

INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE

Prince Rupert, B.C.,

January 4th, 1919

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO  
No. R.C.  
ALSO  
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

Sir,—

I beg to thank you for your letter No. 33/261 J, of the 31st December ultimo in reply to mine of the 23rd ultimo in the matter of Khutzeemateen lands.

I do not think this is an application for a new reserve that did not come before the Royal Commission. The apparent obscurity of matters relating to the Royal Commission and the absolute silence of the Government in the matter of these applications are creating considerable uneasiness on the part of the Indians, and it is with satisfaction that I learn from you for the first time that the Government will have for serious consideration at the coming session of the Legislature the setting aside of the additional reserves recommended by the Royal Commission under which arrangement the application of these Indians in particular will likely be dealt with.

The reason I wrote you was that the Indians had applied to the Royal Commission for these acres as a tribe, but the individual stakings were subsequent to these negotiations with the Commission.

Thanking you for your information,

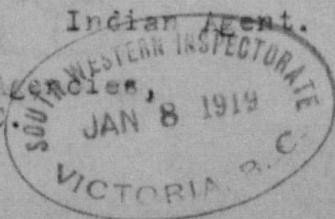
I beg to remain,

Yours sincerely,

*Charles P. ...*

Indian Agent.

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