

5067

FILE No. 5067

BUREAU HASTINGS PARK  
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: YOSHIDA, Masao  
HOME ADDRESS: P.O. Box 168 Steveston, B.C.  
REGISTRATION NUMBER 04923 SEX: Male AGE: 33  
OCCUPATION: Fisherman--Self

(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: Self

MARRIED? No

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: \_\_\_\_\_

2. BUILDINGS AND OTHER IMPROVEMENTS: \_\_\_\_\_

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: \_\_\_\_\_

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: Frame house, Steveston, B.C.

2. LANDLORD'S NAME AND ADDRESS: Father, Mr. K Yoshida

3. PARTICULARS OF LEASE AND RENT AND DATE TO WHICH PAID: \_\_\_\_\_

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: \_\_\_\_\_

One Gas fishing Boat "M. Y. " in custody of the Navy at  
New Westminster.

Personal effects in custody of owner at Steveston, B.C.

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: \_\_\_\_\_

I, the undersigned, hereby voluntarily turn over to the Custodian all my property in the protected area as set out above, excepting fishing vessels, deposits of money, shares of stock, debentures, bonds or other securities, if any.

I certify that the above information is true and complete and fully discloses all my property of every description in any protected area in British Columbia and sets forth all my liabilities direct and indirect.

Dated this 20th day of April 1942.

(Signature) \_\_\_\_\_

Witness \_\_\_\_\_

FOR DEPARTMENTAL USE \_\_\_\_\_

✓  
✓  
INFORMATION FROM R.C.M.P.

Date Mar. 17 '43.

Our File No. 5067

Full Name YOSHIDA, Masao Mr.  
(Surname in Block Letters)

Registration No. 04923

✓  
Male - Female  
(check)

Age Apr. 30, 1908

Former Address Box 168 Steveston, B. C.

Date Evacuated /

✓  
Naturalized - Canadian-Born - National  
(check)

Present Address c/o Pigeon River Timber Co. Neys, Ont.

✓  
Married - Single  
(check)

Name of Wife —

Name of Husband —

Name of Mother (nee) #04996

(HIRAI) Sato

Name of Father Kurusada #04747

Names of Children under 16 —

Requested by Addie.

Registered with Custodian

(Yes or No)

Additional Information

Angler  
Fisherman. Released from Internment 2/3/43

File No. 5067

LIABILITY SUMMARY

July 15, 1946.

Re: Masao YOSHIDA, Registration No. 04923

The B. C. Packers Ltd. filed a claim for \$579.39 against this man, the amount owing on a Chattel Mortgage held by that company. B. C. Packers bought this man's boat for \$290.00, \$5.40 was paid to the Japanese Fishing Vessels Disposal Committee and the remaining \$284.60 was applied on this claim, leaving an apparent balance of \$294.79 to the B.C. Packers, but they claim for \$286.79. YOSHIDA denies that he owes any more to this company as they have his vessel, and B. C. Packers have been so advised and given YOSHIDA's address to handle direct with him. This office is taking no further action in regard to this claim.

Jiro NISHIMATA filed a claim for \$22.94 against this man. On August 11, 1944 YOSHIDA remitted this amount to this office and this claim was settled.

This file reveals no other liabilities of any kind.

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

*[Signature]*

July 15, 1946.

File No. 5067

PERSONAL PROPERTY SUMMARY

July 15, 1946.

Re: Massao YOSHIDA, Reg. No. 04923

This man signed a declaration to the Custodian on April 20, 1942. He was interned in May, 1942 and released in March, 1943.

In his declaration he reported a fishing boat "M.Y." in custody at New Westminster. This vessel was sold through the Japanese Fishing Vessels Disposal Committee and the purchasers, the B. C. Packers Ltd. retained the money with the exception of \$5.40 which the Japanese Fishing Vessels charged for handling. The selling price of the boat was \$290.00.

The account of this man was credited with the sum of \$10.76 received as the balance of his deposits with the Japan & Canada Trust Savings Co. This amount is being remitted to him today.

