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OTTAWA, 20th June, 1905.

Rev. Sir:-

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 14th instant, reporting that the Indians have no wood at Fishers Brant suitable for fuel; that they have great difficulty in getting along; that they have been stealing firewood from the neighbours property to their great annoyance and loss; and that Captain Joseph Forter has a farm of 80 acres for sale... situated convenient to the Indians, of which 40 acres is excellent firewood, which he will sell for \$700.00.

In reply I have to state that the matter will receive due consideration and you will be further advised when a decision shall have been reached on the subject.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. MCLEAN

Secretary.

Ship in

Rev. J.D.MacLeod,

Indian Agent,

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