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B.C. Provincial Collection
MINUTES OF DECISION, CORRESPONDENCE & SKETCHES
Peter O'Reilly
May 1882 to November 1882
(M.O.D.s October 1881 to September 1882)
Binder 7 (Box 3)

N.B.: The documents which comprise Box 3 (now binders 6, 7 and 8) have been re-arranged to more accurately reflect the original order. The documents are now in chronological order. By putting them in chronological order the correspondence numbers run in sequence, as they would have originally. While this re-constructed order more accurately reflects how the documents would have been originally housed, it is not how the documents are currently housed at the provincial archives. Box 3, as given to the Archives, was, essentially, organized from the latest to the earliest date.

This binder is a continuation of O'Reilly's work in 1882. Virtually every piece of correspondence in this volume is addressed to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works. At Correspondence No. 1385/82, the signature on the sketches changes from George A. Walkem to Wm. Smithe.

Despite O'Reilly's reputation for supporting settler interests, there are two instances in this binder where he includes land occupied by settlers in the reserve allotments: once in the Nass Valley for the reserve allotment formerly known as Aiyansh 1 and again with respect to an allotment for the Kitlathla Indians at Lowe Inlet [Corr Nos. 506/82 and 1464/82 respectively]

Many of the sketches in this binder are approved by the CCLW, George A. Walkem, on May 8, 1882. Based upon the correspondence, it appears that O'Reilly had an interview with the CCLW on that date [Corr. No. 506/82].

In Binder 7, there is some evidence suggesting that correspondence has been removed. At Correspondence No. 1385/82, O'Reilly provides Minutes of decision and sketches for various bands on the west coast of Vancouver Island, including Ohiet (currently spelled Huu-ay-aht). Inexplicably, the correspondence number which appears on the first page is 225/85. This indicates that the correspondence was received early in 1885. When the correspondence for 1885 is checked, all that is there is one piece numbered 206/85. This suggests that the covering letter for 225/85 has been removed. As well, there is a marginal notation which states: "Enclosed in 1385/82 L.I." [ie. Letter Incoming]. There is no later correspondence in the federal collection related to these Indians. The year at the end of the Minutes of Decision is 1882.

Some later correspondence has been added to the volume. At Corr. No. 1464/82 (pp. 5a-5c) correspondence from the 1920s related to the location of Kokyet (Heiltsuk) reserve Tankeah 5a has been inserted. As well, a number of post-survey sketches have been added to Corr. No. 1385/82. Based upon a review of the surveys, it appears that alterations were made to the boundaries as outlined in the Minutes of decision. Ashdown Henry Green undertook all the surveys during the 1883 season, just a year after the allotments. Logically, these additional sketches would have been sent with their own covering letter, but no such letter has been located in the collection. Given that correspondence number 225/85 appears on the Minutes of decision, it is conceivable that the sketches were included with that document.

O'Reilly did not provide the CCLW with any field notes of his trips. Consequently, there is virtually no contextual information (such as main village sites, population, occupation, etc.) with respect to the reserves allotted. The only indication of village areas and use and occupation comes from the sketches.

Organization of Index

- The identification of the location of the documents is based upon the correspondence number.
- Enclosures are identified with "[encl]" following the correspondence number.
- In some instances, the term "(add. corr.)" has been used to indicate additional correspondence which was added at a later date under the same correspondence number.
- Page numbers for the correspondence, particularly the Minutes of decision and sketches, have been noted in "[]" below the correspondence number. In many cases, there was no page number in the document, so the page number has been assigned. Page numbers generally commence with the Minute of decision. The covering letter is either separately numbered or not included.

Additional Sources

In order to verify and cross-reference information in the collection a number of sources are cited in the footnotes.

Federal Collection	Federal Collection of Minutes of Decision, Correspondence & Sketches
1943 Schedule	The 1943 Schedule of Reserves prepared by the Department of Indian Affairs based upon the work of C.H. Taggart, Dominion Land Surveyor.
NRCan Schedule (2005)	Schedule of Reserves prepared by the Vancouver office of the Legal Surveys Division, Natural Resources Canada
PILQ	The Papers on the Indian Land Question, 1850-1875, 1877

People of Note

W.E. Ditchburn	Indian Commissioner, B.C.
Wm. Smithe	Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works
George A. Walkem	Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works
J.E. Umbach	Surveyor General, B.C.

Indians Identified	See complete list under Additional Subjects
Settlers Identified	See complete list under Additional Subjects

Cross-Reference to the Federal Collection

Correspondence No. 506/82 is found in vl. 9, pp. 18-57, 76-113

Correspondence No. 1385/82 is found in vl. 10, pp. 308-316, 319-325, 328-336, 339-354, 356-377, 379-389, 390-92

Correspondence No. 1410/82 is found in vl. 10, pp. 257-281a, 303-306, 282-302

Correspondence No. 1425/82 is found in vl. 10, pp. 191-197, 199-211, 213-234, 235-241, 243-249, 250-256

Correspondence No. 1464/82 is found in vl. 10, pp. 145-160, 161-169, 171-181, 183-189

ANNOTATED INDEX BINDER 7

M.O.D. is an abbreviation for Minute of Decision.

A.M.O.D. is an abbreviation for Amended Minute of Decision

Reserve names are current spellings and current numbers, unless the reserve no longer exists.

Band/Tribe names are as they appear within the volume; **n.b.** for a variety of reasons (eg. change of name, band division and amalgamation) the band originally allotted the reserve may not be the current holder.

[w/encl] indicates there were enclosures contained with the correspondence.

[copy] indicates that there was a notation on the correspondence identifying it as a copy

[] around the name of the author indicates that the author is known, but the signature block is missing.

DATE mm dd yyyy	RESERVE	BAND/TRIBE	AUTHOR/ SURVEYOR	TYPE DOC	CORR. NO.
05 05 1882		Nass River & Tsimpsean ¹	O'Reilly	Letter, M.O.D. & Sketch	506/82
10 20 1881		Nass River ²	O'Reilly	M.O.D. & Sketch	506/82 [pp. 1-17]
10 20 1881		Gitlakdamix/ Nass River	O'Reilly	M.O.D. & Sketch	506/82 [pp. 1-4, 11-12]
10 20 1881		Gitwinkshilkw/ Nass River	O'Reilly	M.O.D. & Sketch	506/82 [pp. 4-5, 12]
10 20 1881		Lakalzap/ Nass River	O'Reilly	M.O.D. & Sketch	506/82 [pp. 5-7, 13-14]
10 20 1881		Kincolith/ Nass River	O'Reilly	M.O.D. & Sketch	506/82 [pp. 7-10, 15-17]

¹ The original correspondence number is very difficult to read. Someone has re-written it. There is a notation on the left hand side which states: "For amended Decisions see 395/84". O'Reilly forwards "rough plans and descriptions for reserves laid out" by him for the Nass River and Tsimpsean Indians. He notes that the reserves do not include "the whole of the lands it may be necessary to assign to these Indians as owing to the lateness of the season" he was unable to visit all the places claimed by them for fishing and "other purposes." No additional information is provided by O'Reilly. In the federal collection, however, he provides field minutes which provide more detail on his interaction with these Indians. The Tsimpsean Indians, as identified by O'Reilly have since split into two groups: Metlakatla and Lax Kw'alaams (formerly known as Port Simpson). The Nass River Indians are currently known as Nisga'a. Pagination has been assigned to the M.O.D.s and sketches for reference. [See Binder 8, Corr. No. 395/84; Federal Collection, vl. 9, pp. 18-57, 76-113, NRCan Schedule (2005), pp. 91-92, 94]

² The Nass River Indians are now identified as Nisga'a. As a result of the Nisga'a Treaty and the act ratifying the treaty in April 2000, all of the reserves allotted to the Nisga'a are identified as Nisga'a lands. The reserves are considered to be held by the Nisga'a in fee simple. The groups within the Nisga'a are currently identified as the Nisga'a Villages of: New Aiyansh (formerly Gitlakdamix, a.k.a. Aiyansh), Gitwinkshilkw (a.k.a. Gwinaha/Canyon City), Laxgalt'sap (formerly Lakalzap, a.k.a. Greenville) and Gingolx (formerly Kincolith). The sketches included with the Minutes are all signed as "Approved" by the CCLW, George A. Walkem. They are dated May 8, 1882. O'Reilly's field minute in the federal collection contains more detail regarding his visit to this area, including additional information regarding settlers. [See Binder 9, Corr. No. 168/89; Binder 12, Corr. No. 5813/96; Binder 13, Corr. No. 9779/03; Federal Collection, vl. 9, pp. 76-113]

DATE mm dd yyyy	RESERVE	BAND/TRIBE	AUTHOR/ SURVEYOR	TYPE DOC	CORR. NO.
10 20 1881	Aiyansh 1 ³	Gitlakdamix/ Nass River	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	506/82 [p. 1]
10 20 1881	Tsimmanweenclis 2 ⁴	Gitlakdamix/ Nass River	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	506/82 [p. 2]
10 20 1881	Seaks 3 ⁵	Gitlakdamix/ Nass River	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	506/82 [pp. 2-3]
10 20 1881	Shumarl 4	Gitlakdamix/ Nass River	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	506/82 [p. 3]
10 20 1881	Amatal 5 ⁶	Gitlakdamix/ Nass River	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	506/82 [pp. 3-4]
10 20 1881	Amatal 6	Gitlakdamix/ Nass River	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	506/82 [p. 4]
10 20 1881	Gitwinkshilkw 7 ⁷	Gitwinkshilkw/ Nass River	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	506/82 [pp. 4-5]
10 20 1881	Andegulay 8 ⁸	Lakalzap/ Nass River	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	506/82 [pp. 5-6]
10 20 1881	Lachkalsap 9 ⁹	Lakalzap/ Nass River	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	506/82 [pp. 6-7]
10 20 1881	Stony Point 10	Kincolith/ Nass River	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	506/82 [p. 7]
10 20 1881	Black Point 11	Kincolith/ Nass River	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	506/82 [p. 8]
10 20 1881	Lachtesk 12	Kincolith/ Nass River	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	506/82 [p. 8]

³ Identified by O'Reilly as "Kit-lac-da-max". In the federal collection, O'Reilly provides considerably more detail about this allotment in his field minute, including that he encompassed within the reserve a 320-acre pre-emption, which was recorded in 1879. O'Reilly notes that, the settler (named Mathieson) should be recompensed for his improvements. Interestingly, although the pre-emption is shown in the reserve sketch, which is approved by the CCLW, there is no mention of its inclusion either in the covering letter or the M.O.D. At the end of the Minute of decision, O'Reilly adds "the exclusive right of fishing in the Nass river, the entire length of this reserve and also in Chemanuc [sic] creek." [See Federal Collection, vl. 7, 89-89a; vl. 9, pp. 81-84; 1943 Schedule, p. 128]

⁴ O'Reilly also allots the "exclusive right of fishing in the Nass river for a distance of 2 miles up-stream from this reserve."

⁵ O'Reilly includes in this allotment the "exclusive right of fishing in the Se-aks river for a distance of one mile from its mouth..."

⁶ This reserve was a fishing station. At the end of the allotment, O'Reilly adds the exclusive right of fishing in the slough within the reserve.

⁷ O'Reilly adds at the end of the Minute the "exclusive right to fish in the Nass river, the entire length of this reserve ..."

⁸ O'Reilly states that the "exclusive right of fishing on the left bank of the Nass, commencing at the mouth of "Andegulay" slough and extending up stream 1/2 mile, also the fisheries in "Andegulay" slough for a like distance from its mouth, are reserved." N.B.: The 1943 Schedule erroneously cites the date of the allotment of this reserve as September 3, 1888. The correct date is October 10, 1881. [See 1943 Schedule, p. 129]

⁹ At the end of the Minute, O'Reilly adds the "old established Fisheries on the Nass river within the limits of this reserve, as also the right to fish in the various sloughs running through it, are reserved for the use of the Indians." [See Binder 13, Corr. No. 9779/03]

DATE mm dd yyyy	RESERVE	BAND/TRIBE	AUTHOR/ SURVEYOR	TYPE DOC	CORR. NO.
10 20 1881	Red Bluff 13 ¹⁰	Kincolith/ Nass River	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	506/82 [p. 9]
10 20 1881	Kincolith 14	Kincolith/ Nass River	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	506/82 [pp. 9-10]
10 20 1881	Kinnamax 15	Kincolith/ Nass River	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	506/82 [p. 10]
10 20 1881	Aiyansh 1 ¹¹	Gitlakdamix/ Nass River	Unknown	Sketch	506/82 [p. 11]
10 20 1881	Tsimmanweenclis 2	Gitlakdamix/ Nass River	Unknown	Sketch	506/82 [p. 11]
10 20 1881	Seaks 3	Gitlakdamix/ Nass River	Unknown	Sketch	506/82 [p. 11]
10 20 1881	Shumarl 4	Gitlakdamix/ Nass River	Unknown	Sketch	506/82 [p. 12]
10 20 1881	Amatal 5	Gitlakdamix/ Nass River	Unknown	Sketch	506/82 [p. 12]
10 20 1881	Amatal 6	Gitlakdamix/ Nass River	Unknown	Sketch	506/82 [p. 12]
10 20 1881	Gitwinkshilkw 7	Gitwinkshilkw/ Nass River	Unknown	Sketch	506/82 [p. 12]
10 20 1881	Andegulay 8	Lakalzap/ Nass River	Unknown	Sketch	506/82 [p. 13]
10 20 1881	Lachkalsap 9	Lakalzap/ Nass River	Unknown	Sketch	506/82 [p. 14]
10 20 1881	Stony Point 10	Kincolith/ Nass River	Unknown	Sketch	506/82 [p. 15]
10 20 1881	Black Point 11	Kincolith/ Nass River	Unknown	Sketch	506/82 [p. 16]
10 20 1881	Lachtesk 12 ¹²	Kincolith/ Nass River	Unknown	Sketch	506/82 [p. 16]
10 20 1881	Red Bluff 13	Kincolith/ Nass River	Unknown	Sketch	506/82 [p. 16]
10 20 1881	Kincolith 14	Kincolith/ Nass River	Unknown	Sketch	506/82 [p. 17]
10 20 1881	Kinnamax 15	Kincolith/ Nass River	Unknown	Sketch	506/82 [p. 17]

¹⁰ The commencement point of this reserve is a point "due North of a rock known as "The heart of the Nass." O'Reilly assigns the "exclusive right of fishing in "Na-nook" River for a distance of 1/4 mile from its mouth."

¹¹ Aiyansh 1 is identified as "Kit-la-da-max 1" on the sketch.

¹² The sketch indicates that this reserve was also known as "Canaan".

DATE mm dd yyyy	RESERVE	BAND/TRIBE	AUTHOR/ SURVEYOR	TYPE DOC	CORR. NO.
10 29 1881		Metlakatla/ Tsimpsean ¹³	O'Reilly	M.O.D. & Sketch	506/82 [pp. 18-30]
10 29 1881		Port Simpson/ Tsimpsean	O'Reilly	M.O.D. & Sketch	506/82 [pp. 18-30]
10 29 1881	Port Simpson 1 ¹⁴	Port Simpson/ Tsimpsean	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	506/82 [p. 18]
10 29 1881	Tsimpsean 2 ¹⁵	Metlakatla/ Tsimpsean	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	506/82 [p. 19]
10 29 1881	Wilnaskancaud 3	Metlakatla/ Tsimpsean	O'Reilly	M.O.D	506/82 [p. 20]
10 29 1881	Shoowahtlans 4	Metlakatla/ Tsimpsean	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	506/82 [p. 20]
10 29 1881	Cloyah 5 ¹⁶	Metlakatla/ Tsimpsean	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	506/82 [p. 21]
10 29 1881	Willaclough 6	Metlakatla/ Tsimpsean	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	506/82 [pp. 21-22]
10 29 1881	Point Veitch 7	Metlakatla/ Tsimpsean	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	506/82 [p. 22]
10 29 1881	Khyex 8 ¹⁷	Metlakatla/ Tsimpsean	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	506/82 [p. 22-23]
10 29 1881	Kilcutseen 9	Metlakatla/ Tsimpsean	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	506/82 [p. 23]
10 29 1881	Khtahda 10 ¹⁸	Metlakatla/ Tsimpsean	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	506/82 [p. 23]

¹³ O'Reilly identifies the Indians only as "Tsimpsean". These two groups were resident at Fort Simpson and the Metlakatla. The majority of the reserves allotted by O'Reilly on this trip were either for the Metlakatla or allotted jointly between the Metlakatla and Fort Simpson (a.k.a. Port Simpson, currently Lax Kw'alaams). For the purpose of this index, the two groups will be identified as Metlakatla and Port Simpson. There are notations at the top of the page which state: "Memo!! Interview with Mr. O'Reilly Indian Commissioner May 8, 1882. Note Fort Simpson and Metlakatla reserve not approved of! Further consideration necessary & boundaries [?] defined. Geo. A. Walkem, C.C. L & W". At the end of this set of Minutes of decision and sketches are two documents apparently from the 1940s. The original does not have page numbers. Pagination has been assigned for reference. [See Corr. No. 1464/82, this binder; Binder 8, Corr. No. 395/84; Federal Collection, vl. 9, pp. 18-57; NRCan Schedule (2005), p. 100]

¹⁴ This allotment and the original allotment for Tsimpsean 2 were both cancelled and re-allotted. There is a notation next to the Minute which states: "Memo Pl. No 1 given to H.B.Co c.g.[?] 2670." [See Binder 8, Corr. No. 395/84; Federal Collection, vl. 11, pp. 301-307]

¹⁵ There is an additional notation at the beginning of the Minute which states: "Metlahkatla [sic] Reserve as per Gazette is a Government Reserve of about 32,000 acres 5 miles on either side of Mission Point and 5 miles back from the Coast line see B.C. Gazette see B.C. Gazette 8 Oct 64. Another reserve of 3 miles radius around Mission Point in B.C. Gazette Aug 22, 1863, covering a portion of the same ground." Although there is no notation here, this allotment was cancelled and re-allotted. [See Binder 8, Corr. No. 395/84]

¹⁶ Following the Minute, O'Reilly allots "the exclusive right of fishing in Clo-yah river for a distance of 1 1/2 miles from its mouth ..."

¹⁷ This reserve is currently held in common between Metlakatla and Lax Kw'alaams. [See NRCan Schedule (2005) pp. 53, 58]

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10 29 1881	Scuttsap 11 ¹⁹	Metlakatla/ Tsimpsean	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	506/82 [p. 24]
10 29 1881	Port Simpson 1 ²⁰	Port Simpson/ Tsimpsean	Unknown	Sketch	506/82 [p. 25]
10 29 1881	Tsimpsean 2 ²¹	Metlakatla/ Tsimpsean	Unknown	Sketch	506/82 [p. 26]
10 29 1881	Wilnaskancaud 3	Metlakatla/ Tsimpsean	Unknown	Sketch	506/82 [p. 27]
10 29 1881	Shoowahtlans 4	Metlakatla/ Tsimpsean	Unknown	Sketch	506/82 [p. 27]
10 29 1881	Cloyah 5	Metlakatla/ Tsimpsean	Unknown	Sketch	506/82 [p. 27]
10 29 1881	Willaclough 6	Metlakatla/ Tsimpsean	Unknown	Sketch	506/82 [p. 28]
10 29 1881	Point Veitch 7	Metlakatla/ Tsimpsean	Unknown	Sketch	506/82 [p. 28]
10 29 1881	Khyex 8	Metlakatla/ Tsimpsean	Unknown	Sketch	506/82 [p. 28]
10 29 1881	Kilcutseen 9	Metlakatla/ Tsimpsean	Unknown	Sketch	506/82 [p. 28]
10 29 1881	Khtahda 10	Metlakatla/ Tsimpsean	Unknown	Sketch	506/82 [p. 28]
10 29 1881		Tsimpsean ²²	Unknown	Sketch	506/82 [add. corr]
03 17 1949	Kilcutseen 9 ²³	Metlakatla/ Tsimpsean	Supt. of Lands	Letter	506/82 [add. corr]

¹⁹ This reserve is currently held in common between Metlakatla and Lax Kw'alaams. [See NRCan Schedule (2005) pp. 53, 58]

²⁰ In the federal collection, there is a note on the sketch which states: "Cancelled - See Mr. O'Reilly's letter of 15th June 1886, File 29858 No. 4 and accompanying sketches and Minute of decision." [See Federal Collection, vl. 9, p. 50]

²¹ In the federal collection, there is a note on the sketch which states: "Cancelled - See Mr. O'Reilly's letter of 15th June 1886, File 29858 No. 4 and accompanying sketches and Minute of decision." [See Federal Collection, vl. 9, p. 56] other.

²² Following the sketches included with the Minutes of decision is a fragment of a sketch which has written on it: "Dundas Island", "Chatham Sound", "Fort Simpson". There is no indication of the provenance of this document.

²³ This letter, clearly added to the documents, is addressed to W.S. Arneil, Indian Commissioner, Vancouver. It discusses the actual location of what appears to be the Kilcutseen 9. It is suggested that the location of the reserve as shown on Reference Map 19B and a map in the McKenna-McBride Report (p. 549) is not correct. The recommendation is to undertake a survey to confirm the location of the reserve.

DATE mm dd yyyy	RESERVE	BAND/TRIBE	AUTHOR/ SURVEYOR	TYPE DOC	CORR. NO.
06 13 1882	Ahahswinis 1 ²⁴	Opetchisaht	O'Reilly	Letter & Sketch	698/82
06 13 1882	Ahahswinis 1	Opetchisaht	Unknown	Sketch	698/82
10 23 1882		Ohiet, Opetchisaht, Sheshaht, Toquart, Ucluelet, Uchucklesit, Pacheena ²⁵	O'Reilly	Letter, M.O.D. & Sketch	1385/82 225/85
06 01 1882		Ohiet ²⁶	O'Reilly	M.O.D. & Sketch	1385/82 [pp. 1-16]
06 01 1882	Numukamis 1 ²⁷	Ohiet	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	1385/82 [p. 1]
06 01 1882	Nuchaquis 2	Ohiet	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	1385/82 [p. 2]
06 01 1882	Dochsupple 3	Ohiet	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	1385/82 [p. 2]
06 01 1882	Sachsa 4	Ohiet	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	1385/82 [p. 3]
06 01 1882	Sachawil 5	Ohiet	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	1385/82 [p. 3]
06 01 1882	Kirby Point 6	Ohiet	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	1385/82 [p. 4]
06 01 1882	Hamilton Point 7	Ohiet	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	1385/82 [p. 4]
06 01 1882	Haines Island 8	Ohiet	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	1385/82 [p. 5]

²⁴ This letter to the CCLW pre-dates O'Reilly's reporting letter to the Superintendent General of Indian Affairs by almost 4 months. O'Reilly advises the CCLW of the presence of a settler named Charles Taylor "occupying a portion of land belonging to the Opetchisaht tribe." O'Reilly reports that Taylor claimed the land under a pre-emption record dated November 16, 1872, however Taylor "admitted ... that the Indian village stood upon the land prior to his record." O'Reilly states that he thought it best to "place this fact before you lest any application should be made for a title in his name. O'Reilly included the area in the reserve allotted to the Indians. In the federal collection field minute, O'Reilly provides some additional information, including that it was the Chief, Ka-now-ish, who complained about Taylor's presence and that the Chief desired to have Taylor removed. The sketch indicates the location of Taylor's house. [See Federal Collection, vl. 10, pp. 379-82; CLSRBC 39]

²⁵ O'Reilly submits the Minutes of decision and sketches for seven communities along the west coast of Vancouver Island. He notes that the reserves for the "Nitinat" [currently known as Dididaht] and "Pacheena" [currently known as Pacheedaht] have not been completed as he was unable to visit all their fishing stations. Curiously, the Correspondence No. for the Minutes of decision is clearly shown to be "225/85." This clearly indicates that these Minutes and sketches were included with correspondence from 1885. There is a marginal notation which states: "Enclosed in 1385/82 L.I." [L.I.: letter incoming]. The Minutes are dated 1882. There is no correspondence in the federal collection indicating that additional work was done in 1885 in this area by O'Reilly. It is possible that the original copy submitted by O'Reilly was misplaced and another copy provided in 1885. As the Minutes of decision and sketches were originally submitted and dated 1882, the correspondence number cited will be 1385/82. There is a signature, or signature stamp, on the sketches which states: "Approved Wm. Smithe, C.C. L & W". There are no page numbers in the original. Pagination has been assigned for reference. [See Federal Collection, vl. 10, pp. 308-392]

²⁶ These Indians are currently known as Huu-ay-aht First Nation. The Band's name has also previously been spelled Ohiaht. O'Reilly provided no additional information to the CCLW, however, in the federal collection, there is a detailed Field Minute. The sketches are signed "Approved Wm. Smithe CC of L & W." There is no approval date on the sketches. [See Federal Collection, vl. 10, pp. 356-377; NRCan Schedule (2005), pp. 48-49, 93]

²⁷ A portion of this reserve was cut-off by McKenna-McBride, August 14, 1914. The cut-off claim was settled in October 1989. [See 1943 Schedule, p. 181]

DATE mm dd yyyy	RESERVE	BAND/TRIBE	AUTHOR/ SURVEYOR	TYPE DOC	CORR. NO.
06 01 1882	Keeshan 9	Ohiet	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	1385/82 [p. 5]
06 01 1882	Kichha 10	Ohiet	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	1385/82 [p. 6]
06 01 1882	Clutus 11	Ohiet	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	1385/82 [p. 6]
06 01 1882	Numukamis 1 ²⁸	Ohiet	Unknown	Sketch	1385/82 [pp. 7-8]
06 01 1882	Nuchaquis 2	Ohiet	Unknown	Sketch	1385/82 [p. 9]
06 01 1882	Dochsupple 3	Ohiet	Unknown	Sketch	1385/82 [p. 9]
06 01 1882	Sachsa 4 ²⁹	Ohiet	Unknown	Sketch	1385/82 [pp. 9-10]
06 01 1882	Sachawil 5	Ohiet	Unknown	Sketch	1385/82 [p. 11]
06 01 1882	Kirby Point 6	Ohiet	Unknown	Sketch	1385/82 [p. 11]
06 01 1882	Hamilton Point 7	Ohiet	Unknown	Sketch	1385/82 [p. 11]
06 01 1882	Haines Island 8	Ohiet	Unknown	Sketch	1385/82 [p. 11]
06 01 1882	Keeshan 9 ³⁰	Ohiet	Unknown	Sketch	1385/82 [pp. 12-13]
06 01 1882	Kichha 10	Ohiet	Unknown	Sketch	1385/82 [p. 14]
06 01 1882	Clutus 11	Ohiet	Unknown	Sketch	1385/82 [p. 14]
06 01 1882	Anacla 12 ³¹	Ohiet	Unknown	Sketch	1385/82 [pp. 14,15]
06 01 1882	Masit 13	Ohiet	Unknown	Sketch	1385/82 [p. 13]

²⁸ Two copies of a sketch for this reserve are included. The first is coloured green and the second a red/pink. The second sketch would be a later sketch. No correspondence has been located indicating the provenance of the second sketch, however, it does appear to reflect Ashdown Green's survey of the reserve in 1883. [See CLSRBC 34]

²⁹ Two copies of a sketch for this reserve are included. The first is coloured green and the second a red/pink. The latter sketch would be a later sketch. No correspondence has been located indicating the provenance of the second sketch, however, it does appear to resemble the reserve as surveyed by Ashdown Green in 1883. [See CLSRBC 35]

³⁰ Two copies of a sketch for this reserve are included. The first is coloured green and the second a red/pink. The latter sketch would be a later sketch. No correspondence has been located indicating the provenance of the second sketch, however, it does appear to resemble the reserve as surveyed by Ashdown Green in 1883. [See CLSRBC 35]

³¹ Two copies of a sketch for this reserve are included. The first is coloured green and the second a red/pink. The latter sketch would be a later sketch. No correspondence has been located indicating the provenance of the second sketch, however, it does appear to resemble the reserve as surveyed by Ashdown Green in 1883. [See CLSRBC 35]

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06 01 1882	Anacla 12	Ohiet	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	1385/82 [p. 16]
06 01 1882	Masit 13	Ohiet	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	1385/82 [p. 16]
06 03 1882		Scshaht ³²	O'Reilly	M.O.D. & Sketch	1385/82 [pp. 17-23]
06 03 1882	Tsahaheh 1 ³³	Sheshaht	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	1385/82 [p. 17]
06 03 1882	Alberni 2	Sheshaht	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	1385/82 [p. 18]
06 03 1882	Iwachis 3	Sheshaht	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	1385/82 [pp. 18-19]
06 03 1882	Tsecowa 4	Sheshaht	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	1385/82 [p. 19]
06 03 1882	Ahmitsa 5	Sheshaht	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	1385/82 [p. 19]
06 03 1882	Cleho 6	Sheshaht	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	1385/82 [p. 20]
06 03 1882	Keith Island 7	Sheshaht	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	1385/82 [p. 20]
06 03 1882	Equis 8	Sheshaht	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	1385/82 [pp. 20,23]
06 03 1882	Tsahaheh 1	Sheshaht	Unknown	Sketch	1385/82 [p. 21]
06 03 1882	Alberni 2	Sheshaht	Unknown	Sketch	1385/82 [p. 21]
06 03 1882	Iwachis 3	Sheshaht	Unknown	Sketch	1385/82 [p. 22]
06 03 1882	Tsecowa 4	Sheshaht	Unknown	Sketch	1385/82 [p. 22]
06 03 1882	Ahmitsa 5	Sheshaht	Unknown	Sketch	1385/82 [p. 22]
06 03 1882	Cleho 6	Sheshaht	Unknown	Sketch	1385/82 [p. 22]
06 03 1882	Keith Island 7	Sheshaht	Unknown	Sketch	1385/82 [p. 22]
06 03 1882	Equis 8	Sheshaht	Unknown	Sketch	1385/82 [p. 22]

³² O'Reilly spelled the name of this group "Se-shart", it has also been spelled Sechart and Tsehart. It is currently spelled Tseshahht. In the federal collection, O'Reilly provided a detailed field minute, in addition to the Minutes of decision and sketches. The sketches included with the Minutes of decision have been signed "Approved Wm. Smithe CC of L & W." There is no approval date on the sketches. [See Federal Collection, vl. 10, pp. 339-354; NRCan Schedule (2005), pp. 95, 100]

³³ A portion of this reserve was cut-off by the McKenna-McBride Commission July 9, 1914. This cut-off was amended May 19, 1916. The cut-off claim was settled in October 1987.

DATE mm dd yyyy	RESERVE	BAND/TRIBE	AUTHOR/ SURVEYOR	TYPE DOC	CORR. NO.
06 03 1882	Omoah 9	Sheshaht	Unknown	Sketch	1385/82 [p. 22]
06 03 1882	Omoah 9	Sheshaht	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	1385/82 [p. 23]
06 03 1882		Toquart ³⁴	O'Reilly	M.O.D. & Sketch	1385/82 [pp. 24-28]
06 03 1882	Macoah 1	Toquart	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	1385/82 [p. 24]
06 03 1882	Deekyakus 2	Toquart	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	1385/82 [pp. 24-25]
06 03 1882	Chequis 3 ³⁵	Toquart	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	1385/82 [pp. 25-26]
06 03 1882	Chenatha 4	Toquart	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	1385/82 [p. 26]
06 03 1882	Dookqua 5	Toquart	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	1385/82 [pp. 26,28]
06 03 1882	Macoah 1	Toquart	Unknown	Sketch	1385/82 [p. 27]
06 03 1882	Deekyakus 2	Toquart	Unknown	Sketch	1385/82 [p. 27]
06 03 1882	Chequis 3	Toquart	Unknown	Sketch	1385/82 [p. 27]
06 03 1882	Chenatha 4	Toquart	Unknown	Sketch	1385/82 [p. 27]
06 03 1882	Dookqua 5	Toquart	Unknown	Sketch	1385/82 [p. 27]
06 05 1882		Opetchisaht ³⁶	O'Reilly	M.O.D. & Sketch	1385/82 [pp. 29-33]
06 05 1882	Ahahswinis 1	Opetchisaht	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	1385/82 [p. 29]
06 05 1882	Klehkoot 2	Opetchisaht	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	1385/82 [p. 30]
06 05 1882	Cous 3	Opetchisaht	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	1385/82 [p. 30]

³⁴ This name is currently spelled Toquaht. O'Reilly provided no additional information on these Indians to the CCLW. There is, however, a detailed field minute in the federal collection. [See Federal Collection, vl. 10, pp. 308-316; NRCan Schedule (2005), p. 99]

³⁵ At the end of the Minute of decision for this reserve, O'Reilly states: "The right of fishing in the Creek, which flows through this Reserve [sic], from its mouth to a Lake at the head of it (an approximate distance of one mile) is allotted to the Indians."

³⁶ These Indians are currently known as the Hupa/asath First Nation. The field minute found in the federal collection provides additional information regarding O'Reilly's meeting with these Indians, some of which is found in earlier correspondence in this binder. There is two copies of the sketch for these reserves. The second sketch depicts the reserves in red/pink. The provenance of the second sketch is not known, however, it resembles the reserves as surveyed by Ashdown Green in 1883. [See Corres. No. 698/82, this binder; Federal Collection, vl. 10, pp. 379-389; CLSRBC 39; NRCan Schedule (2005), p. 93]

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06 05 1882	Ahahswinis 1	Opetchisaht	Unknown	Sketch	1385/82 [pp. 31,32]
06 05 1882	Klehkoot 2	Opetchisaht	Unknown	Sketch	1385/82 [pp. 31,32]
06 05 1882	Cous 3	Opetchisaht	Unknown	Sketch	1385/82 [pp. 31,32]
06 05 1882	Chuchakacook 4	Opetchisaht	Unknown	Sketch	1385/82 [pp. 31,32]
06 05 1882	Chuchakacook 4	Opetchisaht	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	1385/82 [p. 33]
08 24 1929	Klehkoot 2 ³⁷	Opetchisaht	Hanna	Letter	1385/82 [add. corr. p. 33a]
09 09 1929	Klehkoot 2	Opetchisaht	Supt. Lands	Letter	1385/82 [add. corr. p. 33b]
06 05 1882		Ucluelet ³⁸	O'Reilly	M.O.D. & Sketch	1385/82 [pp. 34-38]
06 05 1882	Ittatsoo 1	Ucluelet	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	1385/82 [p. 34]
06 05 1882	Clakamucus 2	Ucluelet	O'Reilly	M.O.D. [p/copy]	1385/82 [pp. 34-35]
06 05 1882	Outs 3	Ucluelet	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	1385/82 [p. 35]
06 05 1882	Quinaquilth 4	Ucluelet	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	1385/82 [pp. 35,38]
06 05 1882	Ittatsoo 1	Ucluelet	Unknown	Sketch	1385/82 [p. 36]
06 05 1882	Clakamucus 2	Ucluelet	Unknown	Sketch	1385/82 [p. 36]
06 05 1882	Outs 3	Ucluelet	Unknown	Sketch	1385/82 [p. 36]
06 05 1882	Quinaquilth 4	Ucluelet	Unknown	Sketch	1385/82 [p. 36]
06 05 1882	Kleykleyhous 5 ³⁹	Ucluelet	Unknown	Sketch	1385/82 [pp. 36,37]
06 05 1882	Kleykleyhous 5	Ucluelet	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	1385/82 [p. 38]

³⁷ At the end of the Minutes of decision for these Indians are two letters related to this E & N Railway going through this reserve. These letters were clearly added at a later date.

