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No.

968

1890.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

DOMINION LANDS OFFICE,

KAMLOOPS DISTRICT.

From  
Mett Vaahan

Date

(when rec'd)

Subject

Waty de

2. 11. 27. 21. 43.

sent with Reg 967.

Action.

10.3.91 & 10.10.4. 11.8.  
repaid

Reg 1664 11.8. 11.8. 11.8.  
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Reg 3834 C.D. 11.8. 11.8. 11.8.  
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Reg 1024 11.8. 11.8. 11.8.  
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Action Continued.

Reg 11338. 11.8. 11.8. 11.8.  
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to Vaahan

Reg 11359 Vaahan for  
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22.12.97 & 9401 11.8. 11.8.  
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Reg 11412 Vaahan again

Reg 11434 Vaahan sent  
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to Vaahan

1.4.98 Vaahan pay \$35  
for in full

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Action Continued.

I, Alexander Vachon of S.W. 1/4 of Sec. 7  
Township 27, Range 21 make oath (or declare)

that the foregoing answers are correct and true in every particular. So help me God.

Sworn (or declared) before me

at Golden  
this 13<sup>th</sup> day of Oct.

in the year of our Lord, one

thousand eight hundred and

eighty seven.

(Signed) A. Vachon

(Signed) P.R.A. Belanger.

I, (name) Gustave A. Lamontagne of Golden Sec. 12  
Township 27, Range 22 make oath (or declare) and

say that (I or we) know Alexander Vachon, who has made oath

(or declaration) to the above document, and so far as his answers to questions numbers

1 to 4 & 12 to 43

, I know them to be correct,

and believe the remainder are true and correct in every particular.

Sworn (or declared) before me

at Golden  
this 13<sup>th</sup> day of Oct.

in the year of our Lord 1887

(Signed) G. A. Lamontagne

(Signed) P.R.A. Belanger

22. What length of time since first going into residence have you been absent from it?

I was never absent from it.

23. Where did you live when absent?

—

24. What was your occupation when living on your claim?

clearing land, fencing and raising vegetables.

25. What was your occupation when not living on your claim?

—

26. Give number of acres of breaking on each  $\frac{1}{4}$  sec.

about  $\frac{3}{4}$  of an acre on Sec. 4,  
and a  $\frac{1}{4}$  of an acre on Sec. 6.

27. When broken?

In June last

28. Give number of acres cropped.

About an acre

29. When cropped?

This fall (1887)

30. Give size and description of house and the  $\frac{1}{4}$  sec. it is on?

I have only a tent  
I intend to build a house this fall.

31. Present cash value of same.

About \$10.00

32. What other buildings have you, and on which  $\frac{1}{4}$  sec. are they situated?

None

33. Give description and size of same?

—

34. Present cash value?

—

35. Have you received any consideration for squatting on this claim?

No

36. If so, what was the amount and from whom received?

—

37. Have you been promised any consideration for squatting on this claim; if so, what amount and from whom?

No

38. Have you promised to convey it, or any portion thereof to any person, on acquiring title?

No

39. If so, to whom and what were the conditions?

—

40. Has any person other than yourself, any interest directly or indirectly, in this claim, through any title you may now possess or may hereafter become possessed of?

No

41. If so, state who? and what is the nature of the same?

—

42. Have you any other statements you desire to make as to improvements not herein specified, or of any other nature?

No

43. Have you ever had a squatter's claim or claims prior to this, and what became of it or them?

No



968

# Statement Made and Confirmed by Statutory

Declaration by Alexander Fackau

Concerning his Claim

to S.W. 1/4 of Section 7 Township 27 Range 21 N.  
of 5th P. Meridian.

1. Name.

Alexander Fackau

2. Age.

37 Years

3. Married or Single.

Single

4. Have you ever had a homestead entry, and if so, how many?

No

5. If you had, where were the lands situated?

6. When did you make your entry or entries?

7. How long did you live on your former homestead?

8. What disposal did you make of it?

9. What consideration, if any, did you receive for it?

10. If abandoned, what were the reasons for so doing?

11. Did you receive any consideration for abandoning?

12. When did you first come to British Columbia Manitoba or the Northwest and where from?

Manitoway, Pro. Quebec

13. Where born?

In New Liverpool, Quebec

14. Are you a British subject?

Yes

15. If by naturalization, when and where naturalized?

16. What was the nature of your occupation before coming to British Columbia

Farming & Lumbering

17. What has been your occupation since coming to British Columbia

Mining

18. What portion do you claim as homestead?

The S.W. 1/4 of Sec. 7 T. 27 R. 21

19. What portion do you claim as pre-emption?

The small piece encompassed between the N & E bdy. of N.W. 1/4 of Sec. 6 and the Lakeau Indian Reservation

20. When did you first settle on what you now claim as homestead?

In June 1887

21. What date did you first go into bona fide residence upon it, meaning making it your home and living on it?

On the 15th of June, I cleared and broke about an acre.



