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Nelson,  
British Columbia.

Kokanee Creek  
Dist.

Kokanee Creek Ranch

Nelson, B.C.

Sept 11. 03

James White Esq:

Geographer. Dept of Int.

Dear Sir

I have your communication dated Aug: 17. 03  
sent to me a postmark of 'Kokanee' B.C.

I expect to know them, as above by about 24" west. and  
will be able to give me any information of a similar kind  
that you may desire as I have been since 1888 a resident  
of Kokanee Lake district. One of the oldest inhabitants  
and regard to the name:

"Kokanee" means "red-fish" and is the name that  
was given by the Indians to a Creek, running through my property  
on account of a peculiar "red fish" which appears for a few weeks  
at the end of every summer. On the maps of earlier date this is  
marked as "Jesse" Creek, but I thought to be original name. You might  
Kokanee, B.C. Kootenay Dist. B.C. Charles W. Busk

Quebec.

Jr. Kottanee Creek Ranch

Heldon. N.C.

Sept: 11. 03

James White Esq:

Geographer. Dept of Int.

Dear Sir

I have your communication dated Aug: 17. 03  
sent to me a portrait of "Kottanee" N.C.

I expect to know them, as above by about 24" width and  
will be able to give me any information of a similar kind  
that you may desire as I have been since 1888 a resident

of Kottanee Lake district. Some of the recent inhabitants

will refer to "Kottanee"

"Kottanee" means "red-fish" and is the name that  
was given by the Indians to a Creek, running through my property  
on account of a peculiar "red fish" which appears for a few weeks  
at the end of every summer. On the maps of this district this is  
marked as "Yucca" Creek, but I thought to be original name. You may find  
Kottanee N.C. Kottanee Dist. B.C.