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MEMORANDUM

Ottawa 14th March 1899

To the Secretary.

With reference to the Resolution of the 7th Ultimo, of the Council of the Moravians of the Thames, requesting the Department to send a Surveyor from Headquarters to make a re-survey of their Reserve, I beg to report that a similar request was preferred by that Council in 1893. No action appears to have been taken thereon.

A resolution was again passed by the Council in 1896 to the same effect with the exception that it was not specified that a Surveyor from Headquarters should be sent.

I made a survey in 1892 of a drain for agricultural purposes on the Reserve, and can therefore state positively that the re-survey requested should be made, and I would recommend that it be posted with iron posts

I may say that it would not be expedient on account of the work to be done, to send a Surveyor from Headquarters. I think the Department might act on the Resolution of the 5th May 1896 and ask for an Order-in-Council authorizing the necessary expenditure. The amount required to be asked for is ^{450.00} ~~\$200.00~~.

It is to be noted that in connection with the said Resolution of 5th May 1896 that Mr. A. B. Ingram, M.P., was asked but did not name a Surveyor to do the work.

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