

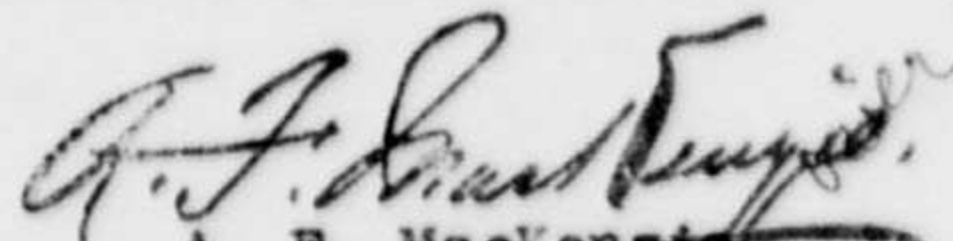
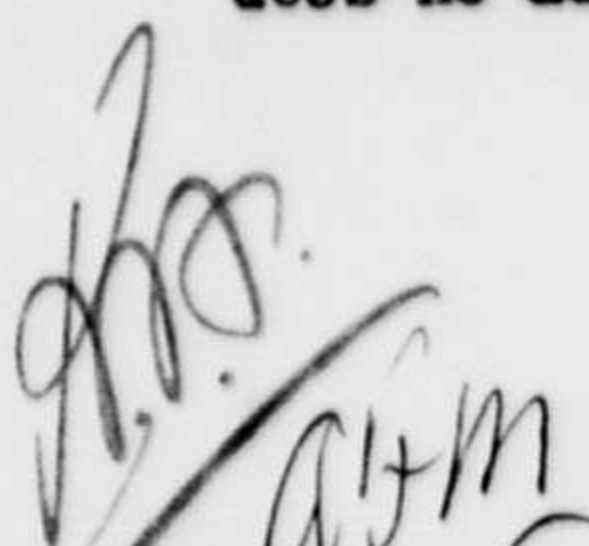
Ottawa, April 3, 1928.

Sir:

I have your 797-A-15/21 of the 26th ultimo, with reference to the proposed removal of Charlie Cisco from his holding on Lytton Indian Reserve No. 21. I note that, in spite of his earlier promise, he now refuses to be re-established on the land the Department proposed purchasing from the Bishop of Cariboo. You should hold the cheque for \$500 as it is possible that Cisco might agree at any time to the Department's proposal. I have directed that the purchase of Lots 7 and 8, Group 1, C. G., from the Bishop of Cariboo be held in abeyance for the time being.

I am asking Mr. Commissioner Ditchburn, who purposes being in Lytton in the near future in connection with the St. George's Indian Residential School, to look into this matter of removing Cisco and to see if he can arrange an amicable settlement. It is possible that Cisco might be willing to do business with him. When I have the Commissioner's report in the matter before me, the Department will be in a position to take further action. You might be prepared to inform Mr. Ditchburn if Cisco has looked over the property on which we propose to re-establish him, and, if he has, what reasons does he advance to show that it is unsatisfactory to him.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie,  
Acting Asst. Deputy & Secretary.H. Graham, Esq.,  
Indian Agent,  
Lytton, B. C.

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C. H. Pitts  
Barrister, Solicitor, Etc.

165-0-9  
Ashcroft, B. C., April 25, 1928.

Secretary,  
Department of Indian Affairs,  
OTTAWA, CANADA.

Dear Sir:-

RE: FILE No. 165-0-9.

I beg to inform you that I have been again consulted by Charlie Cisco and his wife in regard to their ranch on No. 24 Reserve, Lytton, B. C., In this connection I would refer you to the correspondence that has already taken place between us, especially your letters of May 3rd 1927 and May 5th 1927.

The situation is more or less explained in my letters to you of the 25th of April 1927 and the 18th of May 1927 and the enclosures, and I had advised the Indians that they would receive fair compensation if their lands were expropriated, as stated by you in your letter of the 3rd of May.

I am now consulted again in this regard, and am told that both Mr. Lett, the principal of the school, and Mr. Graham have told the Indians that unless they gave up this land they would be deprived of water.

The only compensation offered for this land is another ranch, in which the water supply is very inadequate and on which the soil is not nearly so productive as on the land in question, and the local authorities are apparently endeavoring to coerce the Indians into accepting this in substitution for the lands they now possess. This you must agree is not in accordance with the spirit of the Indian Act.

