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With cheque, etc.

Ottawa, 22nd January, 1920.

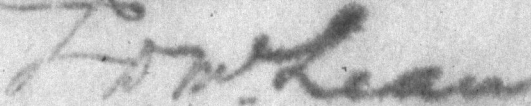
Sir:-

4 / I beg to transmit herewith cheque No. 7001 for \$3475<sup>00</sup> amount available for distribution to Indians of Cheakamus Band in the New Westminster Agency from the proceeds of the sale of timber on their reserve. The total amount received from the sale of the timber amounted to \$8050.53 and was placed to the credit of the Band's capital account. The amount (\$3475.00) covered by the cheque ~~is~~ enclosed, together with \$550.00, the amount distributed in July, represents 50% of the amount received, and I may add that \$165.40, ground rent has been credited to the Band's interest account.

Three pay-list books are enclosed herewith in which to account for the distribution of the proceeds of the cheque enclosed. You should observe carefully the instructions in front of the pay-list book when making payment. If any money remains in your hands after paying the Indians, you should refund the same to the Department and you should submit a statement showing the amount received and the amount refunded.

Peter Byrne Esq.,  
Indian Agent,  
New Westminster, B.C.

Your obedient servant,



Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

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