

## How The Indians Got Their Share of Lands

1. At low ebb of population
2. On false premises:
  - that they were dying out
  - that they were becoming white men
3. On understanding that their old rights would continue. outside of reserves.
4. On spurious basis of "acres".
5. At a time of evanescent industries (dogfish oil, fur seal).
6. Hastily, without examination of principles, implications, or due care (got only some of old village sites)
7. On policy decisions made elsewhere in other circumstances.
8. Without consultation of principles.
9. Receive limited rights: not owners, no mineral rights, foreshores, etc.
10. There were fierce reductions under Trutch, reversals of original Douglas policy.
11. OC 1036 hedged with conditions.
12. Without rights to pre-emption of outside lands for a long time.

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