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Memorandum, -

Mr. Pratt.

With reference to your inquiry a few days ago regarding the various Treaty parties from this Department I beg to give you the following information : -

TREATY No. 9.

This Treaty covers territory in the James Bay district, starts from Remi Lake about June 25 and usually lasts for a period of about 2 months.

Mr. H. N. Awrey, one of the officials at headquarters at Ottawa, is paymaster for this Treaty. A doctor also is required. Dr. G. L. Bell, of Sioux Lookout, Ont., has been employed in this position for the past few years. It was advertised by the Civil Service Commission and he obtained the appointment as a seasonal one and therefore he is eligible for re-employment from time to time. No other employees are required for this party.

TREATY No. 10.

Covers territory in the northern part of the province of Saskatchewan. This Treaty party leaves Prince Albert sometime early in June and lasts for about 3 1/2 months.

Mr. W. R. Taylor, one of our officials in the West, had charge of this party as paymaster for a good many years, but he resigned last year just shortly before the party was to leave and Mr. Waddy, the Indian Agent at The Pas, made the payments last year. I think it is the intention to send one of the Inspectors in the province of Saskatchewan to make the payments this year or else one of the Agents already in our employ, but Dr. Scott

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