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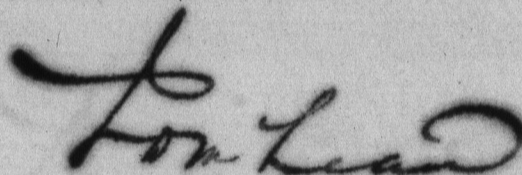
Ottawa, October 3, 1907.

Sir,-

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your communication of the 24th ultimo, in regard to transfer to you of lease of portion of Deadman's Creek Indian Reserve by Mr. James G. Shields, and in reply to say that the Department is unable to give the consent desired, until a report which has been asked for has been received from the Local Superintendent at Victoria.

As requested, I enclose copy of plan of the property in question.

Your obedient servant,



Secretary.

Smith Curtis, Esq.,
Rossland, B. C.

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