This man reported personal effects in his own possession at Steveston, B.C. Nothing further appears on the file about these effects and we assume he arranged for disposition.

This file reveals no other property of any kind.

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

*J. Macleod*  
July 15, 1946.

/NM

SUMMARY TAKEN FROM VESSELS RECORDS

Date: April 22, 1944

Name: Masao YOSHIDA

Reg. No. 04923

File: 5067

Boat File No.: JFVDC 863

Name of Vessel: "M.Y. 30'6"x7'3"x3'6" Bensid 8 HP

Lic. or Reg. No.:

New Westminster 1856

Naval No.:

NW.009-E

Owner's Valuation:

None

JFVDC Valuation:

\$288.00 Survey #104 NW

Custodian Valuation:

None

Date of Sale:

Sept. 1, 1942 - Released June 24, 1942

Purchaser:

British Columbia Packers Ltd.

Signature on Sales Papers:

Masao Yoshida

Selling Price:

\$290.00

Paid to JFVDC ~~commission~~:

284.60 (Held by purchaser on debt of \$579.39)  
5.40

Supervision Costs:

5.40

Balance due Owner:

Nil

Paid to:

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Location of Boat at Sale:

New Westminster

Claims Against Canadian Govt.:

Claim #437 (Inventory) B. C. Packers Ltd. - \$71.00 (Paid)

Additional Information:

*F. Maclean*  
*July 15/46*

File No. 5007

February 15th, 1944.

CLAIMS DEPARTMENT

Masao YOSHIDA - Reg. No. 04923

CREDITORS:-

1. B. C. Packers Ltd. .... \$286.79 *Admitted*
2. Jiro NISHIHATA.....6366..... 22.94 *Paid*

*"Claims Closed"*

*2. 8-2-40  
1/2-44*

/ND

✓  
File *Int. 698*

**CLAIM**

**DATE**

June 18, 1942.

**CREDITOR**

Jiro NISHIMATA

**DEBTOR**

Masao TOSHIDA

**AMOUNT OWING**

\$22.94

**AGENT**

**ORIGINAL FILE**

6366

December 18, 1942.

M. A.

*E. Buden*

File #698

January 4th, 1943.

MEMO TO MR. WRIGHT: Re: P/W A-632, YOSHIDA, Masao.

The above named, Registration #04923, was formerly a fisherman and owns no real property.

He was the former owner of gas fishing boat "M.Y." on which there was a mortgage held by B. C. Packers Limited in amount of \$579.39. This boat was later sold to B.C. Packers for \$290.00 leaving a balance of \$289.39 owing, although their claim is for \$286.79.

Internee states that boat was worth \$850.00 and he only agreed to it's sale because of the fact that he needed the money and believed that it would be credited to his account.

Japanese Fishing Vessels Disposal Committee were advised of above statement as expressed by internee, and advised that they did not agree with his valuation and thought it entirely out of line.

B. C. Packers wrote on November 26th that they have sent two copies of their claim to the Claims Department.

Petawawa Internment Camp  
Petawawa, Ontario,

MAY 30 1942.

Statement of Assets & Liabilities furnished by:-

P/W 1- 1487..... YOSHIDA..... MASAO.....

- A BANK ACCOUNTS: 1 Name of Bank ..... NIL .....  
2. Branch .....  
3. Cash Balance .....  
B SECURITIES: 1. Description and Quantity ..... NIL .....  
.....  
2. Where Deposited .....  
C REAL ESTATE: 1. Description ..... NIL .....  
.....  
2. Location.....  
3. Municipality.....  
D INSURANCE: 1. Name of Company ..... NIL .....  
2. Number of Policies .....  
3. Amount of Each .....  
E CLAIMS: 1. Nature ..... NIL .....  
2. Amount .....  
3. Name and address of debtor .....  
F DEBTS: 1. Nature ..... NIL .....  
2. Amount .....  
3. Name and address of creditor .....