³⁸ O'Reilly visited this area for a second time in 1889. [See Binder 10, Corr. No. 1152/90, pp. 1-5; Federal Collection, vl. 10, pp. 328-336]

³⁹ A second sketch in relation to this reserve is included with this set of Minutes of decision. The reserve is depicted in red/pink. The provenance of this second sketch is not known, however, it resembles the reserve as surveyed by Ashdown H. Green in 1883. [See CLSRBC 36]

DATE mm dd yyyy	RESERVE	BAND/TRIBE	AUTHOR/ SURVEYOR	TYPE DOC	CORR. NO.
06 05 1882		Uchucklesit ⁴⁰	O'Reilly	M.O.D. & Sketch	1385/82 [pp. 39-42]
06 05 1882	Cowishil 1	Uchucklesit	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	1385/82 [p. 39]
06 05 1882	Cowishil 1	Uchucklesit	Unknown	Sketch	1385/82 [p. 40]
06 05 1882	Elhlateese 2 ⁴¹	Uchucklesit	Unknown	Sketch	1385/82 [pp. 40, 41]
06 05 1882	Elhlateese 2	Uchucklesit	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	1385/82 [p. 42]
06 07 1882		Pacheena ⁴²	O'Reilly	M.O.D. & Sketch	1385/82 [pp. 43-45]
06 07 1882	Pacheena 1	Pacheena	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	1385/82 [p. 43]
06 07 1882	Gordon River 2	Pacheena	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	1385/82 [p. 44]
06 07 1882	Pacheena 1	Pacheena	Unknown	Sketch	1385/82 [p. 45]
06 07 1882	Gordon River 2	Pacheena	Unknown	Sketch	1385/82 [p. 45]
10 28 1882		Masset, Skidegate/ Haida ⁴³	O'Reilly	Letter, M.O.D. & Sketch	1410/82
07 13 1882		Masset/ ⁴⁴ Haida	O'Reilly	M.O.D. & Sketch	1410/82 [pp. 1-14]
07 13 1882	Masset 1 ⁴⁵	Masset/ Haida	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	1410/82 [pp. 1-2]
07 13 1882	Hiellen 2	Masset/ Haida	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	1410/82 [p. 2]

⁴⁰ In the federal collection, O'Reilly provides a field minute regarding his meeting and interaction with these Indians. [See Federal Collection, vl. 10, pp. 390-92]

⁴¹ A second sketch of this reserve is included with this set of Minutes of decision. This sketch depicts the reserve in red/pink indicating that the sketch was done at a later date. The provenance of this second sketch is unknown, however, it resembles the reserve as surveyed by Ashdown Green in 1883. [See CLSRBC 33]

⁴² These Indians are currently known as Pacheedaht First Nation. In the federal collection, O'Reilly provides a field minute regarding his meeting and interaction with these Indians. O'Reilly visits this group again in 1890. [See Binder 10, Corr. No. 1153/90; Federal Collection, vl. 10, pp. 319-25; NRCan Schedule (2005), p. 93]

⁴³ O'Reilly provides merely a covering letter for the Minutes of decision for these two groups. There is a marginal notation which states, "Approved June 5/84". There are no page numbers on the original. Pagination has been provided for reference. The federal collection contains detailed field minutes regarding O'Reilly's interaction with these Indians. [See Federal Collection, vl. 10, pp. 257-281a, 303-306, 282-302]

⁴⁴ These Indians are currently known as Old Masset Village Council. The sketch included with these Minutes is signed: "Approved Wm. Smithe CC of L & W." There is no date for the approval. [See NRCan Schedule (2005), p. 91]

⁴⁵ O'Reilly excludes from this reserve two parcels of land: one is in the possession of the Hudson Bay Company; the second is in the possession of the Church Missionary Society. The total area excluded, as identified by O'Reilly prior to the official survey being done, is 21 45/100 acres. [See 1943 Schedule, p. 116]

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07 13 1882	Yagan 3	Masset/ Haida	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	1410/82 [p. 3]
07 13 1882	Lanas 4 ⁴⁶	Masset/ Haida	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	1410/82 [pp. 3-4]
07 13 1882	Satunquin 5	Masset/ Haida	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	1410/82 [p. 4]
07 13 1882	Ain 6	Masset/ Haida	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	1410/82 [pp. 4-5]
07 13 1882	Yan 7	Masset/ Haida	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	1410/82 [p. 5]
07 13 1882	Meagwan 8	Masset/ Haida	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	1410/82 [pp. 5-6]
07 13 1882	Kose 9	Masset/ Haida	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	1410/82 [p. 6]
07 13 1882	Naden 10	Masset/ Haida	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	1410/82 [p. 7]
07 13 1882	Kung 11	Masset/ Haida	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	1410/82 [p. 7]
07 13 1882	Daningay 12	Masset/ Haida	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	1410/82 [p. 8]
07 13 1882	Yatze 13	Masset/ Haida	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	1410/82 [p. 8]
07 13 1882	Jalun 14 ⁴⁷	Masset/ Haida	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	1410/82 [p. 9]
07 13 1882	Kioosta 15	Masset/ Haida	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	1410/82 [pp. 9,14]
07 13 1882	Masset 1	Masset/ Haida	Unknown	Sketch	1410/82 [p. 10]
07 13 1882	Hiellen 2	Masset/ Haida	Unknown	Sketch	1410/82 [p. 10]
07 13 1882	Yagan 3	Masset/ Haida	Unknown	Sketch	1410/82 [p. 10]
07 13 1882	Lanas 4	Masset/ Haida	Unknown	Sketch	1410/82 [p. 11]
07 13 1882	Satunquin 5	Masset/ Haida	Unknown	Sketch	1410/82 [p. 11]
07 13 1882	Ain 6	Masset/ Haida	Unknown	Sketch	1410/82 [p. 11]
07 13 1882	Yan 7	Masset/ Haida	Unknown	Sketch	1410/82 [p. 11]

⁴⁶ Following the Minute, O'Reilly allots the "right of fishing in the Yakoun river, for a distance of one (1) mile up stream from the Southeastern corner post of the reserve (No. 4)."

⁴⁷ At the end of the Minute, O'Reilly states: "The right to fish in the Jalun river for a distance of one (1) mile above tidal water, is reserved for the use of the Indians."

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07 13 1882	Meagwan 8	Masset/ Haida	Unknown	Sketch	1410/82 [p. 12]
07 13 1882	Kose 9	Masset/ Haida	Unknown	Sketch	1410/82 [p. 12]
07 13 1882	Naden 10	Masset/ Haida	Unknown	Sketch	1410/82 [p. 12]
07 13 1882	Kung 11	Masset/ Haida	Unknown	Sketch	1410/82 [p. 12]
07 13 1882	Daningay 12	Masset/ Haida	Unknown	Sketch	1410/82 [p. 12]
07 13 1882	Yatze 13	Masset/ Haida	Unknown	Sketch	1410/82 [p. 13]
07 13 1882	Jalun 14	Masset/ Haida	Unknown	Sketch	1410/82 [p. 13]
07 13 1882	Kioosta 15	Masset/ Haida	Unknown	Sketch	1410/82 [p. 13]
07 13 1882	Tatense 16	Masset/ Haida	Unknown	Sketch	1410/82 [p. 13]
07 13 1882	Tatense 16	Masset/ Haida	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	1410/82 [p. 14]
07 28 1882		Skidegate/ Haida	O'Reilly	M.O.D. & Sketch	1410/82 [pp. 15-23]
07 28 1882	Skidegate 1	Skidegate/ Haida	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	1410/82 [p. 15]
07 28 1882	Skaigha 2	Skidegate/ Haida	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	1410/82 [p. 16]
07 28 1882	Deena 3 ⁴⁸	Skidegate/ Haida	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	1410/82 [p. 16]
07 28 1882	Khrana 4	Skidegate/ Haida	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	1410/82 [p. 17]
07 28 1882	Lagins 5	Skidegate/ Haida	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	1410/82 [pp. 17-18]
07 28 1882	Kaste 6 ⁴⁹	Skidegate/ Haida	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	1410/82 [p. 18]
07 28 1882	Cumshewas 7	Skidegate/ Haida	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	1410/82 [p. 19]
07 28 1882	Skedance 8 ⁵⁰	Skidegate/ Haida	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	1410/82 [p. 19]

⁴⁸ At the end of the Minute, O'Reilly states that the, "right to fish in the Deena river for a distance of one (1) mile above tidal water is assigned to these Indians."

⁴⁹ At the end of this Minute, O'Reilly states that the "right to fish in the Kaste river is assigned to the Indians, for a distance of one (1) mile above tidal water."

⁵⁰ O'Reilly spells the name of this reserve "Ske-dan."

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07 28 1882	Skidegate 1	Skidegate/ Haida	Unknown	Sketch	1410/82 [p. 20]
07 28 1882	Skaigha 2	Skidegate/ Haida	Unknown	Sketch	1410/82 [p. 21]
07 28 1882	Deena 3	Skidegate/ Haida	Unknown	Sketch	1410/82 [p. 21]
07 28 1882	Khrana 4	Skidegate/ Haida	Unknown	Sketch	1410/82 [p. 21]
07 28 1882	Lagins 5	Skidegate/ Haida	Unknown	Sketch	1410/82 [p. 21]
07 28 1882	Kaste 6	Skidegate/ Haida	Unknown	Sketch	1410/82 [p. 22]
07 28 1882	Cumshewas 7	Skidegate/ Haida	Unknown	Sketch	1410/82 [p. 22]
07 28 1882	Skedance 8	Skidegate/ Haida	Unknown	Sketch	1410/82 [p. 22]
07 28 1882	Tanoo 9	Skidegate/ Haida	Unknown	Sketch	1410/82 [p. 22]
07 28 1882	Tanoo 9	Skidegate/ Haida	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	1410/82 [p. 23]
11 03 1882		Nahkwockto, Quawshelah, Owekeeno, Bella Coola, Kemsquit, Bella Bella ⁵¹	O'Reilly	Letter, M.O.D. & Sketch	1425/82
07 31 1882		Nahkwockto ⁵²	O'Reilly	M.O.D. & Sketch	1425/82 [pp. 1-2]
07 31 1882	Kequesta 1	Nahkwockto	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	1425/82 [p. 1]
07 31 1882	Na-Kwockto 2	Nahkwockto	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	1425/82 [p. 1]
07 31 1882	Kequesta 1	Nahkwockto	Unknown	Sketch	1425/82 [p. 2]
07 31 1882	Na-Kwockto 2 ⁵³	Nahkwockto	Unknown	Sketch	1425/82 [p. 2]

⁵¹ O'Reilly provides for the "information and approval" of the CCLW "rough sketches, and minutes of decision of the lands reserved" by him for the six groups he identified. There are no page numbers on the originals. Pagination is provided for reference.

⁵² This group amalgamated with the Quawshelah and is currently known as Gwa'sala-Nakawaxda'xw. In the federal collection, O'Reilly provides a detailed field minute with respect to his meeting with these Indians. O'Reilly returned to this area in 1888. [See Binder 9, Corr. No. 10/89; Federal Collection, vl. 10, pp. 250-56, also pp. 114b-128; NRCan Schedule (2005), p. 91]

⁵³ Although not specifically identified on the sketch, from the description it would seem that the area identified as "Grave Rk" is reserve number 2.

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08 03 1882		Quawshelah ⁵⁴	O'Reilly	M.O.D. & Sketch	1425/82 [pp. 3-5]
08 03 1882	Wyclese 1 ⁵⁵	Quawshelah	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	1425/82 [pp. 3,5]
08 03 1882	Wyclese 1	Quawshelah	Unknown	Sketch	1425/82 [p. 4]
08 03 1882	Nekite 2	Quawshelah	Unknown	Sketch	1425/82 [p. 4]
08 03 1882	Nekite 2	Quawshelah	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	1425/82 [p. 5]
08 07 1882		Owekeeno ⁵⁶	O'Reilly	M.O.D. & Sketch	1425/82 [pp. 6-8]
08 07 1882	Katit 1	Owekeeno	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	1425/82 [p. 6]
08 07 1882	Katit 1	Owekeeno	Unknown	Sketch	1425/82 [p. 7]
08 07 1882	Kiltala 2	Owekeeno	Unknown	Sketch	1425/82 [p. 7]
08 07 1882	Cockmi 3	Owekeeno	Unknown	Sketch	1425/82 [p. 7]
08 07 1882	Kiltala 2	Owekeeno	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	1425/82 [p. 8]
08 07 1882	Cockmi 3	Owekeeno	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	1425/82 [p. 8]
08 11 1882		Bella Coola ⁵⁷	O'Reilly	M.O.D. & Sketch	1425/82 [pp. 9-12]
08 11 1882	Bella Coola 1	Bella Coola	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	1425/82 [p. 9]
08 11 1882	Nooseseck 2	Bella Coola	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	1425/82 [p. 10]
08 11 1882	Taleomy 3	Bella Coola	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	1425/82 [pp. 10,12]
08 11 1882	Bella Coola 1	Bella Coola	Unknown	Sketch	1425/82 [p. 11]

⁵⁴ The name for this group was originally spelled Quaw-she-lah. This band subsequently amalgamated with the Nahkwockto and is currently known as Gwa'sala-Nakawaxda'xw. O'Reilly prepared a detailed field minute of his meeting with these Indians which is found in the federal collection. [See Federal Collection, vl. 10, pp. 235-41; NRCan Schedule (2005), p. 94]

⁵⁵ O'Reilly includes the "right to fish in the Sammo river for two (2) miles above tidal water..."

⁵⁶ O'Reilly spelled this name "Owekano." These Indians were also known as River's Inlet. They are currently known as Owekeeno/Wuikinuxv Nation. In the federal collection, O'Reilly provides a detailed field minute regarding his meeting with these Indians. [See Federal Collection, vl. 10, pp. 243-249; NRCan Schedule (2005), p. 93]

⁵⁷ The Bella Coola Indians are currently known as Nuxalk (pronounced New-halk). In the federal collection, O'Reilly's field minute provides more detail regarding his meeting with these Indians. The sketch included with these minutes is signed: "Approved Wm. Smith CC of L & W." The approval is not dated. [See Federal Collection, vl. 10, pp. 199-211; NRCan Schedule (2005), p. 81]

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08 11 1882	Nooseseck 2	Bella Coola	Unknown	Sketch	1425/82 [p. 11]
08 11 1882	Taleomy 3	Bella Coola	Unknown	Sketch	1425/82 [p. 11]
08 11 1882	Kwatlena 4	Bella Coola	Unknown	Sketch	1425/82 [p. 11]
08 11 1882	Kwatlena 4	Bella Coola	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	1425/82 [p. 12]
08 14 1882		Kemsquit ⁵⁸	O'Reilly	M.O.D. & Sketch	1425/82 [pp. 13-15]
08 14 1882	Kemsquit 1	Kemsquit	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	1425/82 [p. 13]
08 14 1882	Kemsquit 1	Kemsquit	Unknown	Sketch	1425/82 [p. 14]
08 14 1882	Chatscah 2	Kemsquit	Unknown	Sketch	1425/82 [p. 14]
08 14 1882	Chatscah 2	Kemsquit	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	1425/82 [p. 15]
08 25 1882		Bella Bella ⁵⁹	O'Reilly	M.O.D. & Sketch	1425/82 [pp. 16-25]
08 25 1882	Bella Bella 1	Bella Bella	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	1425/82 [p. 16]
08 25 1882	Hoonees 2	Bella Bella	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	1425/82 [pp. 16-17]
08 25 1882	Quartcha 3	Bella Bella	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	1425/82 [p. 17]
08 25 1882	Noota 4	Bella Bella	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	1425/82 [pp. 17-18]
08 25 1882	Clatse 5	Bella Bella	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	1425/82 [p. 18]
08 25 1882	Elcho 6	Bella Bella	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	1425/82 [p. 18]
08 25 1882	Kisameet 7	Bella Bella	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	1425/82 [p. 19]
08 25 1882	Howeet 8	Bella Bella	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	1425/82 [pp. 19-20]
08 25 1882	Kunsoot 9	Bella Bella	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	1425/82 [p. 20]

⁵⁸ This band amalgamated with Bella Coola and is currently known as Nuxalk. O'Reilly's field minute, found in the federal collection, provides additional information with respect to his meeting with these Indians. [See Federal Collection, vl. 10, pp. 191-97; NRCan Schedule (2005), p. 87]

⁵⁹ These Indians are currently known as Heiltsuk. According to the 1913 and the 1943 Schedules of Reserves a graveyard, Tcimoltf 1A, 17 acres, was allotted at the same time as the other reserves. This would appear to be an error. O'Reilly makes no mention of this area, however, this graveyard does appear to have been surveyed at the same time as the other reserves. In the federal collection, O'Reilly's field minute provides more detail regarding his meeting with these Indians. [See Federal Collection, vl. 10, pp. 213-34; 1913 Schedule, p. 36; 1943 Schedule, p. 7]

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08 25 1882	Kajustus 10 ⁶⁰	Bella Bella	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	1425/82 [pp. 20-21]
08 25 1882	Werkinellek 11	Bella Bella	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	1425/82 [p. 21]
08 25 1882	Yellertlee 12	Bella Bella	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	1425/82 [p. 21]
08 25 1882	Bella Bella 1	Bella Bella	Unknown	Sketch	1425/82 [p. 22]
08 25 1882	Hoonees 2	Bella Bella	Unknown	Sketch	1425/82 [p. 23]
08 25 1882	Quartcha 3	Bella Bella	Unknown	Sketch	1425/82 [p. 23]
08 25 1882	Noota 4	Bella Bella	Unknown	Sketch	1425/82 [p. 23]
08 25 1882	Clatse 5	Bella Bella	Unknown	Sketch	1425/82 [p. 23]
08 25 1882	Elcho 6	Bella Bella	Unknown	Sketch	1425/82 [p. 24]
08 25 1882	Kisameet 7	Bella Bella	Unknown	Sketch	1425/82 [p. 24]
08 25 1882	Howeet 8	Bella Bella	Unknown	Sketch	1425/82 [p. 24]
08 25 1882	Kunsoot 9	Bella Bella	Unknown	Sketch	1425/82 [p. 24]
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11 07 1882		Kokyet, Kitasoo, Tsimpsean, Kitlathla ⁶²	O'Reilly	Letter, M.O.D & Sketch	1464/82
08 29 1882		Kokyet ⁶³	O'Reilly	M.O.D. & Sketch	1464/82 [pp. 1-5]

⁶⁰ Identified as "Ja-jus-tus" by O'Reilly.

⁶¹ Spelled Jajustus on sketch.

⁶² O'Reilly forwards to the CCLW for his "information and approval, rough sketches, and minutes of decision for the lands reserved" by O'Reilly for the four groups on the west coast. Notations on the side of the letter state: "Ansd 14/11/82" and "Approved June 5/84". Neither piece of correspondence is currently included in the provincial collection. There are no page numbers in the original. Pagination has been provided for reference.

⁶³ In the federal collection, O'Reilly identifies the Kokyet as "a branch of the Bella Bella tribe." The Bella Bella are currently known as Heiltsuk. The Kokyet are no longer distinguished as a separate group. The reserves allotted to the Kokyet are currently held by the Heiltsuk. [See Federal Collection, vl. 10, pp. 171-181; 1943 Schedule, pp. 8-9; NRCan Schedule (2005), pp. 47-48, 88]

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08 29 1882	Kokyet 1	Kokyet/ Bella Bella	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	1464/82 [p. 1]
08 29 1882	Grief Island 2	Kokyet/ Bella Bella	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	1464/82 [p. 1]
08 29 1882	Kyarti 3	Kokyet/ Bella Bella	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	1464/82 [p. 2]
08 29 1882	Neekas 4	Kokyet/ Bella Bella	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	1464/82 [p. 2]
08 29 1882	Tankeah 5	Kokyet/ Bella Bella	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	1464/82 [p. 3]
08 29 1882	Koqui 6	Kokyet/ Bella Bella	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	1464/82 [pp. 3,5]
08 29 1882	Kokyet 1	Kokyet/ Bella Bella	Unknown	Sketch	1464/82 [p. 4]
08 29 1882	Grief Island 2	Kokyet/ Bella Bella	Unknown	Sketch	1464/82 [p. 4]
08 29 1882	Kyarti 3	Kokyet/ Bella Bella	Unknown	Sketch	1464/82 [p. 4]
08 29 1882	Neekas 4	Kokyet/ Bella Bella	Unknown	Sketch	1464/82 [p. 4]
08 29 1882	Tankeah 5	Kokyet/ Bella Bella	Unknown	Sketch	1464/82 [p. 4]
08 29 1882	Koqui 6	Kokyet/ Bella Bella	Unknown	Sketch	1464/82 [p. 4]
06 04 1920	Tankeah 5 ⁶⁴	Kokyet/ Bella Bella	Ditchburn	Letter	1464/82 [add. corr. p. 5a]
06 04 1920	Kokyet 1	Kokyet/ Bella Bella	Unknown	Sketch	1464/82 [add. corr. p. 5b]
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06 04 1920	Tankeah 5 ⁶⁵	Kokyet/ Bella Bella	Unknown	Sketch	1464/82 [add. corr. p. 5b]
06 09 1920	Tankeah 5 ⁶⁶	Kokyet/ Bella Bella	Umbach	Letter	1464/82 [add. corr. p. 5c]

⁶⁴ Ditchburn writes to J.E. Umbach, the Surveyor General, explaining a discrepancy in the location of Tankeah 5. Ditchburn suggests that Umbach amend the records of the Surveyor General to correct the error. Clearly, these documents were added to this collection subsequent to O'Reilly's work. [See Federal Collection, vl. 19, p. 116]

⁶⁵ Both Ditchburn and Umbach state that they are providing blueprints indicating the positions of the reserves. Based upon Ditchburn's letter, however, it would appear that the blueprint included in this collection is that provided by Ditchburn. The reserve in "red" is on the left of the sketch. The blueprint to which Umbach refers is not included in this collection.

⁶⁶ Umbach responds to Ditchburn that his office is aware of the problem.

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09 01 1882	Kitasoo 1	Kitasoo	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	1464/82 [p. 6]
09 01 1882	Kitasoo 1	Kitasoo	Unknown	Sketch	1464/82 [p. 7]
09 01 1882	Canoona 2	Kitasoo	Unknown	Sketch	1464/82 [p. 7]
09 01 1882	Canoona 2 ⁶⁸	Kitasoo	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	1464/82 [p. 8]
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09 13 1882		Port Simpson/ Tsimpsean	O'Reilly	M.O.D. & Sketch	1464/82 [pp. 9-17]
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09 13 1882	Toon 15 ⁷⁰	Port Simpson/ Tsimpsean	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	1464/82 [p. 11]
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09 13 1882	Ensheshese 13	Port Simpson/ Tsimpsean	Unknown	Sketch	1464/82 [p. 13]
09 13 1882	Wilskaskammel 14	Port Simpson/ Tsimpsean	Unknown	Sketch	1464/82 [p. 13]

⁶⁷ In his field minute in the federal collection, O'Reilly provides additional detail with respect to his meeting with these Indians. [See Federal Collection, vl. 10, pp. 183-189; NRCan Schedule (2005) pp. 87-88]

⁶⁸ Following this Minute, O'Reilly states that the "right of fishing in the Canoona River for a distance of two miles from its mouth is assigned to the Indians."

⁶⁹ The Tsimpsean Indians, as identified by O'Reilly, consisted of the Metlakatla and Port Simpson (a.k.a. Fort Simpson) Indians. The Port Simpson Indians are currently known as Lax Kw'alaams. Most of the reserves allotted here were for the Port Simpson (now Lax Kw'alaams) Indians. The sketches included with these Minutes are signed: "Approved Wm. Smithe C C of L & W." There is no date of approval. The layout of the sketches differs slightly from the federal collection. The field minute in the federal collection provides additional detail about O'Reilly's meeting with these Indians. [See Corr. No. 506/82, pp. 18-30, this binder; Federal Collection, vl. 10, pp. 145-160]

⁷⁰ At the end of the minute, O'Reilly states: "The right of fishing in the Toon river for a distance of two (2) miles upstream from the head of tidal water is reserved for the use of the Indians."

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09 13 1882	Tugwell Island 21	Metlakatla/ Tsimpsean	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	1464/82 [pp. 16-17]
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09 21 1882	Dolphin Island 1	Kitlathla	O'Reilly	M.O.D.	1464/82 [p. 18]
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⁷¹ O'Reilly identifies this group as "Kit-lath-la." It was also identified as "Kit-kath-la." In the covering letter to these Minutes of decision, O'Reilly notes that the reserve at the head of Lowe Inlet for the Kitlathla (later known as Kitkatla; currently known as Gitlaaxla Nation) include lands applied for by a settler named John Sayea, for which the settler gave notice of intent to purchase. O'Reilly provides no other context or background. The sketch included with the Minutes is signed: "Approved, Wm. Smithe C C of L & W." In the federal collection, O'Reilly's field minute provides additional detail with respect to his meeting with these Indians. [See Binder 10, Corr. No. 2944/91; Federal Collection, vl. 10, pp. 161-169; NRCan Schedule (2005), p. 85]

⁷² See Binder 11, Corr. Nos. 208/93; 203/93

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 ~ Peter O'Reilly ~
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Indian Reserve Commission
Victoria B.C.

May 5th 1882.

For Quoted Decisions

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I have the honor to enclose for your information, and approval, rough plans, and descriptions of the reserves laid out by me for the Nass River, and Tsimpsan Indians.

The Reserves above referred to do not include the whole of the lands it may be necessary to assign to these Indians, as owing to the lateness of the season, I was unable to visit all the places claimed by them for fishing, and other purposes.

I have the honor to be
Sir

Your obedient Servant

D. J. McIlroy
J. R.

The Hon^{ble}

The Chief Commis^r
Lands & Works.

Minutes of Decision.

Nass River Indians.

No. 1.

A Reserve of 2700 acres (approximately) situated on the Nass river, about 45 miles from its mouth, at a place known as "Kit-lac-da-max":

Commencing at the upper end of the first Island above Kit-lac-da-max, and running West 30 chains; thence South 80 chains; thence West 40 chains; thence South 30 chains; thence West 80 chains; thence South to the Nass river; thence up the right bank of the said river to the place of commencement; thence East 20 chains; thence South 60 chains; thence West 30 chains; thence South 80 chains; thence West to the Nass river; and thence up the left bank of the said river to the place of commencement.

Fishing.

The exclusive right of fishing in the Nass river the entire length of this reserve, and also in "Remanuc" creek, is allotted to the Indians.

Nass River Indians.

No. 2.

A Reserve of 60 acres, situated at "Sim-man-ween-clist", on the Nass river, about $\frac{1}{2}$ a mile above the trail to Skeena Forks, known as the "Grease trail":

Commencing at a cottonwood tree marked "Indian Reservation", on the right bank of the Nass river, and running South 30 chains; thence East 20 chains; thence North 30 chains; and thence West 20 chains to the place of commencement.

Fishery.

The exclusive right of fishing in the Nass river, for a distance of 2 miles up-stream from this reserve, is assigned to the Indians.

No. 3.

A Reserve of 25 acres, situated on an island at the mouth of "Se-aks" river:

It is bounded on the West by the Nass river, on the South by Se-aks river, and on the North-east by a slough which connects the two streams.

Fishery.

Nass River Indians.

Fishery.

The exclusive right of fishing in the Se-aks river, for a distance of one mile from its mouth, is allotted to the Indians.

No. 4.

A Reserve containing 130 acres, situated on the right bank of the Nass river, immediately below "Shu-marl" creek:

Commencing at a point on the right bank of Shu-marl creek at its confluence with the Nass river, and running up the said creek 10 chains; thence West 60 chains; thence South to the Nass river; and thence up the right bank of the said river to the place of commencement.

No. 5.

A Fishing Station of 4 acres, situated at the upper end of a small island opposite the South-western corner of No. 4, bounded on the North by the Nass river, and on the South by a slough.

The exclusive right of fishing
— in —

Nass River Indians.

No 5 Contd.

in the above mentioned slough, the length of the reserve, is assigned to the Indians.

No 6.

A Reserve of 60 acres, situated on the left bank of Nass river, and known as "A-ma-tal".

Commencing at a cottonwood tree marked "Indian Reserve", on the bank of the river, and running East 40 chains; thence North 30 chains; thence West to the Nass river; and thence down the left bank of the said river to the place of commencement.

Fishing.

The right to fish in the Nass river, the entire length of this reserve, is allotted to the Indians.

No 7.

A Reserve of 430 acres, situated on the Nass river, at a place known as "Kit-wil-luc-shilt".

Commencing

Nass River Indians.

— No. 7 — Cont'd —

Commencing at a spruce tree marked "Indian Reserve", on the right bank of the Nass river, and running North 30 chains; thence East 100 chains; thence South to the Nass river; thence following the right bank of the Nass river to the place of commencement; thence South 40 chains; thence East 30 chains; thence North to the Nass river; and thence down the left bank of the said river to the place of commencement.

— Fiskery. —

The exclusive right to fish in the Nass river, the entire length of this reserve, is assigned to the Indians.

— No. 8. —

A Reserve of 260 acres, situated on the left bank of the Nass river, about 3 miles above "Lach-Kal-tap", and known as "An-de-gu-lay":

Commencing at a cottonwood tree marked "Indian Reserve", on the left bank of An-de-gu-lay Slough, and running East 10 chains; thence South 30 chains; thence West 20 chains; thence
— South

Nass River Indians.

No. 8 Contd.

South 40 chains; thence West to the Nass river; thence up the left bank of the said river to a point due West of the starting point; and thence East to the place of commencement.

Fisheries.

The exclusive right of fishing on the left bank of the Nass river — commencing at the mouth of An-de-gu-lay slough, and extending up-stream $\frac{1}{2}$ mile; Also the fisheries in An-de-gu-lay slough, for a like distance from its mouth, are reserved.

No. 9.

A Reserve of 3700 acres (approximately, situated at "Lach-kal-toap", on the Nass river:

Commencing at the North-western corner post of Section 2, Group 1, Coast District, and running North 170 chains; thence East 170 chains; thence South 200 chains; thence West 60 chains; thence South 70 chains; thence West 140 chains; thence North to a point due West of the South-western corner of the said Section 2,
— Group

Nass River Indians

No 9 — Cont'd —

Group 1; thence East to the Nass river; and thence following the Eastern and Northern boundaries of the before mentioned Section 2 to the point of commencement.

Fisheries

The old established Fisheries on the Nass river within the limits of this reserve, as also the right to fish in the various sloughs running through it, are reserved for the use of the Indians.

No 10.

A Reserve of 380 acres, situated at Stoney Point, on the right bank of the Nass river:

Commencing at a cottonwood tree, marked "Indian Reserve", on Stoney Point, and running North 20 chains; thence West 100 chains; thence South to the Nass river; and thence up the right bank of the said river to the place of commencement.

Section 3, Group 1, Coast District, containing 10 acres, the property of Mr H. E. Croasdaile, is not included in the above reserve.

Nass River Indians.

No. 11.

A Reserve of 30 acres (approximately), situated at Black Point, on the right bank of the Nass river:

Commencing at the Eastern extremity of the Indian drying stages on Black Point, and running North 10 chains; thence West 30 chains; thence South to the Nass river; and thence up the right bank of the said river to the place of commencement.

No. 12.

A Reserve of 230 acres, situated on the left bank of the Nass river at a place known as "Lach-testk" or "Canaan":

Commencing at the mouth of a small slough $\frac{1}{4}$ mile East of the Indian houses, and running South 10 chains; thence West 60 chains; thence North 10 chains; thence West 30 chains; thence North to the Nass river; and thence up the left bank of the said river to the place of commencement.

No. 13

Nass River Indians

No. 13.

A Reserve of 630 acres (approximately, situated at Red Cliff, on the right bank of the Nass river:

Commencing at a point on the right bank of the Nass river, due North of a rock known as "The heart of the Nass", and running North 30 chains; thence West 80 chains; thence North 30 chains; thence West 110 chains; thence North 20 chains; thence West 100 chains; thence South to the Nass river; and thence following the right bank of the said river to the place of commencement.

Fishery.

The exclusive right of fishing in "Na-nook" river for a distance of 1/4 mile from its mouth is assigned to the Indians.

No. 14.

A Reserve of 1230 acres, situated at the mouth of the Nass river, on its right bank, and known as "Kin-co-lith":

Commencing at a dead fir tree 1/4 mile West of the mouth of "Trout stream",

— and

Nass River Indians.

No. 14. Cont'd.

and running North 10 chains; thence East 200 chains; thence South to the Nass river; and thence down the right bank of the said river to the place of commencement.

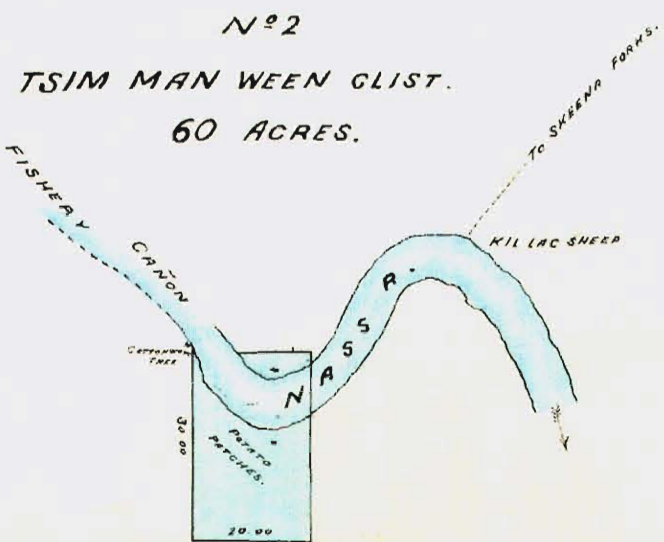
No. 15.

A Reserve of 5 acres, situated on the right bank of "Kin-na-max" river, about 9 miles North of Fort Simpson:

Commencing at a fir tree marked "Indian Reserve", and running East 10 chains; thence South to the Kin-na-max river; and thence down the right bank of the said river to the place of commencement.

J. O. Hally
S. P. C.

Nass River, B. C.
October 20th, 1881.

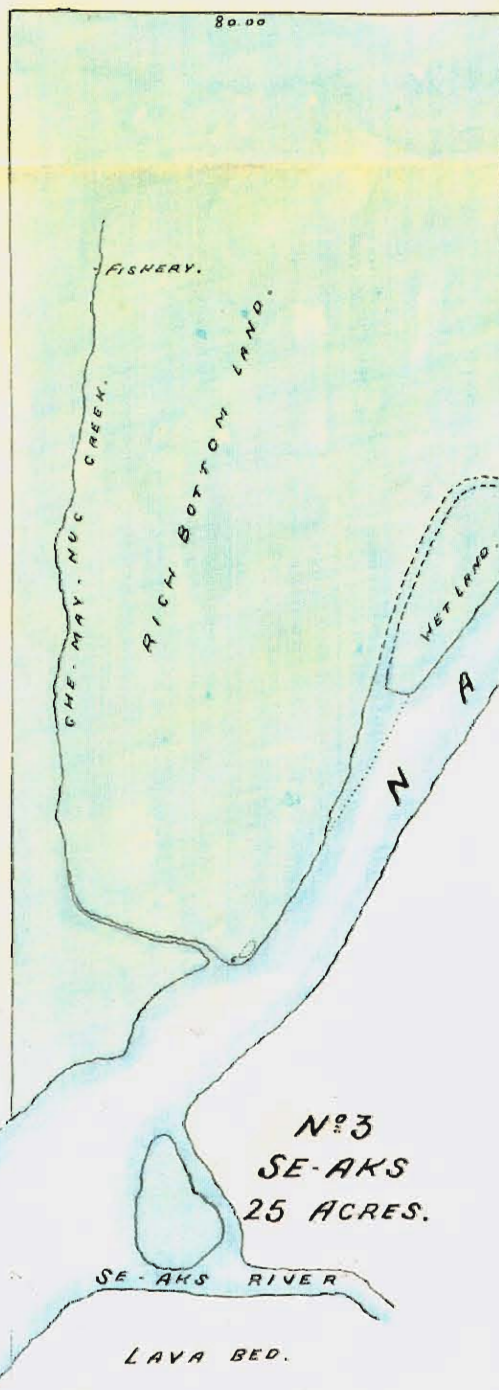
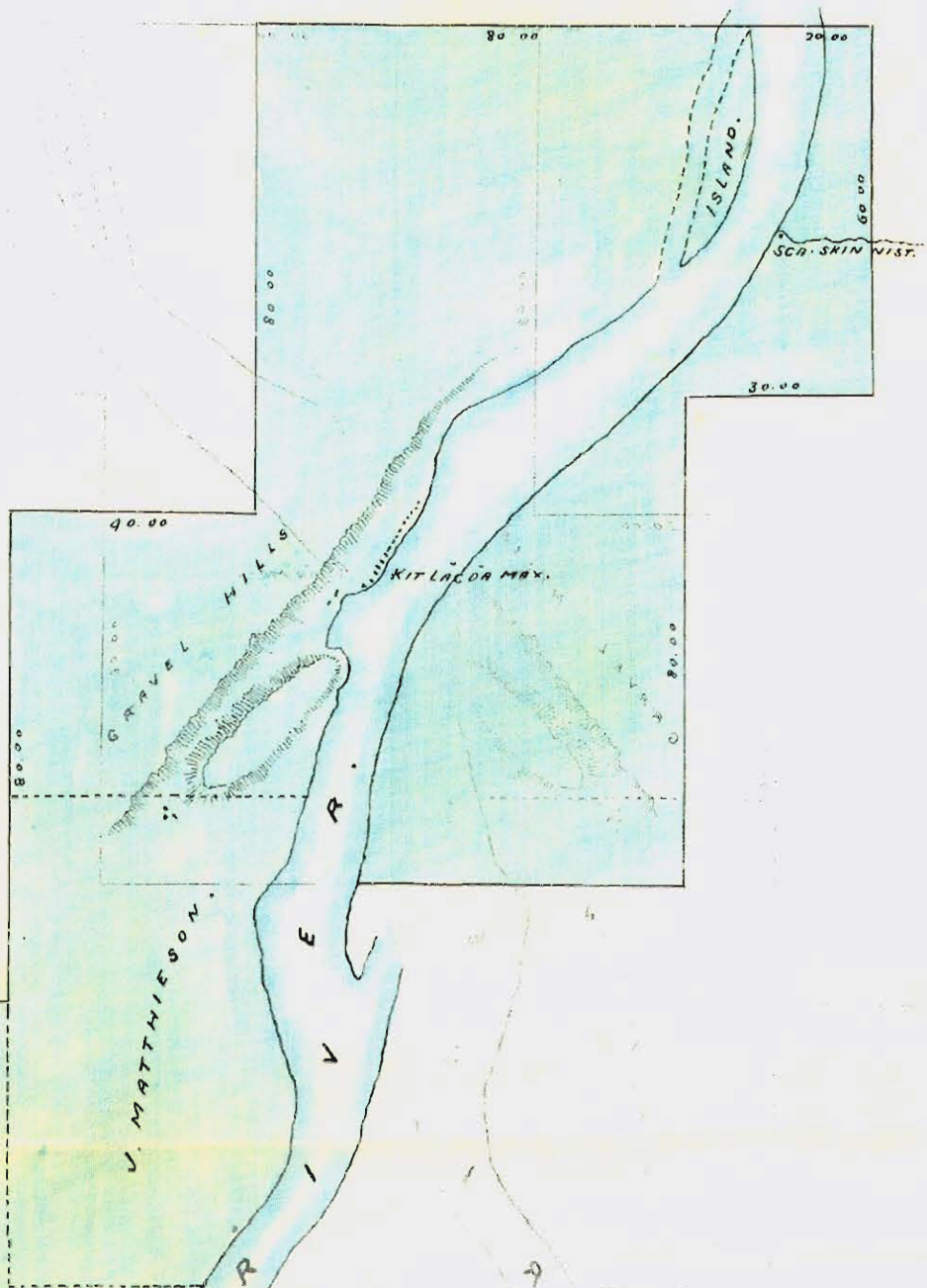


Appendix

Geo. A. Matthews

Chief Brn. Lott

Victoria May 8-1882.



