

in the soil, and in the
 Country generally, the promise
 was made them that they
 should be allowed to pursue
 their avocations of hunting,
 trapping and fishing through-
 out the tracts surrendered,
 subject to such regulations
 as may from time to time
 be made by the Government
 of the Country, acting under
 the authority of Her Majesty,
 saving and excepting such tracts as
 might be required to be taken up for
 time to time for settlement, mining
 or other purposes, under a grant or
 other right given by Her Majesty's
 said Government."

I have the honor to be, Sir,
 Your obedient servant,
[Signature]
 Deputy Sect. General
 of Indian Affairs.

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