I would further like to point out that my instructions are that the land in question lay unused for a long period before my clients, the Ciscos, took it up, they purchasing the rights of the proceeding owners. They have gone to considerable labour and expense and have now all the available arable land under cultivation, having 14 acres cultivated out of a total of 16 acres. They have done all this in eight years time, and now have the reputation of getting the best crops on the reserve. Charlie Cisco is, I understand, almost blind, but his wife appears to be a hard working woman and seems heart broken at the thought of having to leave the ranch they built up to maintain them in their old age.

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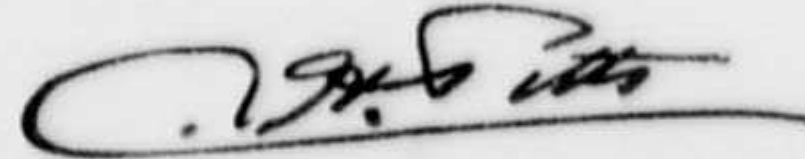


I would also like to point out that during the whole period this land was not being worked no effort was made by the school to acquire it, and only after eight years labour on the part of the Ciscos and the land has shown it's quality that they step in and try to oust them.

I might say that Mrs. Cisco informed me that they would be very loath to part with the land for \$4,000., and in fact, would not consider disposing of it unless compelled to do so.

I would respectfully suggest that this matter be given immediate attention, and that these Indians receive the consideration they are entitled to, if the spirit of the Act is to be lived up to.

Yours truly,



CHP/GC

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C O P Y

27165-37.

*Original for* 165-0-9.

May 26, 1928.

Memorandum:

*DR. SCOTT.*

The Indian Charlie Cisco, who holds 16 acres on Lytton No. 21 Indian Reserve, which is required for the use of the St. George's Indian Residential School, has been interviewed by Mr. Commissioner Ditchburn and still refuses to accept the land which we proposed to purchase for him from the Bishop of Cariboo. The cost of the proposed new reserve was to have been \$650 and Mr. Indian Agent Graham was to administer a cheque for \$500 for Cisco's re-establishment. I believe Mr. Graham is holding this cheque.

Mr. Ditchburn reports that there is strong feeling in the community regarding the removal of Cisco, and, if the action is taken without the Indian being satisfied, the Commissioner is convinced there would be much criticism. He therefore examined other properties with a view to recommending the purchase of a farm that would be acceptable to Cisco.

Mr. Ditchburn recommends that the Department purchase a 66.2 acre property, described as Legal Subdivisions 5, 6, 11 and 12 of Sect. 36, T. 13, R. 27, which lies on the left bank of the Fraser river, between Siska Flats Reserves Nos. 2 and 3. This property has much superior water rights and more suitable buildings than the farm we were about to purchase from the Bishop of Cariboo.

The property may be purchased for \$1,800 from Messrs. Grimmett & Parker, Barristers, of Merritt, who are acting for the owners of the land. It appears that, last year, they nearly completed a sale for \$2,000; so, apparently, the proposed price is fair and reasonable. I might add that Messrs. Grimmett & Parker are apparently the agents of the Minister of Justice in this district, as their office was dealing for us in the matter of the purchase of the property from the Bishop of Cariboo.

Mr. Commissioner Ditchburn strongly recommends that the 66.2 acres referred to be purchased. It appears that such action would satisfy Charlie Cisco, and I should be glad if you would give your approval.

*Russell L. Carrier*  
Supt. of Indian Education.

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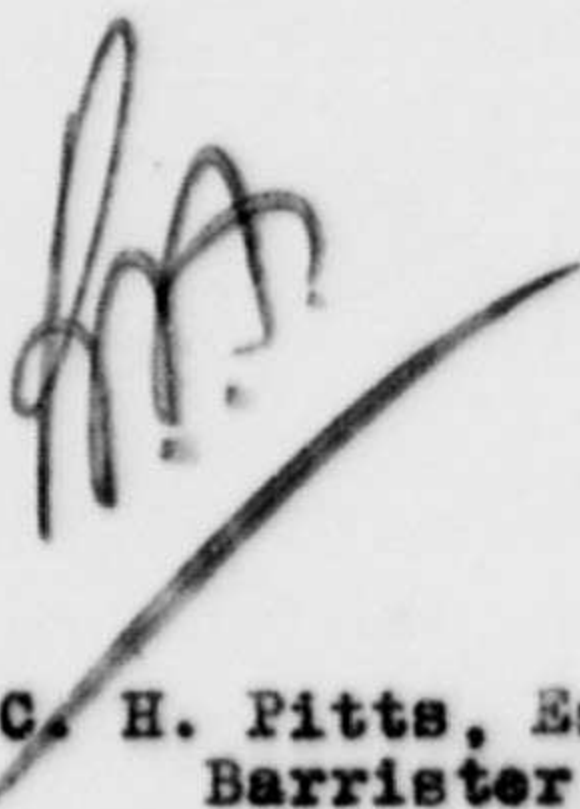