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SM AD-DAL-TI KIT-LAC-DA-MAX.
2700 ACRES.

NASS RIVER INDIANS

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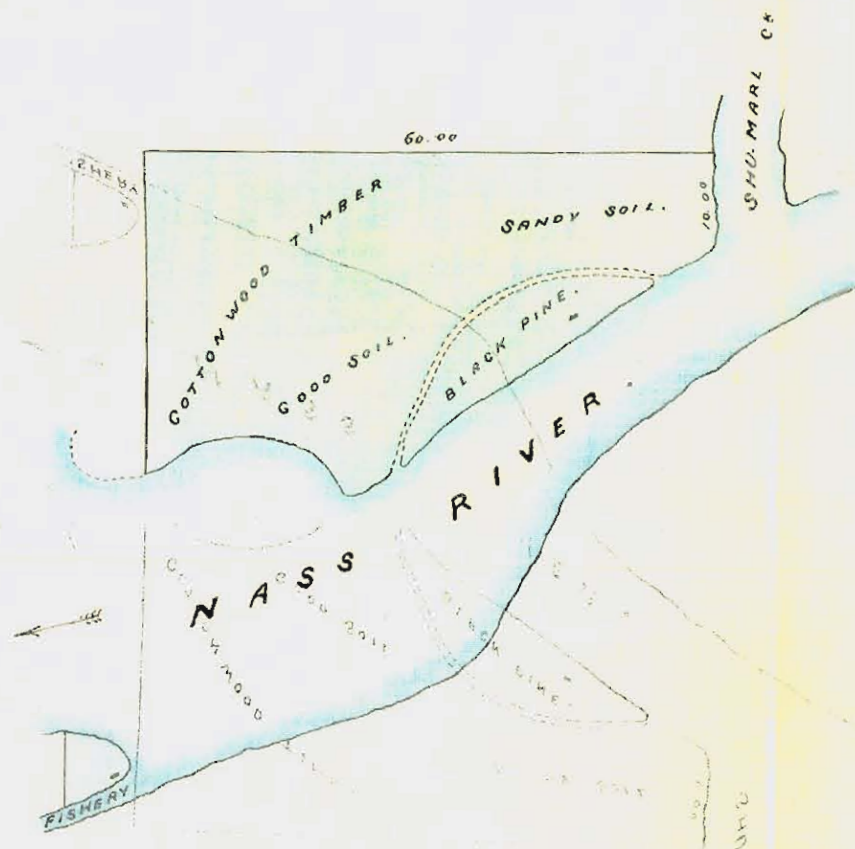
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SE-AKS
25 ACRES.

SE-AKS RIVER
LAVA BED.

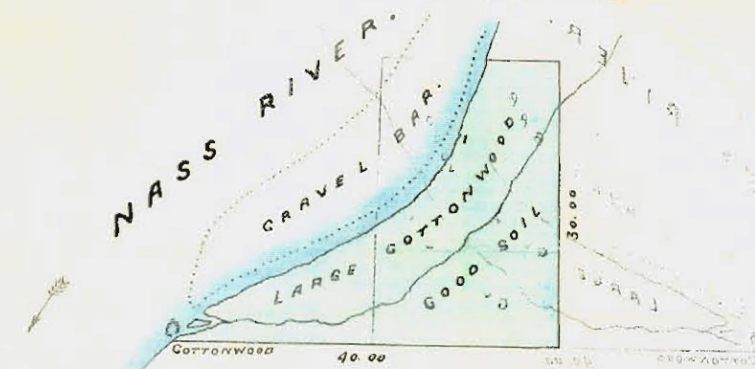
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4120 4140

N^o 4
SHU-MARL
150 ACRES.

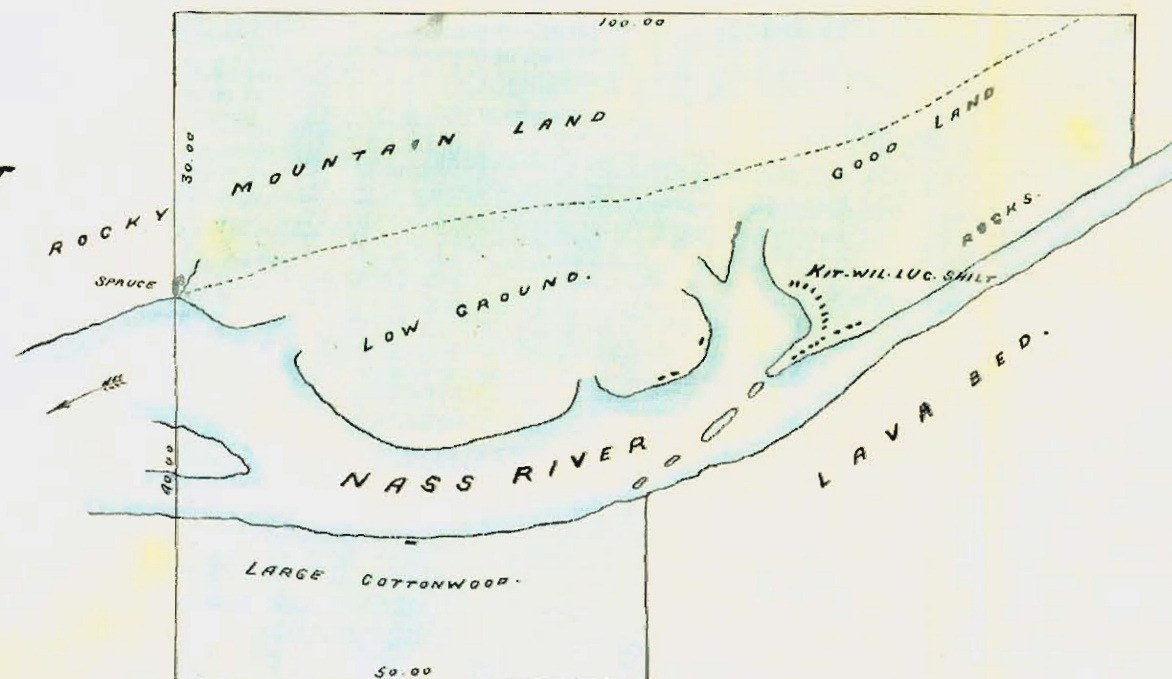


N^o 5
FISHERY
4 ACRES



N^o 6
A-MA-TAL
60 ACRES.

N^o 7
KIT-WIL-LUC-SHILT
430 ACRES.



NASS RIVER INDIANS.

SCALE 1 INCH = 20 CHAINS.

Approved

C. A. Walker

Chief Commr. H. M.

Victoria May 8th 1882



N^o 8
AN-DE-GU-LAY.
260 ACRES.

Approved

Geo. A. Walker

Chief Comr. H. H. H. H.
Victoria May 8th 1882

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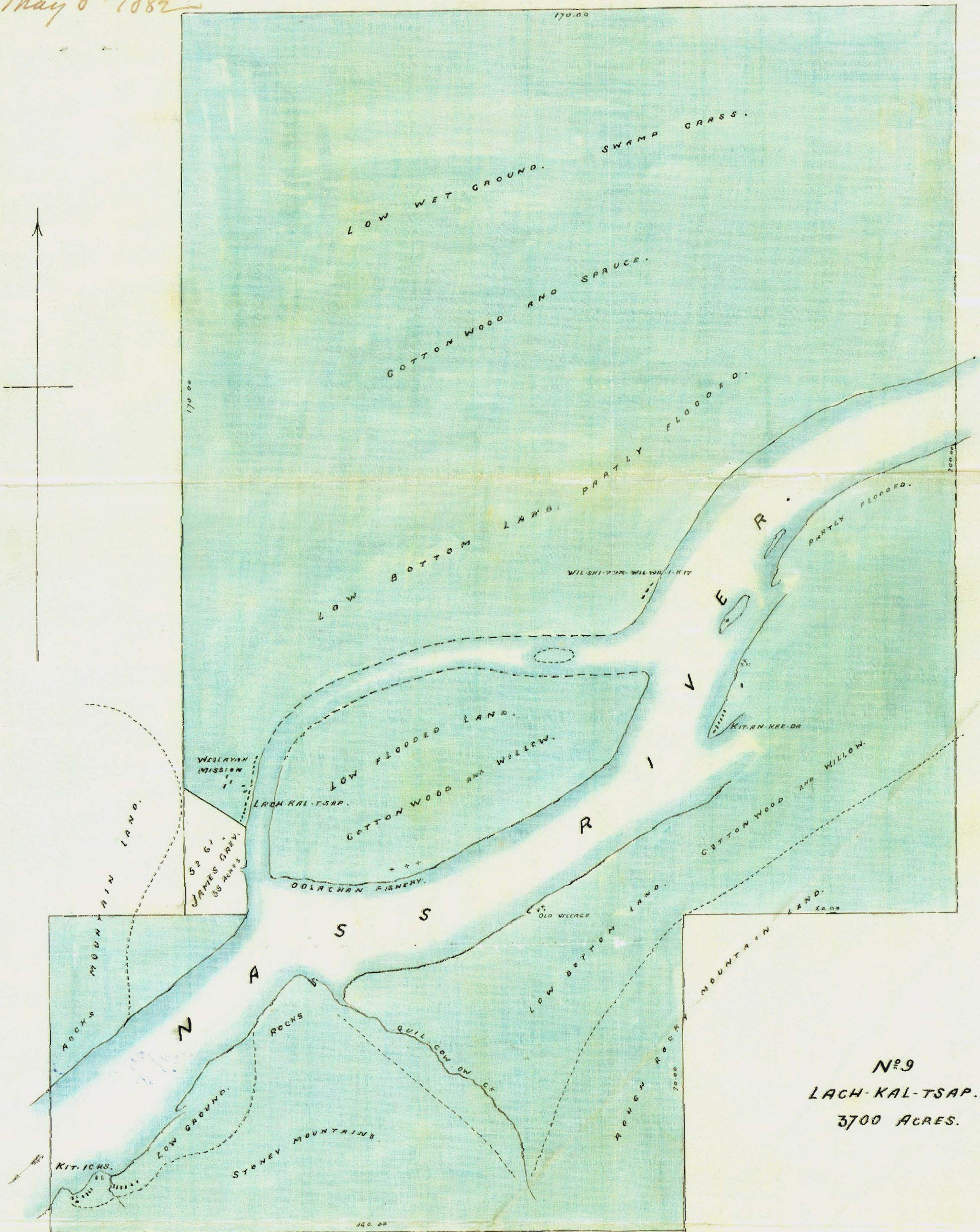
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Chief Commr. H. H.

Victoria May 8th 1882

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N^o 9
LACH-KAL-TSAP.
3700 ACRES.

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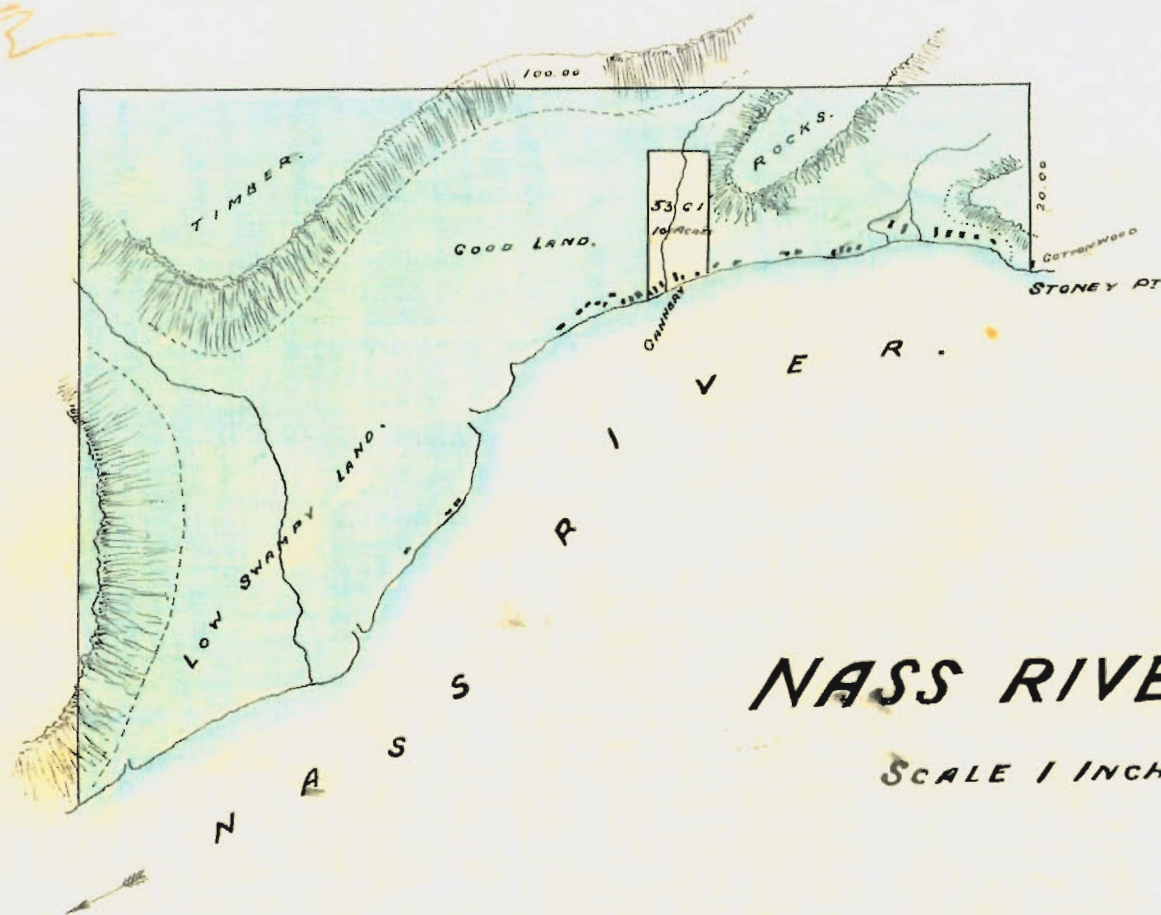
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N^o 10

STONEY POINT.

380 ACRES.

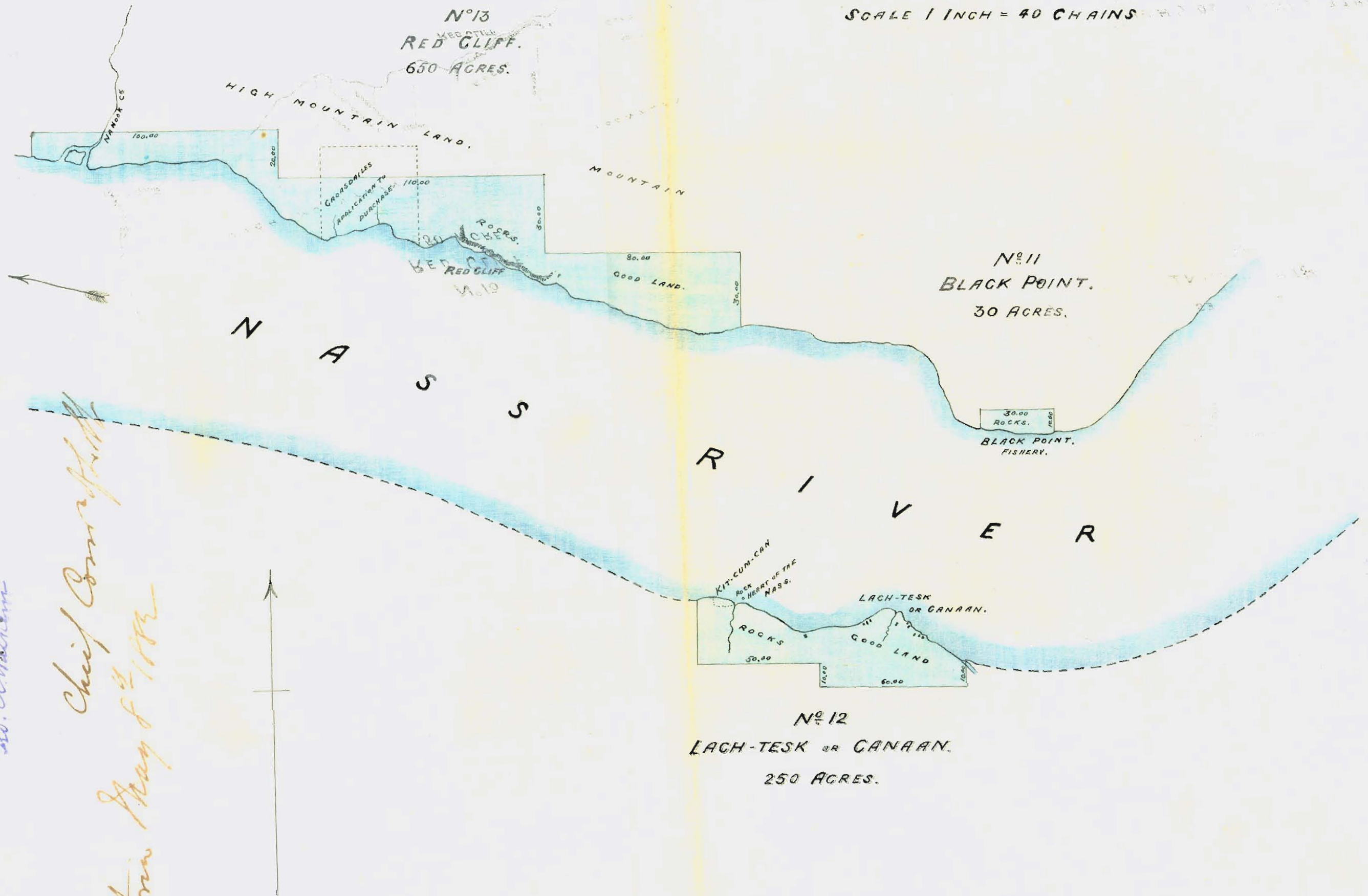


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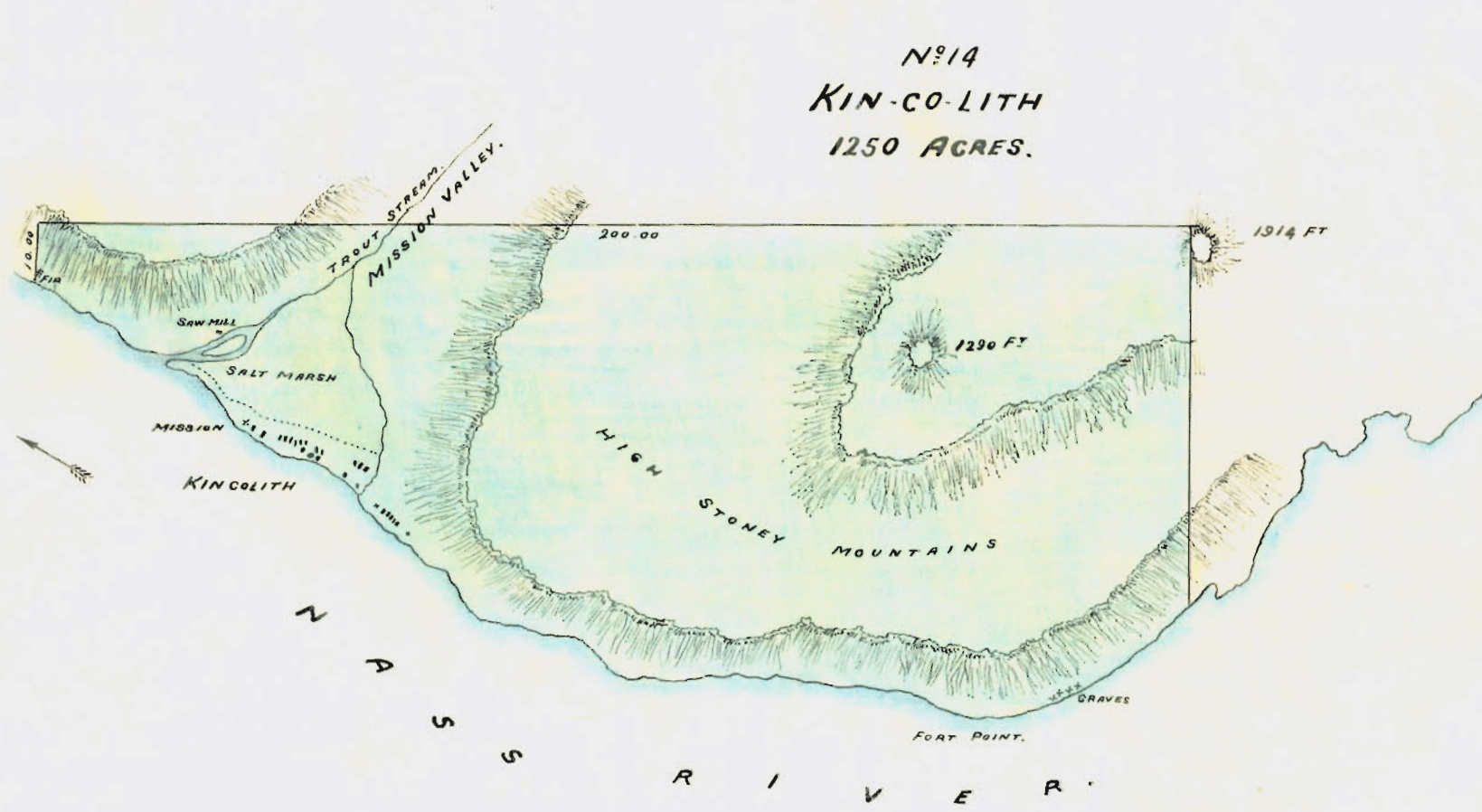
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Approved

C. A. Hallam

Chief Commissioner
Victoria May 8th 1892



NASS RIVER INDIANS.

SCALE 1 INCH = 30 CHAINS.

Nº 15.
KIN-NA-MAX.
5 ACRES.



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Geo. A. Walker

Chief Comr. H. H. H.
Victoria May 8th 1892

Presented to the Hon. Secy of the Interior
Indian Commissioner May 8th 1882

The Fort Simpson & Bella Bella reserve
not approved of. Further consideration
necessary & suggestions deferred. See Atlanta

MINUTES OF DECISION C.C.B. 17

Simpsean Indians

Memo.
R. No. 1 given to
H. B. Co. C. B. 2670

No. 1.

A Reserve of 100 acres (approximately)
situated at Fort Simpson, to the East of
and adjoining the Hudson's Bay Company's
property.

Commencing at a point 50 chains
due East of "Legaic's" post, and running
North to the Sea coast; thence along
the shore in a Westerly direction to the
Hudson's Bay Company's claim; thence
in a South-easterly direction along the
boundary of the said claim to the Eastern
corner thereof; thence East to a point
due South of the starting point; and
thence North to the place of commencement.

Village Island, containing
19 acres, and situated $\frac{1}{4}$ mile West of
this reserve is also allotted to the
Indians.

Water.

All Water flowing naturally
through these reserves is assigned to the
use of the Indians.

No. 2.

Simpsean Indians.

Metlahkahtha Reserve as per Gazette is a Government Reserve of about 132,000 acres, 5 miles on either side of Mission Point and 5 miles back from the coast line see P.C. Gazette 8th July No 2.

Another Reserve of 13 miles radius around Mission Point in P.C. Gazette Aug 22, 1868, covering a portion of the same ground.

A Reserve of 70,400 acres (approximately), situated on the Simpson Peninsula, between Fort Simpson and the Southern end of Digby Island:

Commencing at a point on the sea coast being the Western corner post of the Hudson's Bay Company's claim, and running thence in a South-easterly direction along the boundary of the said claim to a point due South of Legaie's post; thence South to a point 40 chains South of Legaie's post; thence East 320 chains; thence South an approximate distance of 22 miles to a point due East of the Southern end of Digby Island, which will include part of "Kai-en" Island; thence West to Digby Island; and thence following along the Western shore of the said Digby Island and the coast line of the Simpson Peninsula (including Pike Island, Shrub Island, and the islands to the East of them), to the place of commencement.

— The pre-emption claims of George Williscroft and of Joseph St. Arnaud, each containing 160 acres, and 2 acres on Mission Point held in trust by the Provincial Government for the Church Missionary Society, are not included in the above reserve.

— Water.

Simpsean Indians

Water.

All Water flowing naturally through this reserve is assigned to the use of the Indians, excepting the stream on which Mr. Williscroft's Saw-mill is situated.

No. 3.

A Reserve of 6 acres, known as "Wil-na-shan-cand", and situated about 8 miles South-east of Metlakatlah on the Eastern shore of Kai-en Island:

Commencing at a cedar marked "Indian Reserve", and running West 10 Chains, thence South 10 Chains; thence East to the sea coast; and thence in a Northerly direction along the sea shore to the place of Commencement.

No. 4.

A Reserve of 30 acres (approximately), known as "Shoo-wah-tans", situated on the Western shore of the Simpson Peninsula, East of Metlakatlah.

Commencing at a spruce marked "Indian Reserve", and running East 20 Chains; thence South 20 Chains; thence West to the sea shore; and thence along the shore in a Northerly direction to the place of Commencement.

Simpsean Indians.

No. 5.

A Reserve of 120 acres (approximately), situated at the mouth of "Clo-yah" river, on the Western shore of the Simpsen Peninsula.

Commencing at a spruce marked "Indian Reserve", and running West 20 chains; thence South 30 chains; thence East 60 chains; thence North 30 chains; and thence West to place of commencement.

Fishery.

The exclusive right of fishing in Clo-yah river, for a distance of 1½ mile from its mouth, is reserved.

No. 6.

A Reserve of 30 acres (approximately), situated on the right bank of the Skeena river, adjoining the Western boundary of the Inverness Cannery Company's claim.

Commencing at the mouth of a slough, about 3 chains West of a charcoal house, and running North 10 chains; thence East to a point due North of the North-western corner post of the Inverness Cannery Company's claim; — thence

Simpsean Indians.

No. 6 — Contd. —

thence South to the said corner post; thence magnetic South along the Western boundary of the said claim to the river bank; and thence along the shore in a North-westerly direction to the place of commencement.

No. 7. —

A Reserve of 22 acres (approximately), situated ^{near} ~~on~~ Point Lambert, on the left bank of the Skeena river:

Commencing at a cedar marked "Indian Reserve", on the bank of the river, and running South 20 chains; thence East to the Skeena river; and thence following the bank of the river in a Northerly direction to the place of commencement.

No. 8. —

A Reserve of 60 acres (approximately), situated on the right bank of the Skeena river, at the mouth of the "Kw-yee" river:

Commencing at a stump marked "Indian Reserve" on the bank of the Skeena river and running North 20 chains; thence East — 30 chains;

Timpseam Indians.

No. 8 Cont'd

30 chains; thence South to the Skeena river; and thence following the right bank of the said river in a Westerly direction to the place of commencement.

No. 9.

A Reserve of 22 acres (approximately), situated on the left bank of the Skeena river, at the mouth of the "Kil-cuts-e-en" river:

Commencing at a spruce tree marked "Indian Reserve", at the edge of the Skeena river, and running South 20 chains; thence West 20 chains; thence North to the Skeena river; and thence following the left bank of the said river to the place of commencement.

No. 10.

A Reserve of 6 acres (approximately), situated on the left bank of the Skeena river, at the mouth of "Kh-tah-da" river:

Commencing at a spruce tree marked "Indian Reserve", on the left bank of the Skeena, and running East 10 chains; thence South 10 chains; thence West 10 chains; and thence North to the place of commencement.

No. 11.

Simpsean Indians.

— No 11. —

A Reserve of 8 acres, situated on the left bank of Skeena river, at the head of tidal water, and known as "Scut-toap":

Commencing at a spruce tree marked "Indian Reserve", and running East 10 chains; thence North 10 chains; thence West to the Skeena river; and thence down the left bank of the said river to the place of commencement.

J. D. Mully
J. R. C.

Nestukallah B. C.
October, 29th, 1881.



VILLAGE ISL^d
19 ACRES.

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BATH POINT.

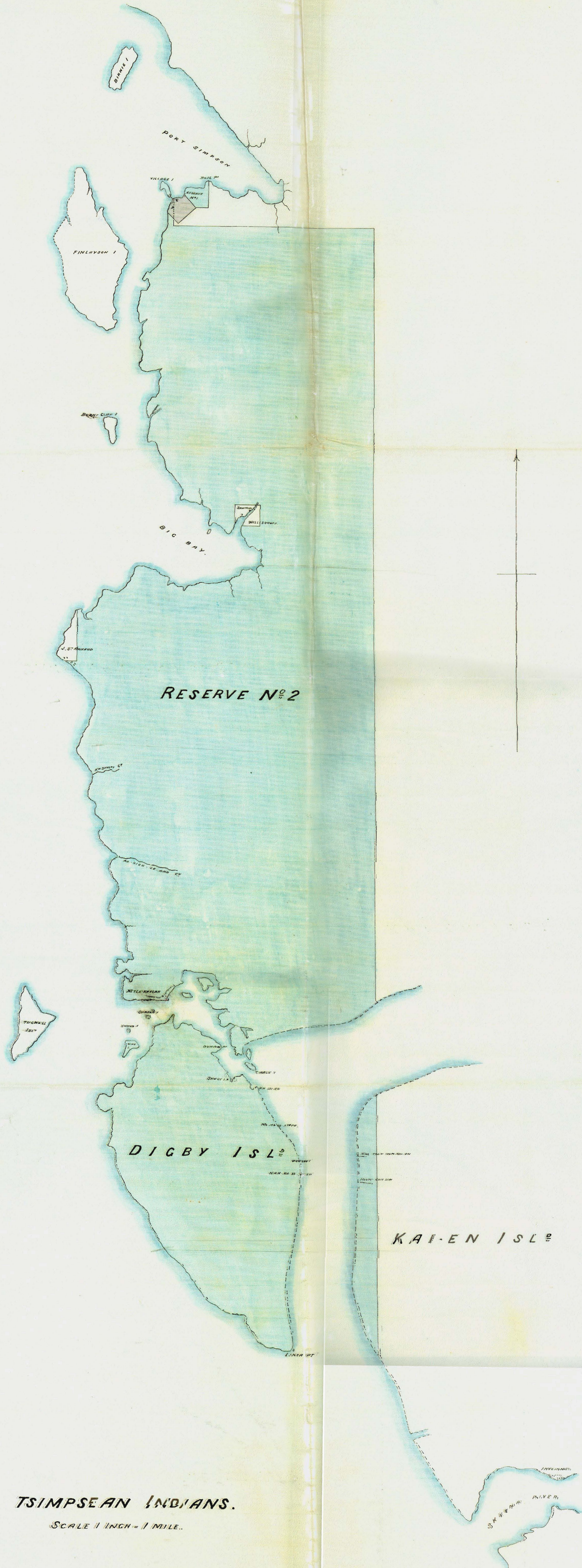
RESERVE N° 1
100 ACRES.

24½ ACRES PROPOSED
TO BE EXCHANGED.

INDIAN VILLAGE
SCHOOL CHURCH
HUDSONS BAY COMPY CLAIM.

ROUGH PLAN OF
FORT SIMPSON
SCALE 4 CHAINS = 1 INCH.

RESERVE N° 2



TSIMPSEAN INDIANS.

SCALE 1 INCH = 1 MILE.

TSIMPSEAN INDIANS.

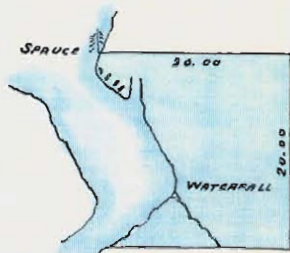
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WIL-NA-SKAN-CAUD.

6 ACRES.



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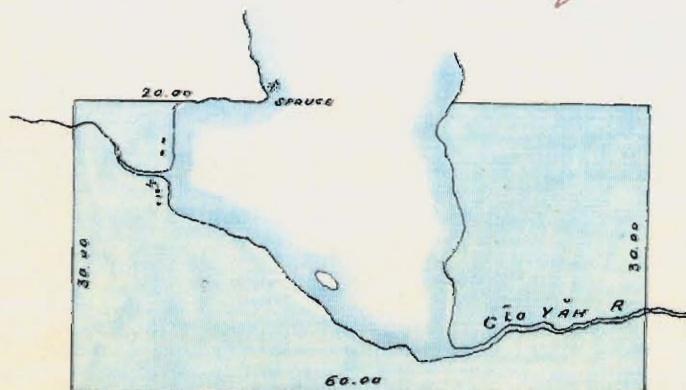
SHOO-WAH-TLANS.

30 ACRES.

Approved

Geo. A. Walker

Chief Commr. of L.M.
Victoria May 8th 1882.



N^o 5

GLO YĀH.

120 ACRES.

TSIMPSEAN NS.

SKEENA

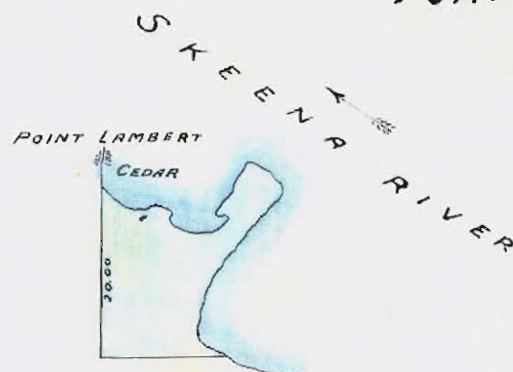
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WILLAGLOUGH.

30 ACRES.



N^o 7
POINT LAMBERT.
22 ACRES.



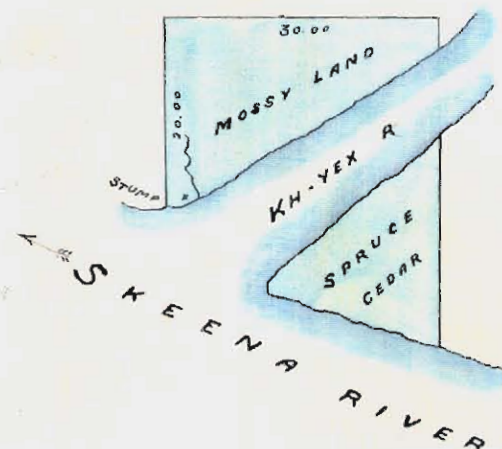
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22 ACRES.



N^o 10
KH-TAH-DA.
6 ACRES.



N^o 8
KH-YEX
60 ACRES.



N^o 11
SCUT-TSAP.
8 ACRES.



Geo. A. Walker

Chief Commr. of L.M.
Victoria May 8th 1882.

Wendell Island

Chatham Sound

Rock

East Simpson

March 17, 1949.

W. S. Arneil, Esq.,
Indian Commissioner for B. C.,
P.O. Box 70,
Vancouver, B. C.

Sir:

Please refer to File #506/82

With reference to our recent conversation regarding Indian Reserve No. 9 in the vicinity of Scotia River, Skeena River, I have gone into this matter very carefully with the Surveys Division and after consulting the Air Surveys photos of the area, we are of the opinion that Indian Reserve No. 9 is actually located at the mouth of Scotia River and not as shown on the old Reference Map 19B, copy of which you have in your office, and as also shown on ~~our~~ map being Page 549 of the Royal Commission Report.

The only way to clarify this apparent discrepancy would be to have a new survey made of the reserve in question at this date.

Yours truly,



Superintendent of Lands.

CEH/JF

Indian Reserve Commission
698 Victoria. B.C.

June 13th 1882.

Sir

I have the honor to inform you that while recently at Alberni for the purpose of defining the reserves for the Indians in that locality, I found Mr Charles Taylor occupying a portion of the land belonging to the Opetchisat tribe on the Somass river, which he claimed under a record of preemption dated November 16th 1872.

In conversation, Mr Taylor admitted to me that the Indian village stood upon this land prior to his record.

I have reserved a frontage of 20 chains on the Somass river, being a portion of that claimed by Mr Taylor (a rough sketch of which is enclosed), and I think it well to place this fact before you

rest

The Hon^{ble}

The Chief Commissioner
of Lands & Works.

lest any application should be made
for a title in his name.

