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August 28th 5

Sir

I have to inform you in reply to your letter of the 25th instant that James Walker is known to the Department as being a man of wandering habits and that it is not considered advisable to replace his name upon the pay list of the Cope Croker band until a continued residence by him of one year upon the Reserve may warrant the Department in concluding that he has resolved to become a permanent settler.

With regard to the other Indians

to William Angus

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