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Ottawa, 3rd December, 1906-

Sir,

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 26th Ultimo, enclosing copy of a Resolution passed by the Georgina Island Band requesting permission to employ a saw mill and shingle machine to saw lumber and shingles for the use of the Band, also for permission for 13 Members to cut wood on their Locations for Sale.

In reply I have to state that you may issue free Permits to Members requiring them, to cut sufficient of the fallen Timber to do the necessary repairs, and to pay the Mill Owner for sawing on terms stated.

You may also issue Permits to cut wood, on the condition that the land cut over adjoins existing clearances, and that the holders shall clear and fence and put the land under cultivation the following Season, or sow sufficient grass and clover seed thereon to prevent growth of noxious weeds. It will devolve upon you to see that these conditions are fully carried out.

Your obedient servant,

John Yates, Esq.
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Virginia,
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J.D. MOLEAN

Secretary-