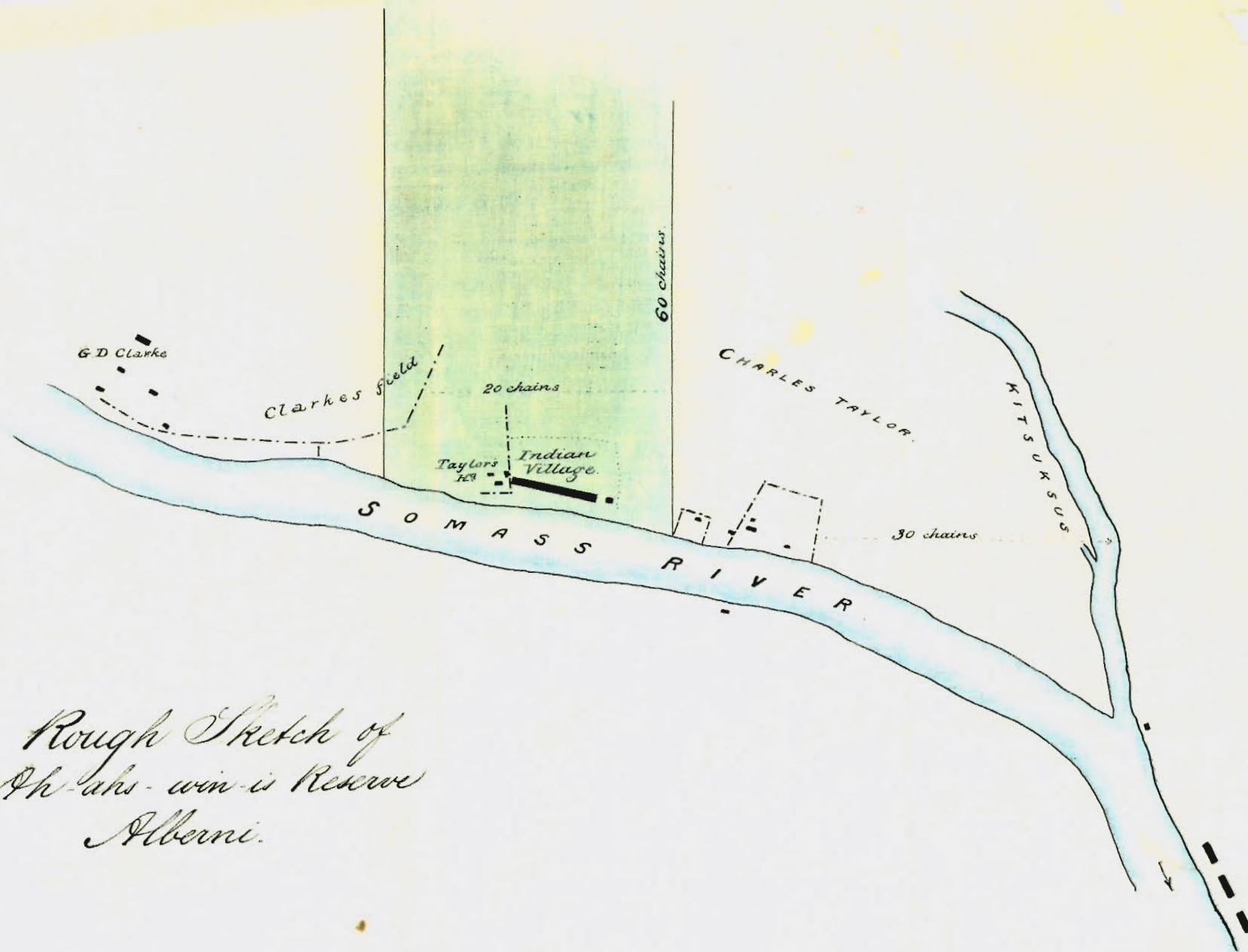
I have the honor to be

Sir,

Your obedient Servant.

P. O'Nully

J. H. C.



*Rough Sketch of
Ah-ahs-win-i Reserve
Alberni.*

Scale 1 Inch = 10 Chains

Recd 77/16/82

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Indian Reserve Commission.
Victoria B.C.

October 23rd 1882.

Sir

I have the honor to enclose
herewith for your information, and
approval, sketches, and descriptions
of the lands reserved by me for the
use of the Chief, Opetchisah,
Teshart, Toquart, Mchuleet,
Mchucklesit, and Pacheena Indians,
situated at, and near to Barclay Sound
on the west coast of Vancouver Island.

Reserves for the Nitinat, and Pacheena
Indians have not yet been completed,
as owing to the rough state of the weather
I was unable to visit all their fishing
stations.

I have the honor to be
Sir

The Hon^{ble}.
The Chief Commis
of Lands and Works

Your obedient Servant
P. D. Kelly
I. M. C.

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Indian Reserve Commission

Minutes of Decision

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L.S.
"Ohiot" Indians. Barclay Sound

No 1. Nu-muk-a-mis a Reserve of
twelve hundred and seventy five (1275) Acres
(approximately) situated at the mouth of Sarita
river, Barclay Sound.

Commencing at the mouth of "Chā-cha-pe-us"
Creek, and running along the sea coast in a
Northerly direction ten (10) chains; thence East
ten (10) chains; thence South forty (40) chains;
thence East one hundred, and twenty (120) chains;
thence South eighty chains (80), thence West to the
sea coast, and thence following the shore in a
Northerly direction to the place of Commencement.

No 2.

N^o 2. "Nū-cha-guis" a Reserve of thirty (30) N^o 2.

Acres, situated on the Eastern shore of Copper Island.

Commencing at a cedar tree, marked Indian Reserve, and running West ten (10) chains, thence North twenty (20) chains, thence East twenty (20) chains, thence South to the sea shore, and thence along the shore in a Southwesterly direction to the place of Commencement.

N^o 3. "Doch-Supple" a Reserve of twenty two N^o 3

(22) Acres situated at the head of Poett's Nook, -
Barclay Sound.

Commencing at a Hemlock marked Indian Reserve, and running West ten (10) chains, thence South ten (10) chains, thence East twenty (20) chains, thence North to the sea Coast, and thence along the said Coast in a Westerly direction to the place of Commencement.

N^o 4

N^o. 4.

"Sach-sa" a Reserve of twelve (12) Acres situated at the head of Grappler Creek, Barclay Sound, being a portion of Section 28. Township N^o. 1 Barclay District.

Commencing at the Southeastern Corner post of the Southwest $\frac{1}{4}$ Section of Section twenty eight (28) Township one (1) Barclay District and running East ten (10) chains, thence North ten (10) chains, thence West to the sea coast, thence along the said Coast in a Southerly direction to a point due West of the Starting point, and thence due East to the place of Commencement.

N^o. 5

"La-cha-wil" a Reserve of eleven (11) Acres situated on the North West shore of Helby Island.

Commencing at a Spruce tree marked Indian Reserve, and running East ten (10) chains, thence North to the Sea Coast, and thence along the said coast in a Westerly and Southerly direction to the place of Commencement.

N^o. 6.

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N^o. 6. "Kirby Point" Diana Island N^o. 6.

Contains thirty eight (38) Acres.

Commencing at a Hemlock tree, marked Indian Reserve, on the North shore of Diana Island, and running South ten (10) chains, thence West to the sea coast, and thence following the Coast as indicated on the sketch to the place of Commencement.

N^o. 7. "Hamilton Point" Diana Island, Contains N^o. 7.

eighty (80) Acres.

Commencing at a cedar tree marked Indian Reserve on the Eastern shore of "Dodger's Cove", and running East an approximate distance of forty (40) chains to the sea shore, thence following the Coast in a Southerly, and Northerly direction to the place of Commencement.

N^o. 8

No. 8.

Haines Island, Barclay Sound, containing thirty five (35) Acres, is allotted to the use of the Indians.

No. 9

"Kee-shan" A Reserve of three hundred and seventy (370) Acres, situated at the Southern entrance to Barclay Sound, two and a half ($2\frac{1}{2}$) miles North-East of Cape Beale,

Commencing at the Northwestern corner of Section 18, Township one (1) Barclay District, and running South to the Southwestern corner thereof, thence West eighty (80) chains, thence North to the Sea shore, and thence along the Coast in an Easterly direction to the place of commencement.

No. 10.

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N^o 10. "Kich-ha" a Reserve of twelve (12) Acres N^o 15.

Situated one and a half ($1\frac{1}{2}$) mile East of Cape Beale.

Commencing at a Spruce, marked Indian Reserve, and running North ten (10) chains, thence East twenty (20) chains, thence South to the sea shore, and thence following the Coast in a Westorly direction to the place of Commencement

N^o 11. "Clutus" a Reserve of eighty (80) Acres N^o 11.

Situated at the Western entrance to Pachena Bay.

Commencing at an Alder marked Indian Reserve about eight (8) chains East of the Indian houses, and running North ten (10) chains, thence West to the sea shore, and thence following the Coast in a Southerly direction to the place of Commencement.

N^o 12.

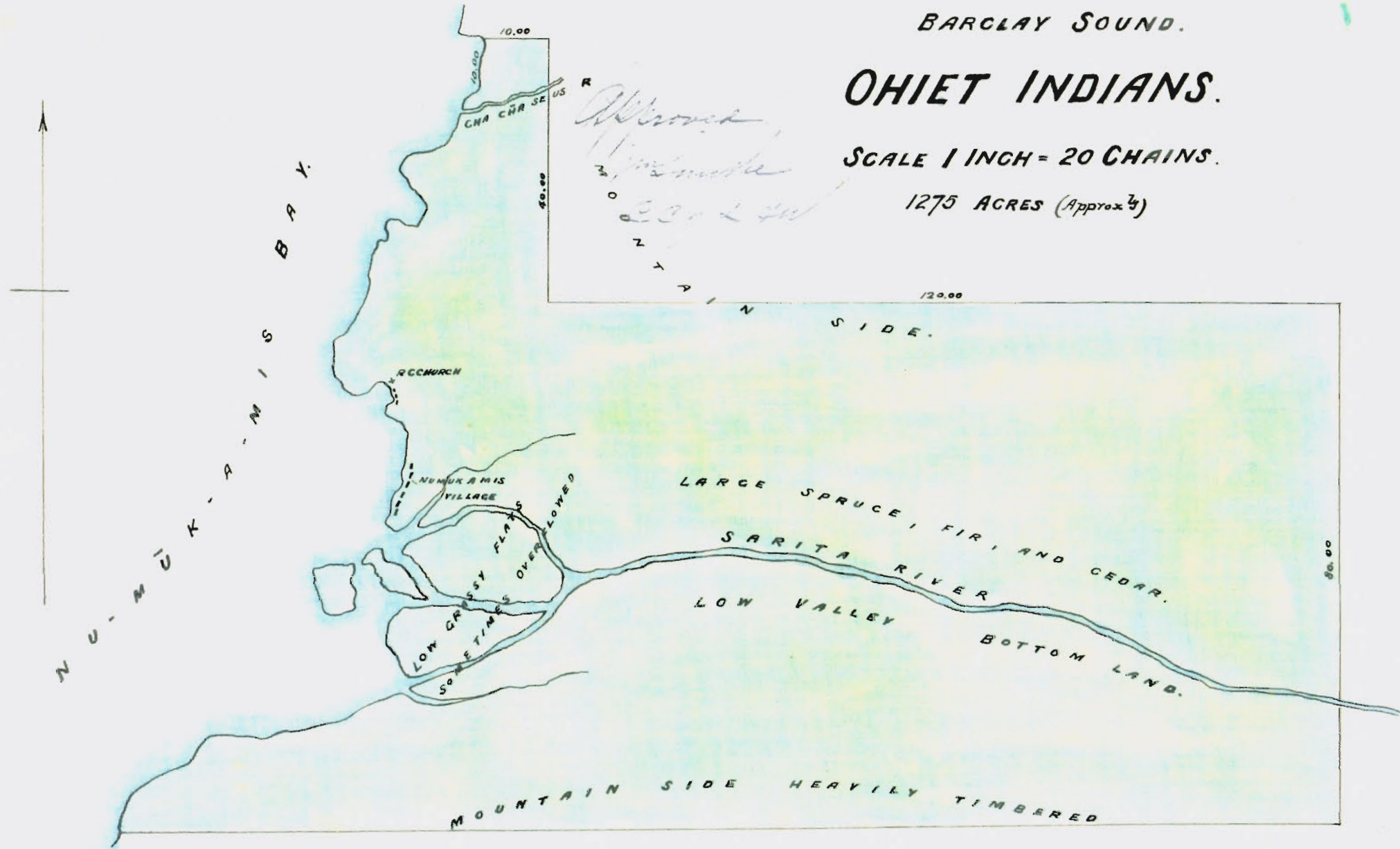
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BARCLAY SOUND.

OHIET INDIANS.

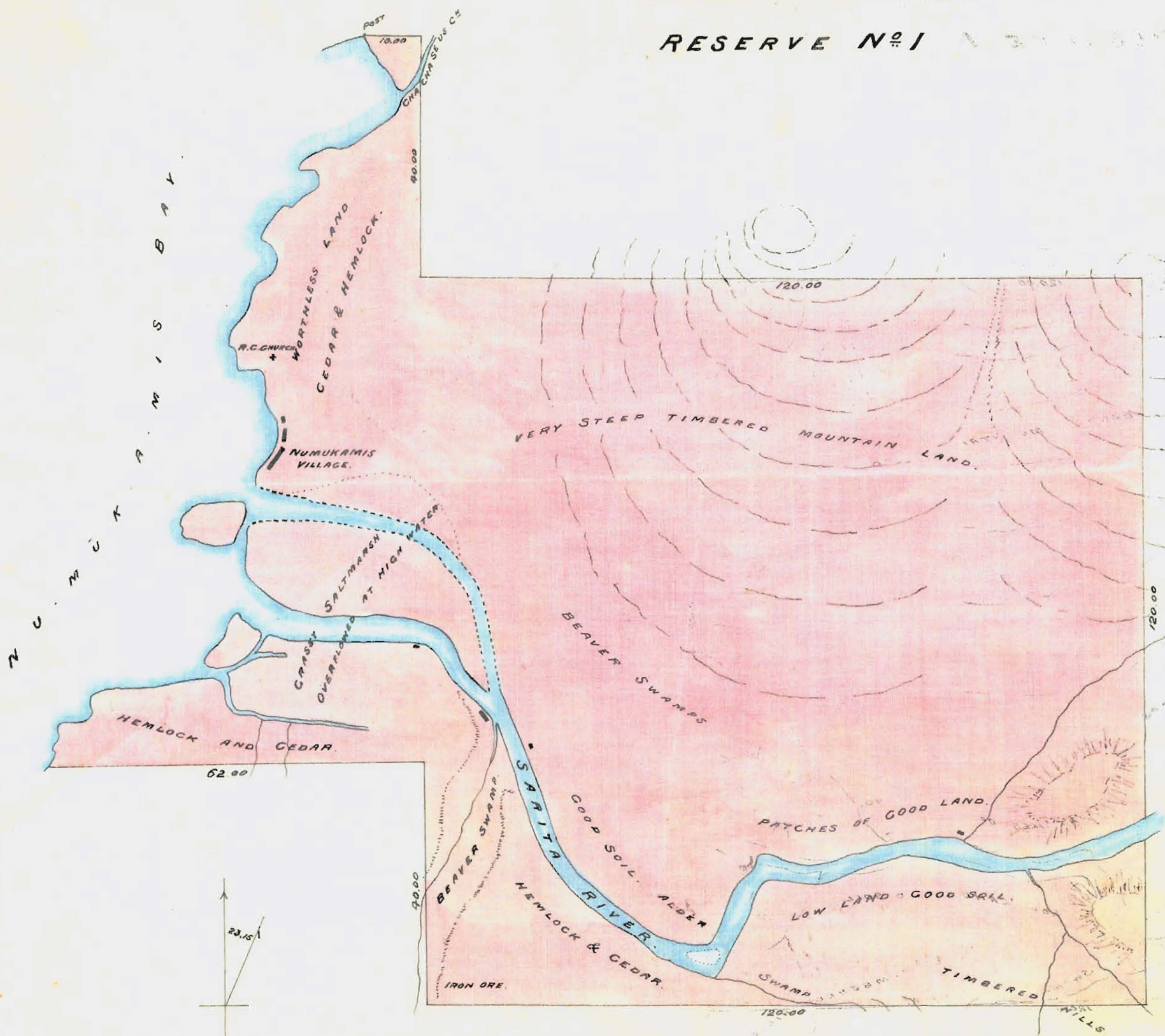
SCALE 1 INCH = 20 CHAINS.

1275 ACRES (Approx ¹/₄)



BARCLAY SOUND.
OHIET INDIANS.

RESERVE No 1



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BARCLAY SOUND.

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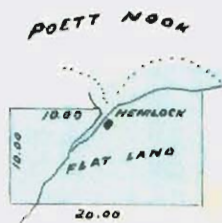
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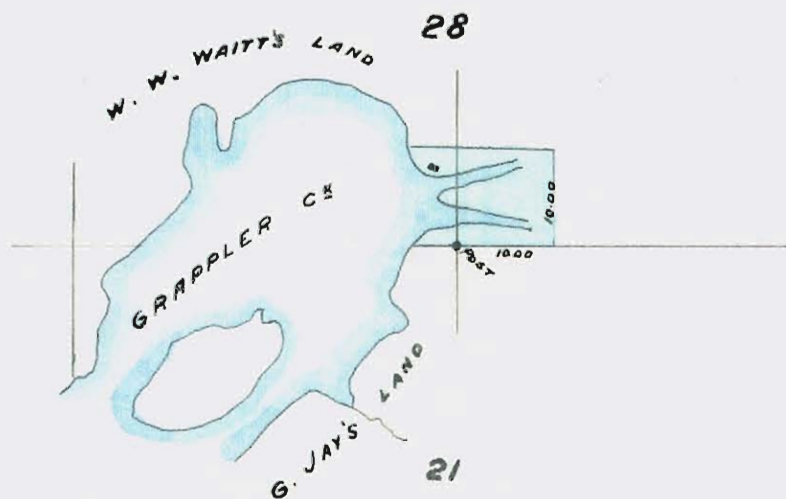
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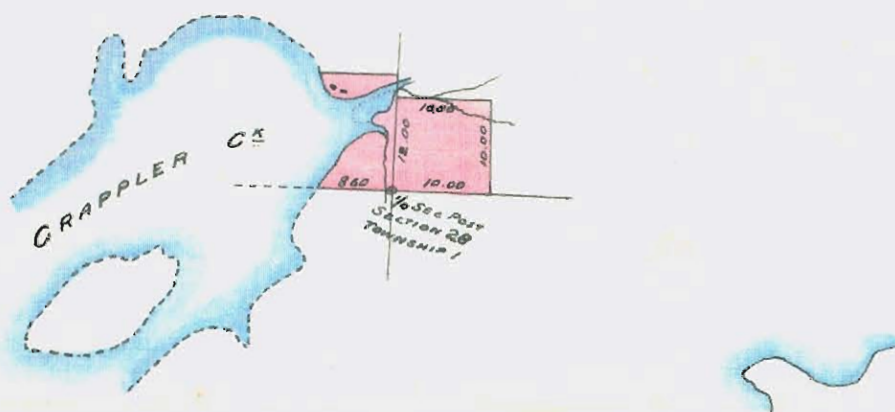
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BARCLAY SOUND.
OHIET INDIANS.

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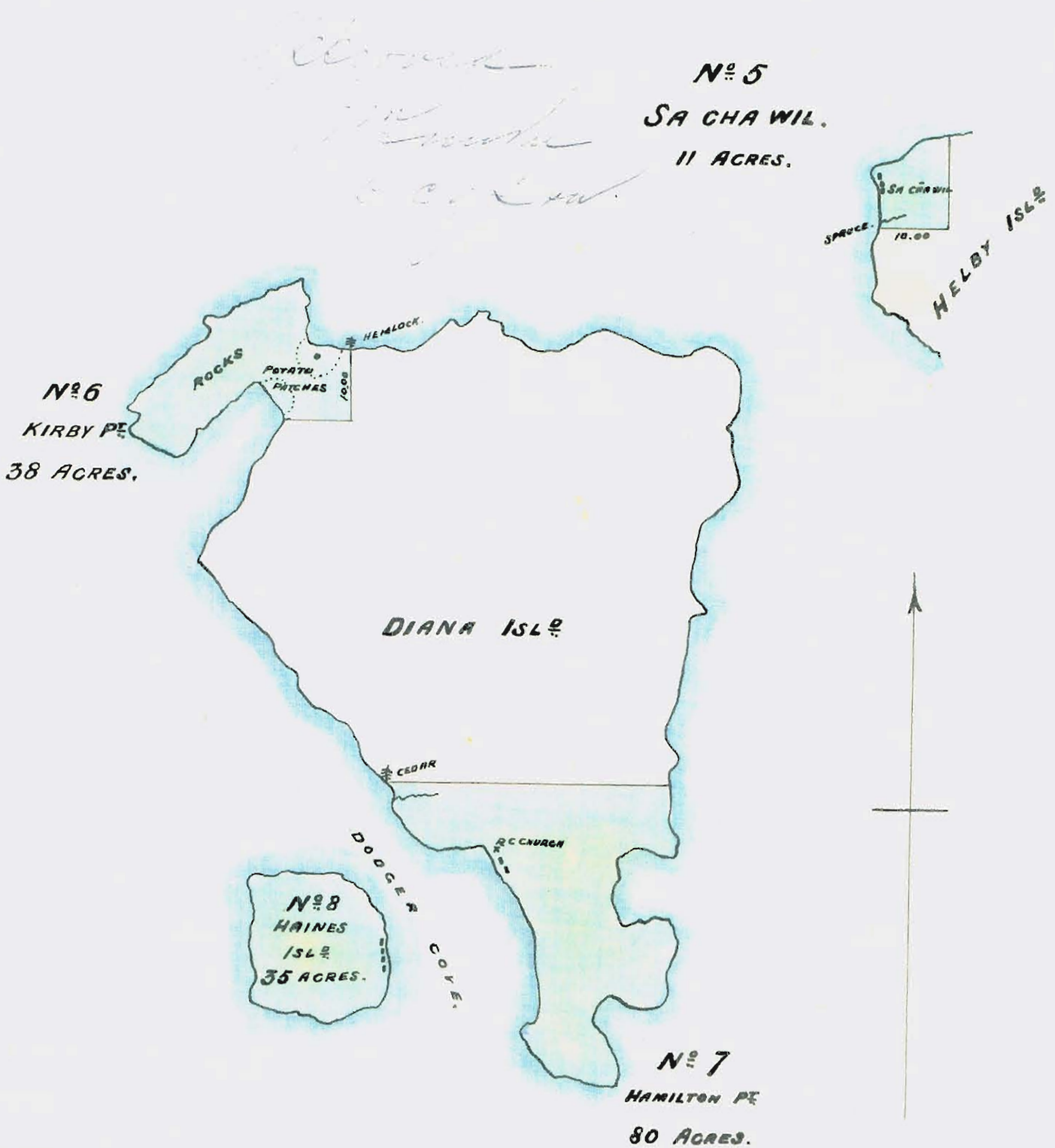
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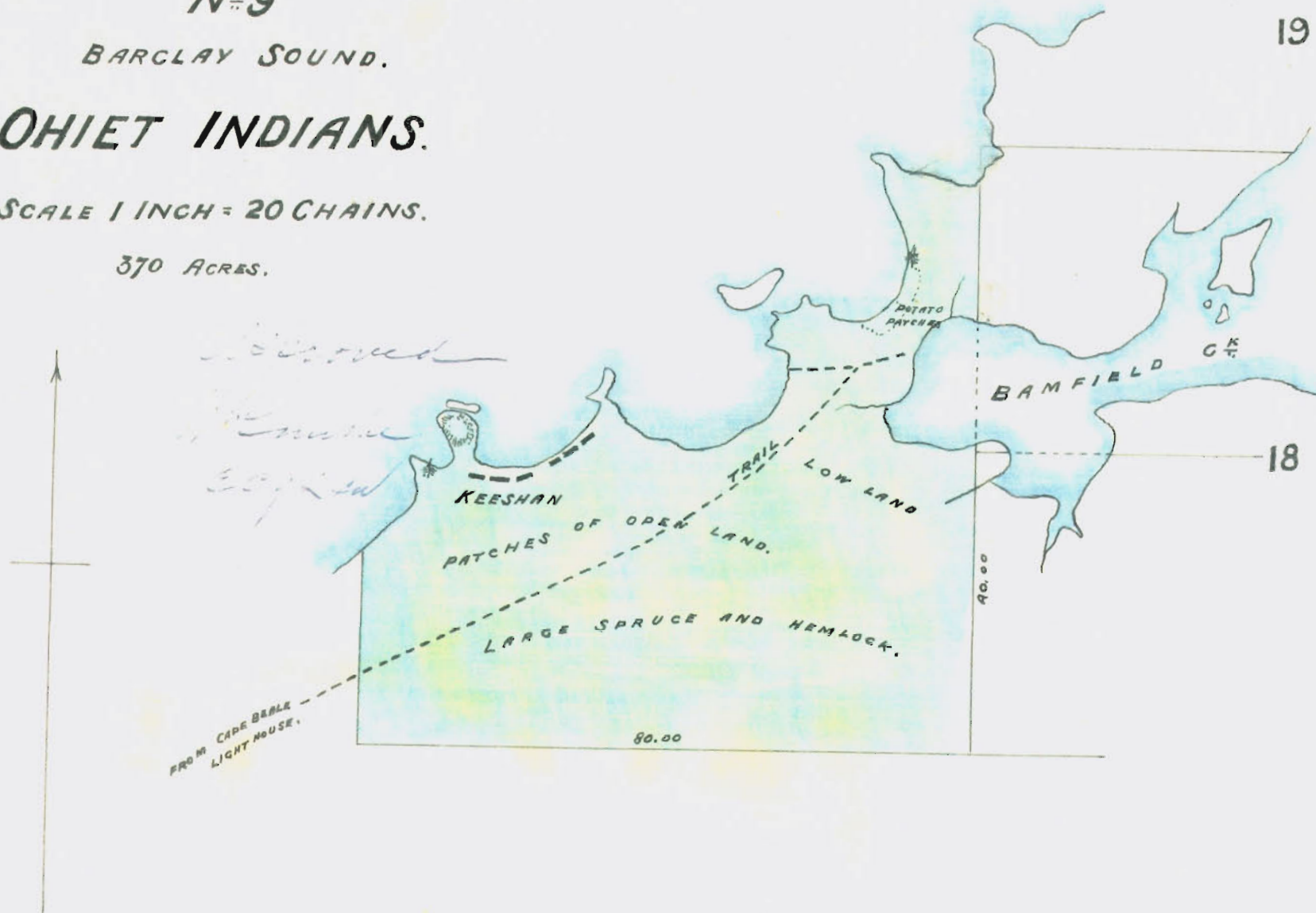
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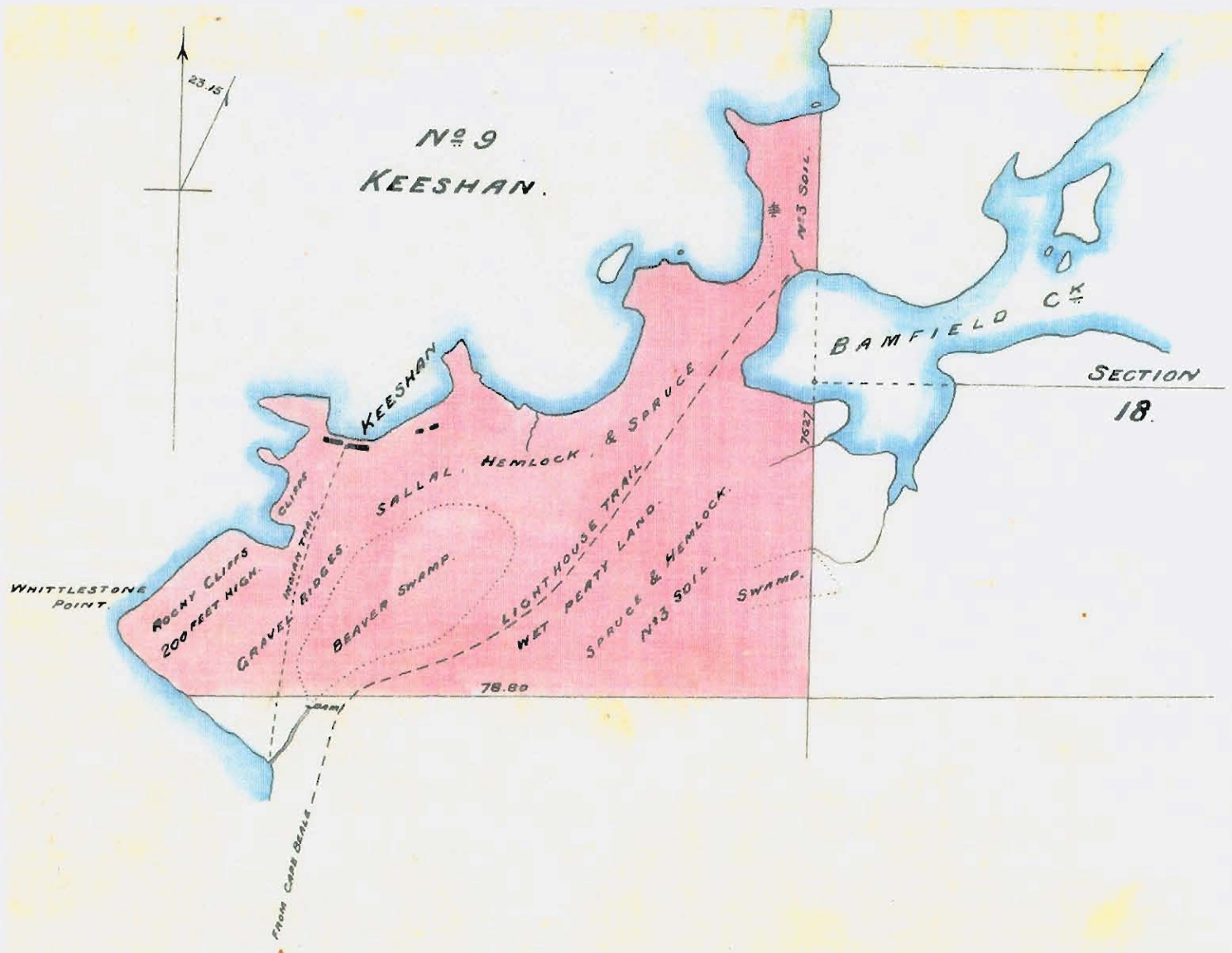
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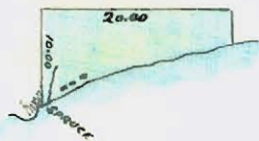


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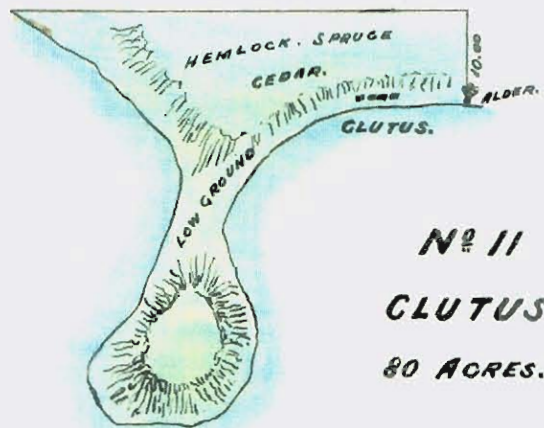
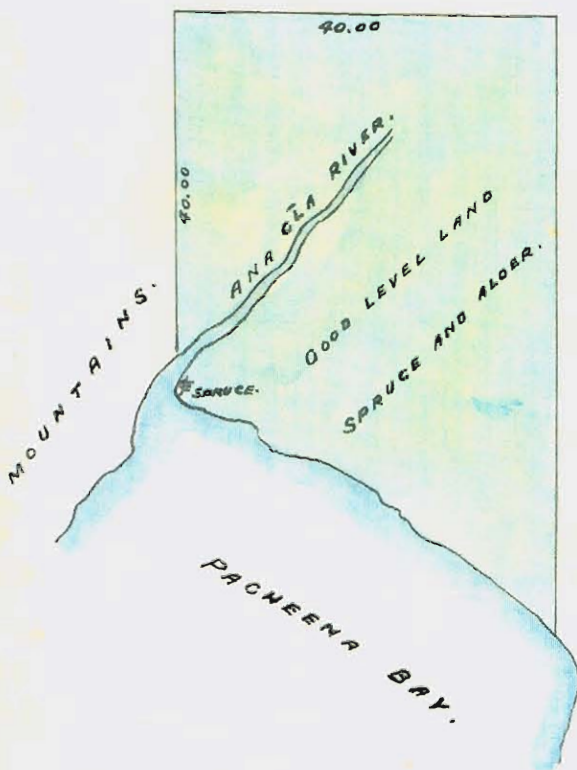
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12 ACRES.



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ANA-CLA
200 ACRES.

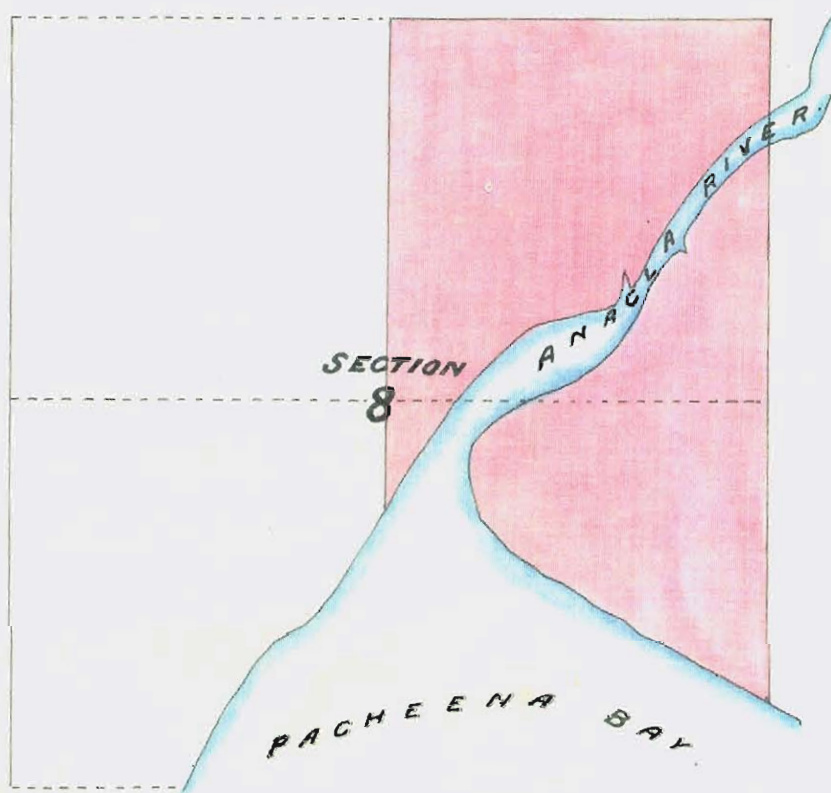


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CLUTUS.
80 ACRES.

Nº 13
MĀ-SIT.
80 ACRES.



BARCLAY SOUND.
OHIET INDIANS.
RESERVE N^o 12



SCALE 1 INCH = 20 CHAINS.

No. 12.

"A-na-cla" a Reserve of two hundred (200) Acres
situated at the head of Pacheena Bay.

Commencing at a Spruce tree marked Indian
Reserve, at the mouth of the "Anacla" river, and
running North forty (40) chains, thence East forty
(40) chains; thence South to the sea Coast, and thence
following the shore, in a Westerly direction to the
place of Commencement.

No. 13.

"Māsīt" a Reserve of eighty (80) Acres situated
four, and a half ($4\frac{1}{2}$) miles South East of Cape Beale,
and East of Sea Bird Island.

Commencing at a Spruce tree marked Indian
Reserve and running East ten (10) chains, thence
North forty (40) chains, thence West to the sea shore,
and thence following the Coast in a Southerly
direction to the place of Commencement.

Barclay Sound B.A. }
June 1st 1882 }

P. O'Neilly
J. M. C.

Indian Reserve Commission

Minutes of Decision

"Se-shart" Indians.

No. 1 "Isah-ah-eh" a Reserve of eleven hundred and fifty (1150) Acres situated on the right bank of the Somass river, Alberni, about three (3) miles from its mouth.

Commencing at the Southwestern corner post of Lot (Three) 3. Alberni District, and running West eighty (80) chains, thence South one hundred (100) chains, thence East to the Somass river, and thence up the right bank of the said river, to the place of Commencement.

No. 2.

N^o. 2. "Alberni" a Reserve of one hundred and thirty (130) Acres, situated on the Eastern shore of the Alberni Canal, near its head. N^o. 2.

Commencing at the Southwestern corner of Lot 1 (one) Alberni District, and running in an easterly direction along the Southern boundary of the said Lot forty (40) chains, thence South forty (40) chains; thence West to the Alberni canal, and thence following the shore, in a Northerly direction, to the place of Commencement.

N^o. 3. "I-wa-chis" a Reserve of twenty five (25) Acres situated on the Eastern bank of the Alberni Canal at the first Narrows N^o. 3.

Commencing at a Spruce tree marked Indian Reserve, and running South thirty (30) chains, thence West to the Sea Shore, and thence following the coast in a Northerly direction to

to the place of Commencement.

N^o. 4 "Ise-oo-wa" a Reserve of Seven (7) Acres situated on the Eastern shore of Rainy Bay, Barclay Sound.

Commencing at a Spruce tree marked Indian Reserve, and running East ten (10) chains, thence South ten (10) chains, thence West to the sea shore, and thence following the Coast in a Northerly direction to the place of Commencement.

N^o. 5 "Ah-mit-sa" a Reserve of thirty (30) Acres on Seddall Island, Rainy Bay.

Commencing at a Cedar tree marked Indian Reserve, and running North an approximate distance of thirteen (13) chains, to a point due East of the Northeastern Corner post of Lot 4 (four) Alberni District, thence West to the said corner post, thence along the Eastern boundary of the said Lot 4 (four) to the Sea Coast, and thence following the shore in an Easterly direction to the place of Commencement.

N^o. 6.

