

disloyalty and ill feeling. In any other portion of the Province there is not the slightest trouble with the Indians, nor to my knowledge have any vexatious questions arisen in their minds as to their aboriginal rights to the whole country, except where they have in the first instance been fomented and agitated by these teachings.

The spectacle of men who, are permitted by the Government, under the impression that their labors are confined to a respected and self-sacrificing calling, to direct the illegal councils of their charges, and otherwise to poison their minds must be very curious to the loyal and intelligent portion of those who can recognise their true object and, as often urged, the recommendation that an efficient Agent should be appointed to reside in the locality, who would be instructed and properly supported to inaugurate and enforce the provisions of the Indian Act cannot be too soon adopted.

With regard to the remaining portion of Mr. Green's communication to which you have drawn my attention, in view of the above explanations, they are unimportant.

The statement of my being "sadly mixed up in the matter" and admitting the same to Mr. Crosby.

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