Ottawa, 26th May, 1904.

A communication has been received from the President of the Peterborough Historical Society stating that he has been informed by Chief Paudash, of the Rice Lake Band, County of Peterborough, that a small number of Indians are residing near Moose Point, in Georgian Bay, and that these Indians, who came over as allies of the British during the Revolutionary War, have not received either lands or moneys from the Government.

The Department has no knowledge of the Indians referred to and will be glad to know whether any such are residing near Moose Deer Point, and, if so, whether the statements made by Chief Paudash regarding them are correct.

Your obedient servant,

Secretary.

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