Sec. 7 Tp. 27 R. 21 W. of 5<sup>th</sup>

Statutory Declaration of

*Abraham Dackau*

Corroborated by

*Antonia A. Kamaulaga*

Taken at

*Volau*

this 13<sup>th</sup> day of Oct. 1887

*P. R. A. Belanger*

*P. R. A. Belanger*



*Ed. J. J. J.*

right to a Home for the  
land, kindly advise me  
of your decision.

In this connection, I  
have referred to St. O. Ref  
206372 J. & M. (Ref 87124  
on file 94)

10. 3. 91. L 1070

When at folium on  
25-4th, I inspected NW-  
7. 27. 21 N3. claims by  
Alex Vashon. - It appears  
he settled on this land in  
June 87. & has there the  
following improvements: house unfinished  
15 x 16 flatted logs, cellar,  
work house. about 10 acres  
under cultivation & some 7  
acres fenced, he has also  
built about 200 feet of ~~ditching~~.

At time of inspection  
there was 2 pub. reefs, but so  
far as I could judge, about  
30 acres of this pt. has come  
in cultivated, the bal being  
mountain & oak.

N.O.

Vashon claims

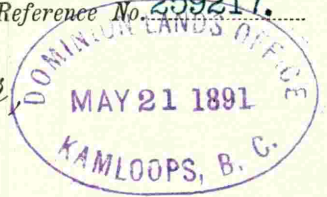


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Letter No. ....

Reference No. 259217.

*166*  
*Department of the Interior*



☞ Address your reply as follows:  
To the Secretary of the  
Department of the Interior, Ottawa.

☞ Do not write about more than one  
subject in the same letter.

☞ Write legibly your full name and  
address.

Ottawa, 14th May, 1891. 18

Sir,

In reply to your letter of the 10th of  
March, (reference 968) reporting the application of  
Alexander Vachon to acquire the South West  $\frac{1}{4}$  of  
Section 7, Township 27, Range 21 West of the 5th  
Meridian, I have now to inform you that you may  
grant Mr. Vachon a homestead entry to this land  
if the records of your office disclose no reason  
to the contrary.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient servant,

*James Hall*  
Secretary.

The Agent

of Dominion Lands,

Kamloops,

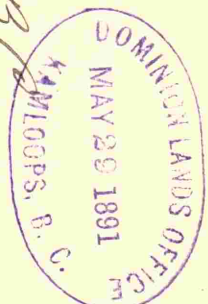
B. C.

*L 1265*  
*advise Vachon*  
*who will homestead*  
*appears from the entry*

W<sup>o</sup> 9608

L 12657 1788

Gordon B.C.



May 27/81.

C. A. Mack Esq.

Sir,

In reply to yours of the 22<sup>nd</sup> inst. concerning my Homestead, and for which you request me to appear at your Office at Kamloops to complete the transaction, I beg to inform you that it is almost impossible for me to go down at this time of year, on account of being so busy, and being almost surrounded by fires, so that it would not be safe to leave my place now.

So could you not arrange all these matters so that I <sup>should</sup> not have to go down to Kamloops, it is such an expensive trip for me, that

I would be very thankful to you  
if you could arrange things so  
that you would save <sup>me</sup> so much exp-  
-enses. Could I not appear before  
a J.P. or our G.C. at Donald  
to transact the business that you  
would require me to do, I wish you  
will be kind enough to do so, and  
your oblige

Yours very Respectfully  
Alex. Bachor.

Dear friend, Auckland, N.Z.  
20th Dec.



2119.

OFFICE OF THE

**Dominion Lands Commission,**



Winnipeg,

*September 8<sup>th</sup>* 1892.

SIR,

By virtue of the power vested in the Land Board by Sub-  
Sec. 3, Sec. 29, 46 Vic., Cap. 17, you are hereby authorized to permit

Mr. *J. Sautiers*

to make Homestead ~~or Homestead and Pre-emption~~ entry for

Mr. *Alexander Pachow*

of *Golden,*

for any vacant Dominion Lands open for entry.

