


1 should have been made aware of?

2 A Yes.

3 Q All right. What about an offer? For instance, let's  
4 say that Ms. Bell received an offer for the purchase  
5 of the mineral interests in this case for \$120,000,  
6 would that also have been something that you  
7 believe --

8 A No. I don't consider that to be part of the   
9 accounting duties of a trustee, just an offer. The  
10 trustee has the authority to accept offers and  
11 receive offers and enter into transactions.

12 But the accounting -- what I understand, the  
13 accounting duties of a trustee is that whenever any  
14 transactions actually occur, that there's supposed to  
15 be an accounting provided of those transactions to  
16 the beneficiaries.

17 Q Do you recall discussing with Ms. Bell any other  
18 duties that she may have had as trustee such as the  
19 duty to manage the trust solely in the interest of  
20 the beneficiaries any kind of duty of disclosure,  
21 anything like that?

22 A I don't specifically recall, you know, statements  
23 like that being made to her. But from these notes of  
24 that meeting -- I mean, these notes seem to tell me  
25 that what I was attempting to do during that meeting

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