Witness

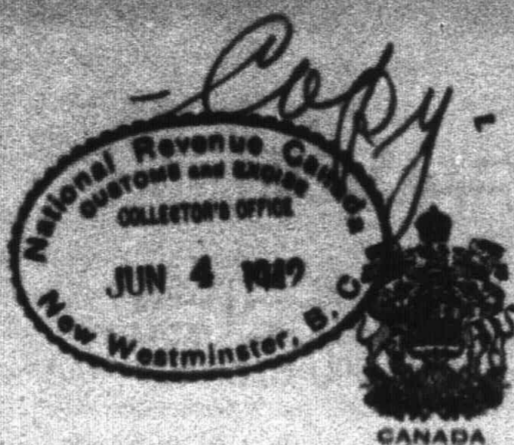
Signature

If you have appointed a relative or a friend to look  
after your interests, kindly furnish his name and address.

NAME .....

ADDRESS .....

FORM B.  
Chap. 44, R.S.C. 1934



*1856-  
N.W.*

1503  
10-39

## DECLARATION

I, the undersigned, **Masao Yoshida** of **Steveston B.C.,**  
(GIVE NAME IN FULL) (RESIDENCE)  
in **Westminster B.C.,** declare as follows:—  
(COUNTY AND PROVINCE)

I am entitled to take a Licence for the **gas fishing boat.**  
(SHIP OR VESSEL AS THE CASE MAY BE AND STATE HER NAME)  
now in this **place.** of which the following are the particulars:—  
(PORT OR PLACE AS THE CASE MAY BE)

MEASUREMENTS	FEET	INCHES	TONNAGE	NUMBER OF TONS
Length	30	6	Approximate Tonnage	3
Breadth	7	3	Bensid Motor 7 H.P.	
Depth	3	6		
NAMES OF OWNERS (OR NAME OF OWNER)				No. of SHARES HELD BY EACH
MASAO YOSHIDA				64
P.O. BOX 168				
STEVESTON. B.C.				
Natural born British Subject.				
Born at Steveston B.C., on April 30th, 1908				
Birth Certificate produced on March 22nd, 1941 - numbered				
64 - Y - 130 dated July 16th, 1908, Vancouver B.C.,				

(If the property in the Ship or Vessel is not divided into shares this column need not be filled up.)

Signature *sgd:* **M. Yoshida**  
(MASTER OR MANAGING OWNER OR OWNERS AS THE CASE MAY BE)

Dated this **twentieth**

day of **March** 19 **41.**

*Forwarded with letter from British Register  
Shipping, New Westminster June 4th, 1942  
Bill 4.*

## P. S. ROSS &amp; SONS

CHARTERED ACCOUNTANTS

MONTREAL TORONTO WINNIPEG  
CALGARY VANCOUVER

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J. W. ROSS, LL.D.	S. B. PECKHAM
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J. A. GRANT	H. S. HAWTHORNE
W. L. GATEHOUSE	F. E. H. GATES
S. M. HAWTHORN	J. A. ROSS
J. A. ROSS	F. A. COFFEY
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S. D. SMITH	

 ROYAL BANK BUILDING  
 200-202 GASTOWN STREET  
 MONTREAL, QUE.

Vancouver, B. C.,

29th June, 1942.

 Office of the Custodian,  
 Royal Bank Building,  
 Vancouver, B.C..
Attention Mr. Edgar T. Read.

Dear Sir:

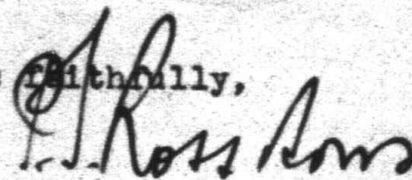
 re: Japan and Canada Trust  
Savings Company.

The enclosed cheque in the amount of \$10.76  
 covers the credit balance of the following interned  
 Japanese:

P/W P-1487 - YOSHIDA, Masao Your file No. 698

Account No. Y - 403	9.96
Account No. Y- 1199	.80
	<u>\$10.76</u>

Yours faithfully,



Enc.

