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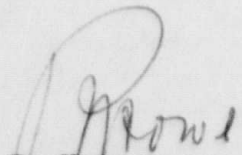
I wish to refer to your letter of June 24th regarding the meeting with our Deputy Minister and Director and other Branch officials at Prince Rupert July 18th and 19th next. I have consulted a number of Band Councils in the Agency and the following delegates have been chosen to represent the Stuart Lake Agency:

1. Chief Maxine GEORGE, No. 6, Fraser Lake Band
2. Chief Enoch ALEXIS, No. 54, Stony Creek Band
3. Edward M. JOHN, No. 70, Neoslie Band
(Past immediate Chief of the Band)

It is noted from your list that a delegate from the Fort George Band was indicated. The good members of this Band are all working and widely scattered. Those who are on hand are not suitable candidates to attend the meeting.

The 3 delegates listed are reliable and above average intelligence. I do not think we could make a better selection to present the Bands in this Agency.

I intend to drive the delegates to Prince Rupert in the Departmental car, arriving the evening of July 17th.


R. Howe,
Superintendent

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