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Ottawa May 16th, 1910.

Sir,

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 11th instant relating to a dispute about a road, between Alexander Jacob and John Philips. I have to say that all such cases should be first brought before the Indian Council and only when the Council fails to adjust the matter should the case be brought before the Department. It is of course understood that you or Mr. Blain will preside at the Council and see that no injustice is done to anyone.

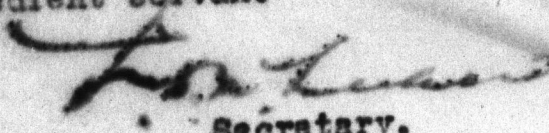
With reference to the present case I have to say that an officer of the Department will be at St. Constant on the 25th instant to look into some matters relating to fencing and ditching. He will also look into the question of drainage at the North-west corner of the reserve. You may draw his attention to the above disputes.

I have to request you to be good enough to assist the officer above referred to, Mr. S. Bray, in any manner that may be in your power.

Alexander Jacob also wrote to the Department; kindly inform him that his letter has been <sup>received</sup> and of the above intended action.

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St. Constant,  
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Your obedient servant

  
Secretary.

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