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McKenzie
 convey property
 of this letter to
 Russell & sons
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Re liquor in possession of parties on Highway running
 through Indian Reserves in Manitoba and parties having liquor
 in their possession on Lands patented to them within the Reserves

In my opinion persons having liquor in their possession
 on a Highway running through an Indian Reserve may be
 proceeded against under Section 91 of The Indian Act of
 1880 as amended by 44 Victoria Chapter 17 Section 11 -
 with regard to parties having liquor in their possession
 on lands patented to them within the Reserves it is not stated
 how, or under what authority the Patents to these lands were
 obtained, and therefore I cannot give an opinion upon that
 point without further information

X must be by
 Special warrant

L. C. Auker
 Deputy Superintendent General
 Indian Affairs

J. A. R. Stewart
 Geo. W. R. Smith
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