N^o 6. "Eke-ho" a Reserve of twelve (12) Acres, N^o 6
situated at the Southeastern end of Nettie Island,
Barclay Sound.

Commencing at a Spruce tree marked
Indian Reserve, and running North ten (10) chains,
thence West ten (10) chains, thence South to the sea
shore, and thence along the coast in an Easterly
direction to the place of Commencement.

N^o 7. Keith Island Barclay Sound N^o 7.
Containing twenty five (25) Acres is reserved for the
use of the Indians

N^o 8. "Equis" a Reserve of one hundred N^o 8.
and twenty (120) Acres, situated one and a half mile
East of Lyall Point. Barclay Sound.

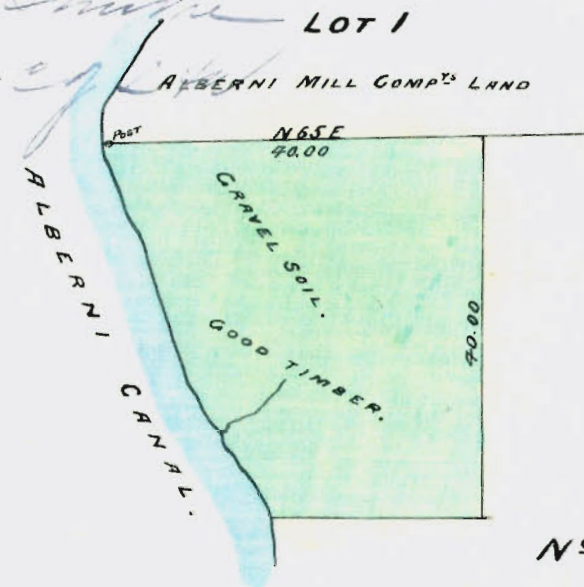
Commencing at a Cedar tree marked
Indian Reserve and running North thirty (30)
chains thence West fifty (50) chains, thence South
to

BARCLAY SOUND.

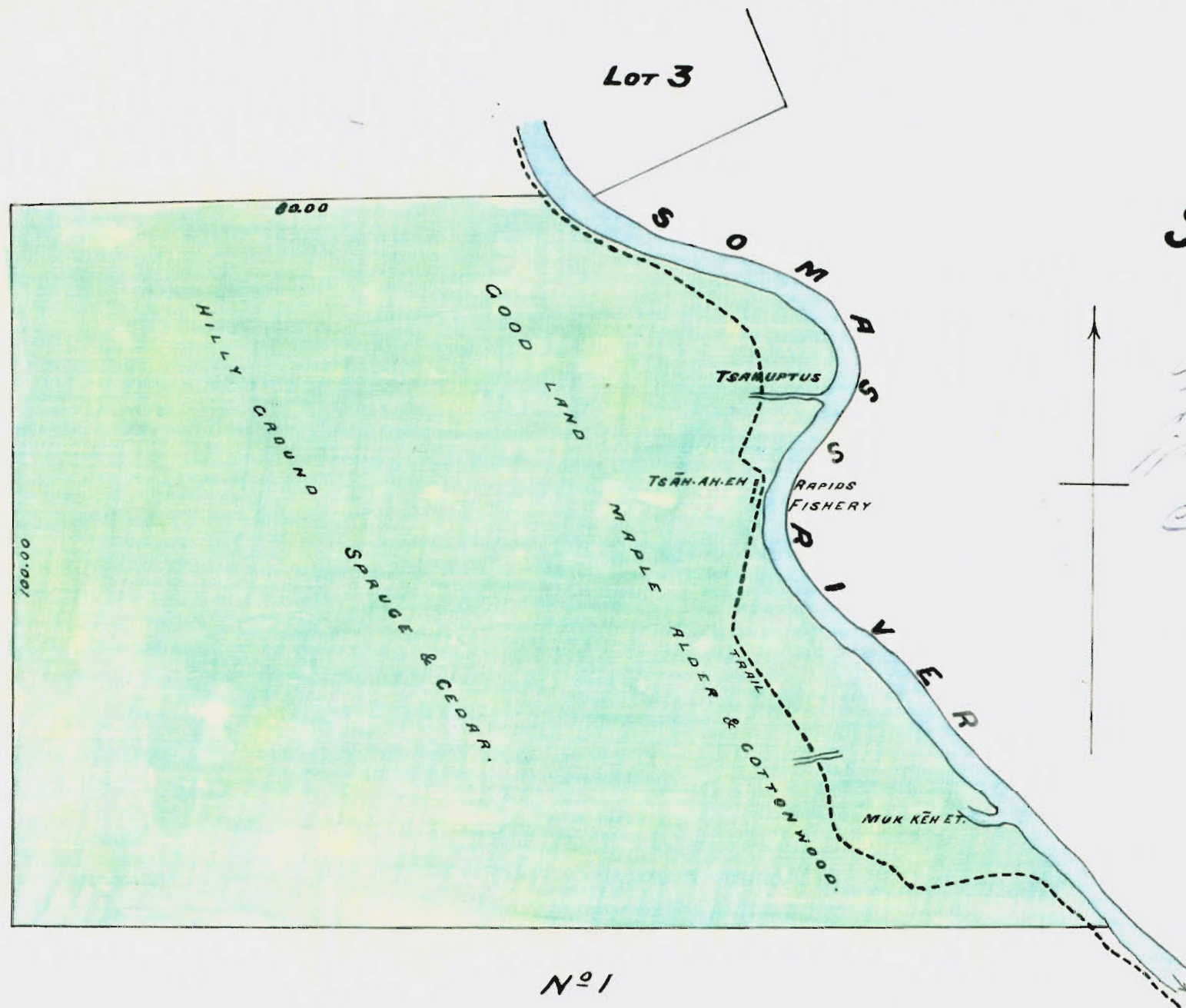
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ALBERNI
130 ACRES.



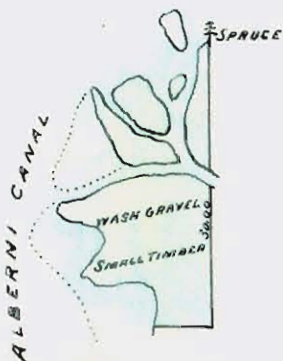
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TSAN-AH EH
1150 ACRES.

BARCLAY SOUND

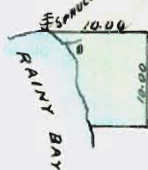
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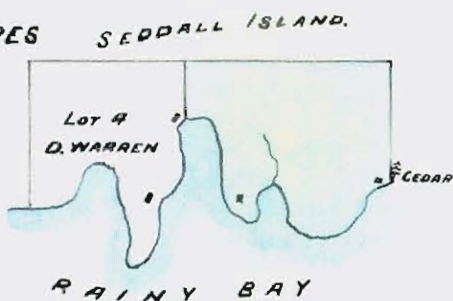
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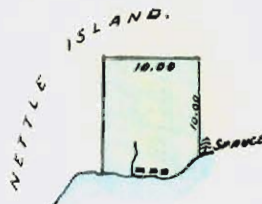
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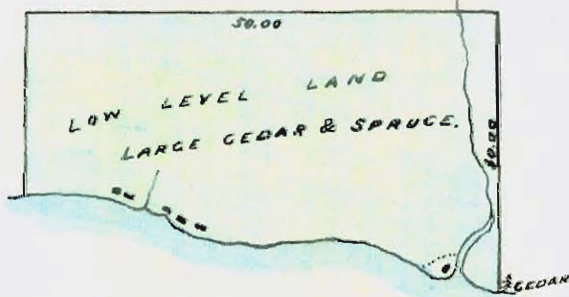
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CLE-HO
12 ACRES.



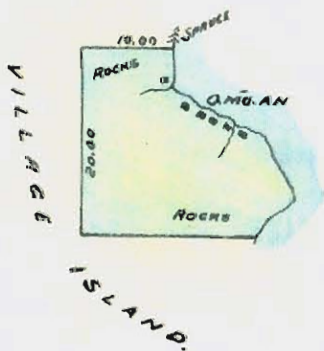
Nº8
EQUIS
120 ACRES.



Nº7
KEITH ISL^D
25 ACRES.



Nº9
O-MO-AH
30 ACRES.



to the sea shore, and thence following the coast in an
Easterly direction to the place of Commencement.

N^o 9. "O-mo-ah" a Reserve of thirty (30) Acres situated
on the Eastern shore of Village Island, Barclay Sound.

Commencing at a Spruce tree marked
Indian Reserve, and running West ten (10) chains,
thence South twenty (20) chains, thence East to the
sea coast, and thence following the shore in a
Northerly direction to the place of Commencement.

Barclay Sound B.C. }
June 3rd 1882 }

P. O. Hully
J. M. C.

Indian Reserve Commission B.C.

Minutes of Decision

"To-quart" Indians. Barclay Sound.

No. 1. "Ma-co-ah" a Reserve of one hundred and ninety Acres (190) situated on Village Passage Barclay Sound. Commencing at a Hemlock tree marked Indian Reserve, and running West sixty (60) chains, thence South to the Sea Coast, an approximate distance of sixty (60) chains, and thence following the sea shore in a North easterly direction to the point of Commencement.

No. 2. "Deek-yac-us" a Reserve of two hundred and seventy-five (275) Acres situated at the head of "To-quart" harbor, Barclay Sound
Commencing at a Spruce marked Indian Reserve, at the mouth of the "Deek-yac-us" river

river and running West Thirty (30) chains, thence North fifty (50) chains, thence East sixty (60) chains, thence South to So. quart harbor, and thence along the sea shore in a Westerly direction to the place of Commencement.

N^o. 3. Che-guis a Reserve of Six (6) Acres N^o. 3.
situated one and a half ($1\frac{1}{2}$) mile South of Reserve N^o. 1. and West of David Island Barclay Sound.

Commencing at a Hemlock marked Indian Reserve, and running West ten (10) chains, thence South ten (10) chains, thence East to the sea shore, and thence following the coast in a Northerly direction to the place of Commencement.

The right of fishing in the Creek, which flows through this Reserve, from its mouth, to a Lake at the head of it (an approximate distance of

of one mile) is allotted to the Indians.

N^o. 4. "Che-na-tha" a Reserve of forty five (45) Acres, situated at the mouth of "Che-na-tha" river about seven and a half ($7\frac{1}{2}$) miles South of Reserve N^o. 1.

Commencing at a spruce tree, marked Indian Reserve, on the left bank of the river, and running North ten (10) chains, thence West twenty (20) chains, thence South forty (40) chains, thence East to the sea shore, and thence following the coast in a northerly direction to the place of Commencement.

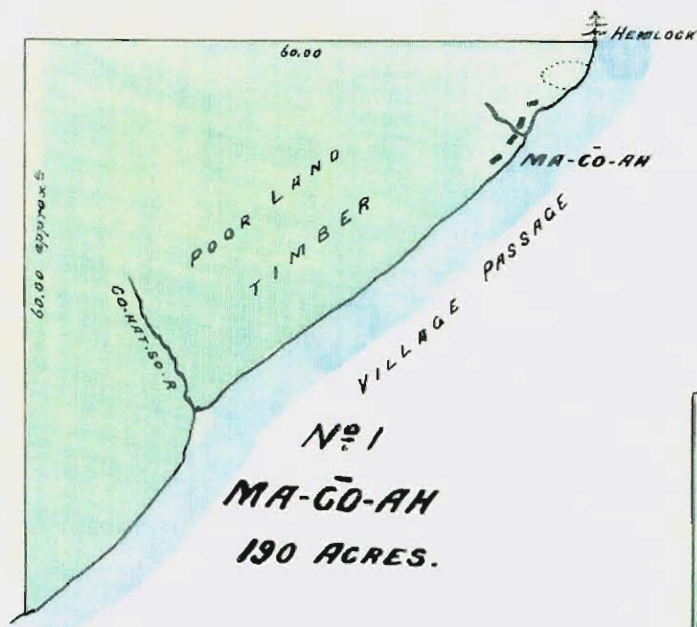
N^o. 5. "Dook-gua" a Reserve of sixteen (16) Acres situated in Alpha Passage, at the Northern entrance to Barclay Sound.

Commencing at a spruce tree marked Indian Reserve, and running North ten (10) chains

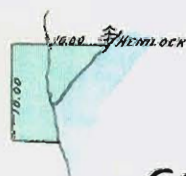
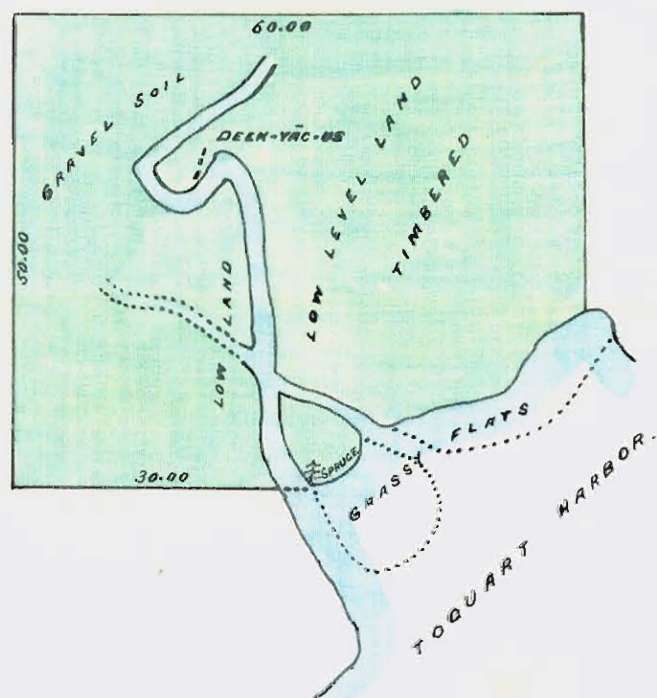
BARCLAY SOUND.
TO-QUART INDIANS.

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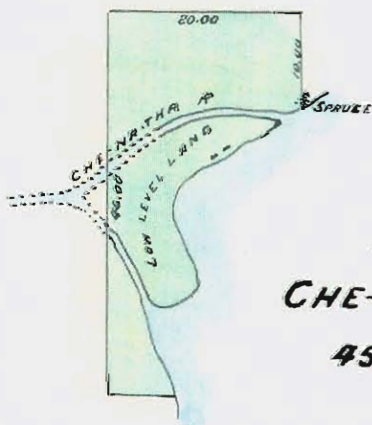
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DEEK YAC US
275 ACRES

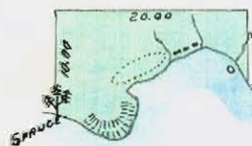


No. 3
CHE-QUIS
6 ACRES



No. 4
CHE-NÄ-THA
45 ACRES.

No. 5
DÖÖK QUA
16 ACRES



chains thence East twenty (20) chains, thence South
to the sea shore, and thence following the coast
in a Westerly direction to the place of Commencement.

Barclay Sound, B.C.

June 3rd 1882.

J. O'Neill

J. R. C.

Indian Reserve Commission

Minutes of Decision

"O-petch-is-ah-t" Indians

No. 1. "Ah-ahs-win-is" a Reserve of one hundred and twenty five (125) Acres (approximately) situated on the left bank of the Somass River, Alberni, one and a half (1 1/4) mile from its mouth.

Commencing at the junction of the 'Kit-suk-pu's', and Somas rivers, and running up the left bank of the said Somass river thirty three (33) chains, which point will be the Southeastern corner of the Reserve, thence North, sixty (60) chains, thence West twenty (20) chains, thence South to the Somass river, and thence down the left bank of the said river to the South East corner before mentioned.

No. 2.

N^o 2. 'Kleh-Koot', a reserve of three hundred (300) Acres situated on the left bank of the Somass river, about five and a half ($5\frac{1}{2}$) miles from its mouth

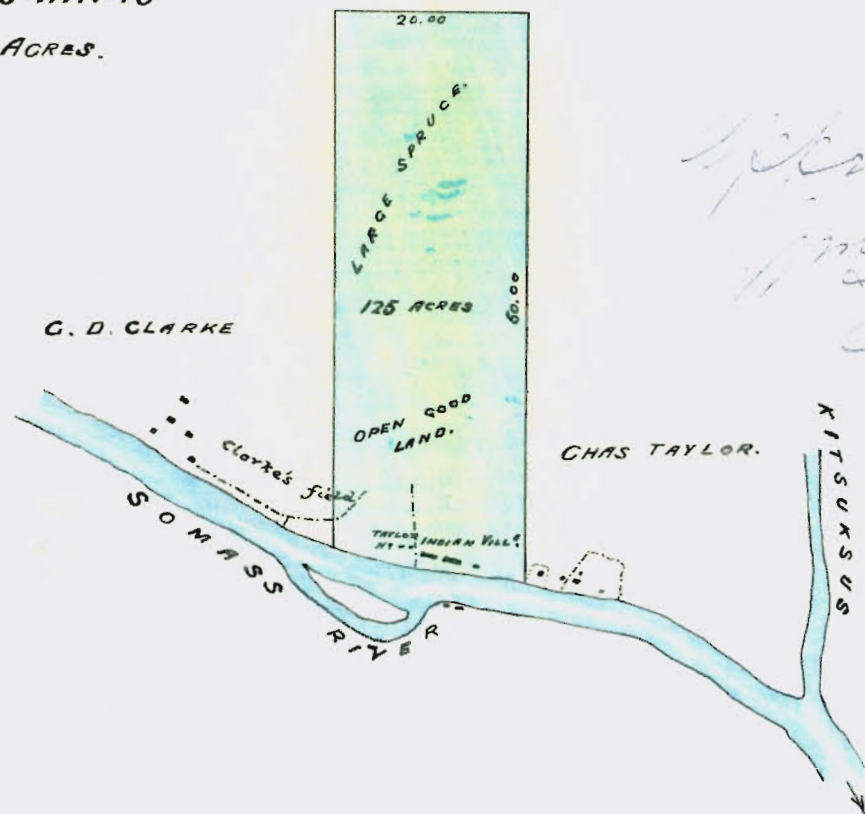
Commencing at a Spruce tree marked Indian Reservation at the head of the "Klah-sa-ahlt" rapids, and running North forty (40) chains, thence East forty eight (80) chains, thence South to the Somass river, and thence up the left bank of the said river to the place of commencement.

N^o 3 "Go-us", a Reserve of One hundred and ten (110) Acres situated on the West bank of the Alberni Canal at the 2nd Narrows.

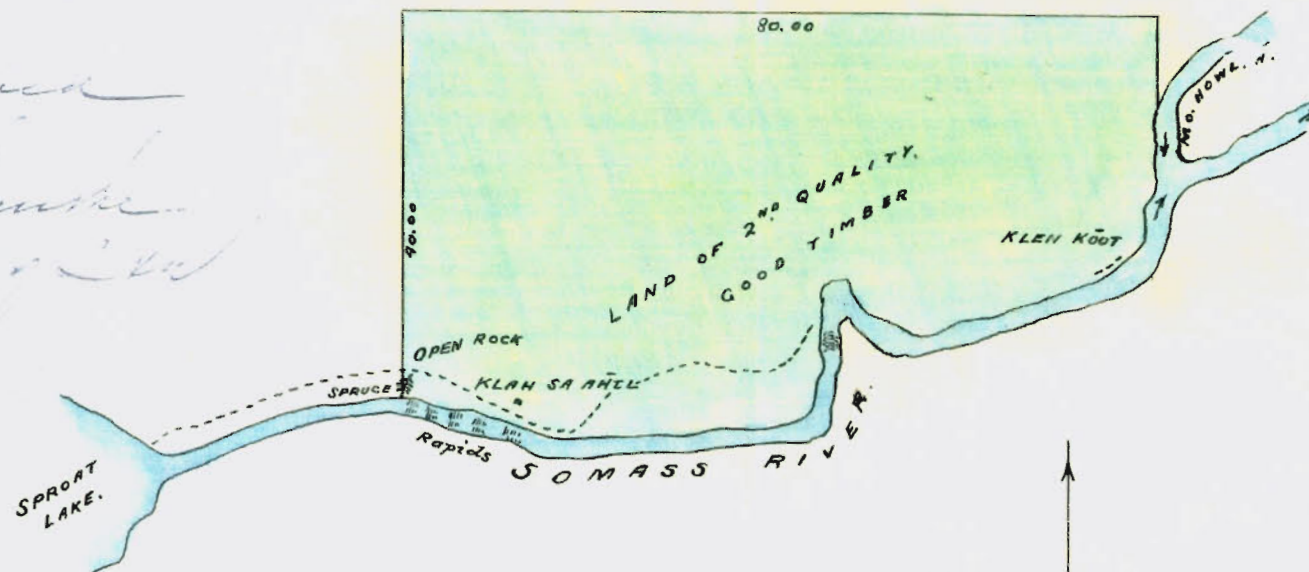
Commencing at a Black Pine, marked Indian Reserve, and running West thirty (30) chains thence South forty (40) chains, thence East to the sea Coast, and thence along the shore in a Northerly direction to the place of commencement.

N^o 4.

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AH-AHS-WIN-1S
125 ACRES.



N^o 2
KLEH-KOOT
300 ACRES.



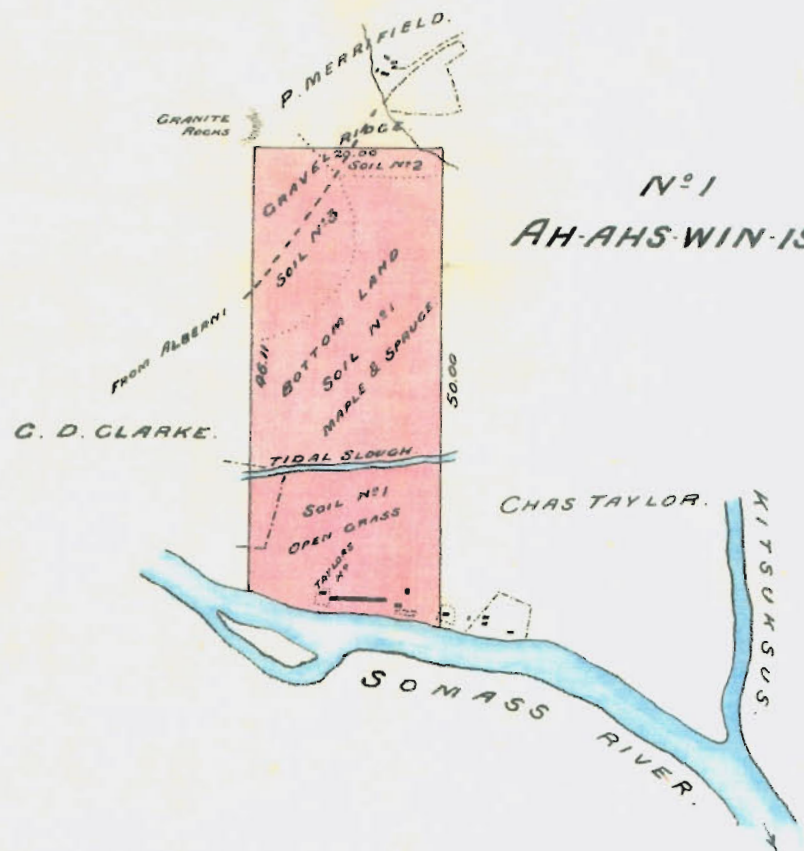
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CHU-CHA-KA-COOK
6 ACRES.

BARCLAY SOUND.
O-PETCH-IS-AHT INDIANS.

SCALE 1 INCH = 20 CHAINS.

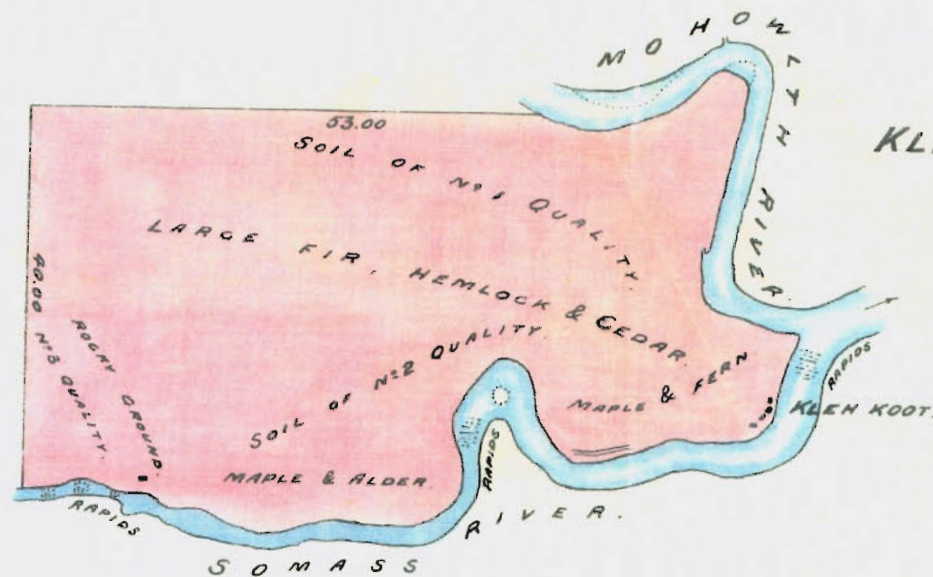


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CŌ-US
110 ACRES.

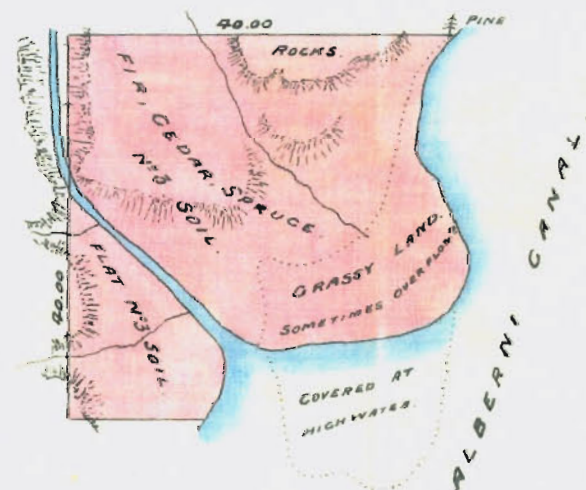


BARCLAY SOUND.
O-PETCH-IS-AHT INDIANS.

SCALE 20 CHAINS = 1 INCH.



No. 2
KLEH-KOOT.



No. 3
CO-US.

No. 14.

"Chu-cha-Ka-cook", a reserve of six (6) acres

(approximately) situated on the West shore of Abomi Canal about one (1) mile North of Tahmint Bay.

Commencing at a Fir tree, marked Indian Reserve, and running West ten (10) chains, thence South to the Sea Coast, and thence following the said Coast in a Northerly direction to the place of Commencement.

Barclay Sound B.C. }
June 5th 1882 }

J. D. Mully
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PORT ALBERNI, B. C.

Aug. 24, 1929.

The Department of Lands,
Parliament Bldgs.,
Victoria, B. C.

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Dear Sirs:-

Re- The Klehkoot Indian Reserve,
Opitchesaht Band.

See No. 2
30500 on title
from the above
plan 937
V.C.
L.R.O.

Some ten years ago the E. & W. Rly. Co. purchased a
piece of land from the above mentioned Reserve and extend-
ed their Branch Line through the same.

Completion of this transaction has been held up ever
since owing to a dispute, apparently between the Provincial
and the Dominion Governments, as to the Title of the land
and consequently the tribe of Indians owning the Reserve
have been unable to obtain payment of their share. I
would be pleased to know whether anything can be done to
facilitate matters so that the Indians involved will be
paid. It is unfortunate that the matter has been held up
so long.

Many of the men affected are in need of the monies.

Awaiting your reply, I am

Yours truly,

L. ARNOLD HANNA

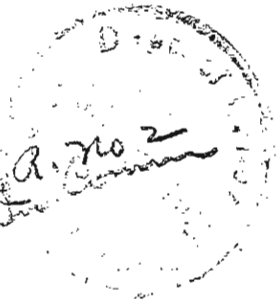
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new
Klehkoot I.R. No 2
confirmed by the Comm.
9 July 1914



9th Sept., 1929

Sir:

Please refer to File 1385/82
Attention "GRANTS"

I have to acknowledge your letter of the 24th ult., regarding the Klehkoot Indian Reserve #2 and the right of way of the E. & N. Rly. Co.

In reply I would inform you that I have not been able to trace any correspondence with the E. & N. Rly. Co. requesting a confirmation of the Indian title. I have also had a search made in the Land Registry Office and was unable to obtain any evidence of an application being filed by the Company of the Dominion title. Such application if made would be subject to Section 47 of Chapter 127 of the Land Registry Act. If the Company has obtained a Dominion Quit Claim I would suggest that you take the matter up with them and have an application made for confirmation by the Provincial Government.

Your obedient servant,



Superintendent of Lands

L.A. Hanna, Esq.,
Barrister,
Port Alberni, B.C.

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Indian Reserve Commission. B.C.

Minutes of Decision

"U. clue let" Indians Barclay Sound

N^o 1. "It-tat-soo" a reserve containing one hundred and forty five (145) Acres situated on the eastern shore of "U. clue-let" Arm, near its mouth.

Commencing at a Hemlock tree marked Indian Reserve, and running North fifty (50) chains, thence West to the "U. clue-let" Arm, an approximate distance of forty five (45) chains, and thence following the shore in a southerly direction to the place of Commencement

N^o 2. "Clak-a-muc-us" A reserve of twelve (12) Acres, situated at the head of "U. cluelet" Arm, Barclay Sound.

Commencing at a spruce marked Indian reserve, about eight (8) chains West of "Clak-a-mue-us" Creek, and running North ten (10) chains, thence East ten (10) chains, thence South to the "U. clue-let" Arm, and thence along the coast in a Westerly direction, to the place of Commencement.

N^o 3. "Oute" a reserve of Seventeen (17) N^o 3.
Acres situated at the mouth of Effingham Inlet, Barclay Sound.

Commencing at a Cedar tree, marked Indian reserve, and running South to the Sea Coast, thence along the shore in a Northerly direction to the place of Commencement.

N^o 4. "Quiv-a-quilt" a reserve of N^o 4,
Eighteen (18) Acres situated near the head of Effingham Inlet.

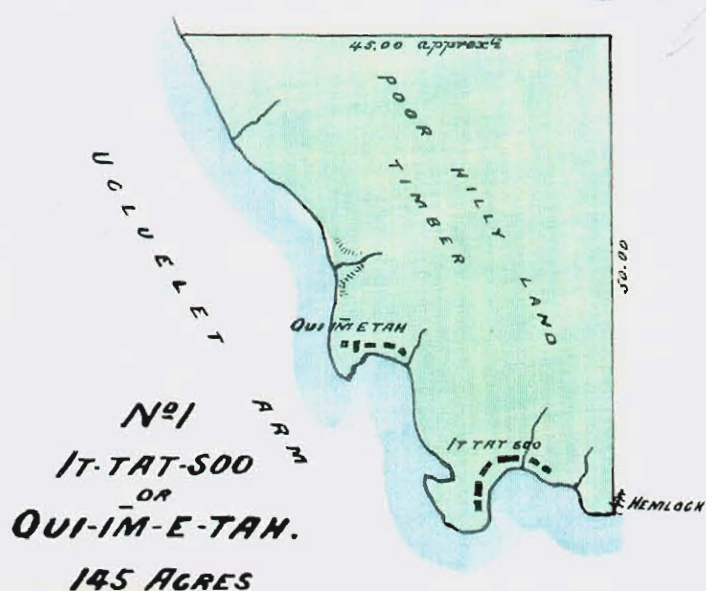
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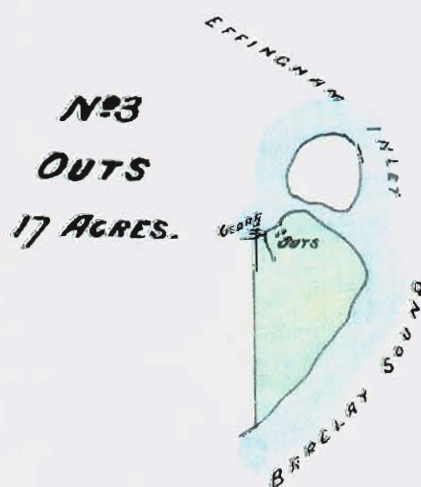
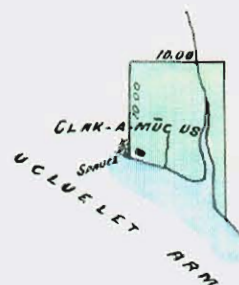
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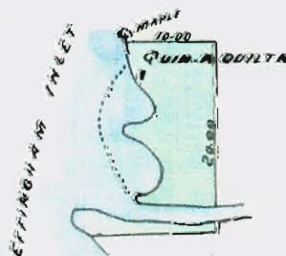
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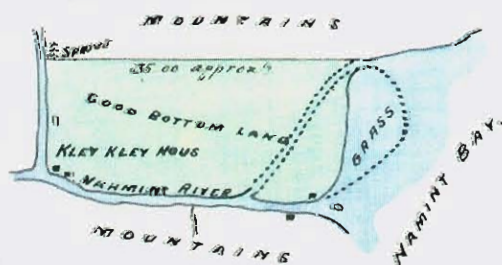
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CLAK-A-MUC-US.
12 ACRES.



Nº4.
QUIN-A-QUILTH
18 ACRES.



Nº5
KLEY-KLEY-HOUS.
45 ACRES



BARCLAY SOUND.
UCLUELET INDIANS.
RESERVE N^o 5



SCALE 1 INCH = 20 CHAINS.

Commencing at a Maple, marked
Indian Reserve, and running East ten (10) chains
thence South twenty (20) chains, thence West to the
sea coast, and thence following the ~~sea~~ shore in a
Northerly direction to the place of Commencement.

N^o. 5 "Kley- Kley-house" a reserve of forty five (45)
Acres situated at the head of Nahmint Bay
on the West bank of Alberni Canal

Commencing at a Spruce tree, marked
Indian reserve, on the left bank of the Nahmint
River, and running East to Nahmint Bay, an
approximate distance of thirty five (35) chains,
thence following the coast in southerly direction
to the mouth of the Nahmint river and thence
up the left bank of the said river to the place
of Commencement.

Barday Sound P.M. }
June 5th 1882 }

J. O. Kelly
J. R. C.

Indian Reserve Commission. B.C.

Minutes of Decision

"U. chuckle. sit" Indians. Barclay Sound.

No. 1.

"Bow-ish-il" a Reserve of two hundred (200) Acres, situated at the entrance to Alberni Canal. Barclay Sound.

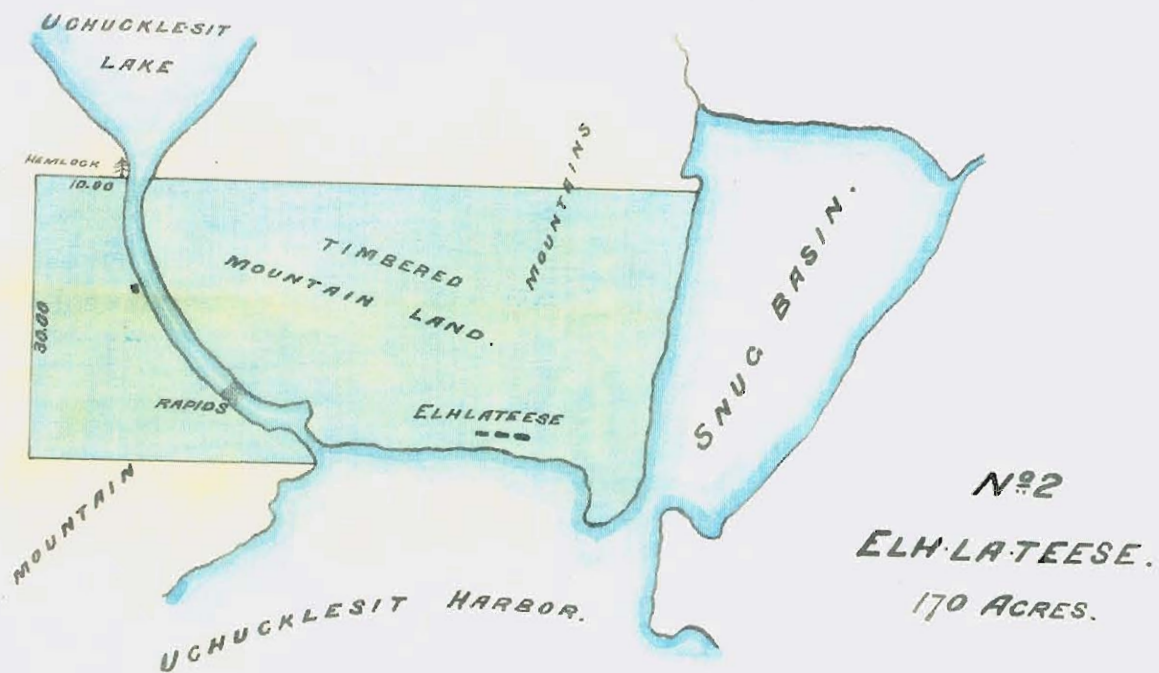
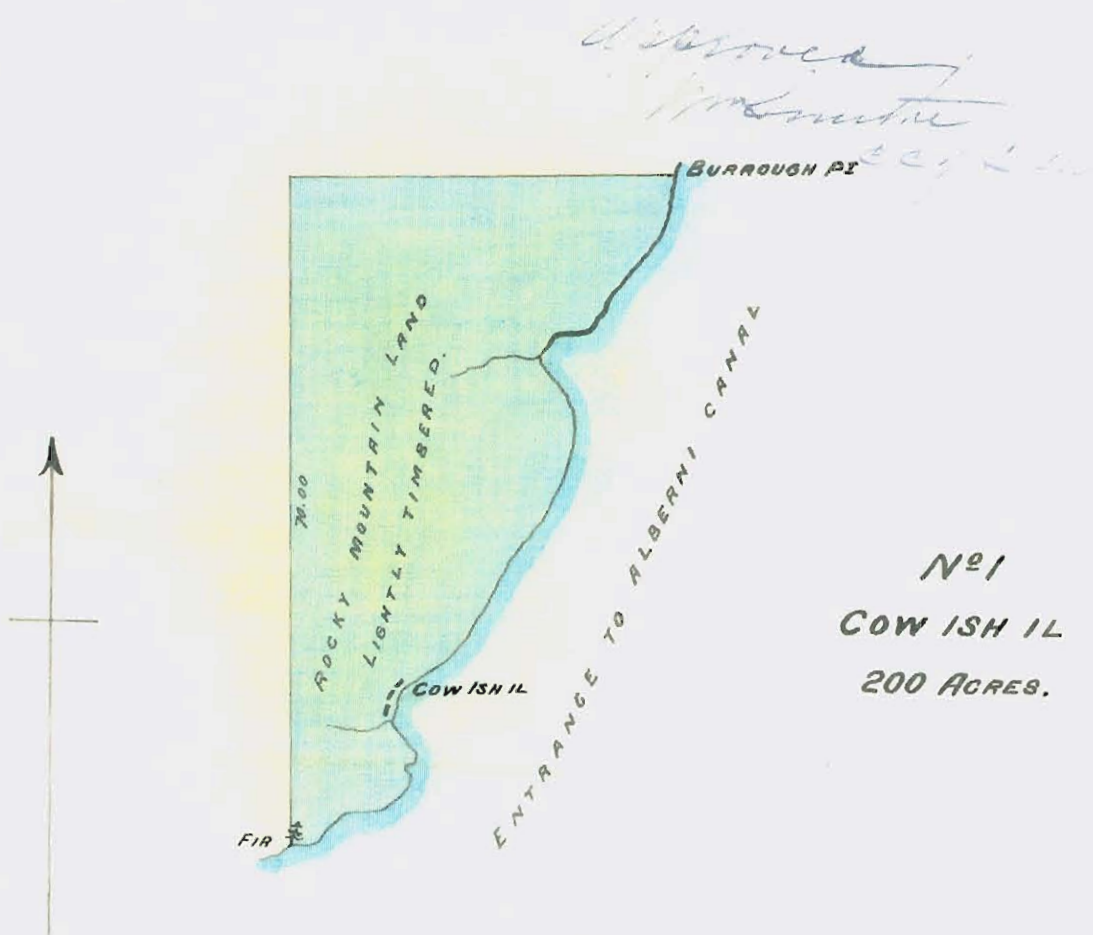
Commencing at a Fir tree, marked Indian Reserve, and running North Seventy (70) chains, thence East to the sea coast near 'Burrough Point', thence following the shore in a Southerly direction to the place of Commencement.

