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Sir

In connection with
previous correspondence
on the subject of Mr
Donald Macmaster's claim
to St John's or Big Island
in the River St Lawrence
I have to inform you that
the Department is advised
~~that of the right of the~~
~~Indians to leave the Island~~
~~in question to the late David~~
~~Thompson~~ admitted
that Mr Macmaster has shown
sufficient title to be
considered as the holder of
the lease originally granted
to Mr Thompson & the
parties through whom Mr
Macmaster claims have
shown a good title of
possession against any
one but the Crown
Mr Macmaster may
therefore be recognized
as the lessee of the Island