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Letter No. 11676

Department of Fisheries,
Winch Bldg.,
Vancouver, B. C.,

Dear Sir:

Could you please give me some information on the Japanese fishing boats. Are they for sale or lease. What is the average price of these boats, also the average condition of same.

What are the chances of making a living at fishing. What would be the average catch, and the price paid per hundred pound weight for salmon and Halibut? Is there anything in the rumour of fishing for shark for their liver?

I also would like to know if all the fishing gear, such as nets, and everything that pertains to fishing, is intact. In fact, all the information you can get for me on this matter.

Thanking you, and hoping for an early reply.

I remain,

Yours sincerely,

"G. Russell Weir"

9749 - 97A St.,
Edmonton, Alberta.

make.

- (d) What terms are required for the balance of total purchase price.

With this information on hand, this office will endeavor to have Japanese owners of suitable vessels communicate directly with prospective purchaser.

All communications should be addressed to the Committee.

JAPANESE FISHING VESSELS DISPOSAL COMMITTEE

A. E. McMaster, Executive Assistant.

Removal Correspondence -
Disposal of Japanese Fishing
Vessels