

- Part of it seems to be tidal land.
- Mr. YOUNG Of the 27 acres comprised in the reserve, how much, in your opinion would be arable land?
- A. May be 20 acres, perhaps only one-half of it if cleared and drained.
- Q. You think it would need to be drained?
- A. Yes, I should so judge.
- CHAIRMAN (Referring to plan) What is the meaning of that #8 there?
- A. That is one I staked and Mr. Green surveyed it about a year and a half ago - It is not a reserve.
- Mr. YOUNG Kung, No. 11 opposite the Wallace canneries, what is that like?
- A. Well, they reside there while at the cannery and at other times?
- Q. How many houses are there there?
- A. I should say about 10 or 15.
- Q. Any cultivation to any extent?
- A. Very little.
- Q. Is it used as a fishing station at all?
- A. Yes, some of them remain there for several months - It is quite residential place for them while at the canneries, but ~~my~~ they don't live there permanently.
- Q. What is the character of that land?
- A. Fairly good, and some timber.
- Q. How much of it is suitable for cultivation?
- A. Well if the timber was taken off more than three parts of it
- Q. How much of it is timbered?
- A. Almost the whole of it, with the exception of a small piece
- Q. Would it be easy or difficult to clear?
- A. I should judge it would be difficult.
- Q. For what reason?
- A. Well there is no water to float it down - there is just a small creek at one end.
- Q. No. 12 on the western shore of the Virago Sound, what about that?
- A. I have never been ashore there.
- Q. What use is made of it?
- A. It is a camping ground for the fishermen when they are fishing for salmon.
- Q. Are there any houses there?
- A. I understand so, but could not say so from personal knowledge