Ottawa, May 28, 1928.

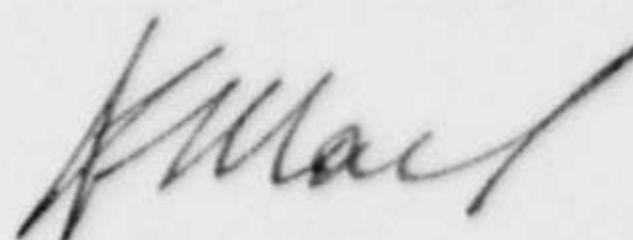
Sir:

I have your letter of the 25th ultimo, with reference to the removal of Charlie Cisco from Lytton Indian Reserve No. 21. In reply I have to inform you that the Department intends to deal fairly with this Indian and, some time ago, directed Mr. Commissioner Ditchburn, of Victoria, to try to arrange an amicable settlement. I may say that recent developments suggest that such arrangement is imminent.

Your obedient servant,



C. H. Pitts, Esq.,  
Barrister,  
Ashcroft, B. C.



T. R. L. MacInnes,  
Acting Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

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*Mr. MacInnes*

Ottawa, May 28, 1928.

Sir:

I wish to refer to your 483-A-15/21 of February 17th, last, and my reply of the 27th idem. I have now to inform you that the Department is not proceeding with the purchase of the property owned by His Lordship the Bishop of Cariboo, on which it was proposed to establish Charlie Cisco. Please inform His Lordship of the circumstances in connection with this change in decision and express our regrets that the deal will not be completed.

I may say that, following the report of Mr. Indian Commissioner Ditchburn, the Department is taking steps to secure a 66.2 acre property, described as Legal Subdivisions 5, 6, 11 and 12 of Sec. 36, T. 13, R. 27, which lies between Siska Flats Reserves Nos. 2 and 3. I understand that Charlie Cisco will be quite satisfied with this.

I take it for granted that you are holding the cheque for \$500 which was directed to you to re-establish this Indian on his new property. In a few days, I will have a letter to you with reference to this cheque.

*H. Graham*

Your obedient servant,

*T. R. L. MacInnes*  
T. R. L. MacInnes,  
Acting Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

H. Graham, Esq.,  
Indian Agent,  
Lytton, B. C.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS  
CANADA

May 29, 1928.

Memorandum:

MR. PAGET.

Indian Education cheque No. 6421 (1927-28) for \$500.00, was directed to Mr. Indian Agent Graham under cover of March 17th. It was in Mr. Graham's favour, in trust, and was to be administered for the purpose of re-establishing an Indian, Charlie Cisco.

The scheme was not proceeded with and I understand Mr. Graham is holding the cheque. It is now proposed to purchase a more expensive property for this Indian, and I should be glad to know if we could have Mr. Graham make a specific endorsement in favour of the vendors of the property and return the cheque here, so that we could send it along with a cheque for the balance of the purchase price. The Department proposes to give the Indian a better property than was first contemplated, and there would be no necessity to send a cheque for re-establishing him.

*He gave \$500.00  
should be returned  
& deposited to C. of  
Cas. Act. - and cannot  
be used again - not  
any other part. Not  
to make with a  
the charge  
1928-29 approved  
Russell L. Terrier*

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165-0-9.

Ottawa, May 30th, 1928.

Sir:

Referring to official letter to you of March 17th, last, enclosing cheque No. 6421 for \$500, and also to Department's letter to you of the 28th ultimo, I now have to request that you will return this cheque to the Department as it was drawn on last year's appropriation which has been closed. It is necessary that the cheque be returned for deposit to the credit of the Receiver General. Please return same as soon as possible.

