

Ottawa, 17th Feby., 1892.

Sir:-

Referring to your letter of the 10th instant, respecting the indebtedness of Jacob E. Rathbun, late ferry licensee of the Township of Sophiasburg, I enclose herein a letter which I propose addressing to the Deputy Reeve of the Township of Sophiasburg in reply to a letter from him on the subject of the right of the ferry run under the license from the Municipality to land upon the Tyendinaga shore.

I would be glad to have your views as to the probability of the terms proposed in that letter being complied with by the Township. And I would here also state that the costs of Rathbun in connection with the award have never been paid. These amount, as you are aware, to one-third of the total costs which were \$280, and therefore Rathbun's share would be \$93.33; and in addition to that one-third of your own bill is fairly chargeable, I consider, to him, which would be \$114.33. The whole amount therefore properly payable to the Department by Rathbun or someone for him as his share of the costs would be \$207.66.

Henry R. Bedford, Esq.,

Barrister,

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