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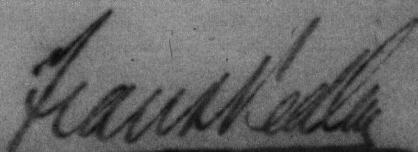
Sir-

On the 25th October 1879, a sale was made by this Department to the Honourable Peter Goss and Robert Melvin, of Strawberry Island, situate in Lake Huron, near Little Current, for which they have paid the sum of \$1000.00.

Mr. Melvin called at the Department to-day regarding an application made some little time ago for the issue of Letters Patent, which the Department was indisposed to consider, pending the settlement of question as to title to Islands contiguous to the Manitowlin Island with your Department.

As Mr. Melvin is very desirous of having Patent issue and as the sale was made many years ago and the purchase price paid in full, I have to ask that you will kindly say whether you have any objection, in this particular case, to the issue of Patent as desired.

Your obedient servant



Deputy Superintendent General
of Indian Affairs.

Mr. White, Esq.,

Asst. Commr. of Crown Lands,

Toronto,

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