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Rev. R. M^cDonald
Indian Agent
Victoria,
N. S.

April 20/83.

Draft Revd. Sir/

I am in receipt of your letter of the 28th ult., stating that it is the wish of the Chief and Captains of the Indians under your supervision that a piece of land, containing about 30 acres, adjoining the lot owned by Mr. A. G. Copeland should be purchased for them for the sum of \$300⁰⁰, in order that they may be supplied with fuel and poles for fencing.

May I request you to be good enough to report whether or not in your opinion there is reason for this request on their part, that is to say the 50 acres on the mainland and the two Islands "A" and "B" entirely destitute of timber, warrant their request, and whether the 30 acres which they desire to acquire are wooded with hardwoods proper for fuel and fence posts.

Jas

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