

Royal Burgh of Donnel

Extracts from Records ancient Salmon fishings

Minute of Meeting
20 Oct. 1890.

" Thereafter the Town Clerk
reported that His Grace the
" Duke of Sutherland had conceded
" the Towns claim to the Salmon
" fishings ex adverso the Royalty,
" and also to the rents and
" feu duties of the Little town
" sites, on condition that the
" Burgh should warrant the
" leases granted in bona fide
" by His Grace, and prep claims
" for arrears, - to which the
" Magistrates and Council hereby
" agree. It was further reported
" that the Burgh would be entitled
" to the rents from Whitunday last,
" and payable at Martinmas yearly.
" The claim to the Towns allotments
" was reserved by both parties from
" the settlement."

" In the meantime we may mention
" that according to Mr. Jamieson's
" recollection of what passed
" on the subject, the question of
" the houses was given up by
" His Grace, but the question
" of salmon fishing was not
" given up."

Letter, Fooks & Co, to
The Town Clerk
22 Oct 1890.

" "As to the salmon fishing,
" I am sorry that there should
" be any difference as to what
" passed at the interview, as I
" certainly understood that these
" were given up also."

Letter
Town Clerk to
Fooks & Co. 23 Oct 1890.

" Mr. McLean has communicated
" to us your letter of the 28th ult,
" together with the Extract from
" the Minutes of Council referred
" to in that letter.

Letter
Fooks & Co to Town Clerk
6 Nov 1890.

" "We think it right to
" point out to you that the
" statements contained in the
" Extract Minute with reference
" to
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to the salmon fishing ex adverso
 of the Royalty are not accurate
 as the Duke of Sutherland did
 not agree to give up his claims
 to the salmon fishing in question,
 and, accordingly, you are to
 understand that His Grace does
 not acquiesce in that portion
 of the Minute, although the
 factor will retain the extract
 as a document shewing the
 arrangement come to regarding
 the Little town sites"

Extracted by me
 Hector M. Mackay.
 Town Clerk

Burgh of Dornoch

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