

on the official blueprint. Kahoose's place was marked on the blueprint "X5", it being indicated on said blueprint as "Indian Rancho", (Lot 394), apparently of 640 acres, reserved from alienation. Witness also identified on the blueprint Kapeose's place, which was marked "X6" and which on the blueprint is marked 61694. The Kahoose place bears the reference number 61694. Witness was acquainted with Mr Brynaldson of Bella Coola; he did not know of any land purchased by that gentleman in Kapeose's behalf. Both Kapeose and Kahoose were "pretty well to do". The Ulkatche Indians applied to the Commission for these meadows, on which they cut their hay. There was also some good open prairie at Lot 394, which they would like to get. (Note: The Kapeose application apparently covers part of Lot 392 as well). Witness indicated in connection with this application the northern half of Lot 392 (marked "X7" on blueprint). The gardens referred to in which potatoes and other vegetables had been grown by the Ulkatches were along the Salmon River; timothy also thrives there, even better than vegetables. If the Ulkatche Indians could get these lands now applied for, and a piece of garden land on the Salmon River, they would have sufficient land for all their requirements. If these lands now applied for were obtained, the Ulkatches would not need the upper or northern portion of the established Reserve at all -- the portion marked "X8" on the official blueprint -- and would be content to have that part cut off from the old Reserve. There was no graveyard on that northern part of the Reserve. The lands now applied for would give sufficient land for the requirements of the Band. He and the head chief (Quomas Tommy) were good friends and worked together. He thought the head chief would be satisfied with today's proceedings. The three Ulkatches present (himself, John and Frank) spoke for all the Tribe, and their satisfaction with the arrangements tentatively tentatively outlined would be endorsed by the Band.

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