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Honorable the Privy Council, approved by
His Excellency the Governor General in
Council, on the 11th. October, 1888.



On a Memorandum dated 6th. October 1888, from
the Superintendent General of Indian Affairs, re-
presenting that application was made in the year
1886 by the Indians of the county of Pictou, Province
of Nova Scotia, whose Reserve is situated at Fisher's
Grant, West Harbour in the said County for a parcel
of land which belongs said Reserve to be purchased for
them, said parcel of land containing about 30 acres,
owned by Mrs. Copeland, who has expressed a willing-
ness to sell the same. That the Indian Agent recom-
mended the purchase inasmuch as the Indians require
the same for the purpose of procuring wood therefrom,
there being a deficiency of timber on their present
Reserve, and the Agent stated that by the possession
of said piece of land the white Settlers in the vicini-
ty would be spared considerable annoyance and loss
to which they are at present exposed by the encroach-
ments of the Indians upon their property. The owner of
the land applied for by the Indians, complains that
they have already taken partial possession of
same.

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the Indian Land Registry.
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The Honorable

The Superintendent General of Indian Affairs.

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