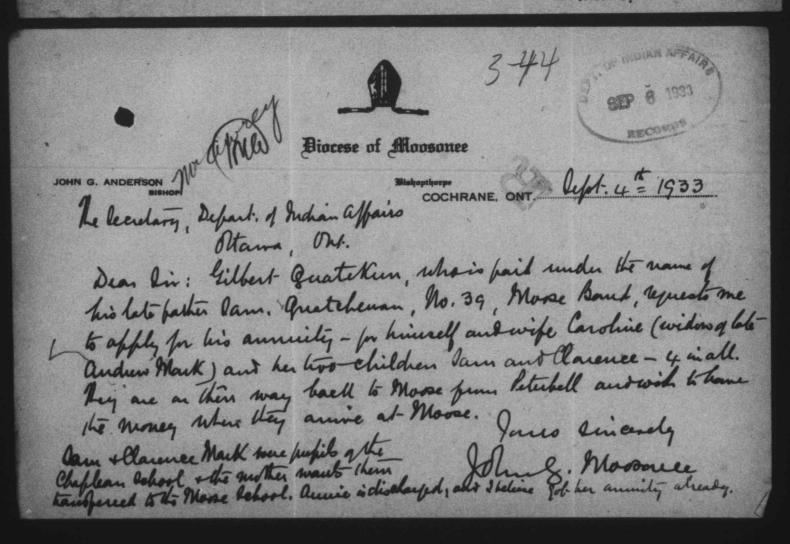
PHONE 1410 SPECIAL MISSIONARY A.F. MacKenzie Esgr. Secretary.upt.of Indian Affairs. SUDBURY, ONT. Sept 5th Ottawa. Ont. Dear Sir:-He: Jas.Luke, NO 91 Moose Factory Band. The above noted man advised me some time ago that he had not received his Annuity for this current year. His family, 1 man, 1 woman one boy, is the same as last year. His Post Office address is 0/0, H.B. Company, Gogama. Ward, of the Matagamah Band of Indians, has advised me that at a meeting of the members of his band, date was not given, every member o' the Band present had voted for the admission of this man into their band as a member, together with his wife and boy. It was to be understood that if the Department confirmed this action, the man and his wife and boy were not to participate in the distribution of

and his wife and boy were not to participate in the distribution of any funds derived from the sale of the timber at present on the Reserve.

It was explained that the reason for this action was due to the fact that Luke had always resided in the Matagamah vicinity, and although enrolled as a member of the Moose Factory Band, had never resided there. His wife and son had both been born and raised there, and that it was felt that being a very steady and industrious man, the Band would benefit by his becoming one of their members.

Faithfully yours.



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