## JAPANESE FISHING VESSELS DISPOSAL COMMITTEE

Committee:  
 THE HONORABLE MR. JUSTICE SIDNEY SMITH  
 CHAIRMAN  
 COMMANDER S. L. JOHNSON, D.S.O., R.C.N.R.  
 KISHIZO KIMURA  
 AND  
 A. E. MCMASTER, EXECUTIVE ASSISTANT

1828 MARINE BUILDING  
 VANCOUVER, B.C.

August 18th, 1942.

AUG 22 1942

Rec'd	698
File No.	
Ans.	
Referred	

Mr. G. W. McPherson,  
 Office of the Custodian,  
 Secretary of the Department of State,  
 501 Royal Bank Building,  
 VANCOUVER, B. C.

Dear Sir:

MASAO YOSHIDA  
 Re: M/V "M. Y." NW 1856 NW 009E

We are enclosing herewith Bill of Sale, Assignment of Claim and the customary letter which we are sending to former Japanese owners.

Mr. Yoshida is an internee, and as we wish to give the new owner title of this vessel listed above, we should be glad if you would kindly sign Bill of Sale. We are presuming there is no chance of getting Mr. Yoshida to sign.

Yours very truly,

JAPANESE FISHING VESSELS DISPOSAL COMMITTEE

PER

*A. E. McMaster*

JAM:RO  
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**JAPANESE FISHING VESSELS DISPOSAL COMMITTEE**

**Committee:**  
**THE HONORABLE MR. JUSTICE SIDNEY SMITH**  
**CHAIRMAN**  
**COMMANDER D. L. JOHNSON, D.S.O., R.C.R.R.**  
**KISHIZO KIMURA**  
**A. E. MCMASTER, EXECUTIVE ASSISTANT**

**1825 MARINE BUILDING**  
**VANCOUVER, B.C.**

August 21st, 1942.

Mr. Masao Yoshida.

Dear Sir:

Re: M/V "M. Y." NW 1856 NW 009E

For a period of over 5 months this Committee has operated facilities, designed to assist Japanese fishing vessel owners, to dispose of their vessels at fair prices.

In this period over 1000 vessels have been released through the offices of the Committee; and it has now become vitally necessary to promptly dispose of the remaining vessels in order that the Navy personell, occupied in their custodianship, be relieved for other duties.

Having received an offer for your vessel "M. Y." License No. NW 1856, which is considered a fair value, the Committee has sold this vessel for the sum of \$290.00 in accordance with the attached Bill of Sale.

Please sign the attached Bill of Sale, together with the Claim Assignment form, also attached, and return to us. Kindly also send us the license of this vessel.

Yours very truly,

**JAPANESE FISHING VESSELS DISPOSAL COMMITTEE**

PER

*A. E. McMaster*

JAM:RO

698.

501 Royal Bank Building,  
Vancouver, B.C.  
August 22nd, 1942.

Camp Commandant,  
Angler Internment Camp,  
ANGLER, Ontario.

Re: P/N A-1487 - YOSHIDA, Masao

Dear Sir:

Enclosed herewith you will find a communication under date of August 18th, from the Japanese Fishing Vessels Disposal Committee, addressed to the above named, also an Agreement for Sale of the vessel and Claim Assignment Form, which are to be signed by the Internee.

It will be noted that the Committee has sold the "M.Y." for \$290.00 and as soon as you return the enclosed documents executed by the internee, it will be possible for us to obtain a cheque from the Japanese Fishing Vessels Disposal Committee and place same to the credit of this man.

Will you kindly have the documents signed where we have made a cross in pencil and also have the witness sign where we have made two crosses. The prompt return of these documents would be very much appreciated.

Yours truly,

K.W. WRIGHT.

For the Authorized Deputy of the Secretary  
of State and/or the Custodian.

KW:HW.  
Encl.

