

dry. I don't if they ever get any water now or not.
The next is Lower Similkameen -

MR. ALEXANDER: Mr. Ball says the Indians used water from that creek until the railway cut them out.

MR. BALLS: I think Mr. Ball's statement was the Indians were diverting water from the creek until the time the railway cut up the ditch.

MR. BROWN: That is quite correct. They were using the water on the Reserve until the railway cut up their ditch and cut them off.

MR. ALEXANDER: Then there is no doubt about that.

MR. BROWN: No doubt about it, but I take from what you say there is no right except the fact that they were taking water.

MR. ELLIS: Do you think there would be enough water for everyone?

MR. BROWN: I think there is unless they are allowed to take that water far north as they want to do, then there will not be enough, but in the immediate vicinity there is no question there is sufficient water for all of us. Last year was very low water.

MR. ELLIS: I have not any information on it. I am taking the statements as they are given here. One person is waiting for the railway to come through and put a pipe under the railway and the other person is waiting to get across the Indian Reserve. I think they had better get together.

MR. BROWN: I have offered. There is no objection from Mr.