Mr. *Pachow*

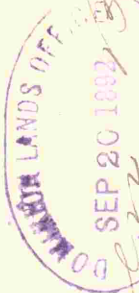
has made written requisition that such authority be granted.

Commissioner.

Inspector.

To any Agent of Dominion Lands  
in Manitoba or N. W. T.

*Send Agt: Dom. Lands  
Kamloops.*



Gallegos, J. C.  
Sept 19 / 1892

Dear Sir,

3857

I am in receipt  
of a letter from Mr  
J. E. Seanecein Humboldt  
stating you called  
on him for affidavits  
in my behalf for my  
patent papers from  
the Government. Making  
also for demanded the  
amount of fee \$10,  
which you will please  
send herewith enclosed.

Remain yours

Yours

A. Henderson Jackson

20. 9. 92  
Acknowledged & return  
Recd 100.

E.T.

Copy.

364/10.

Golden, P.C., 8th September, 1894

A.M. Purgess, Esq.,  
Ottawa.

Dear Sir,

Referring to my interview with you in June last concerning land for a Cemetery here. I now enclose plan, and I hope that the Department can let us have both the 2.70 acres which have been surveyed and the additional 5 acres in the next section. There is no good timber on the land and it is worthless for grazing as there is no water near.

I remain,

Yours very truly,

(Sd) J.F. Armstrong.



Alex Vachon daniel SW  $\frac{1}{4}$  7. 27.21. W8  
has been on 4 years. flattened log house  
18. x 16. with fine window, clear, about  
100 acres under cultivation, about 7000  
under fence, about 300000  
cultivated, but in mountain state, has  
200 feet of dry kin, rock house.  
Value of house about \$200, from  
2 feet deep, when in, posted

Golden 25 Feb 91

Golden, P.C., 3th September, 1894

The Honourable

The Minister of the Interior,

Ottawa.

Dear Sir,

The Golden Cemetery Company would respectfully request a grant of  $2.\frac{70}{100}$  acres in S.E.<sup>1</sup> of S. 12, T. 27, R. 22, W. 5 M. for use as a Burial Ground as per plan prepared by R.J. Jephson D.L.S. and herewith enclosed.

*See Vagdon  
Horn*

The Company before getting the land surveyed, thought that there would be 5 acres of level land, but we now find that the whole extent is only  $2.7/10$  acres and that  $2/3$  of that is a very steep side hill 150 feet high. We would therefore also ask for 5 acres on S.W.<sup>1</sup> of Sec. 7 - 27 - 21 directly East of this surveyed portion viz, commencing at Post 3 on above survey thence East 566 feet, thence South 384.7 feet thence west 566 feet, thence along east line of above survey 384.7 to point of commencement.

It may be some time before a Dominion Land Surveyor will be here again, and we make this application hoping to receive a favourable answer concerning the surveyed lot, even if you require us to get the other surveyed

The land is dry and stoney and of no use for any other purpose.

We remain,

Yours very truly,

(Sd) J.F. Armstrong,  
Chairman of Trustees.

Address in reply  
"To the Secretary  
Department of the Interior,  
Ottawa."  
Do not write about more than one  
subject in the same letter.  
Write legibly your full name and  
address.  
If you reply to this letter quote its  
file number.

M.



7073  
Department of the Interior,

Ottawa, 21st September, 1894.

Sir,

I am directed to enclose herewith, for report, copies  
Encls: of letters, and accompanying plan, addressed to the Min-  
ister and the Deputy Minister by Mr. J. F. Armstrong, of  
Golden, with regard to the land required for a cemetery  
at that place.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient servant,

*James J. Macdonald*  
Assistant Secretary.

E. A. Nash, Esq.,

Agent of Dominion Lands,

Kamloops, B. C.



9. 10. 94

Ask letter 21 Ulls No  
364710 & simply say that  
SW 7. 27. 21. N5 is the  
Home of Alex Vachon  
Vide N.O. No 259217.

By the books of this  
office the only purchase of  
SW 12. 27. 22. N5 disposed  
of is that held by the  
Lumbering Co. I have

made a personal  
inspection if you consider  
it necessary. please  
advise

N.O.

L5219.

has at a considerable  
expense been graded.

I pointed out to Armstrong  
that Nov. 27, 21. W.S. is  
held as a Home - by  
Alex. Packard

Goldman

12<sup>15</sup>. 10. 94

Referring to N.O. No 364710  
of Long letter of 9. inst. I  
am today that other matters  
having called me here.  
I examine the land applied  
for by the Cemetery Co. &  
see no reason why it  
should not be acquired  
by them, that is so far  
as relates to a portion of  
184 12. 27. 22. 175. it is all  
on a high bench, of  
special value, but well  
adapted for the purposes  
intended. There are  
several graves already on  
the property & a good road

N.O.

