

Montreal 11th January 1819

Sir,

I have been honored with your letter of the 5th Instant on the subject of Colonel Cluuses letter, and the Councils held at Lancaster and Hamilton with a letter enclosed for the Deputy Superintendent Genl which shall be forwarded by the next Post for Upper Canada.

His Grace may be assured that I will not fail to exert my endeavours to impress on Colonel Cluuses mind the sentiments he has been pleased to express on the subject of the unpleasant feelings between him and Colonel Norton, but not from any Idea that his Influence with the Grand River Indians would in any manner affect or injure His Majestys service. —

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Major Bowles -

Military Secretary Genl in Genl