No. 2.

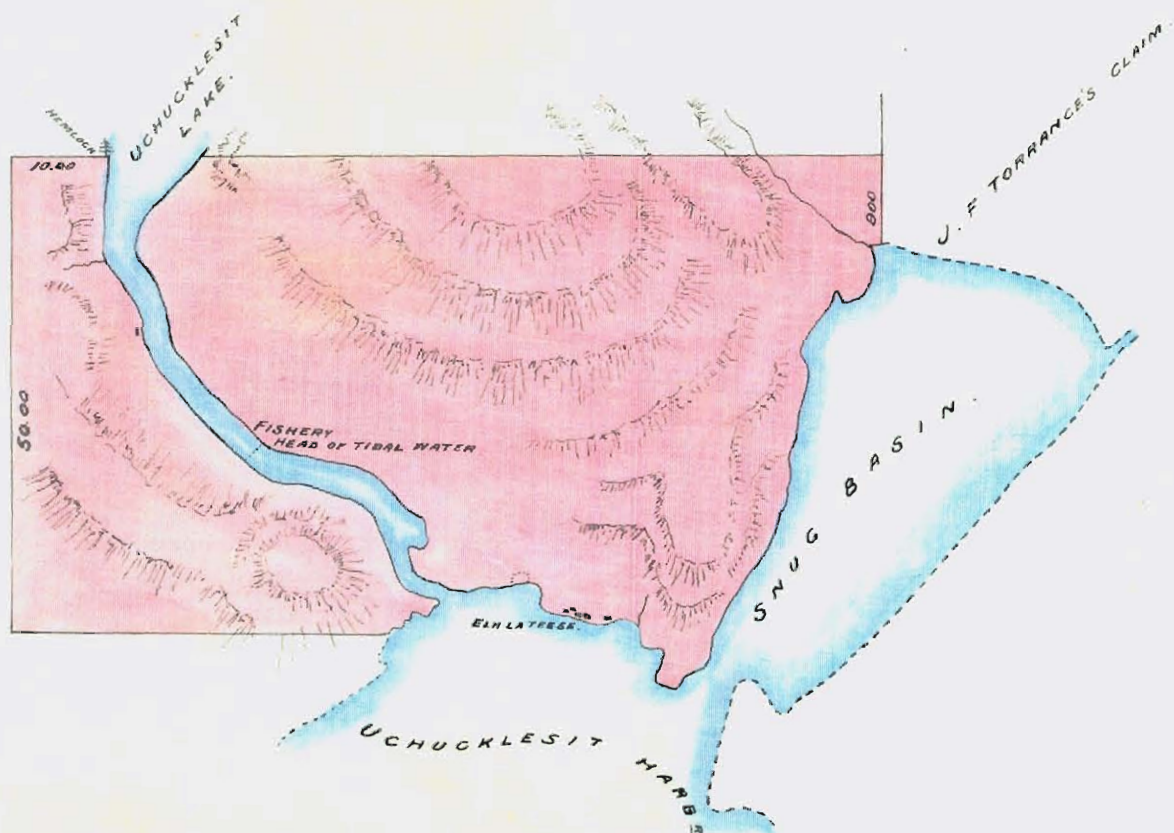
BARCLAY SOUND.

UCHUCKLESIT INDIANS.

SCALE 1 INCH = 20 CHAINS.



BARCLAY SOUND.
UCHUCKLESIT INDIANS.
RESERVE No 2



SCALE 1 INCH = 20 CHAINS.

"U-chuckle-sit" Indians Continued

N^o 2. "Elh-la-teese" a Reserve of one hundred N^o 2.
and seventy (170) Acres situated at the head
of "U-chuckle-sit" Harbor.

Commencing at a Hemlock marked
Indian Reserve, at the foot of "U-chuckle-sit"
Lake, and running West ten (10) chains, thence
South thirty (30) chains, thence East to the sea
shore, thence following the coast in an Easterly
direction to a point due East of the starting
point, and thence West to the place of Commencement.

Barclay Sound B.C. }
June 5th 1882 }

J. O'Neill
J.M.C.

Indian Reserve Commission. B.C.

Minutes of Decision

Pacheena Indians. (San Juan Harbor)

No. 1. "Pacheena" a reserve of two hundred and thirty (230) Acres situated in San Juan Harbor, at the mouth of the South branch of the San Juan River.

Commencing at a Spruce, marked Indian Reserve, on the left bank of the river, and running South ten (10) chains, thence East fifty (50) chains, thence North fifty (50) chains, thence West to the San Juan Harbor, and thence following the Sea Shore in a southerly direction to the place of Commencement.

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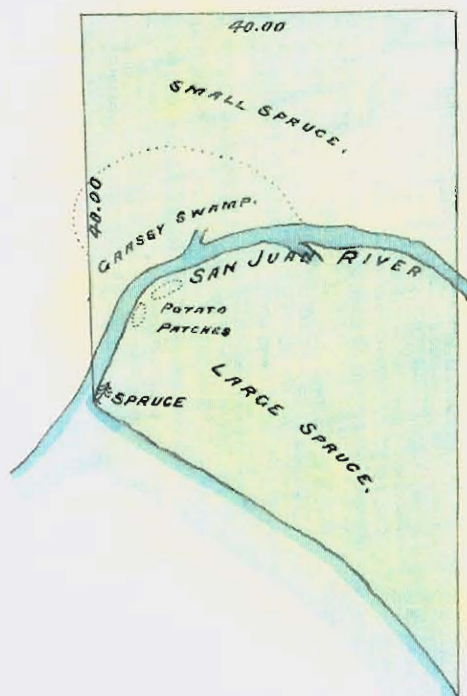
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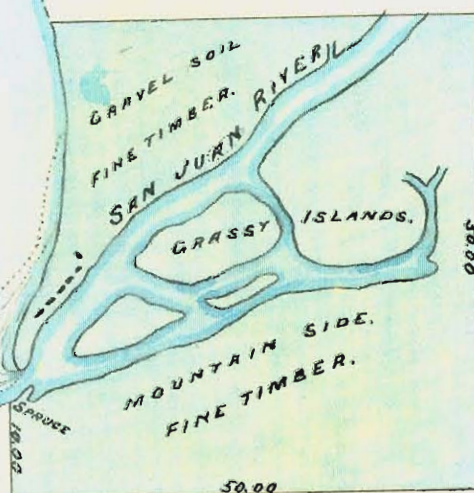
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N^o 1
PACHEENA
230 ACRES.



Pacheena Indians Continued

N^o 2. A reserve of two hundred and twenty (220) Acres, situated on San Juan harbor, at the mouth of the North branch of the San Juan river.

Commencing at a Spruce tree, marked Indian Reserve, on the left bank of the river at its mouth, and running North forty (40) chains thence East forty (40) chains, Thence South to the San Juan Harbor, and thence following the sea shore in a Northerly direction to the place of Commencement.

Pacheena B.C. }
June 7th 1882 }

A. O'Shelly
J. M. C.

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Indian Reserve Commission
Victoria. B.C.
October 28th 1882.

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Sir

I have the honor to enclose
for your information, and approval,
rough sketches, and minutes of
decision of the various plots of
land reserved by me on Queen
Charlottes Islands, for the use
of the "Nasoot," and "Skidegate"
tribes of Indians.

Approved
J. J. Jones 5/8/82

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your obedient Servant.

J. O'Neill

JAC

The Hon^{ble}

The Chief Commissioner
of Lands & Works.

Indian Reserve Commission B.C.

Minutes of Decision

Masset Indians. Queen Charlotte Islands.

N^o 1 Masset a Reserve of seven hundred, and seventy (770) Acres, situated at the mouth of Masset Inlet, Queen Charlotte Islands.

Commencing at a Spruce marked Indian Reserve, on the North bank of Masset Inlet, and running East ten (10) chains, thence North to the sea coast, an approximate distance of ninety chains; thence Westward following the sea shore to the place of commencement.

The following plot of land in the occupation of the Hudson's Bay Company, and the Church Missionary Society, containing twenty one and forty five one hundredths ($21\frac{45}{100}$) Acres in all, (as shown on the enclosed sketch) is not included
in

in this Reserve.

Commencing at the Western corner of a house in the Indian Village (painted red), and running North two (2) chains, which will be the southwestern corner of the Mission claim, thence East six (6) chains, thence North twenty (20) chains, thence West thirteen (13) chains, thence South thirteen (13) chains, and fifty (50) links (13.50) thence East seven chains, and thence South six chains, and fifty links (6.50) to the Southwestern corner of the Mission claim above mentioned

N^o. 2. "Hi-ellen" a Reserve of seventy five N^o. 2
(75) Acres, situated at the mouth of the "Hi-ellen"
river, on its right bank.

Commencing at a Hemlock marked Indian Reserve, and running East thirty (30) chains, thence North to the sea Coast, and thence Westerly, following the sea shore to the point of commencement.

"Yagan"

N^o. 3. "Yāgan" a Reserve of ninety (90) Acres, situated twelve (12) miles East of Masset Inlet.

Commencing at a stunted Spruce tree, marked Indian Reserve, and running South ten (10) chains, thence East sixty (60) chains, thence North to the sea coast, and thence following the coast in a Westerly direction to the place of Commencement.

N^o. 4. "Lān as" a Reserve of one hundred, and ninety (190) Acres, situated on the left bank of the "Yā-koun" river (Masset Inlet) one, and a half (1½) mile from its mouth.

Commencing at a Spruce marked Indian Reserve on the left bank of the river, and running West forty (40) chains; thence North forty (40) chains; thence East to the "Yā-koun" river, and thence following the left bank of the said river, to the place of Commencement.

Fishery

Fishery The right of fishing in the Yakoun river, for a distance of one (1) mile up stream from the Southeastern corner post of the reserve (N^o 4), is allotted to the Indians.

N^o 5 "Sā-tuv. quin" a Reserve of eleven N^o 5.
(11) Acres, situated at the mouth of the Yakoun river, on its left bank.

Commencing at a Spruce marked Indian Reserve, and running South to the Sea Coast, and thence along the shore in a Northerly direction to the place of Commencement.

N^o 6. "Ain" a Reserve of one hundred, N^o 6.
and thirty (130) Acres, situated at the mouth of the Ain river, Masset Inlet.

Commencing at a Spruce marked Indian Reserve, on the right bank of the river, and
running

running West ten (10) chains; thence North fifty (50) chains, thence East forty (40) chains, thence South to Masset Inlet, and thence following the coast in a Southwesterly direction to the place of Commencement.

No. 7. "Yan" a Reserve of three hundred (300) Acres, situated at the Western entrance to Masset Harbor.

Commencing at a Spruce, marked Indian Reserve, and running West ten (10) chains, thence South one hundred, and ten (110) chains, thence East to Masset Inlet, and thence following the Coast in a Northerly direction to the place of Commencement.

No. 8. "Me-ag-wan" a Reserve of forty (40) Acres, situated six (6) miles West of the mouth of Masset Inlet.

Commencing at a Spruce marked Indian Reserve, and running South thirty (30) chains, thence
East

East thirty (30) chains, thence North to the sea coast,
and thence along the shore in a Westerly direction to
the place of commencement

Two small Islands, connected with this Reserve
at low water, on which are Indian gardens, are
included in this Reservation.

No. 9. "Kose" a Reserve of ten (10) Acres, No. 9
situated on the banks of the Naden river, Viago
Sound, about two, and a half ($2\frac{1}{2}$) miles from its mouth.

Commencing at a Spruce marked Indian
Reserve, on the left bank of the river, and running
West ten (10) chains, thence South ten (10) chains, thence
East ten (10) chains, and thence North ten (10)
chains to the place of commencement.

Naden

N^o. 10

"Naden" a Reserve of twenty five (25) Acres situated at the mouth of the Naden river, Virago Sound.

Commencing at a Spruce on the left bank of the river, marked Indian Reserve, and running West ten (10) chains; thence North twenty (20) chains; thence East to the Naden river, and thence following the left bank of the said river in a southerly direction, to the place of commencement

N^o. 11.

"Kung" a Reserve of eighty (80) acres, situated at the head of Virago Sound.

Commencing at a Spruce marked Indian Reserve, and running North twenty (20) chains; thence East to Virago Sound, and thence southerly, following the sea coast to the point of commencement.

N^o. 12.

N^o 12. "Dan-in-gay" a Reserve of seventeen N^o 12

(17) Acres, situated on the Western shore of
Virago Sound

Commencing at a Spruce marked
Indian Reserve, and running West twenty (20)
chains, thence south to the sea shore, and thence
following the Coast in a Northeasterly direction to
the place of Commencement.

N^o 13. "Yatzé" a Reserve of forty (40) Acres N^o 13

situated two (2) miles West of Virago Sound.

Commencing at a Spruce marked
Indian Reserve, and running West twenty (20) chains
thence South twenty (20) chains; thence East to
the sea coast, and thence along the sea shore in
a Northerly direction to the place of Commencement.

N^o 14.

No. 14.

"Iā-lun" a Reserve of twenty (20) Acres situated about eight (8) miles South of North Island, at the mouth of Ialun river, on its right bank.

Commencing at a Hemlock marked Indian Reserve, and running East ten (10) chains, thence South twenty (20) chains, thence West to the Ialun river, and thence down the right bank of the said river to the place of Commencement.

Fishery - The right to fish in the Ialun river, for a distance of one (1) mile above tidal water, is reserved for the use of the Indians.

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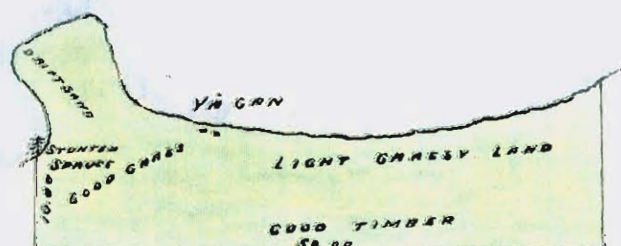
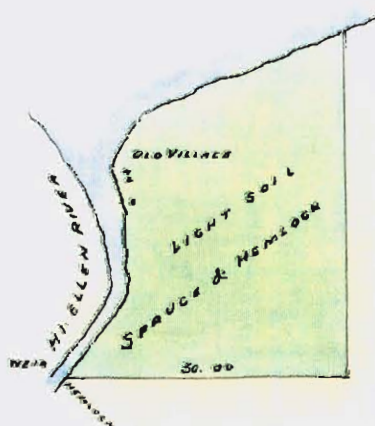
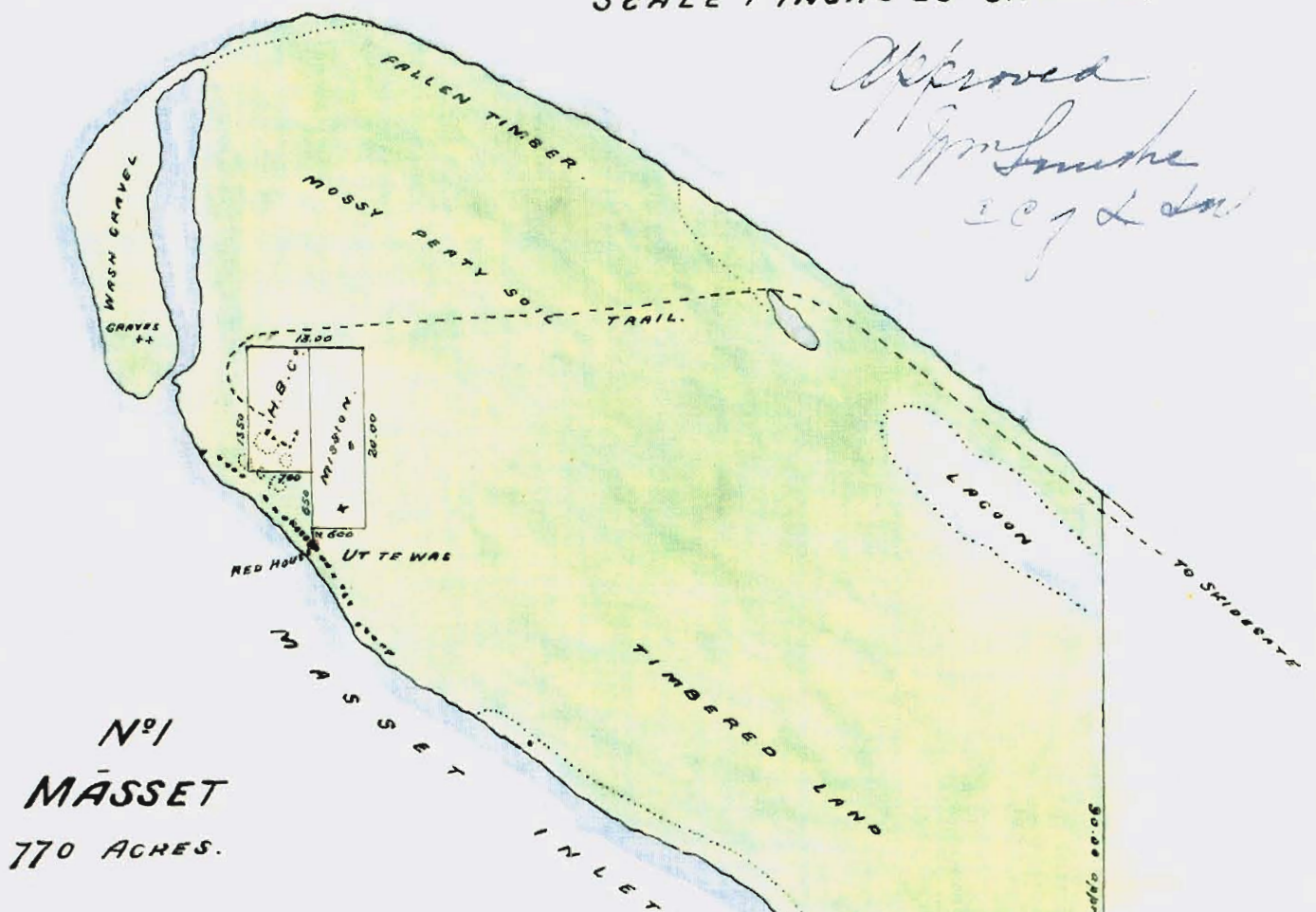
"Ki-oo-stā" a Reserve of one hundred, and ten (110) Acres, situated on Parry Passage at the Northwestern extremity of Graham Island.

Commencing at a Spruce tree marked Indian Reserve (on the sea shore about ten (10) ~~miles~~ chains South of the Village of "Ki-oo-stā", and running West
forty

MASSET INDIANS. QUEEN CHARLOTTE ISLANDS.

SCALE 1 INCH = 20 CHAINS.

*Approved
J. M. Smith
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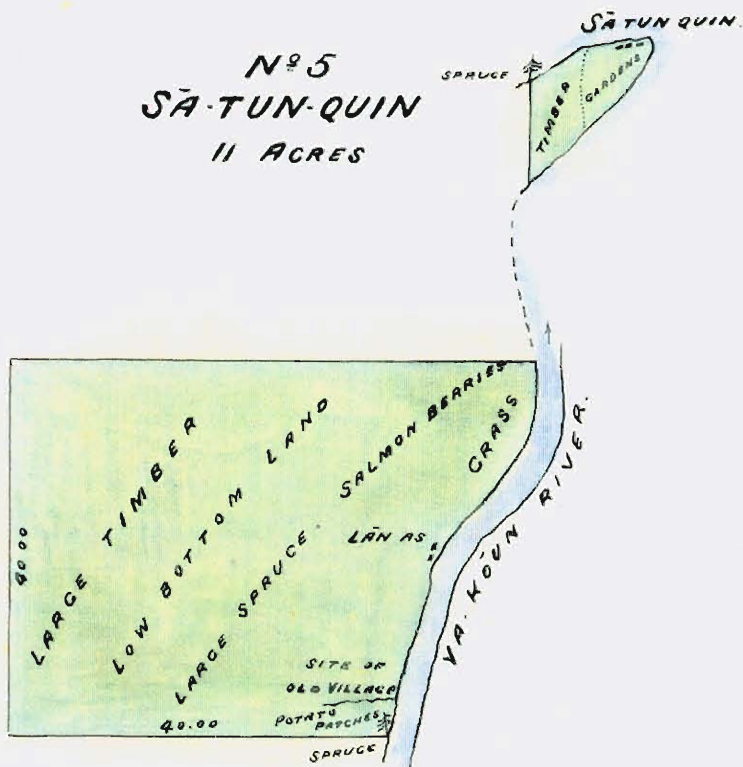
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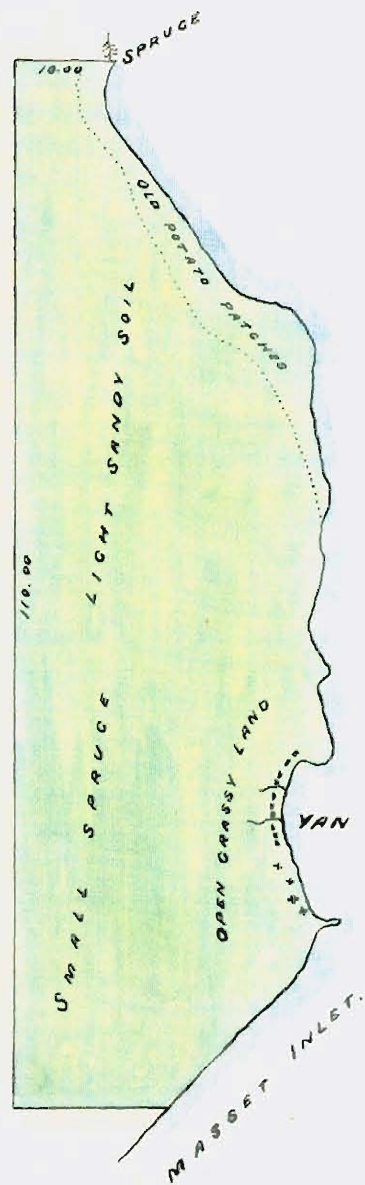


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Nº5
SĀ-TUN-QUIN
11 ACRES



Nº4
LĀ NAS
190 ACRES.



Nº7
VAN
300 ACRES.

MASSET INDIANS.

VIRAGO SOUND.

SCALE 1 INCH = 20 CHAINS.

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**Nº 11
KUNG
80 ACRES.**



**Nº 10
NADEN
25 ACRES**



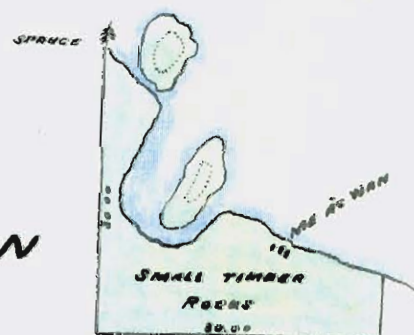
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17 ACRES.**



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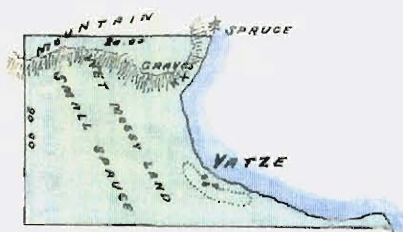


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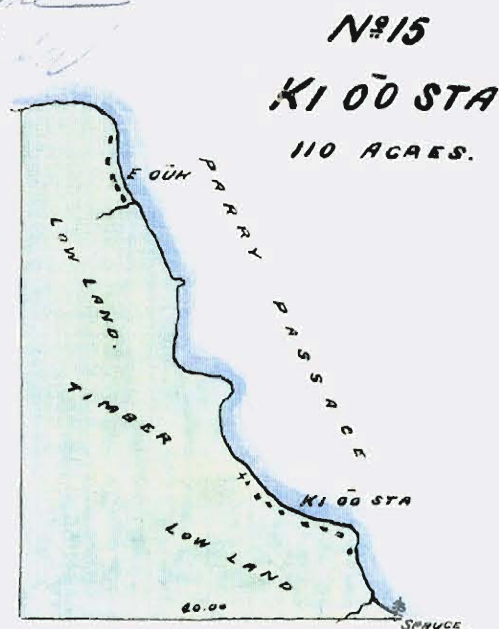
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N^o 14
JĀ LUN.
20 ACRES.



N^o 13
YĀ TZE
40 ACRES



N^o 15
KI ŌŌ STA
110 ACRES.



N^o 16
TA TENSE
20 ACRES

forty (40) chains, thence North to the sea coast, and thence following the shore in a southerly direction to the place of Commencement.

No. 16. "La-tense" a Reserve of twenty (20) acres, No. 16.

"located on North Island, in Parry Passage.

Commencing at a Spruce, marked Indian Reserve, and running North ten (10) chains, thence West to the sea coast, and thence southerly following the sea shore to the place of Commencement.

Wasset B.C.
July 13th 1882

D. O'Neill

J. R. C.

Indian Reserve Commission B.C.

Minutes of Decision

Skidegate Indians

Queen Charlotte Islands

No. 1. "Skidegate" a Reserve of nine hundred (900) Acres,
situated at the Northern entrance to Skidegate
Inlet, Queen Charlotte Islands.

Commencing at the Southeastern corner post
of Lot 3 (three), Group 1 (one), Queen Charlotte District, and
running North one hundred, and eighty (180) chains;
thence East to the sea coast, and thence Southerly
along the sea shore to the place of Commencement.

No. 2.

N^o. 2. "Shāig-ha" a Reserve of sixty (60) Acres, N^o. 2
on Skidegate Inlet, about seven (7) miles North of the Village.

Commencing at a Spruce tree on the sea
shore, marked Indian Reserve, and running West
ten (10) chains, thence South forty (40) chains, thence
East to the sea Coast, and thence following the shore
in a Northerly direction, to the place of Commencement.

N^o. 3. "Deena", a Reserve of one hundred, and N^o. 3
thirty five (135) Acres, situated at the head of South
Bay, Skidegate Inlet.

Commencing at a Spruce tree, on the sea
shore, marked Indian Reserve, and running North
ten (10) chains, thence West fifty (50) chains, thence
South to the Deena River, and thence following the
left bank of the river, and the sea coast to the place
of Commencement.

Fishery

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Fishery. The right to fish in the Deena river
for a distance of one (1) mile above tidal water is
assigned to these Indians.

N^o. 4. "Khīa-nā" a Reserve of three hundred (300)
Acres, situated at the East end of Maude
Island, Skidegate Inlet.

Commencing at a spruce tree marked
Indian Reserve, and running South to the sea
shore, thence Easterly following the Coast
to the place of Commencement.

N^o. 5 "Lā-gins" a Reserve of thirty five (35) Acres
situated on the left bank of the Lā-gins river,
at the head of Long Arm, Skidegate Inlet.

Commencing at a spruce marked Indian
Reserve, and running West twenty (20) chains, thence
South to the Lā-gins river thence down the left
bank

bank of the said river to its mouth, and thence
northerly along the sea shore to the place of Commencement.

N^o. 6. "Kaste" a Reserve of forty (40) Acres, N^o. 6.
situated in Copper Bay, at the mouth of ^{the} Kaste river.

Commencing at a Spruce tree on the
left bank of the river marked Indian Reserve,
and running West ten (10) chains, thence South
twenty (20) chains, thence East twenty (20) chains,
thence North to Copper Bay, and thence Westerly
along the sea shore to the place of Commencement.

Fishery. The right to fish in the Kaste
river is assigned to the Indians, for a distance
of one (1) mile above tidal water.

No. 7.

"Cum-she-was" a Reserve of eighty (80) Acres,
situated near the Northern entrance to Cumshewas Harbor.

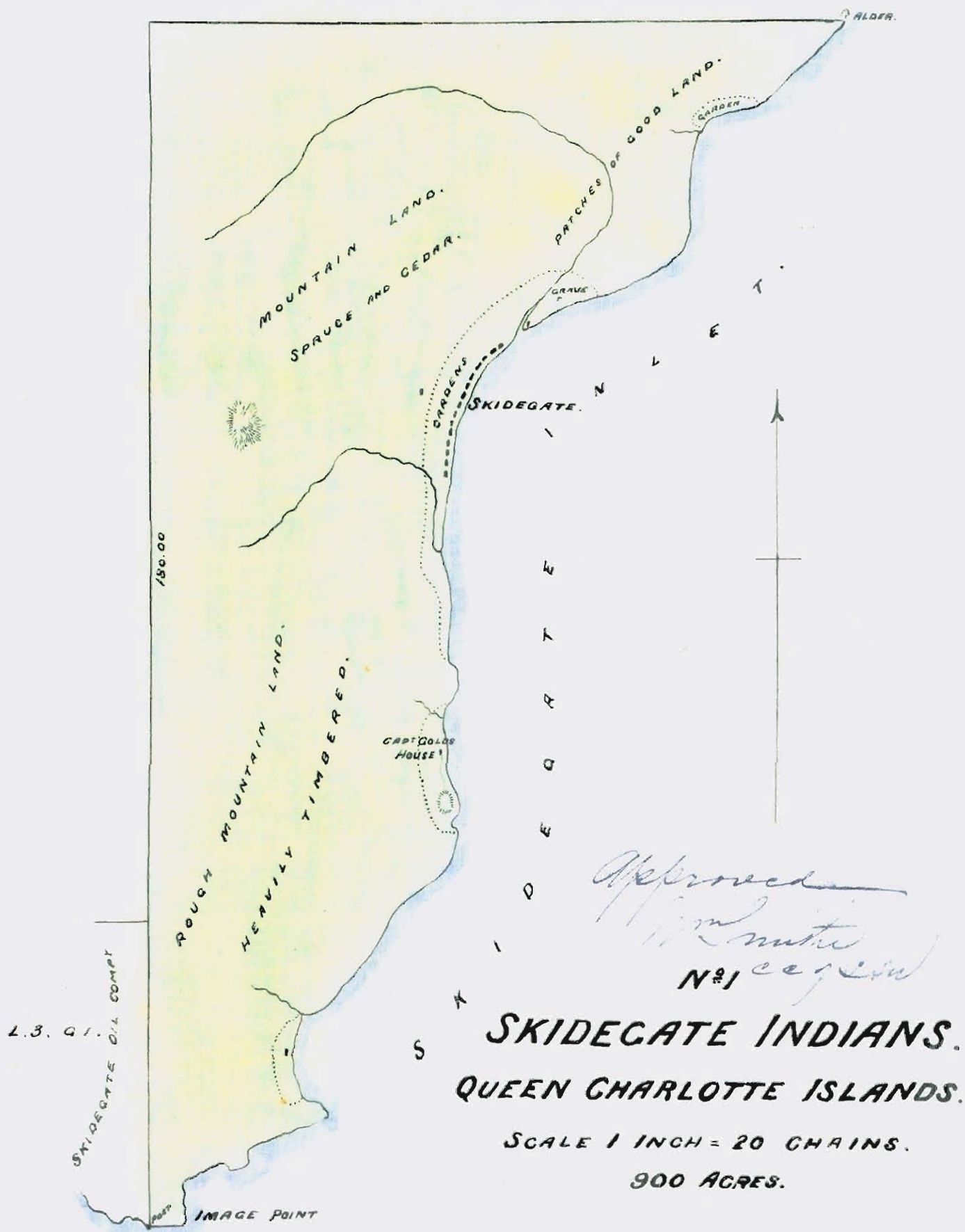
Commencing at a Spruce on the sea shore,
marked Indian Reserve, and running North ten
(10) chains, thence East fifty (50) chains, thence South
to Cumshewas harbor, and thence along the coast in
a Westerly direction to the place of Commencement.

No. 8

"Ike-dān" a Reserve of one hundred, and sixty
(160) Acres, situated at the Southern entrance to
Cumshewas Harbour

Commencing at a Spruce on the sea coast,
marked Indian Reserve, and running West forty (40)
chains, thence South to the sea shore, and thence
along the coast in a Northeasterly direction to the
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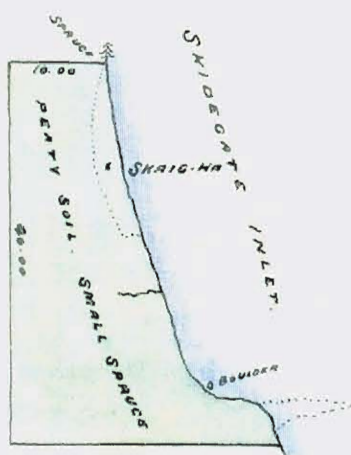
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SKIDEGATE INDIANS. QUEEN CHARLOTTE ISLANDS.