Your obedient servant,

*T. R. L. MacInnes*  
T. R. L. MacInnes,  
Acting Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

*H. Graham*  
H. Graham, Esq.,  
Indian Agent,  
Lytton, B.C.

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C. H. Pitts  
Barrister and Solicitor, Etc.

Phone 54  
P. O. Box

Ashcroft, B. C. June 1, 1928.



RE: FILE NO. 165-0-9.

Sir:-

I beg to acknowledge your letter of the 28th of May with reference to the question of Charlie Cisco, Lytton Indian Reserve No. 21, and I am very glad to hear that an amicable settlement is being arrived at.

Yours very truly,

CHP/GC

Secretary,  
Department of Indian Affairs,  
OTTAWA, CANADA.

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No. 1594

DUPLICATE, FOR DEPARTMENT.

Bank of Montreal,

\$ 500.00

Ottawa, June 12th, 1928

RECEIVED from H. Graham

on account Indian Funds

the sum of Five Hundred.....Dollars,  
which amount will appear at the RECEIVER GENERAL'S credit  
with this Bank.

Signed in Triplicate,

Ent'd.

Pro. Manager.

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ORIGINAL, FOR THE DEPOSITOR.

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Bank of Montreal,

\$ 500.00

Ottawa, June 12th, 1928

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on account Indian Funds

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Signed in Triplicate,

*[Signature]*  
Pro. Manager.

Ent'd.

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CANADA



OFFICE OF  
INDIAN AGENT

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165-0-9

Lytton, B. C.,  
June 5th, 1928.

Sir:-

In reply to your letter of May 30th,  
I now beg to return the \$500.00 sent me under  
cheque No. 6421.

Trusting this will be found in order,

I have the honor to be,  
Sir,  
Your obedient servant,

*H. Graham*  
(H. Graham)  
Indian Agent.

Asst. Deputy Secretary,  
Department of Indian Affairs,  
Ottawa.

HG/MD

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BANK RECEIPT No.

Amt. \$500.00 chq



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Date

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Entered Journal No. Folio

*Act*

Dept. Receipt No.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

INDIAN SOLDIER SETTLEMENT

# This Indenture

made in duplicate the twenty-second day of March  
in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight.

## Between

CHARLES CISCO (JAMES YELPUS) of the Town  
of Lytton, in the Province  
of British Columbia,

of the first part,

and

His Majesty King George the Fifth as represented by the <sup>Deputy</sup> Superintendent General  
of Indian Affairs,

of the second part,

*note. This property was not acquired  
and the deed was therefore not signed*

*Corrected*  
*changed*  
*Subdiv 5, 6, 11, 12*  
*Sec 36 7 13 R 27*

**Witnesseth** that the said part y of the first part for and in consideration  
of Lots Seven (7) and Eight (8), Group One (1), C.G., being in  
E.  $\frac{1}{2}$  Sec. 26 & W.  $\frac{1}{2}$  Sec. 25, Tp. 14, R. 27, W. 6. M. & Five ~~Dollars~~ <sup>hundred Dollars</sup> of  
lawful money of Canada, to in hand paid by the said  
part y of the second part, at or before the sealing and delivery of these  
presents (the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged) has granted released and  
quitted claim and by these presents Do Grant Release and **Quit Claim** unto the  
said part y of the second part his successors and assigns for  
ever, All the Estate Right Title Interest claim and demand whatsoever both at  
law and in equity or otherwise howsoever and whether in possession or expectancy  
of him the said part y of the first part of in to or out of  
All and singular th at certain parcel or tract of land and premises, situate,  
lying and being All that portion of Inkluckcheen, Lytton Indian  
Reserve No. 21, situated between Lots Eleven (11) and Twelve  
(12), G.1.C.G. west of the Provincial Government waggon road,  
being in the northwest quarter ( $\frac{1}{4}$ ) Section Thirteen (13),  
Township Fifteen (15), Range Twenty-seven (27), West of the  
6th Meridian, consisting of about fifteen (15) acres, more or  
less.

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**Together with** the appurtenances thereunto belonging or appertaining **To have** and **To hold** the aforesaid lands and premises with All and Singular the appurtenances thereto belonging or appertaining unto and to the use of the said party of the **second** part **his** successors and assigns forever subject nevertheless to the reservations, limitations, provisoes and conditions expressed in the original Grant thereof from the Crown.

