

Copy for Mr. Shears

Re: Shigeo SUGIURA, Reg. No.03034, File XI.172 & Cheque Refused

S. Sugiura,
4 Winnifred Avenue,
Toronto, Ont.
July 14th, 1947

The Custodian.

Dear Sirs:

I have received your letter and also enclosed cheque.

In regard to your disposition for my articles you mentioned, I regret to inform you that it is quite unsatisfactory and unacceptable to me since the selling amounts of each articles are low and also I have found there are many missing articles besides those you mentioned, such as the fishing gears, the carpenter tools and other personal belongings.

For this reason, I am compelled to send back the cheque to you.

Will you please understand my situation and receive the enclosed cheque. Also I will be much obliged if you will acknowledge the fact that I am expecting and looking forward to the further investigation by the newly organized committee to refund reasonably my loss on the evacuation from the coast.

Yours truly,

S. Sugiura.

Note: This man declared ownership of the following:

- 2 Trunks at Vernon, B. C. (These did not come under control of Custodian)
- 3 Salmon Nets at Knight Inlet Cannery - 2 were taken by A.B.C. Packing Co.Ltd. in full settlement of claim of \$140.00
There is no record of the third net.
- 2 Salmon Nets with Yosaburo INOUE, Nanaimo - Nets found at residence Of Yosaburo INOUE not identified, said to be valueless.
- 1 Boat - Sold through Japanese Fishing Vessels Disposal Committee on Sales Papers signed by Custodian. "Forced Sale".

Besides the above goods SUGIURA from internment camp reported ownership of a radio. This was sold and the funds are in his account.