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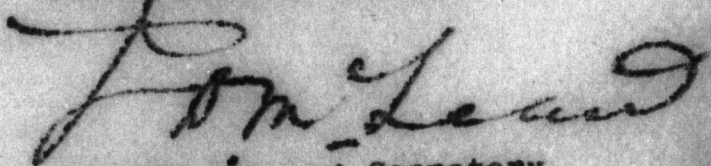
Ottawa, October 23rd., 1919.

Sir,-

I beg to re-enclose herewith copy of the Isle a la Crosse annuity pay-list for 1919. It is desired to draw attention to the cases of Indian women belonging to the above agency who have married half-breeds and to point out that the Department does not approve of any arrangement to transfer them to bands to which they do not belong with a view to enabling them to reside in the respective districts in which their husbands live.

I have also to inform you that in cases where Indian women have married half-breeds, the Department is prepared to consider the question of granting commutation of annuity money provided the application in each case is recommended by the Indian Agent, and approved of by resolution of the band.

Your obedient servant,



Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

W.M. Graham Esq.,
Commissioner,
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