

did not wish to sit on a case in which it might be said I was prejudiced. Since then I have seen or heard nothing of Constable Jones.

Mr Bull does not live at Cape Mudge but at Heriot Bay a distance from where I live of fifteen miles by water and about eight by land.

I do not own a store, either directly or indirectly. My sons last April bought out the store of Mr R. H. Hall in Quathiaetti Cove Valdes Island, and trade under the name of Pickrock Bros & Co, they manage their own business and I do not in any way have anything to do with it, having in mind the section of the Indian Act to which you refer in your letter.

My object in informing Mr Hursey was that I heard Mr Bull was keeping a very disorderly house, and that Indians were obtaining liquor from the loggers who frequented Mr Bull's. That Mr Bull has been selling liquor in large quantities for the last six months everybody here knows; and last New Years Day a serious stabbing affray took place at his house and the man is now in custody in Nanaimo, and from whom Mr Hursey can, if he wishes, obtain much information. I have the honor to be

Yours obedient servant
R. J. Pickock
Indian Agent