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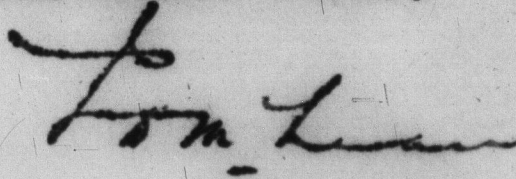
Sir,-

Referring to your letter of the 3rd instant with enclosures, I beg to say that the Department approves of the transfer of the following Indians to the under-mentioned Bands, namely:-

- (1) Gaywis, No. 39, Pine Creek Band, Manitowapah Agency, to Keeseekoowenin's Band, Birtle Agency.
- (2) William West, No. 50, of Sandy Bay Band, Manitowapah Agency, to the Rolling River Band, Birtle Agency.
- (3) Francis Rose, No. 54, Grand Rapids Band, Pas Agency, to the Pine Creek Band, Manitowapah Agency.
- (4) Alexis Weescoup, No. 53, Sandy Bay Band, Manitowapah Agency, to Long Plain Band, Portage la Prairie Agency.
- (5) Kahkeyememook, No. 58, Sandy Bay Band, Manitowapah Agency, to the Long Plain Band, Portage la Prairie Agency.

With reference to the case of William West who is now being transferred to Rolling River Band, Birtle Agency, kindly do not fail to notify Mr. Agent Wheatley to withhold this man's annuity money until the balance of his indebtedness on scrip account has been wiped out.

Your obedient servant,



Secretary.

Hon. D. Laird,
Indian Commissioner,
Winnipeg, Manitoba.