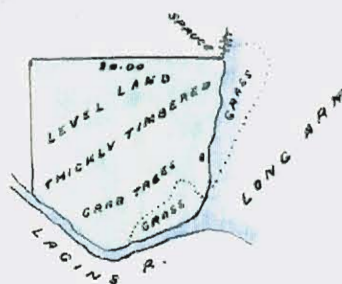
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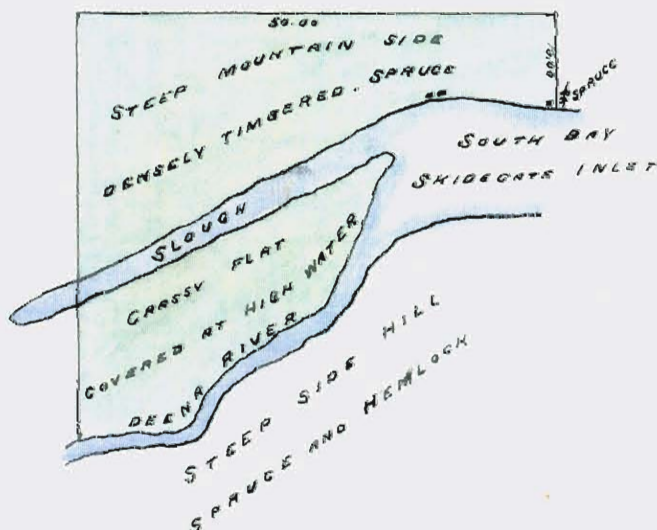
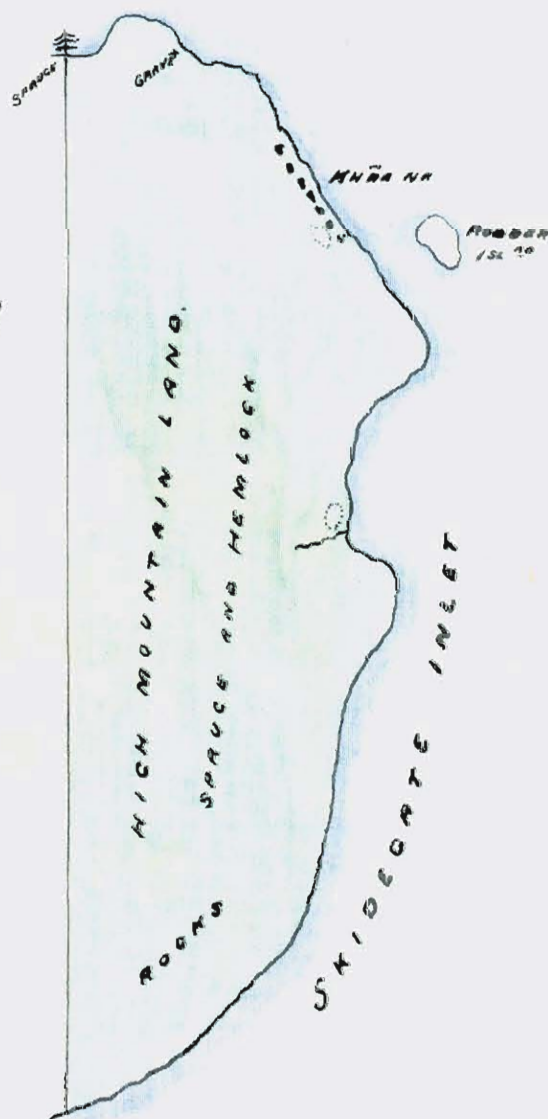


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SKAIGHA
60 ACRES.**

**N^o 5
LAGINS
35 ACRES.**



**N^o 4
KHARA NA
300 ACRES**



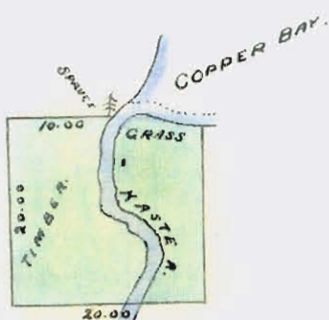
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DÈE NA
135 ACRES.**



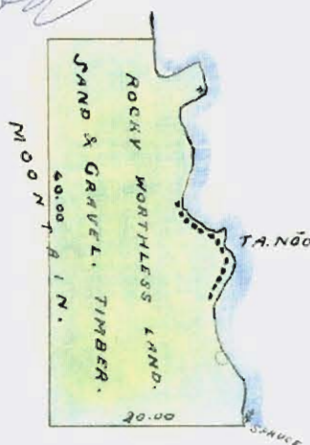
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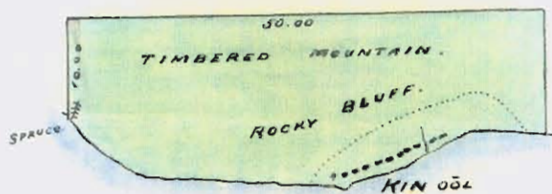
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**N°6
KĀSTE
40 ACRES.**



**N°9
TĀ NŌO
65 ACRES.**



**CUM SHE WAS HARBOR.
N°7
CŪMSHEWAS.
80 ACRES.**



**N°8
SKEDĀN.
160 ACRES.**

N^o 9. "Ta-nōō" a Reserve of sixty five (65) N^o 9.

Acres, situated at the Eastern end of "Ta-nōō" Island,
about forty five (45) miles South of Skidegate Inlet.

Commencing at a Spruce marked Indian
Reserve, and running West twenty (20) chains, thence
North forty (40) chains, thence East to the sea coast,
and thence Southerly along the sea shore to the
place of Commencement.

Skidegate B.C. }
July 28th 1882 }

D. O. Heilly

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Sir,

I have the honor to enclose for your information, and approval, rough sketches, and minutes of decision of the lands reserved by me on the Northwest coast, for the use of the "Nah kwock to," "Quawshe lah," "Cwekams," Bella Coola, Kemsquit, and Bella Bella Indians.

I have the honor to be

Sir,

Your obedient Servant.

P. O'Kelly
P.O.

The Hon^{ble}

The Chief Commissioner
of Lands and Works

Indian Reserve Commission B.C.

Minutes of Decision

"Na-kwook-to" Indians (Seymour Inlet B.C.)

No. 1 "Requesta" A reserve of one hundred and fifty (150) acres situated on the northern shore Seymour Inlet about ten (10) miles from its mouth.

Commencing at a Cedar tree marked Indian Reserve, and running to the forty (40) chains, thence West Fifty (50) chains, thence South to Seymour Inlet, and thence Easterly along the sea shore to the place of commencement.

No. 2 "Graveyard". A small island or rock in Nugent Sound $\frac{1}{4}$ mile south of the village of "Requesta"

Seymour Inlet B.C. }

July 31st 1882. }

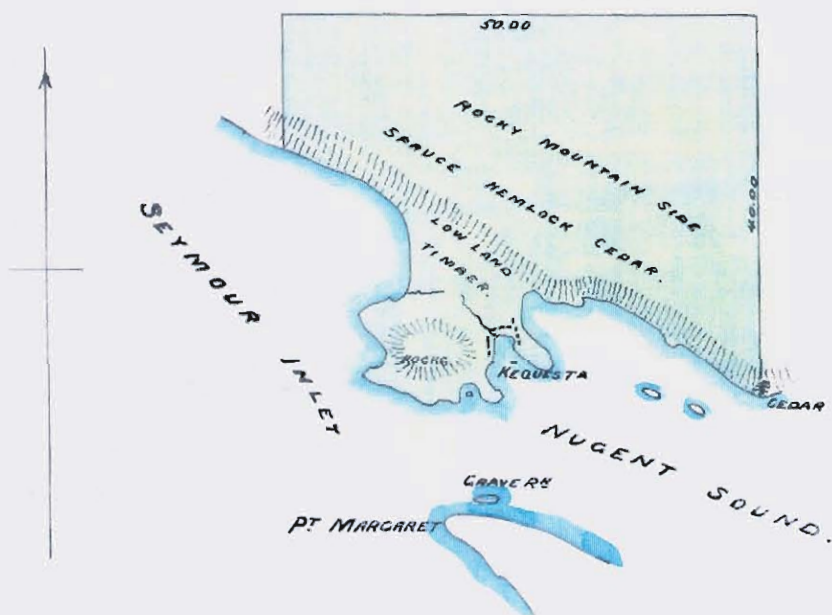
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NĀH-KWÖCK-TO INDIANS.

SEYMOUR INLET.

SCALE 1 INCH = 20 CHAINS.

*Approved
J. M. Smith
C. C. L. S.*



KĒ QŨES TĀ.

150 ACRES.

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Indian Reserve Commission, B.C.

Minutes of Decision

"Quaw-she-Lah" Indians (Smith's Inlet)

No. 1. "Uy-clee" a reserve of three hundred (300) acres, situated on the Southern shore of Smith's Inlet, about twenty (20) miles from its mouth, and on the left bank of the Sam-mo river.

Commencing at a spruce tree marked Indian Reserve, about thirty five (35) chains West of the village, and running South forty (40) chains, thence East to the Sammo River, thence down the left bank of the river to its mouth, and thence following the sea shore in a westerly direction to the place of commencement.

Four small Islands adjacent to, and North of the Village are included in this Reserve.

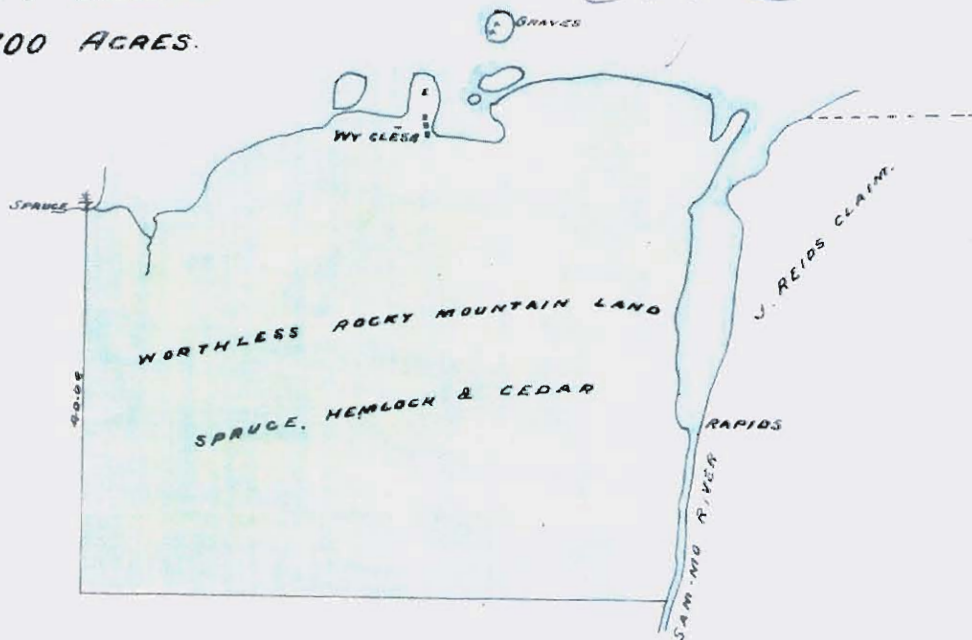
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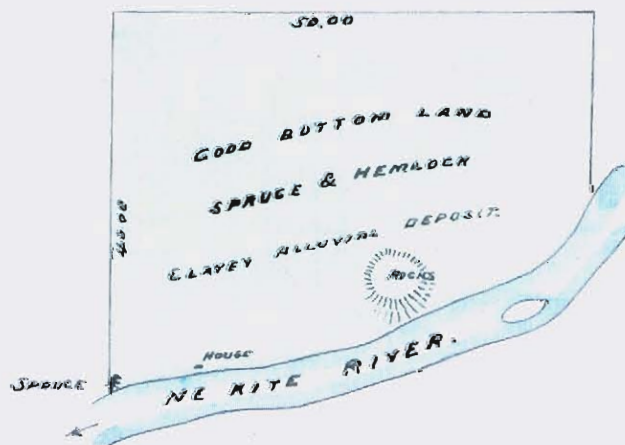
SMITHS INLET.

SCALE 1 INCH = 20 CHAINS.

N^o 1
WY CLĒSE
300 ACRES.



N^o 2
NE-KITE
170 ACRES.



Fishery. The right to fish in the Sammo
river for two (2) miles above tidal waters reserved
for the use of the Indians.

No. 2. "Ne-kite" a reserve of one hundred
and seventy (170) acres, situated on the right bank
of the Ne-kite river, at the head of Smith's Inlet.

Commencing at a Spruce tree marked
Indian Reserve, and running North forty (40) chains
thence East fifty (50) chains, thence South to the
Ne-kite river, and thence down the right bank
of the said river to the place of commencement.

Smith's Inlet. B.C. }
August 3rd 1882. }

J. O'Neill
J.M.C.

Indian Reserve Commission P.C.

Minutes of Decision

"Owe-ka-no" Indians. (Rivers Inlet)

No. 1

"Ka-tit" a reserve of nine hundred and fifty (950) acres situated on the banks of the Owe-ka-no River, Rivers Inlet.

Commencing at the South Eastern Post of the pre-emption claim of Mr. Thomas Hotbolt, and running North sixty (60) Chains, thence East one hundred and forty (140) Chains, thence South across the Owe-ka-no river ninety (90) Chains, thence West sixty (60) Chains, thence north to the Owe-ka-no river, and thence down the right bank of the said river to the place of Commencement.

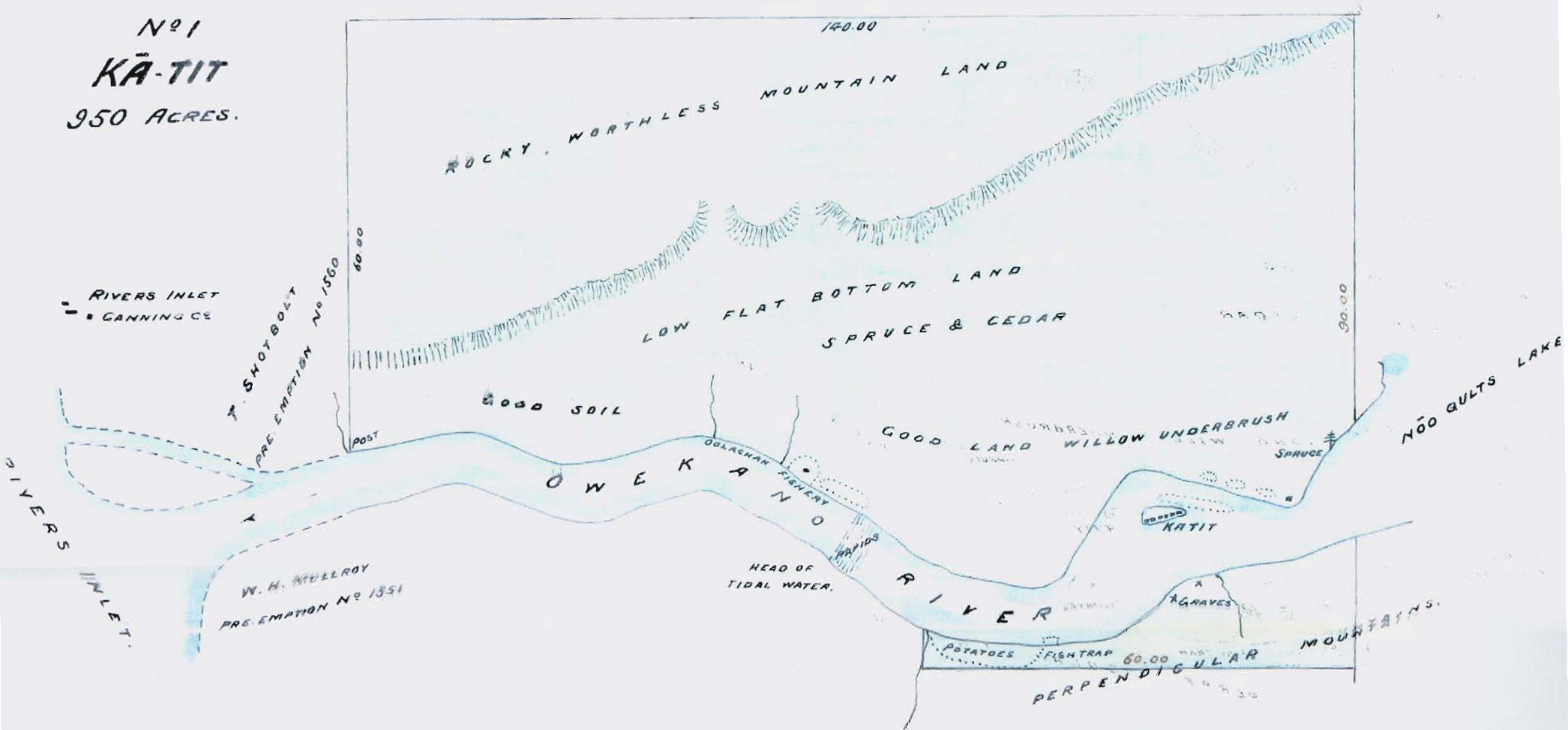
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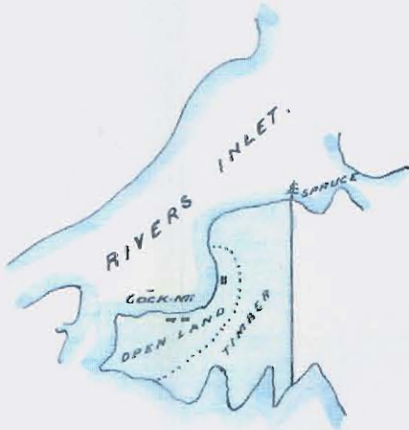
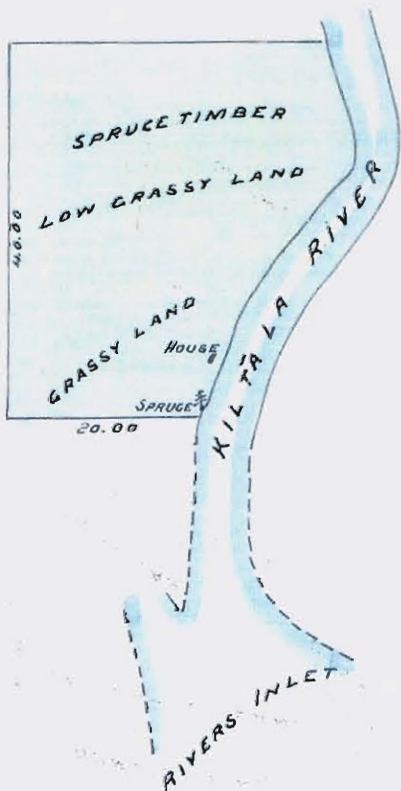
RIVERS INLET.

SCALE 1 INCH = 20 CHAINS.

N^o 1
KĀ-TIT
950 ACRES.



N^o 2
KIL-TĀ-LA
115 ACRES.



N^o 3
CŌCK MI
24 ACRES.

No. 2. "Kil-ta-La" a reserve of one hundred and fifteen (115) acres, situated on the right bank of the "Kil-ta-La" river, Rivers Inlet. No. 2.

Commencing at a Spruce tree marked Indian Reserve, and running West twenty (20) chains, thence North forty (40) chains, thence East to the "Kil-ta-La" river, and thence down the right bank of the said river to the place of commencement.

No. 3. "Lock-mi" a reserve of twenty four (24) acres, situated on an unknown Island at the mouth of Rivers Inlet. No. 3.

Commencing at a Spruce on the sea shore marked Indian Reserve, and running South to the sea coast, thence westerly following the sea coast to the point of commencement.

Rivers Inlet B.C. }
August 7th 1882. }

P. J. Kelly
JLC

Indian Reserve Commission B.C.

Minutes of Decision

Bella Coola Indians (Bentinck Arm,

No. 1. "Bella Coola", a Reserve of two thousand eight hundred (2800) Acres, situated at the head of the North Bentinck Arm, Burke's Channel.

Commencing at a post, the North eastern corner of the Hudson's Bay Company's claim, and running South seventy (70) chains, thence East one hundred and fifty (150) chains, thence North one hundred and seventy (170) chains; thence West one hundred and eighty (180) chains; thence south to the Bella Coola river, and thence up the said river to the place of commencement.

No. 2.

No 2. "Noose-seck" a Reserve of twenty No 2.

(20) Acres, situated at the mouth of the Noose-seck river, about one mile North of Loiyence Point.

North Bentinck Arm.

Commencing at a spruce tree marked Indian Reserve, near the left bank of the river, and running West twenty (20) chains; thence South ten (10) chains, thence East twenty (20) chains, and thence North ten (10) chains to the place of commencement.

No 3. "Tal-c-o-mey" a Reserve of seven No 3.

hundred and thirty (30) Acres, situated on the Taleomey river; near the head of the South Bentinck Arm.

Commencing at a spruce tree marked Indian Reserve, and running East eighty (80) chains, thence North eighty (80) chains thence

thence West to the South Bentinck Arm, and thence following the coast in a southerly direction to the place of commencement.

No. 14. "Kwat-le-na" a Reserve of sixty five (65)

Acres situated on the Kwatlenua river about six (6) miles East of Bentinck Arm.

Commencing at a spruce on the right bank of the river, and running North twenty (20) chains; thence West thirty chains (30); thence South to the Kwatlenua river, in an easterly direction to the place of commencement.

Bentinck Arm B.C. }
August 11th 1882 }

J. O. Hilly
J. H. C.

Indian Reserve Commission P.C.

Minutes of Decision

Kemsquit Indians. (Deau Canal)

No. 1.

"Kern-squit" a Reserve of Four Hundred
(400, Acres, situated in Deau Canal at the
mouth of the "Kernsquit" river.

Commencing at a Spruce marked
Indian Reserve, at a nook named "Nibel-el-tha",
and running East Eighty (80) Chains;
thence South to the Kernsquit river, thence
down the right bank of the said river
to its mouth, and thence following the
shore of Deau Canal in a Northerly
direction to the place of commencement.

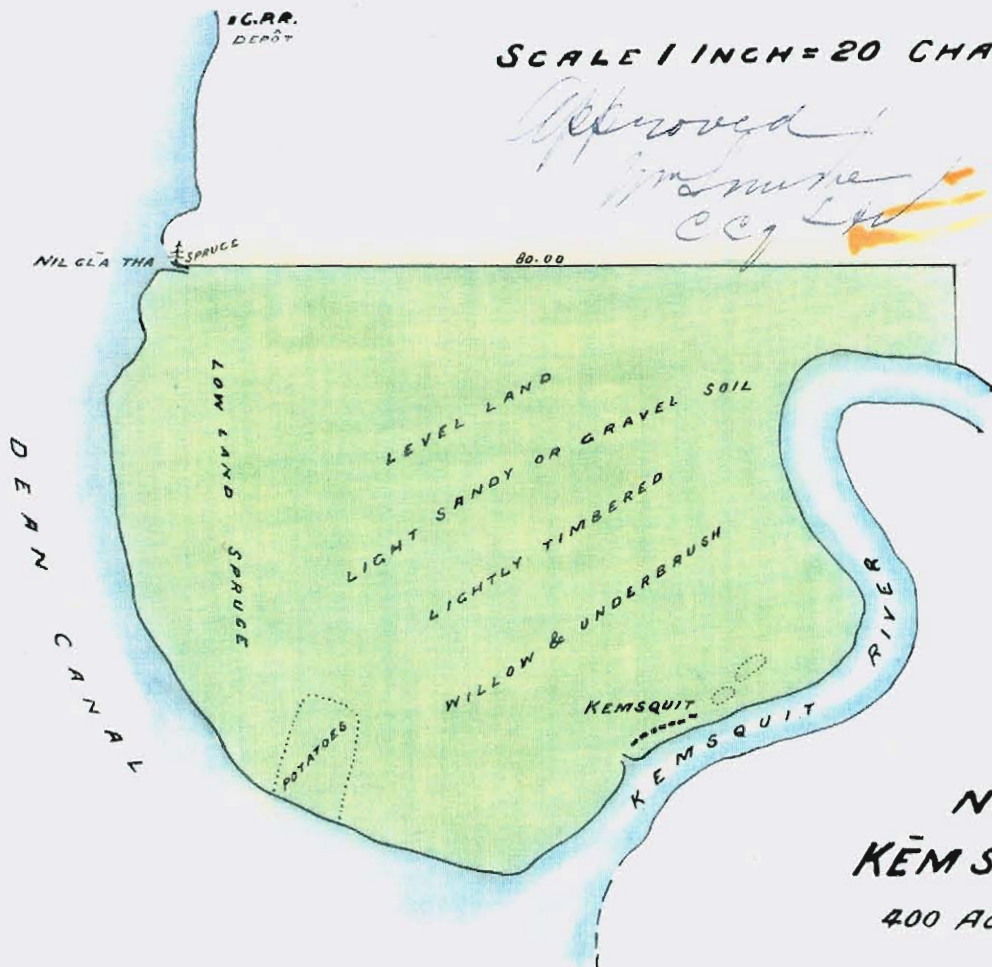
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KĒM SŪIT INDIANS.

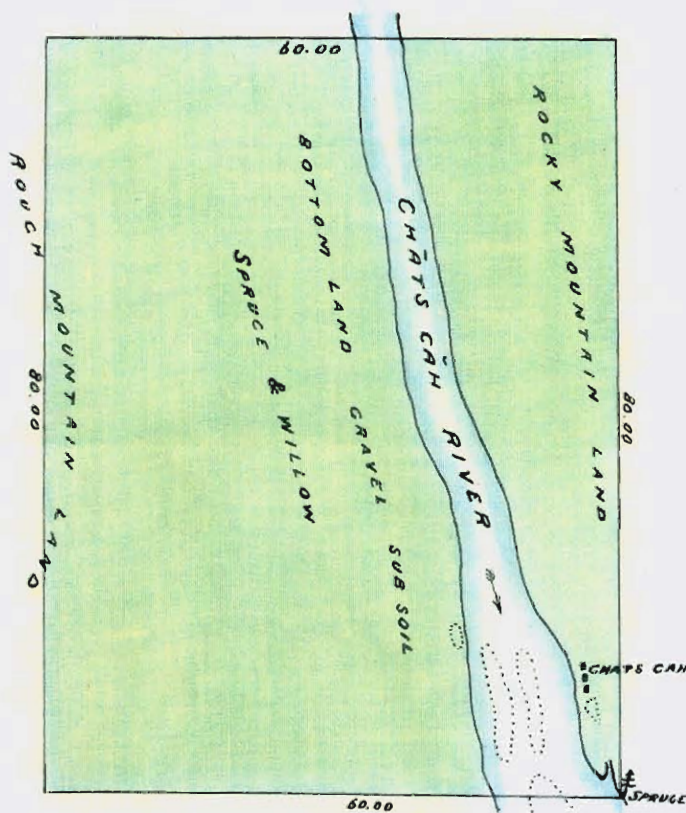
DEAN CANAL.

SCALE 1 INCH = 20 CHAINS.

*Approved
for the
C.C. Co.*



Nº 1
KĒM SŪIT
400 ACRES.



Nº 2
CHĀTS CĀH
480 ACRES

No. 2. "Chats-cah", a reserve of four hundred and eighty (480) Acres, situated on the Chats-cah river, at the head of Beau Canal.

Commencing at a Spruce tree marked Indian Reserve about two hundred and fifty (250) yards south of the Indian houses, and running West sixty (60) chains, thence North eighty (80) chains, thence East sixty (60) chains, and thence South eighty (80) chains to the place of commencement.

Beau Canal B.C.

August 14th 1882.

J. J. Neilly

J. M. C.

Indian Reserve Commission B.C.

Minutes of Decision

Bella Bella Indians

No. 1. Bella Bella, a reserve of fourteen hundred and fifty (1450) Acres situated on Campbell Island, in McLaughlin Bay.

Commencing at a Post, the Southeastern Corner of the Hudson's Bay Co. Claim, and running North eighty (80) chains, thence East one hundred and eighty (180) chains, thence South to the sea coast, and thence following the shore in a Westerly direction to the place of Commencement.

No. 2. "Hoo-nees", a Reserve of twenty (20) Acres, situated on the Western shore of Roscoe Inlet, near its mouth.

Commencing at a Spruce marked Indian Reserve and running West ten (10) chains, thence North ten (10) chains, thence East to the sea coast, and thence South following

following the shore to the place of commencement.

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No. 3. "Quart-cha," a Reserve of thirty (30)

No. 3.

Acres, situated at the mouth of "Quart-cha" river
Roscoe Inlet.

Commencing at a spruce on the right
bank of Quart-cha river, marked Indian Reserve,
and running West ten (10) chains, thence South
twenty (20) chains, thence East to Roscoe Inlet,
and thence following the shore in a northerly
direction to the place of commencement.

No. 4. "Noo-ta" a Reserve of thirty (30)

No. 4.

Acres, situated at the mouth of "Noota" river, near
the head of Roscoe Inlet.

Commencing at a spruce marked Indian
Reserve, and running North twenty (20) chains,
thence West to the "Noota" river, thence down the
left bank of the said river to its mouth, and thence
following

following the sea shore in an Easterly direction
to the place of Commencement.

No. 5. "Lelat-se", a Reserve of one hundred and sixty
Hco, Acres, situated at the mouth of the Lelatse river
Roscoe Inlet.

Commencing at a spruce marked Indian
Reserve, and running South eighty (80) chains, thence
East to the Lelat-se river, and thence down the left
bank of the said river to the place of Commencement.

No. 6. "Elcho", a Reserve of one hundred and ten (110)
Acres, situated on the left bank of Elcho river
Dean Canab.

Commencing at a spruce marked "Indian
Reserve, and running North thirty (30) chains,
thence West to the Elcho river, and thence down the left
bank of the said river to the place of commencement.

No. 7.

No. 7. "Kis-a-meet," a Reserve of fifteen (15), No. 7
Acres, situated on King Island, Fisher Channel,
at the mouth of the Kis-a-meet river, one mile
east of Fog Rocks.

Commencing at a spruce marked Indian
Reserve, at the mouth of the "Kis-a-meet" river,
and running East ten (10) chains, thence South
ten (10) chains, thence West to the sea coast,
and thence in a Northerly direction following the
shore to the place of commencement.

No. 8. "How-e-et," a Reserve of six hundred No. 8
and forty (640) Acres, situated at the mouth of the
"How-e-et" river, Lama passage.

Commencing at a tree marked Indian
Reserve, on the left bank of the river, and
running West, twenty (20) chains, thence South
eighty (80) chains, thence East eighty (80) chains
thence

thence North eighty (80) chains, and thence West
sixty (60)
849. eighty (80) chains to the place of commencement.

No 9. "Kun-soot", a Reserve of ninety (90) Acres, situated
at the mouth of "Kunsoot" river, Gunboat passage.

Commencing at a Spruce marked Indian
Reserve, and running East twenty (20) chains
thence North forty (40) chains, thence West thirty
(30) chains, thence south to the sea coast, and thence
following the shore in a southerly direction to the
place of commencement.

No 10. "Ja-jus-tus" a Reserve of fifteen (15) Acres,
situated in Gunboat passage.

Commencing at a tree marked Indian
Reserve at the mouth of a small creek, and
running West twenty (20) chains, thence North
ten (10) chains, thence East to the sea coast, and
thence following the shore in a southerly direction
to the

to the place of commencement.

No. 11. "Uerk-in-el-lek", a reserve of sixty No. 11.
60, Acres, situated on one of the Goose Islands, about
twenty five (25) miles south west of Bella Bella.

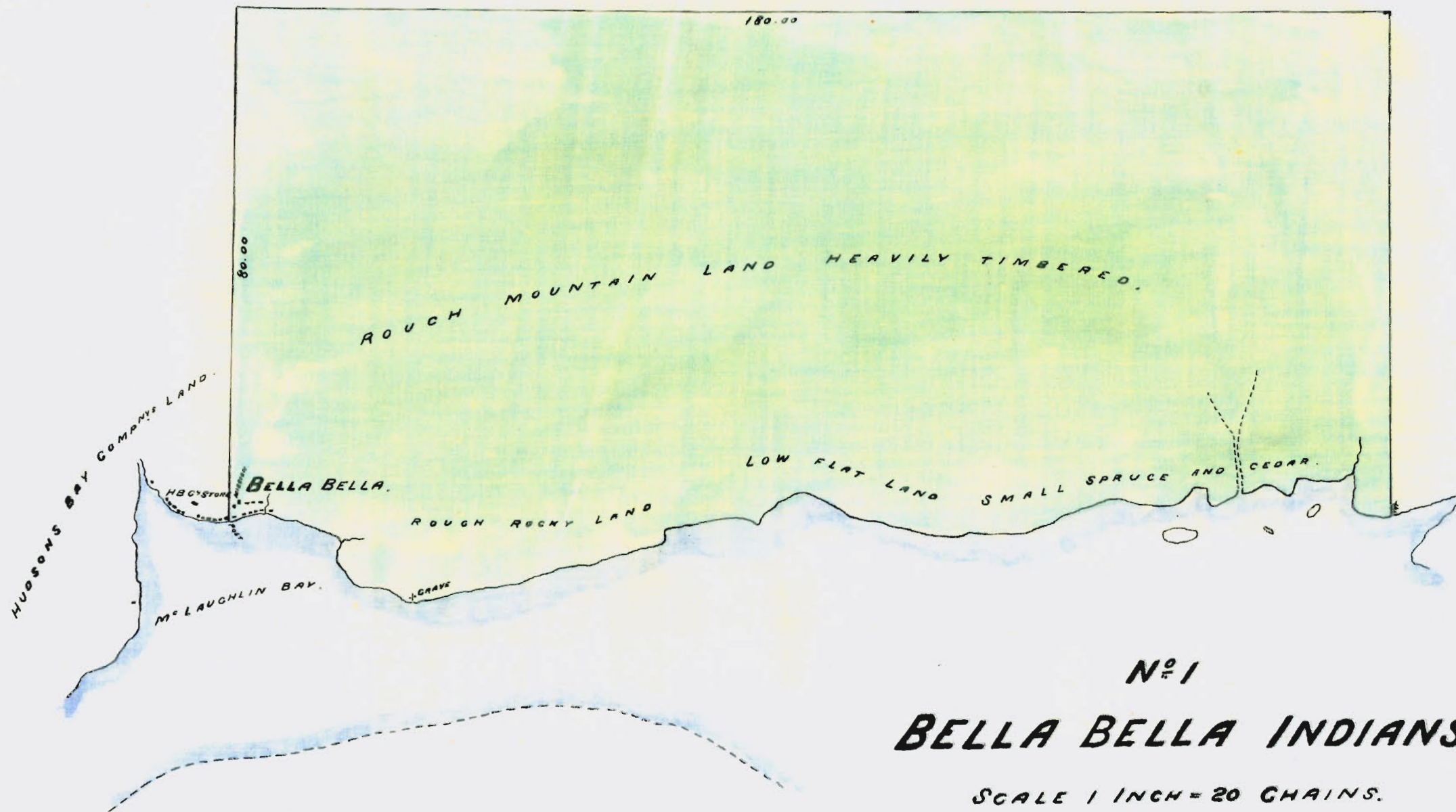
Commencing at a spruce marked Indian
Reserve, and running West to the sea coast, thence
in a North easterly direction, following the shore to
the place of commencement.

No. 12. "Yel-ler-tlee", a Reserve of one No. 12.
hundred and fifty (150) Acres, situated on one of the
Goose Islands, about $\frac{1}{2}$ mile Northeast of Reserve No. 11

Commencing at a spruce marked Indian
Reserve, and running North ten (10) chains, thence
West to the sea coast, and thence southerly, following
the shore to the place of commencement.

Bella Bella B.C. }
August 25th 1882 }

P. O'Nully
J. R. C.



N^o 1
BELLA BELLA INDIANS.

SCALE 1 INCH = 20 CHAINS.

1450 ACRES.

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by the
Cep. 14/11*

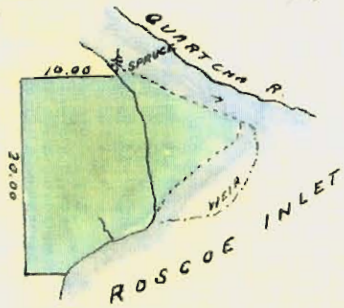
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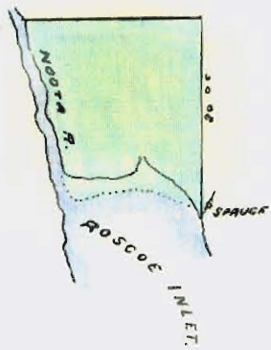
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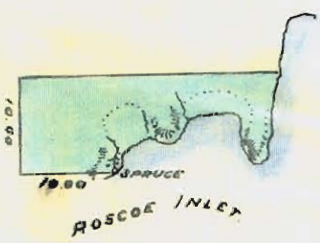
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QUART CHA
30 ACRES



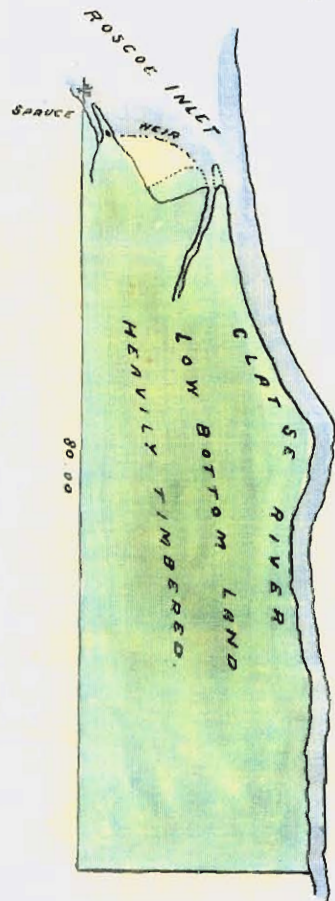
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NỒ TẢ
30 ACRES



N^o 2
HỒ NỀS
20 ACRES



N^o 5
CLẬT SẾ
160 ACRES

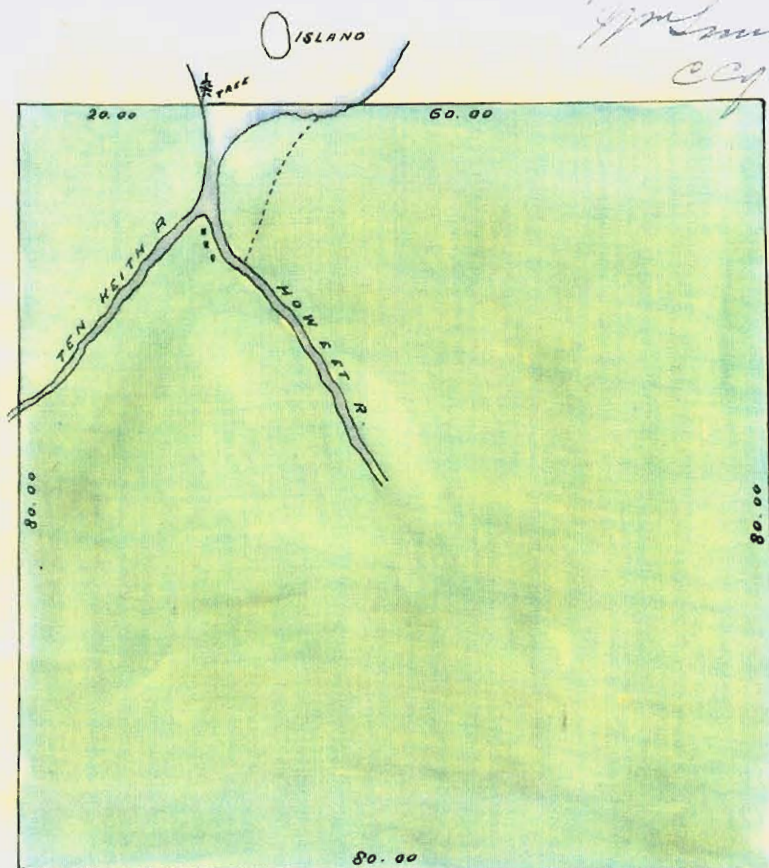


BELLA BELLA INDIANS.

