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Memorandum for the Deputy Minister.

In reply to your inquiry, I beg to state that the reserves in New Westminster, ^{referred} to are three blocks in the city of New Westminster containing together 22.48 acres and Poplar

Island in the north arm of Fraser River, opposite the said city, containing 27.10 acres. The plan accompanying the Mayor's letter of Feb. 23, 1910 shows the whole of these lands. It is to be noted that the area of Poplar Island on the said plan is 34.00 acres. It has probably increased in area by accretion.

These reserves were not set apart for any Indians in particular. Please refer to extracts from Commissioner Sprott's decision, on this file.

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Chief Surveyor.