## JAPANESE FISHING VESSELS DISPOSAL COMMITTEE

Chairman:  
THE HONORABLE MR. JUSTICE SIDNEY SMITH  
CHAIRMAN  
COMMANDER B. L. JOHNSON, D.S.O., R.C.N.R.  
KISHIZO KIMURA  
A. E. McMASTER, EXECUTIVE ASSISTANT

1828 MARINE BUILDING  
VANCOUVER, B.C.

Sept. 22nd. 1942

Our file No. 863

Rec'd	SEP 23 1942
File No.	698
Ans.	
Referred	

K. W. Wright, Esq.,  
Office of the Custodian  
912 Royal Bank Bldg.  
Vancouver, B. C.

Dear Sir:

re: M/V "M.Y." - M.W.1856  
Masao Yoshida  
Your file No. 698

With reference to your letter of September 4th. informing us that this man, Masao Yoshida, is an Internee and that all monies should be forwarded to you, we wish to advise you that the Vessel "M. Y." N.W.1856 was sold for \$290.00 to the British Columbia Packers Limited.

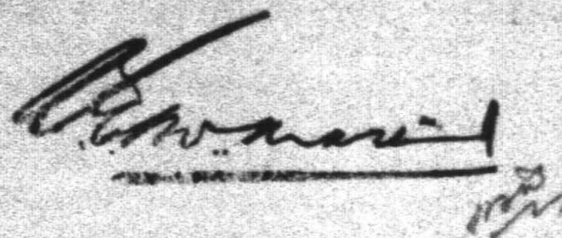
We have received from the British Columbia Packers Limited \$5.40 covering the 1% Commission and Survey Charge and this Company states that Masao Yoshida is indebted to them in the amount of \$579.39, in consequence of which we shall receive no further monies from them.

Yours truly,

JAPANESE FISHING VESSELS DISPOSAL COMMITTEE

Per.

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ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO BE ADDRESSED TO THE COMMITTEE

H. S. DURKEE

DEPARTMENT OF NATIONAL DEFENCE  
-Army-

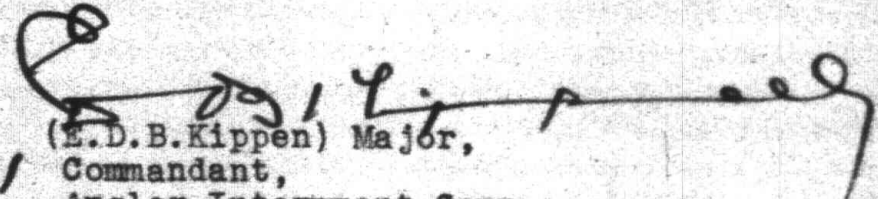
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Rec'd Quote: 101-P-632  
File No. \_\_\_\_\_  
Referred \_\_\_\_\_

Internment Camp,  
ANGLER, Ontario,  
29th September, 1942.

Authorized Deputy Custodian,  
912 Royal Bank Bldg.,  
VANCOUVER, B.C.

Re: P/W A-632, YOSHIDA, Masao

1. Reference your letter file 698 dated September 23rd, regarding the m/n internee.
2. The above internee has been advised of the contents of your letter, and communication from the Japanese Fishing Vessels Disposal Committee, and according to his statement, he acknowledges an indebtedness to B.C.Packers Ltd., however when the Custodian sent him the Bill of Sale, it was clearly and definitely stated that the proceeds from the sale of his boat would be credited to his account, therefore he signed the document; otherwise he would certainly have not done so.
3. This internee further states that the boat is valued at \$850.00 and the amount of \$290.00 to which he had agreed was entirely out of the question to consider, if he had been informed in the first place that the proceeds would be turned over to the B.C.Packers Ltd., by the Japanese Fishing Vessels Disposal Committee, as mentioned in your letter. Therefore he states that he cannot agree to the step that has been taken by the Japanese Fishing Vessels Disposal Committee re the proceeds of the sale of his boat.

  
(E.D.B. Kippen) Major,  
Commandant,  
Angler Internment Camp,  
Veterans Guard of Canada.

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COPY TO: C.I.O., Ottawa.

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912 Royal Bank Bldg.,  
Vancouver, B. C.  
October 6th, 1942

Japanese Fishing Vessels Disposal Committee,  
1528 Marine Building,  
Vancouver, B. C.

Dear Sirs:

Re: P/W A-632, YOSHIDA, Masao

The following is a copy of a communication received from the Camp Commandant -

"Reference your letter file 698 dated September 23rd, regarding the a/w interned.

