Ottawa, Nov. 27, 1912.

Gentlemen:

In reply to your letter of the 12th instant,
I beg to inform you that the reserve to which you refer
is the Vermilion Forks Indian Reserve No. 1 of the
Upper Similkameen Band. It contains 26 acres less
6.48 acres in the right of way of the Vancouver,
Victoria & Eastern Railway and Navigation Company.

The said reserve was allotted as a reservation by Mr. Commissioner Sproat, October 5, 1878; it was surveyed in 1894 and finally approved by the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, February 22, 1901.

The reserve is at present under lease to Mr. James Wright, Similkameen, British Columbia.

Your obedient servant,

Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

Mesers. McLean & Russell,

General Agents,

Princeton, B.C.

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