L5252



Address your reply

to the Secretary  
Department of the Interior,  
Ottawa."

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subject in the same letter.

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address.

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file number.

C.

## Department of the Interior,

Ottawa, 14th December, 1894.

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Sir,

With further reference to your letter of the 5th September last enclosing a plan of survey by E. J. Jephson, D. L. S., of a portion of the South East quarter of Section 12, Township 27, Range 23, West of the 5th Meridian, bounded on the north by the southern boundary of the Golden Mining and Smelting Company's property, on the east by the east boundary of said Section 12, and on the south and west by the northerly boundary of the old travelled trail to Fort Steele, containing by admeasurement 2.70 acres more or less, I am directed to say that an Order in Council has lately passed setting apart the land above described for the purpose of a cemetery and to ask you to be good enough to advise this Department whether the Golden Cemetery Company is a body corporate as it is understood that this is the name in which the patent is to issue. When giving this information please forward a patent fee of <sup>10.00</sup> ~~10.00~~ <sup>ten dollars</sup>, which is the usual fee charged in cases of this kind.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient servant,

J. F. Armstrong, Esq.,

Golden,

LYNCH

PERKINS

Assistant Secretary.



# Duplicate HOMESTEAD INSPECTOR'S REPORT.

No. of Report \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Homesteader Alexander Vachon

Land :—Hd. 25. W 1/4 of Sec. 7 Tp. 27 Rg. 21 W 2 M.

Pn. \_\_\_\_\_ do \_\_\_\_\_ do \_\_\_\_\_ do \_\_\_\_\_ do

Entered \_\_\_\_\_ conditions 3 years

Post Office nearest to land Talden

Present Post Office address Talden

In residence or not Residing

What residence has been performed \_\_\_\_\_

House log frame Size 18x24 Value \$125.00

(particulars) \_\_\_\_\_

Stable \_\_\_\_\_ Size \_\_\_\_\_ Value \_\_\_\_\_

Granary \_\_\_\_\_ Size \_\_\_\_\_ Value \_\_\_\_\_

Fencing—Nature \_\_\_\_\_ Value \_\_\_\_\_

Well—Value \_\_\_\_\_ other buildings Root House

and Wood Shed Value \$75.00

Stock two Horses

Breaking—No. of acres about 10 a Value \$100.00

Nature of soil Clay loam Subsoil \_\_\_\_\_

Area fit for cultivation about 80 a

Marsh or Lake \_\_\_\_\_

Timber N. P.

Hay land \_\_\_\_\_

General remarks he has a young orchard \$200.00

all in Good Condition

Inspected Oct. 28, 1897

H. McDonald  
Homestead Inspector.

L. 11. 37

Referring to 25927  
I beg to enclose duly  
recom<sup>d</sup> app<sup>t</sup> of Alex  
Vaughan for cash \$100.  
7. 27. 21. W.S.

The receipt of  
the H.I. is attached

I am not clear  
as to whether Vaughan  
should get the full  
100.<sup>a</sup> or whether a  
small portion is  
reserved, please advise

L 9172

M.

Address your reply

"To the Secretary  
Department of the Interior,  
Ottawa."

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address.

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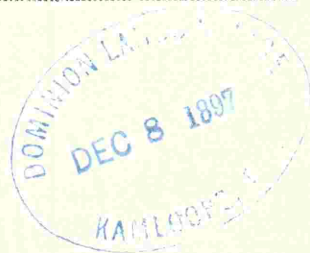
LETTER.....

FILE 259217.

## Department of the Interior,

Ottawa, 2nd December, 1897.

*Ref 11320*



Sir,

I am directed by the Commissioner of Dominion Lands to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 4th ultimo, No. 968, Ref. 9172, enclosing the application of Mr. Alexander Vashon for the issue of Letters-patent for the South West quarter of Section 7, Township 27, Range 21, West of the 5th Meridian.

The Commissioner approved the application and counter-  
Enclosures. signed the Certificate of Recommendation on the 24th ultimo, and both these documents are returned to you herewith, and I am to add that according to the Township plan the quarter-section in question contains the full area of 160 acres.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient servant,

*Lester A. Pearson*  
Assistant Secretary.