The above interned has been advised of the contents of your letter, and communication from the Japanese Fishing Vessels Disposal Committee, and according to his statement, he acknowledges an indebtedness to B.C. Packers Ltd., however when the Custodian sent him the Bill of Sale, it was clearly and definitely stated that the proceeds from the sale of his boat would be credited to his account, therefore he signed the document; otherwise he would certainly have not done so.

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Will you be kind enough to let us have the information you have on file as to value.

KW/cz

Yours truly,

K. E. WRIGHT

For the Authorized Deputy of the Secretary  
of State and/or Custodian

## JAPANESE FISHING VESSELS DISPOSAL COMMITTEE

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 KISHIRO KIMURA  
 A. E. McMASTER, EXECUTIVE ASSISTANT

1888 MARINE BUILDING  
 VANCOUVER, B.C.

October 26, 1942.

Mr. K. W. Wright,  
 Office of the Custodian,  
 Department of the Secretary of State,  
 912 Royal Bank Building,  
 VANCOUVER, B. C.

Rec'd	OCT 27 1942
File No.	698
Ans.	
Referred	

Dear Sir:

Re: M/V "M. Y." NW 1856 NW 009E

Referring to your letter of the 6th inst., file 898 re the above vessel. We have looked into this matter and find the following in our surveyor's report of value.

<u>"Original Value"</u>	Boat	\$400.00
	Engine	\$400.00
	Extras	\$100.00
	Value	\$900.00

Value in 1942, \$250.00. Engine (Benzid 8 h.p.) unsaleable, therefore reduced to lowest possible value. Boat in poor state of repair".

It seems to me in this case that the B. C. Packers should have got an order from the owner for the payment of the amount due them. The owner, however, admits the liability, and it is not clear under the circumstances why he should object to the amount being deducted by B. C. Packers. The attached memorandum from B. C. Packers shows the status of this owner's account with them on September 16th which they apparently claim is covered by chattel mortgage. Will you kindly advise how you suggest the matter should be clarified.

As to the value of the boat, the Committee feels confident that the owner's present claim of valuation of \$850.00 is entirely out of line, and that the amount for which the boat was sold represents a fair value. We await your advice in the matter.

Yours very truly,

A. E. McMaster  
 A. E. McMaster,  
 Executive Assistant.

AEM:RO

Encl. ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO BE ADDRESSED TO THE COMMITTEE

## British Columbia Packers Limited

Vancouver, B.C.

Date Sept 16 1942Statement  
Sold to Masao Yoshida  
with Imperial Cannery

INVOICE NOS.

ORDER NOS.

CONTRACT NOS.

SHIPPER PER

OCT 7 - 1942

By fish delivered			1288 25
Cash	36200		
Insurance	1960		
Gas & Oil Coupons	9000		
Net & Boat Materials	51718		
House Rent	9105		
Poll Tax	700		
I Howard Invoice	1225		
Store &c	2094		
Water	2400		
Delta Marketing Shop	800		
Legal Fees	300		
Net	5857		
H J Wells Invoice	1215		
Can White Pine	6265		
1940 Balance	57925		
Balance owing Sept 16/42		579 39	
	186764	186764	

Covered by Chattel Mortgage

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915 Royal Bank Bldg.,  
Vancouver, B. C.,  
October 27th, 1942

Japanese Fishing Vessels Disposal Committee,  
1528 Marine Building,  
Vancouver, B. C.

Dear Sirs:

Re: P/W A-632, YOSHIDA, Masao and M/V  
"M.Y." BW 1856 NW 009E

Re notice on going over the list of  
boats which you enclosed in your letter to us of the 18th  
instant, that the above boat is listed as a forced sale.

The Internee himself executed the  
Agreement for Sale and Claim Assignment Forms and these were  
forwarded to you on September 4th. Therefore, it will not  
be necessary to have Mr. McPherson execute any documents in  
this connection.

