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Ottawa 28th November, 1918.

Sir:-

Referring to your letter of the 22nd instant, relative to the amount due the estate of the late Philip Menomence for his services as fire-ranger on the Parry Island Reserve, I beg to say that you should inform the Department whether this man left a will, and if he did, you should send a copy thereof here.

Be good enough also to say whether Menomence was a married man. If he was married you should give his wife's christian name. If he was unmarried you should state the names of his nearest of kin.

Accounts against the estate incurred by the deceased in connection with fire-ranging should be sent to the Department, accompanied in each case, by a statutory declaration as to correctness of the same, from the claimant. If the said accounts are in order they will be paid from the wages held by the Department, and the balance will be paid to the estate.

Your obedient servant.



Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

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