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Sir:-

I enclose herein a letter addressed to the Minister of the Interior and transferred to this Department, dated the 6th ultime, from one Wm.Kinnan, of New Westminster, describing the circumstances in connection with his settling on a three acre lot on the North Arm of the Fraser River, said land forming part of an Indian Reserve, and from which he has been notified on two occasions to remove, but he was instructed by Dr. Powell, the former Supt., to remain thereon.

In connection with this matter I have to inform you it would appear that, if the facts are as stated by Kinnan in his letter that he as well as his wife and children are entitled to reside upon the Reserve in question, they being all full-blooded Indians. It might possibly, however, be well to make enquiry of the Indian Agent for the locality in respect to this matter.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient servant

Vantoufune Deputy Supt.General of

Indian Affairs.

H.Moffatt, Bsq.,

