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Dear Mr. White,-

I understand you are compiling a book on the Nomenclature of localities in Canada. If you go in for such small things as gold mining creeks it may interest you to know that "Vital creek", in the Omineca district, is not named after a man called "Vital" but after the prospector Lefort, whose Christian name was Vital.

Yours sincerely,

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