SCALE 1 INCH = 20 CHAINS.

*Approved
J. M. Smith
C. C. M.*

N^o 8
HOW-ET
640 ACRES.



N^o 7
KIS-A-MEET
15 ACRES.



N^o 9
KUN SÖÖT
90 ACRES.



N^o 6
ELCHO
110 ACRES.



N^o 10
JAJUSTUS
15 ACRES.

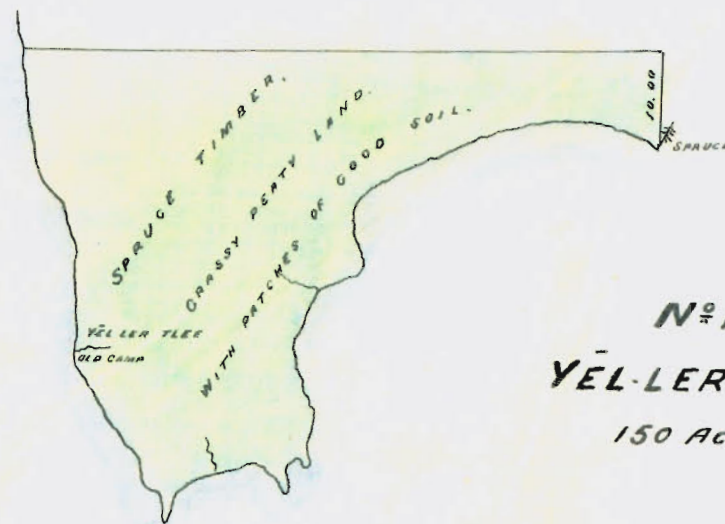
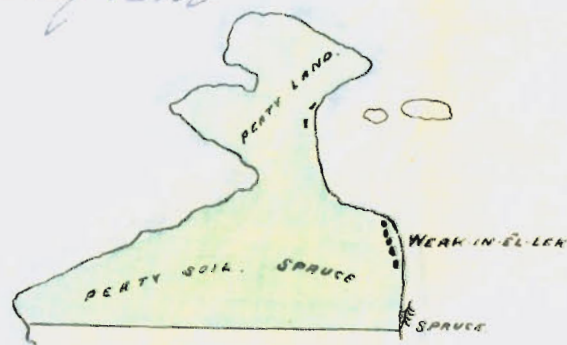
BELLA BELLA INDIANS.

GOOSE ISLANDS.

SCALE 1 INCH = 20 CHAINS.

*Approved
Jm
C. J. L. M.*

N^o 11
WERK INĒL LEK.
60 ACRES.



N^o 12
YĒL-LER-TLEE
150 ACRES.



Indian Reserve Commission.
Victoria B.C.
November 7th 1882.

Sir

I have the honor to forward
herewith, for your information, and approval,
rough sketches, and minutes of decision
of the lands reserved by me for the use
of the Kokeet, Kit-a-soo, Trimpsean,
and Kit-lathla Indians, on the West
coast of British Columbia.

The reserve at the head of Lower Inlet
(No 3 Kitlathla Indians) includes the
land applied for by John Sayea,
and for which he has given notice of
his intention to purchase, dated August 3rd
1882.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant.

The Hon^{ble}

The Chief Commiss^r
of Lands & Works.

D O'Reilly
J.M.C.

Recd 7/11/82

Approved
June 5/84

Indian Reserve Commission B.C.

Minutes of Decision

"Ko-Ky-et" Indians

No. 1. "Ko-Ky-et" a Reserve of two hundred and fifty (250) Acres situated on Yeo Island at the mouth of Ellerslie Channel.

Commencing at a cedar about fifteen (15) chains North of Capah Village, and running East seventy (70) chains, thence South to the sea coast, and thence following the sea shore in a Northwesterly direction to the place of commencement.

No. 2. Grief Island, situated in Ellerslie Channel about ten (10) chains west of Capah Village and containing forty (40) Acres is reserved.

No. 3.

No. 3. "Ky-ar-ti" an Island situated in Eilerslie Channel about $1\frac{1}{2}$ miles north of Kapah Village, and containing two and a half ($2\frac{1}{2}$) Acres approximately, is reserved.

No. 4. "Nee-Kas" a Reserve of twelve (12) Acres situated at the head of Nee-Kas Cove, Eilerslie Channel.

Commencing at a spruce marked Indian Reserve, and running north twenty (20) chains; thence West to the "Nee-Kas" river, thence down the left bank of the said river to its mouth, and thence along the sea shore in an Easterly direction to the place of commencement.

No. 5.

No. 5. "Tan-kee-ah" a Reserve of forty (40) Acres situated at the head of Berry Harbor, Seaforth Channel, Milbank Sound.

Commencing at a Hemlock marked Indian Reserve, and running East ten (10) chains, thence North twenty (20) chains, thence West twenty (20) chains, thence South twenty five (25) chains, and thence East ten (10) chains to the place of Commencement.

No. 6. "Ho-qui" a Reserve of ninety (90) Acres situated on Dufferin Island at the mouth of Gale Creek, Seaforth Channel.

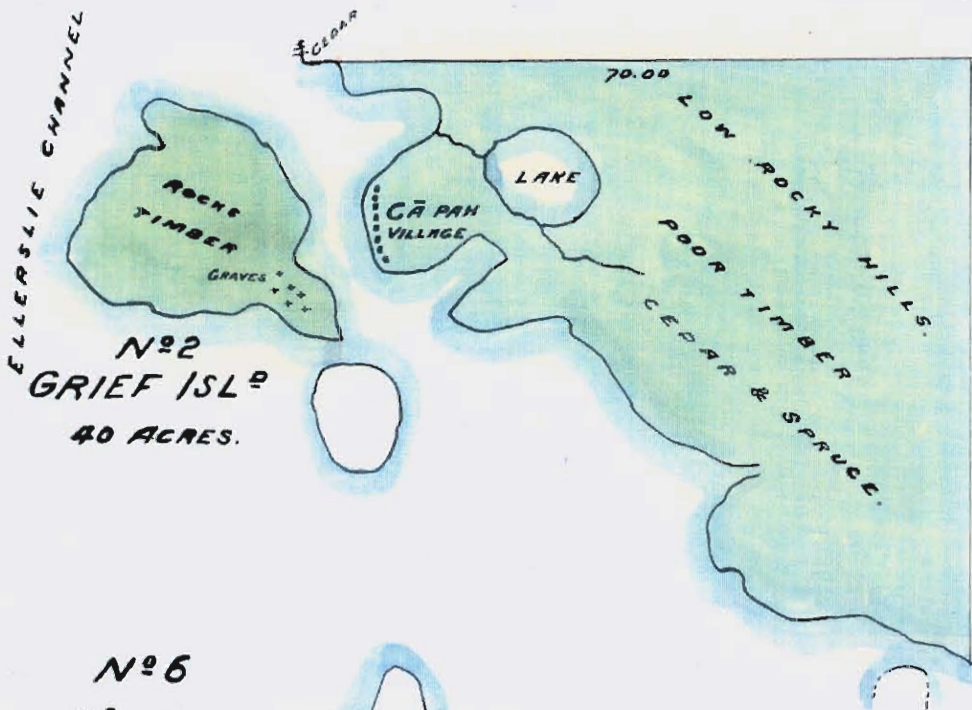
Commencing at a Cedar marked Indian Reserve, and running East thirty (30) chains; thence North thirty (30) chains; thence West to the sea coast, and thence following the sea shore in a

KO-KY-ET (OR KILKITE) INDIANS.

SCALE 1 INCH = 20 CHAINS.

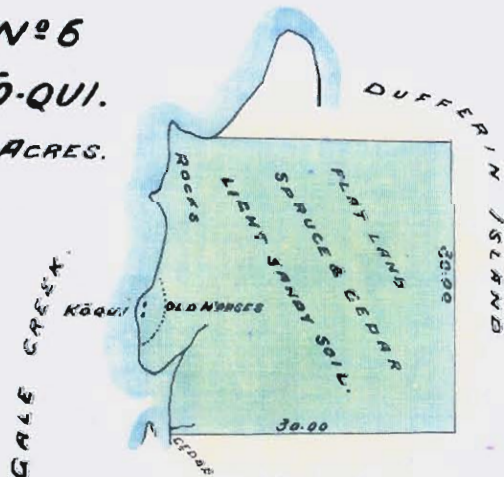
YEO ISLAND

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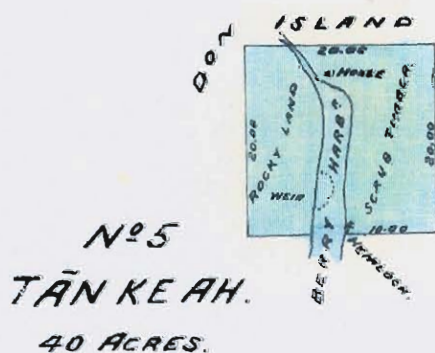


Nº1
KO-KY-ET
250 ACRES.

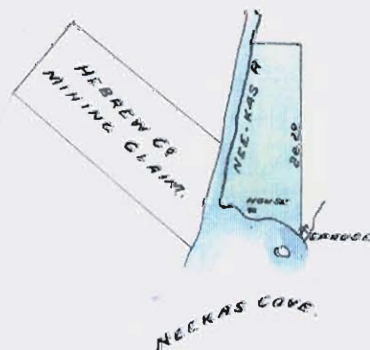
Nº6
KÖ-QUI.
90 ACRES.



Nº3
KY-ÄR-TI
2 1/2 ACRES.



Nº5
TĀN KE AH.
40 ACRES.



Nº4
NĒE KAS.
12 ACRES.

v. a southerly direction to the place of
commencement.

Ko-Ky-et-Bb. }
August 29th. 1882 }

D. O'Neill
J. M. C.

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO

No. 14/724/L.

ALSO

TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

DEPARTMENT OF



INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA

P. O. Box 775

RECEIVED

Victoria, B.C. 4th June, 1920.

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OFFICE OF

CHIEF INSPECTOR OF INDIAN AGENCIES

BRITISH COLUMBIA

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Dear Sir:-

I beg to inform you that when Indian Commissioner O'Reilly was allotting reserves for the Kokyet Indians in the Bella Coola Agency he described Tankeah Reserve No. 5 as being at the head of Berry Harbour, Searforth Channel, Millbank Sound, in his Minute of Decision of 29th August, 1882, and the reserve has been plotted in this position on the Provincial Government Blue-print No. 25. The reserve itself was surveyed by Mr. Jemmett in 1889 on Tankeah River, which is on the eastern side of Don Island, Spiller-Ellerslie Channel, and is the place known to the Indians as Tankeah. It is approximately four miles east of the point described in the Minute of Decision, the Indian name for which is Austush, but is not a reserve. The only explanation for this error of description would appear to be that in the early days Commissioner O'Reilly thought he was at the head of Berry Harbour, but as a matter of fact he was not, and that Surveyor Jemmett, assuming that the Minute of Decision was correct, described the reserve in his book of Field Notes as being at the head of Berry Harbour. The main point is that the reserve was surveyed at the proper place though wrongly described.

In view of the above I would respectfully suggest that you have the position of the reserve changed on your maps from that marked in red on the two accompanying blue-prints to that marked in black on the same. I think you will find that this is approximately correct. It would be well also to make notes accordingly in Mr. Jemmett's field book and the Minutes of Decision referred to. I am following this procedure at this office.

Thanking you in advance, I am

Enclosures:-

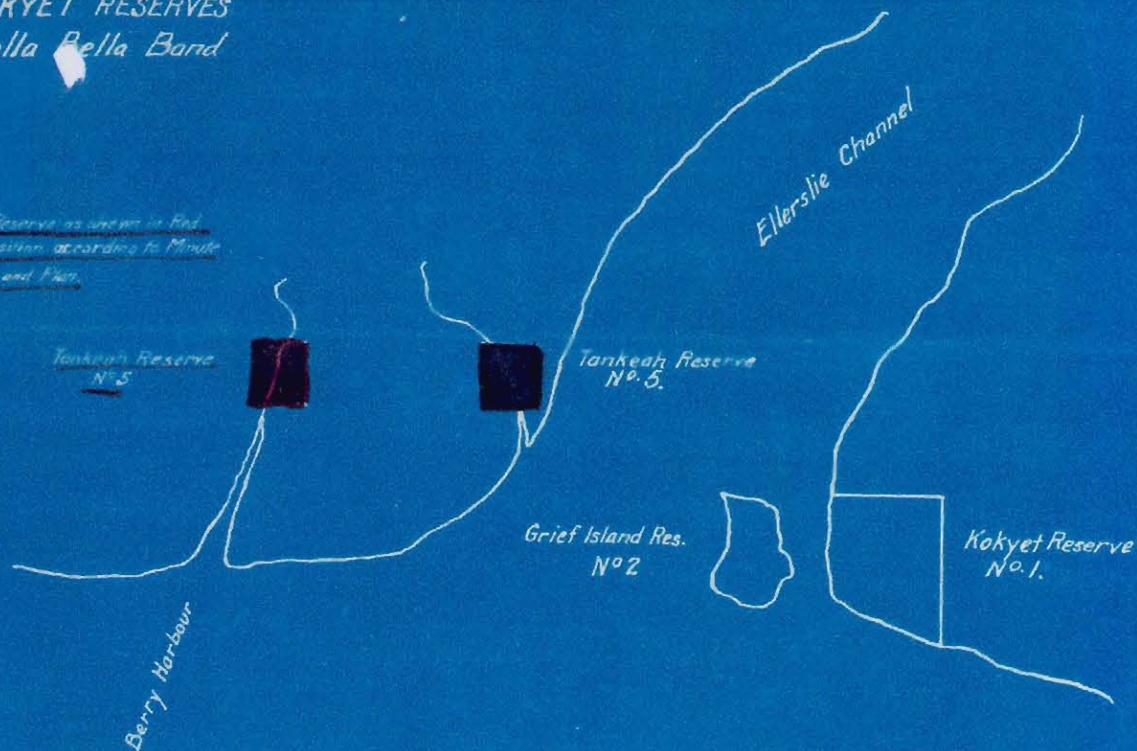
J. E. Umbach, Esq.,
Surveyor-General,
Provincial Parliament Bldgs.,
Victoria, B.C.

Yours sincerely,

H. C. Ditchburn
Chief Inspector of Indian Agencies.

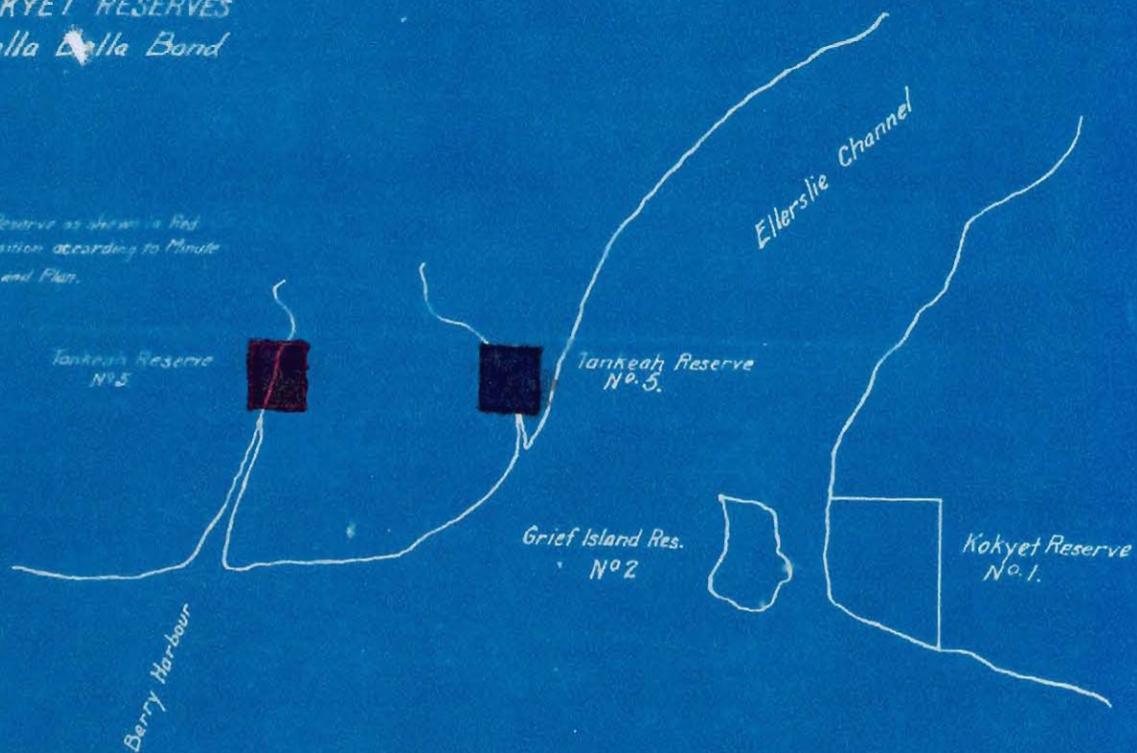
KOKYET RESERVES
Bella Bella Band

Position of Reserve as shown in Red
Indicates position according to Minute
of Decision and Plan.



KOKYET RESERVES
Bella Bella Band

Position of Reserve as shown in Red
Indicates position according to Minute
of Decision and Plan.



9th June 1920

N.E. Ditchburn Esq.
Chief Inspector of Indian Agencies
P.O. Box 775
Victoria, B.C.

Dear Sir,

Please refer to file 1464/82

Your file 14/724/L.

I have to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 4th inst regarding Tankeah Reserve No.5.

In reply thereto I beg to advise you that the question of the position of this Indian Reserve was brought to the attention of this Department some months ago by Mr.A.E.Wright, B.C.L.S., who was making surveys in the vicinity last season. A plan has been received during the last few days from Mr.Wright, showing that he has actually picked up survey of this Reserve on the ground. This shows that the position of said Reserve is as set out in your letter.

For your information I am sending you herewith a blue-print of this plan, and in this connection may say that the necessary records are being amended here to show the correct position of the Indian Reserve in question.

Your obedient servant,


Surveyor-General

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Indian Reserve Commission B.C.

Minutes of Decision.

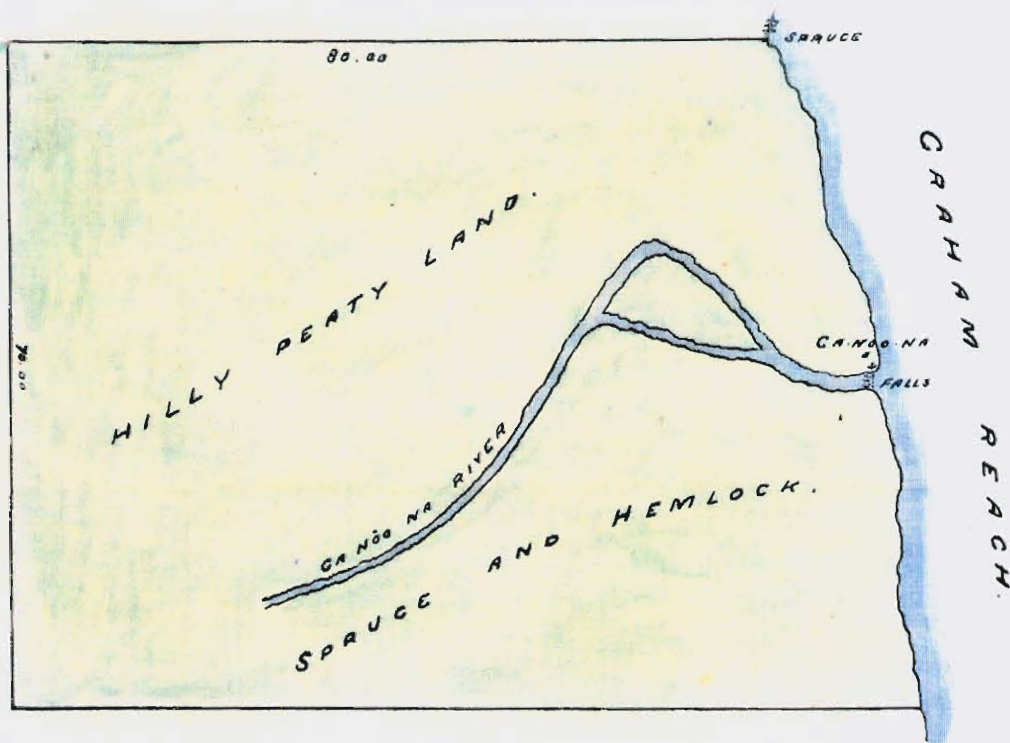
"Kit-a-soo" Indians (Klem-too Passage B.C.)

No. 1. "Kit-a-soo" a Reserve of eight hundred and thirty (830) acres situated on Swindle Island in Trout Bay Klem-too Passage.

Commencing at a cedar marked Indian Reserve, and running West sixty (60) chains; thence South one hundred and twenty (120) chains; thence East to Klem-too Passage, and thence following the sea shore in a Northerly direction to the place of commencement.

No. 2.

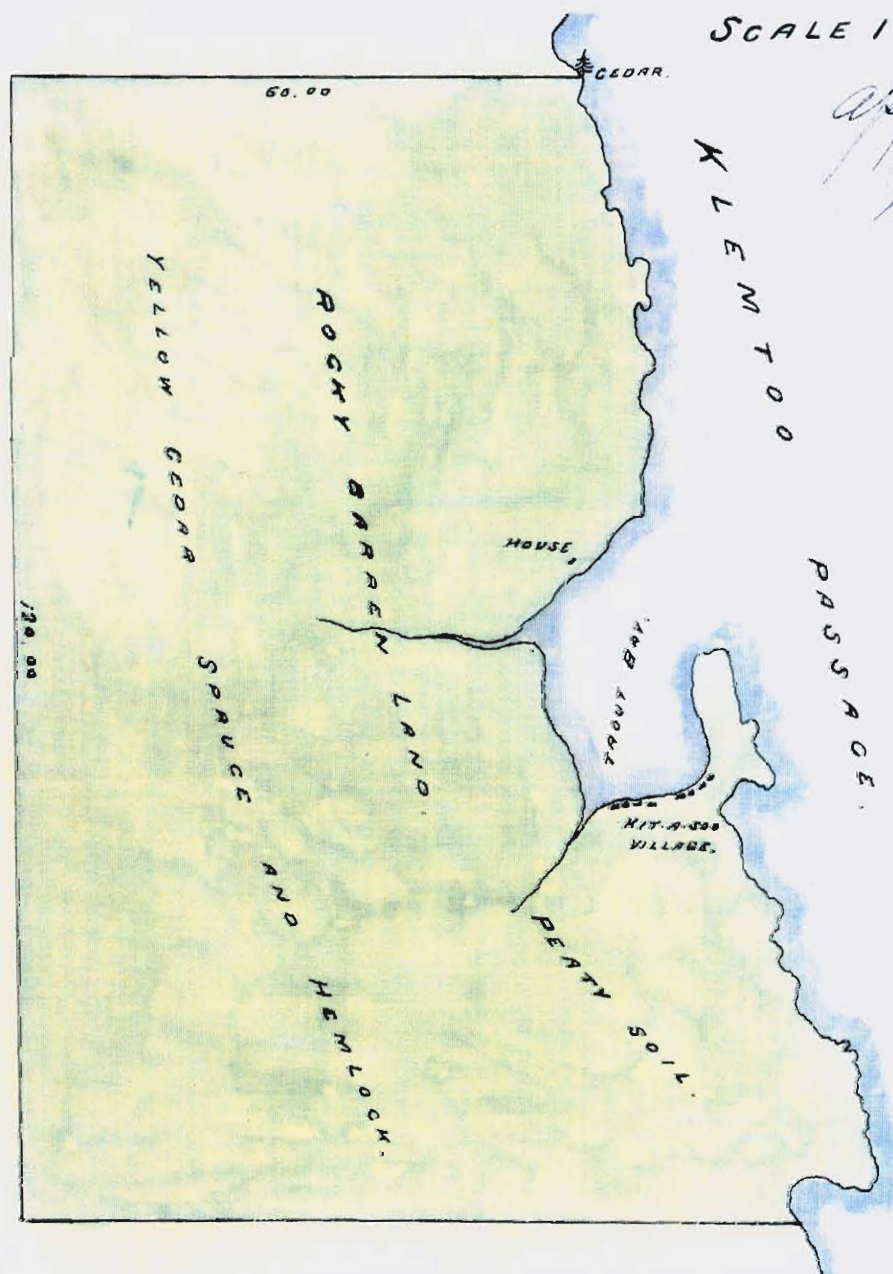
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N^o 2
 CA-NŌO-NA
 630 ACRES.

KIT-A-SŌO INDIANS.

SCALE 1 INCH = 20 CHAINS.



N^o 1
 KIT-A-SŌO.
 830 ACRES.

Approved
[Signature]
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No. 2. "Ca-noo-na" a Reserve of
six hundred and thirty (630) Acres, situated
on Princess Royal Island on the Western
shore of Graham Reach.

Commencing at a spruce marked
Indian Reserve, and running West eighty
180 chains, thence South seventy (70) chains,
thence East to the sea coast, and thence along
the sea shore in a northerly direction to the
place of commencement.

Fishery. The right of fishing in
the Canoona River for a distance of two miles
from its mouth is assigned to the Indians.

Canoonas B.C. }
September 1st 1882 }

P. O'Neilly
J. R. C.

Indian Reserve Commission B.C.

Minutes of Decision.

Simpsean Indians B.C.

No. 12. "Tym-gow-yan" a Reserve of seventy five (75) Acres, situated on Compton Island, at the mouth of Horks Canal, about five (5) miles North of Fort Simpson.

Commencing at a Spruce marked Indian Reserve, and running North twenty chains (20), thence East thirty chains (30), thence South to Horks Canal, and thence following the sea shore in a Westerly direction to the place of commencement.

No. 13. "Ew-she-shese" a Reserve of forty (40) Acres, situated on the left bank of the Eushe-shese river in Horks Canal, about (14) fourteen miles from Fort Simpson.

Commencing

Commencing at a Spruce marked Indian Reserve, and running East twenty (20) chains; thence North thirty (30) chains, thence West to the Eustreshese river, and thence following the river bank, and the sea shore in a Southerly direction to the place of commencement.

No. 14. "Nil-ska-skammel, a Reserve No. 14.

of about ten (10) Acres, situated on the East bank of the North fork of Hork's Canal about two (2) miles from the forks.

Commencing at a Spruce marked Indian Reserve, and running East ten (10) chains; thence South ten (10) chains; thence West to the sea coast, and thence following the sea shore in a Northerly direction to the place of commencement.

No. 15.

No. 15. Toon. a Reserve of twenty five (25) Acres situated on the right bank of the Toon river at the head of the Northern branch of Horks Canal.

Commencing at a Spruce on the right bank of the Toon river near its mouth, and running North twenty (20) chains, thence East twenty (20) chains; thence South to the Toon River, and thence down the left bank of the said river to the place of commencement.

Fishery. The right of fishing in the Toon River for a distance of two (2) miles up stream from the head of tidal water is reserved for the use of the Indians.

No. 16. Lach-mach a Reserve of thirty (30) Acres, situated on the right bank of Lachmach river near the head of the south branch of Horks Canal.

Commencing at a Spruce marked Indian Reserve, and running East ten (10) chains; thence south to the Lackmach river, thence down the right bank of the said river to the sea coast, and thence following the shore in a northerly direction to the place of commencement.

No. 17. "Spa-kels" a Reserve of twenty (20) No. 17
Acres, situated on the Eastern shore of Somerville Island in Steamer Passage, opposite to "Khutz-ey-ma-teen" Inlet.

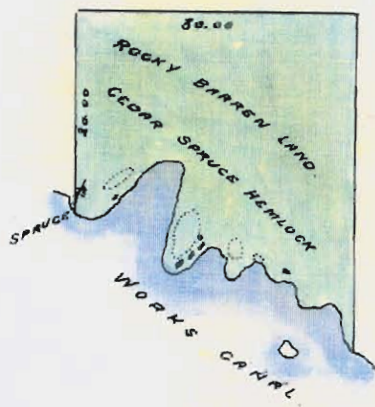
Commencing at a Hemlock marked Indian Reserve, and running West ten (10) chains, thence North twenty (20) chains, thence East to Steamer Passage, and thence following the shore in an Easterly direction to the place of commencement.

No. 18.

TSIMPSEAN INDIANS.

SCALE 1 INCH = 20 CHAINS.

*Approved
for
C. G. L. M.*



Nº 12
TYM CŌW ZAN
75 ACRES.



Nº 17
SPA KĒLS.
20 ACRES.

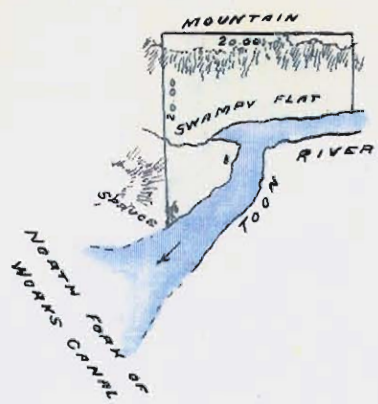


Nº 13
EN SHE SHĒSĒ.
40 ACRES.



Nº 16
LACH-MĀCH.
30 ACRES.

Nº 14
WILSKASKĀMMEL.
10 ACRES



Nº 15
TŌON
25 ACRES.

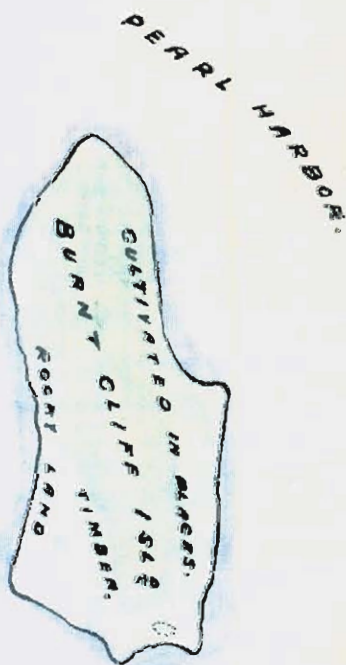


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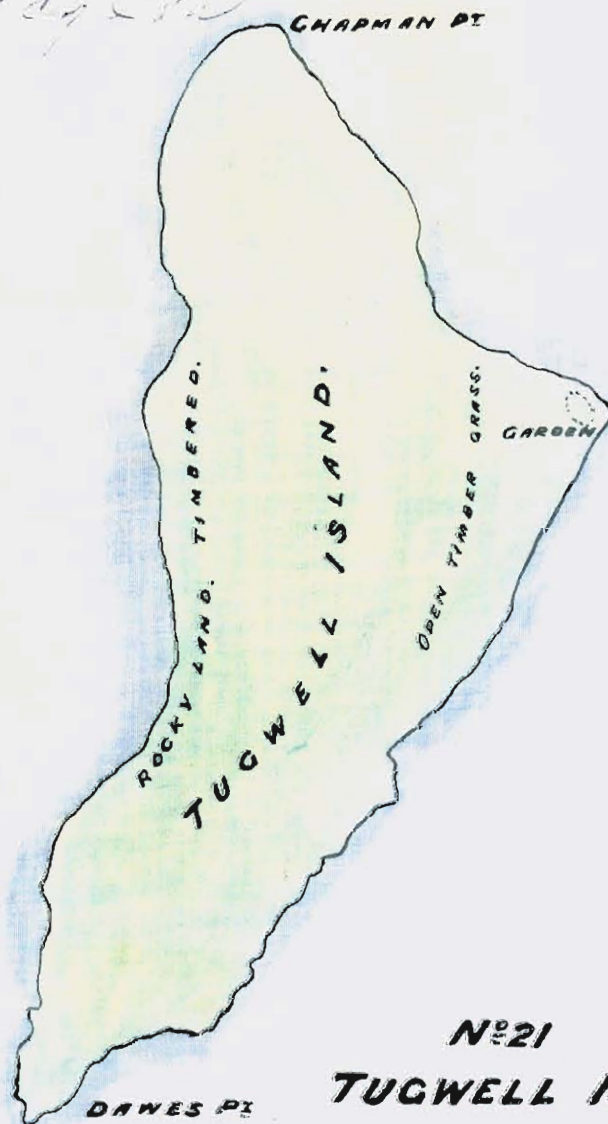
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*Approved
Wm. Smith
Capt. U.S.A.*

N^o 18
BIRNIE ISL^d
135 ACRES.



N^o 20
BURNT CLIFF ISL^d
85 ACRES.



N^o 21
TUGWELL ISL^d
320 ACRES.



No. 18. "Birnie Island" situated $2\frac{1}{2}$ miles North of Fort Simpson, and containing one hundred and thirty five (135) Acres (approximately), is allotted to the use of the Indians.

No. 19. Finlayson Island, situated about one (1) mile West of Fort Simpson, and containing sixteen hundred (1600) Acres, (approximately), is reserved for the use of the Indians.

No. 20. Burnt Cliff Island, situated on Pearl Harbor about four miles South of Fort Simpson and containing eighty five (85) Acres. (approximately) is assigned to the use of the Indians.

No. 21. Tugwell Island situated $1\frac{1}{2}$ mile West of Metlakatla, and containing three hundred

and.

and twenty/320/ acres is reserved for
the use of the Indians.

Inverness B.C. }
September 13th 1882 }

J. O'Reilly

J.R.C.

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Minutes of Decision.

"Kit-lath-la" Indians.

No. 1. "Dolphin Island" containing two thousand seven hundred (2700) acres approximately, and situated between Decate, and Ogden Channels is reserved for the use of the Indians.

No. 2. "Grassy Islet" situated one (1) mile North of Dolphin Island, and containing about one (1) acre, is assigned to the use of the Indians

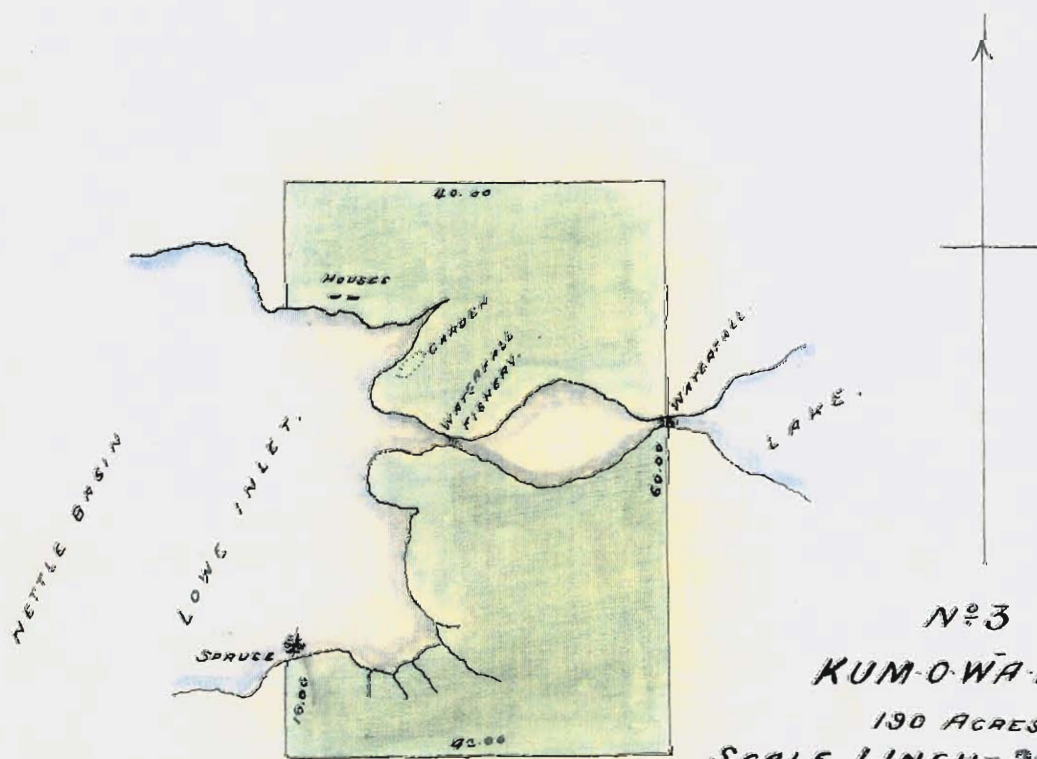
No. 3.

GRASSY ISLET.
 N^o 2
 1 ACRE

KIT LĀTH LA INDIANS.



N^o 1
DOLPHIN ISLAND.
 2700 ACRES.
 SCALE 1 INCH = 40 CHAINS.



N^o 3
KUM-O-WĀ-DAH.
 190 ACRES.
 SCALE 1 INCH = 20 CHAINS.

No. 3. "Kum-o-wa-dah" a Reserve

No. 3

of one hundred and ninety (190) acres,
situated at the head of Lowe Inlet, Grenville Channel.

Commencing at a spruce marked
Indian Reserve, and running South ten (10)
chains, thence East forty (40) chains,
thence North sixty (60) chains, thence
West forty (40) chains, thence South to
Lowe Inlet, and thence following the
shore in a southerly direction to the
place of commencement.

Lowe's Inlet B.C. }
September 21st 1882.

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