

The Name of the Original Purchaser W. Stapley to whom it was sold on the 6<sup>th</sup> Decr. 1855. for the sum of \$221.99 of which the first installment \$43.97 only has been paid leaving \$147.93 in Principal to be paid and the interest thereon at 6 per Cent from the date of sale to date of payment.

I am &c &c  
 (Sg. A. S. Langwin  
 Secy of State -

Department of Secy of State  
 Indian Branch  
 Ottawa 18 June 1869

A. Sproat Esq.  
 M.P.  
 House of Commons

Sir  
 Referring to your letter of the 14<sup>th</sup> Instant. I beg to enclose herein the Assignments from Ludwig Scribbs to William Bull of the N<sup>o</sup> 13 part of lot A in 25 Con. Township of Amabel and from Henry Scribbs to William Bull of the N<sup>o</sup> 13 part of lot No 1 in 25 Con. same Township and I have to refer you to the 2<sup>nd</sup> Subsection of Section 18-23 Vic. Cap. 2 which provides that if any such out-lying Township to any such Assignment is deceased or has left the Province the Commissioner (now the Secretary of State) may register such Assignment is upon the production of an affidavit proving the death or absence of such Witness and his handwriting or the handwriting of the party making such Assignment. And as the affidavits to both Assignments are defective in as much as the place of execution of the Assignments are not mentioned therein in order to render Mr Bull title to the lands complete it will be requisite that the Instruments be either reattested or that the requirements of the Subsection above quoted be complied with.

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 (Sg. A. S. Langwin  
 Secy of State

Department of Secy of State  
 Indian Branch  
 Ottawa 19 June 1869

J. T. Gillison Esq.  
 V. S. & Com.  
 Indian Office  
 Brandon  
 Onto.

Sir  
 I am in receipt of your letter of the 16<sup>th</sup> Instant transmitting the Minutes of a Council of the Chiefs of the Six Nations held on the 8<sup>th</sup> 19<sup>th</sup> and 15<sup>th</sup> Instant and have to observe that in all cases of appropriations of money both in the Six Nations and the Mississauga of the Credit the names not only of yourself but of a sufficiently number of the Chiefs and principal men should be affixed to each requisition.

I am &c &c  
 (Sg. A. S. Langwin  
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 Indian Branch

Ottawa 19 June 1869

Robt. M. Kenzie Esq.  
 V. S. & Com.  
 Indian Office  
 Sarnia  
 Onto.

Sir  
 I transmit to you herewith the Petition of the Malpelo Island Indians praying for a portion of the annuity money now paid to the Chippewas of Sarnia with certain affidavits which accompany it and I also transmit, a copy of a Report thereon by the Deputy Superintendent of Indian Affairs with a view to your opening the subject with the Sarnia Indians and of reporting such information to me as you may be able to collect.

The Petition and Affidavits you will return with your report.

I am &c &c  
 (Sg. A. S. Langwin  
 Secy of State -

Department of Secy of State  
 Indian Branch

Ottawa 19 June 1869

Wm. Plummer Esq.  
 V. S. & Com.  
 Monitoring  
 Onto.

Sir  
 I transmit to you herewith a copy of an extract from a report of the Deputy Sup<sup>t</sup> of Indian Affairs, which have approved of on the case of the Chief Tokis and Shuleawhequick, and I have to instruct you to convey to those Chiefs the decision I have come to in the matter as contained in the enclosed documents.

I am &c &c  
 (Sg. A. S. Langwin Secy