

D.M.A.

Ottawa 25th February 1905-

Rev. Sir,

Referring to your letter of the 11th Instant, and previous correspondence relative to the purchase of hard wood on 10 acres of land for the use of the Indians of Fishers' Grant Reserve, I have to request that you will kindly submit an estimate of the quantity of wood on the 10 acres, or on an average acre of same, also the ordinary price per cord paid for wood standing, or cut and piled in the bush, and the selling price per cord hauled to nearest market.

I may state that the Department is favourably disposed in the matter but before purchasing it will be necessary to obtain proper evidence that the wood is worth the amount asked for it, hence the enquiry for particulars.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. MOLEARY  
Secretary.

Rev. J. D. McL. esq.,

Indian Agent -

Eureka -

Pictou Co.,

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