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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
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Memorandum

Deputy Minister,-

I beg to recommend that the following surveys in the Province of Manitoba be made during the present season,-

The selection and survey of additions to the Bloodvein, Hollow Water and Jack Head reserves which the Indians of these reserves are entitled to receive in lieu of the surrender of Loon Straits Indian reserve No.11.

This Department promised the Department of the Interior several years ago that, at an early date, iron posts would be planted on the boundaries of the Fairford Indian reserve No.50. This work is necessary in order that the reserve may be confirmed and each year that it is deferred makes it more probable that a number of the wooden posts, with which the boundaries were first marked, will not be in place.

The East and North boundaries of Dog Creek Indian reserve No.46 should be resurveyed. There has been considerable difficulty in connection with the fencing of these boundaries and altercations are frequently arising with the adjoining settlers about the settlers' cattle trespassing on the Indian lands and also the Indians' cattle on the settlers' lands.

The selection and survey of hay lands for the Shoal River band at Dawson Bay, in lieu of lands which already have been surrendered.

The resurvey of part of the boundaries of Brokenhead reserve where it is reported that a settler is encroaching on the reserve.

The selection and survey of a 640 acre parcel which is still due to the Cumberland House band in lieu of lands previously surrendered.

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