**In Witness** whereof the said parties to these presents have hereunto set their hands and seals.

**Signed, Sealed and Delivered**

**In the presence of**

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County of CARIBOO

of the town of Lytton in the

To Wit: County of Cariboo make oath and say:

1. That I was personally present and did see the within instrument and a duplicate thereof duly signed,  
sealed and executed by Charles Cisco

the parties thereto.

2. That the said instrument and duplicate were executed by the said part Y at the town of  
Lytton, B. C.

3. That I know the said part Y.

4. That I am a subscribing witness to the said instrument and duplicate.

SWORN before me at the town  
of Lytton in the County  
of Cariboo this  
day of March, A.D. 19 28

A Commissioner for taking Affidavits, etc.

DATED March 22nd, A.D. 19 28.

CHARLES CISCO  
(JAMES YELPUS)

TO

His Majesty King George  
as represented by the  
Deputy Supt. General of  
Indian Affairs.

Quit Claim Deed

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CANADA

OFFICE OF  
INDIAN AGENT

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2227-A-15/21

165-0-9  
March 17, 1928.

Lytton, B. C.,  
June 22, 1928.

Sir:-

I herewith beg to enclose Quit Claim Deeds in duplicate which were forwarded to me in the case of the removal of the Charles Cisco family from that portion of Lytton I.R.No.21, "Inkluckcheen", which was required for school purposes by St. George's Residential School, and which Charles Cisco refused to agree to, which I trust will be found in order.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

(H. Graham)  
Indian Agent.

Assist. Deputy & Secretary,  
Department of Indian Affairs,  
Ottawa.

HG/MD



*Real completed  
Feb 27/28 5-37  
HGP*

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C O P Y

165-0-9.

Original on

27165-37.

August 18, 1928.

Dear Sir:

I have your B-5502 of the 15th instant, with reference to the purchase of L. S. 5, 6, 11 and 12, of Sec. 36, T. 13, R. 27, W. 6th, from Ada Stirling, executrix of the Estate of Louisa Ender, for the purposes of an Indian reserve. I wish also to acknowledge the enclosures, being a certificate of title to this property, a tax certificate and the account of your agent. A cheque for \$44.10, in favour of Mr. Grimmett, your agent at Merritt, B. C., will be directed to you without delay.

I have prepared a Memorandum to Council in connection with the purchase of this property, and, as soon as authority is secured, there will be directed to you a cheque for \$1800, in favour of "Ada Stirling, executrix of the Estate of Louisa Ender, deceased, and Martin L. Grimmett, agent of the Minister of Justice, jointly."

Yours very truly,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,  
Acting Deputy Superintendent General.

The Deputy Minister of Justice,  
Ottawa,  
Ont.

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165-0-9.

Ottawa, August 20, 1928.

Sir:

With reference to the removal of Charles Cisco from Lytton Indian Reserve No. 21 to the new location which is being purchased for him, I enclose herewith a Quit Claim Deed, in duplicate, which I have to request you will have executed by Cisco in the presence of a subscribing witness, who should make the necessary affidavit. One copy of this should be returned to the Department for our files.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie,  
Acting Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

ENC.

H. Graham, Esq.,  
Indian Agent,  
Lytton, B.C.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

~~CONFIDENTIAL~~

# This Indenture

made in duplicate the **twentieth** day of **August**  
in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and **twenty-eight**.

**Between**

CHARLES CISCO (JAMES YELPUS) of the Town  
of Lytton, in the Province  
of British Columbia,

of the first part,

and

His Majesty King George the Fifth as represented by the *Deputy* Superintendent General  
of Indian Affairs,

of the second part,

**Witnesseth** that the said party of the first part for and in consideration  
of the use, during pleasure, of Legal Subdivisions 5, 6, 11 and  
12, of Section 36, Township 13, Range 27, West of ~~6th meridian~~  
~~land money of Canada~~ by the said  
party of the **second** part, at or before the sealing and delivery of these  
presents (the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged) ha **th** granted released and  
quitted claim and by these presents Do Grant Release and Quit Claim unto the  
said party of the **second** part **his** successors and assigns for  
ever, All the Estate Right Title Interest claim and demand whatsoever both at  
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**Together with** the appurtenances thereunto belonging or appertaining **To have**  
and **To hold** the aforesaid lands and premises with All and Singular the appurten-  
ances thereto belonging or appertaining unto and to the use of the said part  
of the                      part                      successors and assigns forever subject  
nevertheless to the reservations, limitations, provisoes and conditions expressed  
in the original Grant thereof from the Crown.