The Agent of Dominion Lands,

Kamloops,

B.C.

F. 12. 97

I beg to advise  
you that your app<sup>n</sup>  
for Hom-pah, has  
been accepted.

The Certificate  
is in this office  
may be obtained  
in payment of \$100.  
within 30 days of date

19334

Alex. Vachon  
Golden



11357  
Golden B.C.

13<sup>th</sup> Dec 1899

E.A. Nash  
D.L.A. Hambrogh B.C.

Dear Sir, I acknowledge  
Receipt of Your letter  
dated 8<sup>th</sup> mo (190968)  
with the information  
that my application  
for Homestead Patent  
has been accepted.

Please kindly let  
me know if I can  
forward the \$160, my  
share to you.

the at. Hambrogh  
to receive the  
Certificate from  
your office by mail.  
If I have to appear  
personally at Hambrogh  
the amount requested  
requested will be ready.

Remaining

Respectfully Yours

Alexander Jackson



22. 12 97

Ask letter 13 wish  
they there is no  
necessity for your  
coming here, forward  
the Ark by P.O. &  
the Ark will be sent  
you

Alex Vachan  
folden

25401



THE ADDRESS TO BE WRITTEN ON THIS SIDE.

Commissioner and Agent  
Office  
Kamloops B.C.



Crossed  
out

Golden B.C.

11412

Dec 29

KAMLOO  
DOMINION LANDS  
DEC 29 1897  
KAMLOO

Dominion Land agent

Hambrogs Sir

I have addressed  
you some time ago in regard to the  
payment of my land, but I have not  
as yet received any reply, therefore I  
write again. If I don't receive  
your reply soon, I will then address  
the Department at Ottawa, making a complaint.  
Alex Vachon



*Ref. 369,385 on 364,710.*

AT THE GOVERNMENT HOUSE AT OTTAWA,

WEDNESDAY, the 21st day of November, 1894.

PRESENT :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

P. C. No. 3426.

His Excellency, in virtue of the provisions of Section 31 of "The Dominion Lands Act," Chapter 54 of The Revised Statutes, and by and with the advice of the Queen's Privy Council for Canada, is pleased to Order that the lands at Golden, in the Province of British Columbia, hereinafter described, shall be, and the same are hereby set apart and reserved for the purposes of a Cemetery, namely :—

All that portion of the South-east quarter of Section Twelve, Township Twenty-seven, Range Twenty-two West of the 5th Meridian, bounded on the North by the southern boundary of the Golden Mining and Smelting Company's property, on the East by the East boundary of said Section Twelve and on the South and West by the northerly boundary of the old travelled trail to Fort Steele, containing by admeasurement Two and seventy one-hundredths (2·70) acres.

(Signed) JOHN J. McGEE,  
*Clerk of the Privy Council.*

To the Honourable  
The Minister of the Interior.

*N.B.—Published in Canada Gazette of January 12th, 1895, Vol. 28, No. 28,  
for the 4th consecutive week.*

11434



Golden B.C.

January 5<sup>th</sup> 1898

Dominion Land agent  
Kamloops B.C.

Dear Sir

You will please  
remit by Express  
the sum of one hundred  
dollars (\$100<sup>00</sup>) being  
payment on account  
for my Homestead  
land. Certificate  
to obtain my deed.

Remaining  
respectfully Yours  
Alex. Macdon

6.11.98

ask him 5 inst  
could P.O. \$100 afc  
of you from purchase

has - please find  
office a check no 17735

49462

Alex Vachon  
Golden

Therefore would aske  
the Government to  
allow me a rebate  
on the price of my  
homestead land.

Remaining  
Respectfully Yours  
Alexander Bacon



DOMINION LANDS OFFICE  
FEB 24 1898

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Golden B.C.  
22<sup>nd</sup> Feby 1898

E. A. Nash Esq  
Dominion Land agent  
Hamploos B.C.

Dear Sir

Enclosed please  
find Dominion Express  
order, (\$25<sup>00</sup>) Twenty five  
dollars - for payment on  
my Homestead Land.

I would also beg to  
explain to the "Commissioner  
of Dominion Lands";  
That Certain parts of  
my land (about 30 acres)  
is on the "Sough" and  
not Cultivable therefore

Form No. 7.

No.

1163

~~1898~~

1898

Action.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
DOMINION LANDS OFFICE,  
KAMLOOPS DISTRICT.

From

Date

“ (when rec'd.)

Subject

24. 298

Refining from alkali  
of 2 Dec 1859 217  
Alley Wash State Wash  
some 3000 of his from  
his through his consequence  
to ask for a rebate

W.D.