Yours truly,

K. W. WRIGHT

For the Authorized Deputy of the Secretary  
of State and/or Custodian

KWW/CM

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912 Royal Bank Bldg.,  
Vancouver, B. C.  
November 3rd, 1942.

Japanese Fishing Vessels Disposal Committee,  
1526 Marine Bldg.,  
Vancouver, B. C.

Gentlemen: Re: P/W A-632, YOSHIDA, Masao, and M/V  
"M.X." NW 1896 NW 0092

We thank you for your communication of the 26th ult. enclosing memo of the account received from B. C. Packers Ltd. It is noted that this claim is covered by a chattel mortgage.

We are writing them to send us particulars.

Yours truly,

**K. W. WRIGHT**  
For the Authorized Deputy of the Secretary  
of State and/or Custodian.

**EWING**

912 Royal Bank Bldg.,  
Vancouver, B. C.  
November 24, 1942.

British Columbia Packers Ltd.,  
P.O. Campbell Street,  
Vancouver, B. C.

Gentlemen: Re: P/W A-632, YOSHIDA, Masao, and M/V  
"S.S." IN 1986 IN OSM.

The Japanese Fishing Vessels Disposal Committee advises that the above named is indebted to you in the amount of \$579.39.

Due to objections on the part of the interne, we have caused further inquiries to be made in regard to your claim and now understand that the balance owing is covered by chattel mortgage.

Will you be kind enough to furnish us the details - registration date, etc.

Yours truly,

K. W. WRIGHT  
For the Authorized Deputy of the Secretary  
of State and/or Custodian.

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File No. \_\_\_\_\_

# British Columbia Packers Limited

OUR SPECIALTY  
CLOVER LEAF  
BRAND



SALMON

FOOT OF CAMPBELL AVE.  
VANCOUVER.  
CANADA

PACKERS OF FINEST CANNED  
SALMON UNDER MANY  
WELL KNOWN BRANDS

695

November 26th, 1942.

CABLE ADDRESS "PACKERS"  
ALL LOGOS USED  
P. O. BOX 839

The Department of The Secretary of State,  
912 Royal Bank Building,  
VANCOUVER, B. C.

Dear Sirs: Attention K.W. Wright

We wish to advise you that Masao Yoshida now  
owes us the sum of Two hundred eighty-six dollars and seventy-  
nine cents (\$286.79) which is made up as follows:

He owed us Five hundred seventy-six dollars and  
seventy-nine cents (\$576.79) covering Chattel Mortgage Number  
50872 dated March 25th, 1941 registered at the Court House in  
Vancouver.

We have mailed to the Claims Department two copies  
of the statement of this man's account giving all details.

Yours very truly,

BRITISH COLUMBIA PACKERS LIMITED.

AEL/DES

Per:

*A.E. Lawson*

NOTICE OF RELEASE

Rec'd	MAR 11 1943
File No.	5067
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Internee's No. J.632 Name YOSHIDA, Masao

Camp Angler

Residence:

At time of internment: Box 100, Steveston, B.C.

To which proceeding on release: c/o Pigeon River Timber Co.,  
Neys, Ontario.

Date Released from Internment 2nd March, 1943.

Authority R.C.M.P. File No. C.11-19-2-13 dated 8-2-43

Conditions Released conditionally upon his subscribing to  
a special Undertaking.

*H. N. Streight*  
(H. N. Streight),  
Colonel,  
Director, Prisoners of War.

OTTAWA, 8th March, 1943.

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Copy:

R.C.M.P.  
Custodian  
Dependents' Section  
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June 29th, 1944.

Mr. Masao YOSHIDA,  
Registration No. 04923,  
c/o Pigeon River Timber Co.,  
Neys, Ont.

Dear Sir:

We have not yet had a reply to our two letters dated the 18th of February, 1944 and the 2nd of May, 1944, asking you as to what you propose doing about the two following claims:-

1. B. C. Packers Ltd. ....\$ 286.79
2. Jiro NISHIHATA..... 22.94

If we do not receive a reply by return we shall require to ask the B. C. Security Commission to review the whole matter.

You have already admitted that the claim of the B. C. Packers Ltd. is correct.

