

Ottawa, July 11th., 1919.

Sir,-

I beg to transmit herewith an extract from a report made by Corp. L.M.Lloyd Walters, who is in charge of the Fort Resolution Detachment of the R.N.W.M.P., which report reached this Department through the office of the Comptroller. You will observe it relates to the case of an Indian known as "Crazy Pierre", who is living in the Fort Rae District. This man apparently is irresponsible and it would appear that owing to his mental condition he has caused some trouble amongst the other Indians. The Department desires to have you inquire very carefully into the case with a view to ascertaining whether it is safe to allow this man to be at large. If you find that he should be placed under control, possibly you may be able to make some arrangement to have him cared for at Fort Simpson hospital, either in the said institution or by some person living in the vicinity thereof, or you may find it desirable to make arrangements for his care at the mission.

You will observe from the extract enclosed that it is said that a report was made in this case in 1915. It has not been found possible to trace the said report; the information furnished in connection therewith being indefinite. I may add that the Department leaves this case in your hands and expects you to deal with it in a proper manner. You should submit a full report in due course stating what action you have taken.

Your obedient servant,

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Asst. Deputy and Secretary.