Smith

24.2.98

ask letter 22 inch  
costs \$25. which  
has been applied  
as per check no 17745  
enc - - will  
look into the matter  
of a rebate.

Alex Vachon  
Hlden

19644

Arranged for the  
reason of other  
business regarding  
myself.

Respectfully Yours  
Alex Vachon





11633

Golden B.C.  
July 27<sup>th</sup> 98

Sa Kash

Dommon Land agent  
Kamloops B.C.

Dear Sir

Your letter N<sup>o</sup> 968,  
and receipt for the  
\$25; Twenty five dollars  
duly received.

I beg to know  
if you could possibly let  
me know at an  
early date a decision,  
regarding the rebate,  
on my Homestead land  
so as to obtain the  
deed of it. I am anx-  
-ious to have matters

F. 3. 98

I am in receipt  
of your letter of 27<sup>th</sup>  
Uto but am not  
yet in a position to  
reply definitely, as  
regards your claim  
for rebate.

9686

Alex. R. Cohen  
Golden

Address your reply

"To the Secretary  
Department of the Interior,  
Ottawa."

Do not write about more than one  
subject in the same letter.

Write legibly your full name and  
address.

If you reply to this letter quote its  
file number.

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LETTER.....

FILE..... 259217.....

Department of the Interior,

Ottawa, 7th March, 1898.

Sir,

With reference to your letter of the 24th ult.,  
file 968, I am directed to quote for your information  
the following extract taken from the field notes relat-  
ing to the S.W.  $\frac{1}{4}$  of 7, 27, 21, W. 5th M.: --

"The plan would indicate about 15 or 20 acres of  
"swamp and Lake, but that will likely vary according to  
"high or low water, but nearly all the quarter-section is  
"on a big mountain side, and probably easy of cultiva-  
"tion."

It would not seem, therefore, that any rebate  
can be allowed Mr. Vachon, but if you think it desirable  
you might obtain a report from the Homestead Inspector  
and if necessary refer the matter here again.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient servant,

*Louise de Reris*  
Assistant Secretary.

The Agent of Dominion Lands,

Kamloops,

B.C.

for the ..... Sec. .... Tp. .... Range .....

..... M.

*The declaration of the latter and the report of the Home-  
stead Inspector are attached to file.*

*I have the honour to be,*

*Sir,*

*Your obedient servant,*

*Agent Dominion Lands.*

*The Commissioner  
of Dominion Lands,  
Winnipeg, Man.*

14.3.98

Ask him to  
259217 & imply say  
that as a portion of  
MR. 7.27.21. W.S. is of  
considerable value  
lying as it does on  
main road, near  
Golden, it appears, but  
not unreasonable that  
~~the~~ <sup>we</sup> should pay for  
100<sup>00</sup> at \$1.00. The H.I.  
who knows the place  
is of my opinion.  
An inspection  
would cost \$25 at least.  
Indian Vachan  
No. 49704 by this mail.



Letter No. ....

Reference No. ....

**Dominion Lands Office,**

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Sir,

I beg to enclose herewith File No. .... of this office

relating to the application of .....

for the cancellation of the entry of .....

14.3.98

Referring to your  
letter of 27 - ult. I  
beg to say that it  
does not appear you  
are entitled to a rebate  
on portion of your  
Horn - which is covered  
by water.

L 9703

Alex Vachon  
Esq

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Golden B.C. 1/

Dominion L. Agent March 29/98

Dear Sir

Enclosed please find Dominion Express Money order, (\$35<sup>00</sup>) therein five dollars for payment of my Homestead Land purchase. I had paid five dollars on making application for my title, which would make the amount paid you. (\$165)

Respectfully Yours  
Alex Vachon

2. 4. 98

Ask letter 29 Mar  
County # 35. bal in  
full, as per official  
Recd No 17758 lue?  
also lue Art  
K. No 449

Alex Vachon  
Golden

25762

If you reply to this letter quote its  
file number.

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DOMINION LANDS OFFICE  
OCT 1 1898  
KAMLOUP, B.C.

259217

## FILE

Department of the Interior,

Ottawa, 26th September, 1888.

Copy for the information

of the D. L. Agent, Kamloops, B. C.

Sir,

I am directed to say that the Agent of Dominion Lands at Kamloops has called attention to the fact that you have not yet received your patent for the S. W.  $\frac{1}{4}$  of 7. 27. 21 W. 5th M. The patent for this land is now going through for the full area of 160 acres.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient servant,

THE UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO

Assistant Secretary

Mr. Alex. Vachon,

Golden,

B.C.

