Elliott's affidavit that he quotes a portion of the surrender document improperly. In his affidavit he quotes as follows, - "Their heirs and successors...." whereas the document itself refers to Her Majesty Queen Victoria, and reads, - "Her heirs and successors, upon trust...."

The information of record in the Department very clearly indicates that these Scugog Lake lands were purchased as a reserve, and I am convinced that the situation does not warrant any further investigation such as is suggested by Oliver Johnston, writing on behalf of Elliott, to the Minister of National Defence.

The documents which accompanied Mr. Buskard's memorandum are returned herewith.

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