ottawa, July 26th, 1916.

sir:-

Referring to your letter of the 15th instant, I beg
to say that a flag has been ordered from Messrs. Bromley &
Hague for the Chief of the Shoal River Band. Pictures of the
King and Queen are being sent to your address under separate
cover for the Chief. With regard to your request for a medal,
I may say that the Department is not quite satisfied with the
explanation that the Chief never received a medal, as it is
under the impression that he had one. In this connection I beg
to refer you to the Department's letter of the 17th August, 1910
addressed to Mr. Agent Logan in reply to his letter of the 10th
August No. 116. You should on your next visit to the Shoal
River Reserve, make further enquiries in regard to this medal.

Your obedient servant,

J.D. McLean

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

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