

- Q. I mean to say that there is more than a quarter which is good?
- A. Well there may be, but there is nothing but a swampy place right in front of the mountain.
- Q. Mark the good land on this plan.
- (Witness did so)

Mr Commissioner Shaw: Is that island good?

A. No, it is a sandbar.

Mr Commissioner McKenna: Do you know anything about an application being made by these Indians for a reserve at Crab river?

A. I know there has been an application made but I don't know whether they would like to go there or not.

Q. What do they want that land made a reserve for?

A. For trapping.

Q. To make it a sort of headquarters during the trapping season? Is that it?

A. Yes.

Q. Are there houses there which they could live in?

A. I don't know.

Q. Are there graveyards there?

A. Yes.

Q. How many graveyards?

A. Three.

Q. Have the Indians used that place for trapping for many years?

A. Ever since I can remember.

Q. (Mr. Young) Did the Indians live there permanently at any time?

A. Yes.

Q. How long ago would that be?

A. I could not say, but our graveyards are there.

Mr Commissioner Shaw: To whom did the Indians make application for this reserve at Crab river?

A. To the Agent.

Mr Commissioner MacDowall: When?

A. Last summer.

Mr Commissioner Shaw: Was this matter discussed at a public meeting of the band?

A. No.

Q. Well who made the application? Nelson said he did not know anything about it?