**In Witness** whereof the said parties to these presents have hereunto set  
their hands and seals.

Signed, Sealed and Delivered

In the presence of

Kathleen P. Anthony  
Stenographer,  
Lytton.

Charles X Cisco.

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PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA  
~~PROVINCE OF ONTARIO~~

County of CARIBOO

J. K. E. Anthony.

of the town of Lytton in the

To Wit: County of Cariboo make oath and say:

1. That I was personally present and did see the within instrument and a duplicate thereof duly signed, sealed and executed by Charles Cisco

the parties thereto.

2. That the said instrument and duplicate were executed by the said part y at the town of Lytton, B.C.

3. That I know the said part y

4. That I am a subscribing witness to the said instrument and duplicate.

SWORN before me at the town of Lytton in the County of Cariboo this 17th day of August, A.D. 19 28.

K. E. Anthony.

A Commissioner for taking Affidavits, etc.

H. H. H. H. H.

DATED August 22nd, A.D. 19 28.

CHARLES CISCO  
(JAMES YELPUS)

TO

His Majesty King George  
as represented by the  
Deputy Supt. General of  
Indian Affairs.

Quit Claim Deed

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS  
CANADA

OFFICE OF  
INDIAN AGENT



*[Handwritten signature]*

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Lytton, B. C.,  
Sept. 17, 1928

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Sir:-

In reply to departmental letter  
dated August 20th I now beg to return the  
Quit Claim Deed duly signed by Charles Cisco  
which I trust will be found in order.

I have the honor to be  
Sir,  
Your obedient servant,

*H. Graham*  
(H. Graham)  
Indian Agent

Asst. Deputy and Secretary,  
Dept. of Indian Affairs,  
Ottawa.

HG/KA

*Write Graham  
re inform Principal  
that parcel is set aside  
for use of M.S. 98.8.*

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165-C-9.

2603.

*Surveys  
to note  
noted in  
Schedule*

Ottawa, September 24th, 1928.

Sir:

I have to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 17th instant, returning the quit claim deed duly executed by Charles Cisco.

Please inform the Principal of St. George's Indian Residential School that this parcel of land is now available for the use of the school.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,  
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

*H. Graham*  
H. Graham, Esq.,  
Indian Agent,  
Lytton, B.C.

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# St. George's Indian Residential School

Originated by the New England Company  
(The oldest English Missionary Society, founded 1649)  
(SUPPORTED BY THE DOMINION GOVERNMENT)

C. P. R. STATION  
C. N. R. STATION  
TELEGRAPH OFFICE  
POST OFFICE

LYTTON 2½ MILES

VISITOR: THE BISHOP OF NEW WESTMINSTER.  
PRINCIPAL: REV. A. R. LETT.  
BANKERS: BANK OF MONTREAL, VANCOUVER, B. C.

Lytton, B. C., Oct 20 / 28

Mr. H. Graham-  
Indian Agent  
Lytton.

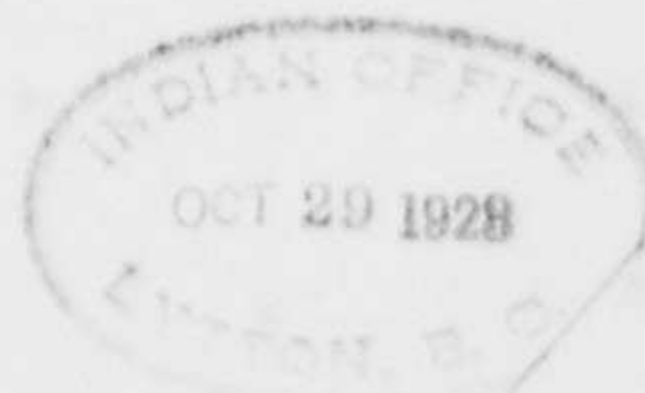
Dear Mr. Graham-

As we are nearing the wind up of our summers work and the weather is so fine I wondered if the Dept. would allow a grant of \$400.00 towards the leveling of the playgrounds and the building of the road into the New building from the Lytton Lillooet highway. I could keep down expense by putting on our own teams scrapers ect. There is a deal of work to be done and if I could hold the Indians now working for a month longer it would make such a difference to the place in the way of shaping up the grounds.