The area of SW 1/4  $27 \frac{1}{2} \times 103$  not  
160 acres



Respectfully Yours  
Alexander McKee

Dear Sir  
I am the pleasure to  
know how faring it will  
be before I receive my  
latest papers for my home  
- that I find it  
very anxious to know  
if the receive my papers.

Subscribed 186

For much Joy  
I am ever and your

Yours J. B. McQuay  
1898

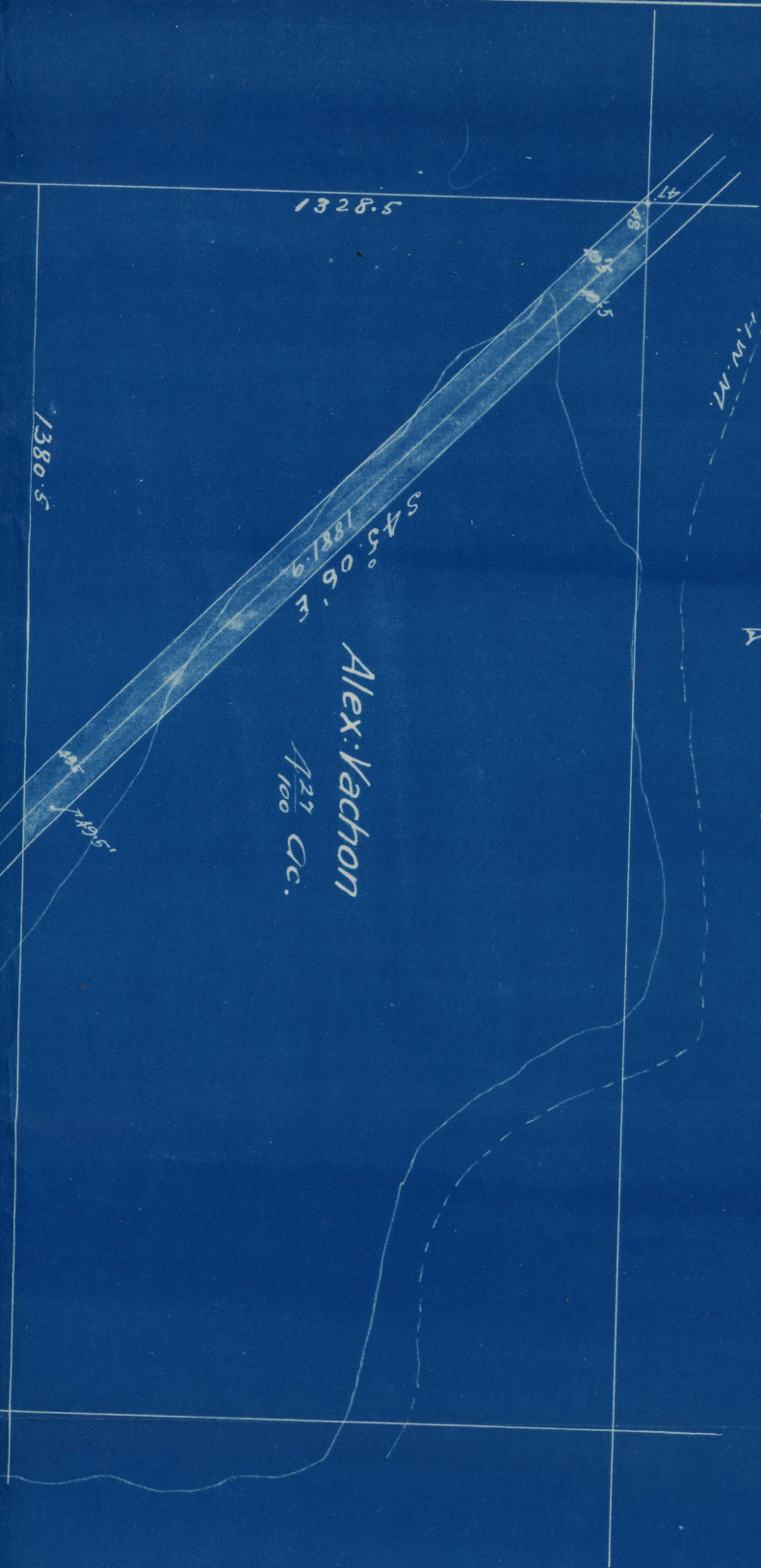
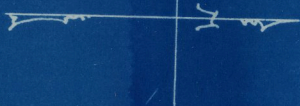
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\_\_\_\_\_ KOOTENAY CENTRAL RY. CO. \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Plan showing \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Lands required through \_\_\_\_\_  
 — NORTH HALF OF N.W. QUARTER SECT 6, T.P. 27, RANGE 21 W. 5<sup>TH</sup> 11<sup>N</sup>. —  
 \_\_\_\_\_ for Right of Way purposes \_\_\_\_\_

Scale: 400 ft. = 1 in.