Yours truly,

  
AMCA:ND

A. McAlister,  
Claims Department.

EVACUATION SECTION	
Rec'd	JUL 8 1944
File No.	5067
Date	July 3 1944
Remarks	Medical report out.

Dear sir:—

I have received your letter to day asking me about the claims.

I had some B.C. Packers \$500. and some odd dollars. but they got my boat for mortgage. and I had letter from B.C. Packers to sell my boat. which I understand if I sold my boat I had some money in Custodian. so I did sign the paper. Because my boat worth \$7500

My all the letter received from B.C. Packers is in Angler Internment Camp

Yours truly  
Mr. Yoshida

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July 11th, 1944.

Mr. Masao YOSHIDA,  
Registration No. 04923,  
c/o Pigeon River Timber Co.,  
Ney's, Ont.

Dear Sir:

Your letter of the 3rd July 1944 to hand. As you have already been advised, the B.C. Packers, who had a claim against you amounting to \$576.79, bought your boat for \$290.00. This amount was taken off their claim against you, as shown in their attached statement dated November 13th, 1942. This left a balance owing by you of \$286.79.

Your credit balance at this date with the Custodian is \$10.76.

In your letter under reply you made no reference to the claim against you amounting to \$22.94 by Jiro NISHIHATA. When replying to this letter kindly say whether you owe NISHIHATA this money or not. Also advise us if you are able to settle the B.C. Packers claim.

Your early attention to this is requested.

Yours truly,

A. McAlister,  
Claims Department.

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July 21st, 1944.

Messrs. B.C. Packers Limited,  
Vancouver, B.C.

Dear Sirs:

re: Massao YOSHIDA

With reference to your claim of \$286.79 against the above named, we have had quite a bit of correspondence with YOSHIDA, and we are attaching herewith a copy of his last letter dealing with your claim against him.

As we cannot do anything further to assist you in this matter we suggest that you deal with him direct. His address is:

Registration No. 04923,  
c/o Pigeon River Timber Co.,  
Nays, Ont.

Yours truly,

  
AMcA:DE

A. McAlister,  
Claims Department.

Encl.

## EVACUATION SECTION

Rec'd JUL 20 1944  
File No. 5-267  
Ans.  
Referred *McWhorter*

July 15, 1944  
Keyp. out.

Dear Sir:

I received your letter to day and I see I still owe B.S. Parker 28679 but they got my boat for mortgage for the money I owe from B.S. Parker. So I can't do anything about that because I lost some money on that boat too. That boat worth \$75,000 any way. B.S. Parker had ~~that~~ money from Custodian all ready but I do not know any thing about that because I ~~did not~~ did not sign the paper. I guess they can do that without let me know.

I have one fire 22.94 for gas  
So I send that money to you 1st of the month

Yours truly  
M. G. Cole

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July 16, 1946.

Mr. Masao YOSHIDA,  
Reg. No. 04913,  
c/o Pigeon River Timber Co.,  
Noyo, Ont.

Dear Sir:

We enclose Custodian cheque for \$10.76  
which represents the balance standing to your  
credit with this office. This amount was re-  
ceived as the amount on deposit in your two ac-  
counts with the Japan & Canada Trust Savings Co..

Your account with this office is now  
being closed.

Yours truly,

F. Matheson,  
Protection Department.

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28th March, 1951.

Mr. Masao YOSHIDA,  
Regn. No. 04923,  
101 Grange Ave.,  
Toronto, Ontario.

Dear Sir:

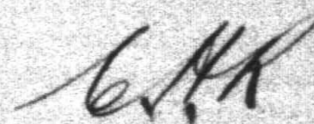
Distribution is now being made of the assets  
of the River Fish Company at the rate of \$33.98 per share.  
You were the holder of 5 shares and payment to you is as  
follows:

5 shares	\$169.89
Less previously advanced	<u>125.00</u>
	\$ 44.89

Custodian cheque for this amount is attached  
hereto.

Please acknowledge receipt.

Yours truly,



C.H. Reed,  
Office of the Custodian.

CH:HA  
Encl.