture now.

10 MR. RICE: It is up to her to file it. She filed the form.

MR. VIRTUE: Well, you know how husbands and wives' furniture is. There might be a technical objection there but nothing practical, the husband and wife living in the same house and they are called into the same office and so she puts the furniture down on her form so he doesn't put it on his. I will put that in and at the same time declare on her behalf that she is making no claim for furniture as long as he is.

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(J.P. FORM MARKED EXHIBIT NO. 5).

MR. RICE: I am not filing it.

THE SUB-COMMISSIONER: You are not filing it, are you, Mr. Rice?

MR. RICE: No, I am not filing it, your Honour.

MR. VIRTUE: I am filing it as part of my case.

That will be all, thank you, Mr. Arizono.

MR. RICE: Just a moment, please.

MR. VIRTUE: Oh, pardon me.

30 MR. RICE: I would like to ask him a question or two.

Z. Arizono,
Re-Cross Exam.

RE-CROSS EXAMINATION BY MR. RICE:

Q I show you a letter (indicating). Is that your wife's signature on it there?

A I believe it is. I can only read the last part of the name.

Q Why can't you read the first part of it?

MR. VIRTUE: Perhaps if my learned friend will show me the letter, I will show it to the son who has some little knowledge of English.

10 MR. RICE: Just a minute. He is doing all right.
If I get stuck, I will ask for your help.

A Yes, it is my wife's writing.

Q It is your wife's writing?

A Yes.

MR. RICE: This is a letter, your Honour, dated January 18th, 1943, written to Mrs. Zentaro Arizono at New Denver, B.C., by George B. Spain, Protection Department of the Custodian's office, and it reads as follows:

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"Dear Madam:

In your registration" --

MR. VIRTUE: -- Let me understand this. I thought some letter was shown to this witness and he was asked if that was his wife's handwriting.

MR. RICE: No, his wife's signature.

MR. VIRTUE: His wife's signature?

MR. RICE: Yes, his wife's signature and he said it was.

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"In your registration with the Custodian you declared personal property at 255 Powell

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Re-Cross Exam.

"Street, and at the same time you expressed your intention of selling your chattels. We have heard nothing further from you on the subject and, in the meantime, our representative has visited your former residence and was there informed that you had disposed of your chattels prior to your evacuation. If this is correct, we assume that you have no other personal property remaining in the restricted area of British Columbia requiring our protection -- in which event we would ask you to kindly sign and return the attached copy of this letter for our records.

Your prompt reply will be appreciated.

Yours truly."

And that letter is signed by the claimant's wife.

I would like to file that as an exhibit, your Honour.

(LETTER MARKED EXHIBIT NO. 6).

20 MR. RICE: That is all.

MR. VIRTUE: Q: Do you know yourself if your wife did sell your furniture before she was evacuated or did she leave it there?

A I don't know, I was away at camp.

Q Oh, I see, you were away, too. That explains it. All right, thank you.

THE SUB-COMMISSIONER: Is that all, Mr. Rice?

MR. RICE: Yes, your Honour.

(Witness aside)

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(PROCEEDINGS ADJOURNED SINE DIE)

Certified a true and accurate transcript.

"S.R. HOWARD: Official Reporter"

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

SUB-COMMISSIONER.

Name of Claimant **Sentaro ARIZONO**
 Custodian File **2326/01778**

Case **645 Special**

REAL PROPERTY										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		
PERSONAL PROPERTY										
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			
			Hinata I \$10.							
		Regular Award of 23.5% - \$2.35 already given on Appendix 1 No Further Award Indicated								00
NETS										
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	
MISCELLANEOUS CHATTELS										
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			
TOTAL RECOMMENDATION										00

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DEFENSE BRIEF

Lethbridge, Alta.
Sept. 8, 1948
Case #645

Zantaro ARIZONO
Reg. No. 01778

File No. 2326

Case #645

Case 645
File 2326

PERSONAL PROPERTY CLAIM - Gross

Claim

Appraisal

Sold for

\$1200.00 original claim
Exhibit #1

(a) Fishing Boat
\$400.00 as claimed
Exhibit #1

Nil

\$10.00
Private sale

Witnesses: 1. N.E. Arnold of H.G. Helgerson Ltd.,
Prince Rupert, B.C.

Submissions:

1. Since hearing of Case #645- Sept. 8, 1948 a memo. has been placed on Claim file indicating the history surrounding the boat in question, namely, Hinata No. 1, Licence #1210. The closing sentence of the memo, seems to express suitably the credence that should be given to the Claimant's evidence at the hearing. The boat seems to have been about valueless when sold. See letter June 11, 1943, H.G. Helgerson Ltd., a reputable firm of Prince Rupert, B.C. on Claim file.

(b) Nets -

\$350.00 as claimed
Exhibit #1-

Nil

Declared but not
found.

Witnesses: 1. B.C. Packers, Ltd., at Mill Bay Cannery.

Submissions:

1. J.P. Exhibit #3- P.6, lines 13-30 inc., In the J.P. the claimant declares -
"One Cohoe Net 200 fathoms app. \$100.00"
"One Spring net 200 " " 50.00".
whereas in his claim - Exhibit #1- he places an estimated value as follows:-
"Spring - 1200 ft. - \$200.00
"Cohoe - 1200 ft. - 150.00".

However, these nets were not found, or if found, may have been taken over by the B.C. Packers Ltd., and a credit for Nets applied to the 1941 debit balance of \$240.00 of Masao ARIZONO, son of Zantaro ARIZONO. The B.C. Packers Ltd., did not report any goods belonging to the Claimant at the Mill Bay Cannery.

It seems that Masao ARIZONO has claimed \$500.00 for a spring net and a Cohoe net left at Mill Bay, but did not report any such property to the Custodian previously.

(c) Adjunction Goods- \$200.00
and
Household Effects - 250.00

\$450.00 as claimed
Exhibit #1

No record at
any time

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Case 645
File 7326

1. Adjunction Goods -

\$200.00 as claimed

Submissions: 1. As under "A" of this Defense Brief. No record appears as to these adjunction goods except as noted in the itemized Exhibit #1. The declaration Exhibit #3 of claimant does not indicate any of these items.

2. Household effects

\$250.00 as claimed -

Submissions: 1. P.8, lines 21-30 inc. and p.9 lines 1-20 inc. No household effects were declared by claimant but according to above reference, the J.P.- Exhibit #5 - of Mrs. ARIZONO was filed and became part of claim of ARIZONO, as to Household effects.

However, Exhibit #6 appears to dispose of the Household effects of Mrs. ARIZONO as declared, and, automatically, cancels all claim by either ARIZONO or his wife in this regard.

\$1200.00 as claimed

BRD/DD.

December 1, 1948

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Summary of
Defense
Witnesses

Where
required

Summary of
Documents
to be filed.

Witnesses
proving
same

M.E. Arnold	Boat
of H.G. Helgerson Ltd.	Sale
Prince Rupert, B.C.	June 11/43

December 1, 1948

BRD/DD.