
RETURN

To an Address of the Legislative Assembly for all Correspondence and Orders in Council (if any) respecting the removal of Mr. A. W. Smith, Government Agent at Lillooet.

By Command,

A. C. ELLIOTT,
Provincial Secretary.

*Provincial Secretary's Office,
26th April, 1876.*

Copy of a Report of a Committee of the Honourable the Executive Council, approved by His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor on the 29th November, 1875.

On a Memorandum dated the 19th November, 1875, from the Honourable the Attorney-General, reporting that he heard, while at Clinton recently, that no due effort is made by the present Government Agent, A. W. Smith, to collect the taxes due by a large number of the Chinese in the Lillooet District, and recommending that the services of Mr. Smith be dispensed with, and Mr. Thomas Spelman, of Lillooet, be appointed in his stead.

The Committee concur in the recommendation, and advise that the same be approved.

(Signed) GEO. A. WALKER,
President of the Executive Council.

Provincial Secretary to Mr. A. W. Smith.

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
30th November, 1875.

SIR,—I have the honour to acquaint you that your services as Government Agent at Lillooet will be dispensed with from the date of your receiving this notification.

I have to request that you will hand over to Mr. Thomas Spelman, of Lillooet, all moneys, books, documents, etc., the property of the Government,—that gentleman having been appointed to succeed you.

I have, etc.,

(Signed) JOHN ASH.