

*Handwritten:* H.R.O.

Ottawa, August 15, 1907.

Sir,-

In reply to your letter of the 12th instant, respecting timber on Cantin's Island, French River, I beg to inform you that there is some timber on the Island as well as on the mainland, and some of it has been surrendered for sale, but the quantities of each kind have not been ascertained yet, but may be soon.

The sales of timber on Indian Reserves are now made by public auction, or tender, after having been fully advertised through the newspapers.

Your obedient Servant,

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