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Rev. R. H. Donal
Indian Agent
Victoria,
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Reverend 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 Indian under your supervision that a piece of land, containing about 30 acres, adjoining the lot owned by Mr. Smith Copeland should be purchased for them for the sum of \$300⁰⁰, in order that they may be supplied with fuel and poles for fence.

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 mountain 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 hardwood proper for fuel and fence.

I am

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