I trust you will see fit to endorse the above and thanking you for attention.

Yours very sincerely

*A. R. Lett*  
Principal



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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS  
CANADA



OFFICE OF  
INDIAN AGENT

Lytton, B. C.  
Oct. 30th, 1928.



Sir,-

I herewith beg to enclose a letter received from the Rev. Principal of St. George's Residential School, which will speak for itself.

In regard to this request I may say that the play grounds require considerable levelling before they are of any value to the children for that purpose.

The new road entrance, from the highway down to the school, has to be built and the Rev. Principal feels that he will have to go into debt to do this and in fact will have to borrow the money.

Trusting that the Department will be able to see their way clear to grant this request.

I have the honor to be,  
Sir,  
Your obedient servant,

*H. Graham*  
Indian Agent.

Asst. Deputy & Sec.,  
Department of Indian Affairs,  
Ottawa, ONT.

Enc.

HG/EB

*Grant towards  
current expenses  
Lytton  
7.5.29  
460 Act*

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Acct. 460

Vote No. ....

Treaty No. ....

Department of Indian Affairs

To Rev. A. R. Lett,  
Principal,  
St. George's Indian Res. School,  
Lytton, B.C.

*Acct*

DATE	SERVICE.	AMOUNT.
1928		
Nov. 7	To grant for current expenses	\$ 400 00
	Pay from Acct. No. 460.	
	The New England Company, of London, Eng., is assisting the Department with the maintenance costs at the St. George's and Mohawk Indian Residential Schools. The money is funded in the Department and is being paid to the management of the respective schools, or is being used for replacements and repairs as required.	
	Certified Correct. <i>Russell T. Ferrier</i> Russell T. Ferrier, Supt. of Indian Education.	<i>Acct 460</i> <i>for the line for</i> <i>Ref to School</i> <i>4607</i> <i>am.</i> <i>7260</i> <i>13-12-28</i>
	<i>Send Ck.</i> <i>to agt Graham</i> <i>Aylton</i> <i>B.C.</i> <i>4609</i> <i>sent Nov. 8/28</i>	
	TOTAL,	\$ 400 00

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and that the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

Form 52.

Agent.

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*See under*

Ottawa, November 7th, 1928.

Sir:

I have your letter of the 30th ultimo, enclosing a communication from the Principal of St. George's Indian Residential School, in which he requests that a grant of \$400 be provided towards the cost of levelling the playgrounds and building a road into the new building from the Lytton Lillooet highway.

In reply I beg to inform you that there will be directed to you under separate cover a cheque to the amount of \$400 from the grant from the New England Company, which is to be applied towards the cost of carrying out the above mentioned work. The Principal should see that full value is obtained for the amount sent. It is noted that he will keep down expenses by putting on the school teams in assisting in the work. It will not be necessary to account for the expenditure of this grant.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,  
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

*H. Graham*  
H. Graham, Esq.,  
Indian Agent,  
Lytton, B.C.

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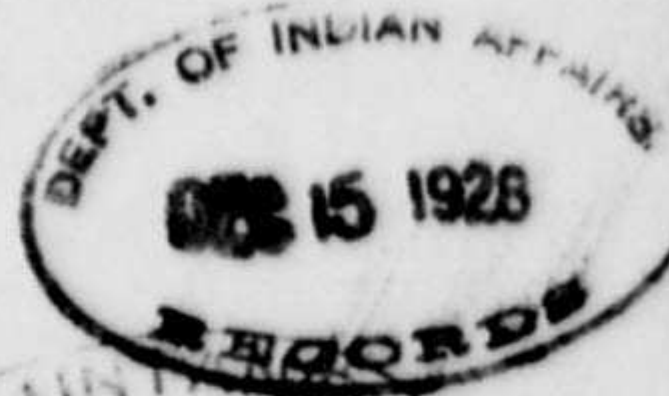
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DUPLICATE, FOR DEPARTMENT.

*for 18  
W.A.M.*

No. 2096

Bank of Montreal,

\$ 400.00

Ottawa, Dec. 14th 1928

RECEIVED from Dept.,

on account --Indian Funds--

the sum of ---Four hundred--- Dollars,  
which amount will appear at the RECEIVER GENERAL'S credit  
with this Bank.

Signed in Triplicate,

*M. Hudson*  
Pro. Manager.

Ent'd.

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*M. J. [Signature]*  
Pro. Manager.

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