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Mr Wilson Duff
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Dear Mr Duff.

May I express my thanks for having put me in contact with Peter McKinnis. We have completed a very satisfactory and Peter seems more than happy with the articles, especially as we had the blankets & amulet belonging previously to Chief Gidex. I believe Peter plans to use Gidex as a central figure in the museum display.

I have just been reading your book on Kitwanoan and found it most interesting and informative especially as regards the Tse-tseant. I had been of the opinion that the tribe was extinct. Some of them found their way to Portland Canal and the final remnant of the tribe were taken into the Kishga at Kincolith. I knew them all well and did a lot of hunting with the youngest brother. There were 3 brothers in Kincolith by the family name of Dangelis and a female (a sister I think) who lived with an Irish man by name Patsy Crogan at Tombstone Bay on the W.S. side of Portland Canal.

On one hunting trip with Timothy Dangelis I had the good fortune to see one of their hunting shelters.

It was a large slab of rock which had fallen
off a rocky face & landed on 3 other large
chunks of the same rock, thus forming a shelter
probably 14 ft by 16 or 18 ft. according to my rather
dim recollection. It was located well up the
headwater of the Tombstone river. There was
blackening of the ceiling suggesting of fires
and the ground was packed hard. The surrounding
valley & mountains was ideal for hunting bear, goat &
quack-w.

I shall look forward to some time
visiting you as I have been getting some
recollections down on paper and would
like to have the opportunity of discussing them
with you.

Thanks again for your interest.

Yours sincerely,
Jamaicae.