1328.5

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S 45° 06' E  
1881.9

Alex. Vachon  
1227 Ac.  
100

CROWN

145.5

15.5

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Certified correct:

W. H. Bennett

Concours, July 14<sup>th</sup> 1906.



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property



Sketch of Land applied for by the  
Congregation of the Church of England  
for a Cemetery

Sec: 12-27-22 W5 M.

Golden - B.C

Scale 200 Feet = 1 Inch

I, Richard Jeremy Jephson of the City of Calgary in the  
District of Alberta Dominion Land Surveyor do solemnly  
Swear that I have performed in my own proper person the  
survey represented by this plan and that the plan is correct  
Sworn before me at Calgary this  
6<sup>th</sup> day of September 1894

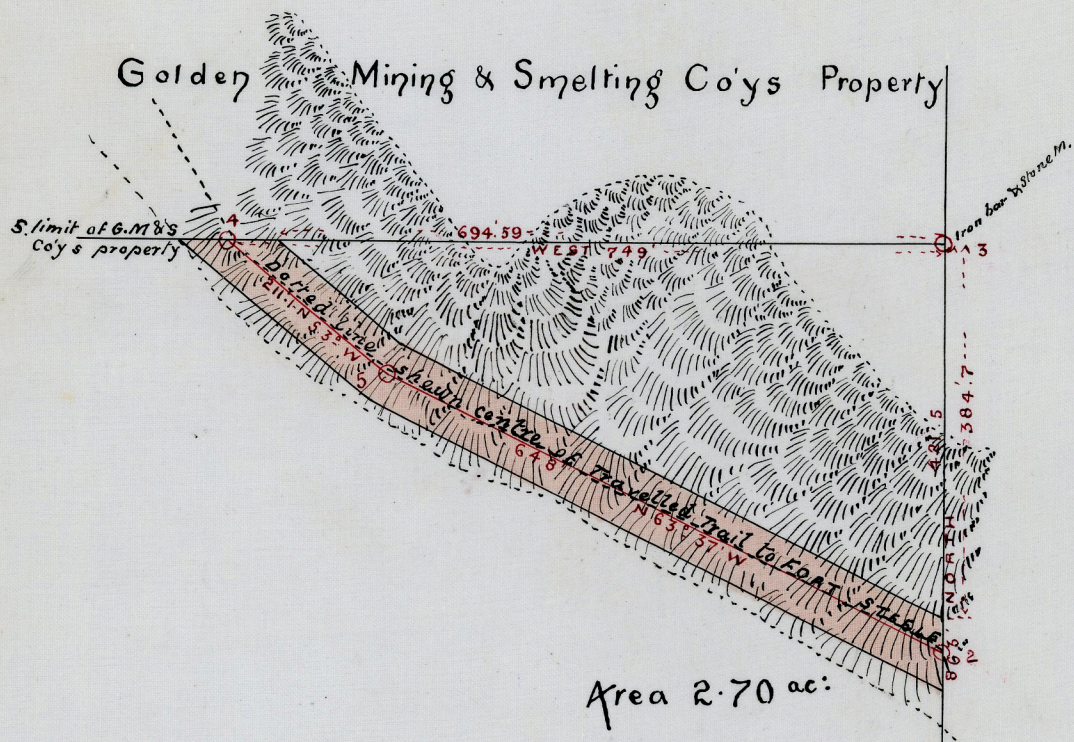
(Signed) R. J. Jephson

(Signed) J R Jephson

A Notary Public in & for the  
North West Territories



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Sketch of Land  
Company  
for

I, Richard Jermy,  
District of Alberta  
Swear that I have  
survey represented  
Sworn before me at Calgary  
6<sup>th</sup> day of September 1894

(Signed) J P Jephson

A Notary Public in & for the  
North West Territories

(Signed) J. I. Jephson D.L.S.  
Calgary N.W.T.  
Sept 6<sup>th</sup> 1894 -

End  
of  
12/9/94



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