

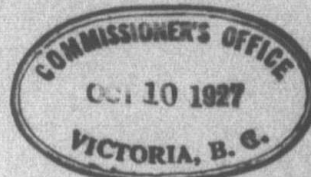
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W. E. Ditchburn, Esq.,
Indian Commissioner for B.C.
Department of Indian Affairs,
Victoria, B.C.



Dear Sir:-

Since the meeting last evening, I have been thinking the matter over, and it has occurred to me that it might be worth while to take into consideration the question of offering to split the difference in the matter of the six hundred odd Dollars. In other words, if you are prepared to recommend to your Department the payment of roughly Sixteen Hundred Dollars towards the works suggested, it might be well to offer to assume one half of the difference.

Prolonged discussion and the subsequent litigation that ensues would cost much more, and that is my reason for suggesting this. It may be, however, that you are not disposed to recommend anything further than \$1,000.00, but I thought I would bring this to your attention.

Yours faithfully,

JNE:T

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "W. E. Ditchburn".

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