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Report of the trustees of the Six Nation Indians on claims by various persons to lands belonging to them on the Grand River. Certificate of the validity of the power of attorney produced by W. J. Kerr at a meeting of the General Council of Indians.

May 23, Strubley.

Lindsay to ———. Remarks on the depressed state of agriculture. The remedy is emigration to the colonies where there is plenty of room, particularly in Upper Canada, and the emigrants would become good customers for manufactured goods. Proposes as a means of settling them to dispose of Crown and clergy lands by lottery. How the lottery should be managed.

May 25, Toronto.

J. B. Robinson to Hay. In consequence of the approaching departure of Archdeacon Mountain some ecclesiastical arrangement for the division of the diocese of Quebec will most likely be brought under the consideration of the government. The claims of Dr. Strachan, his qualifications. His services and long experience cannot be overlooked. The kindness shown to him (Robinson) by Strachan leads him to urge his claims.

May 27, Toronto.

Mackenzie to Colonial Secretary. Sends duplicate of petition by Daniel Arnot of Clarke, complaining that the clergy are about to take away a lot he had agreed to purchase.

May 28, Toronto.

Enclosed. Petition of Arnot. Strachan to Aberdeen. Discusses the question of the division of the diocese of Quebec. States his claims to the position of Bishop of the additional diocese and cannot believe that any one could be placed over him in any arrangement regarding the church in Canada.

Enclosed. Strachan to Bathurst. On the subject of the division of the diocese of Quebec.

Strachan to Bathurst. Urges his claim to be Bishop in succession to the late Lord Bishop of Quebec.

Bathurst to Strachan. Shall not consider the establishment of a bishopric in Upper Canada until he shall be satisfied there is an adequate endowment.

The same to the same. Had told the Rev. Mr. Stewart when informing him of his being made Bishop that until the division of the diocese there should be two Archdeacons attached to the upper provinces, Strachan to be Archdeacon of Kingston.

Presentation of piece of plate to Strachan by his old pupils. 908 Presentation of a piece of plate by the Chief Justice and other gentle-

men. Bastable to Glenelg. Is pleased to find His Lordship placed at the head of the Colonial Department and states his disappointment at not receiving the land granted to him. Applies for an interview.

Strachan to Hay. Asks him to lay letter and documents before the Colonial Secretary and to give favourable consideration to his present

June 1, Edinburgh.

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Thomson, Moderator of the General Assembly of the Church of Scotland, to Glenelg. Sends memorial from the Synod in Canada in connection with the Church of Scotland; supports the claim to a portion of the clergy reserves and recommends the prayer of the petition.

Enclosed. Memorial to the King of the Synod of the Church of Scotland in Canada stating the loyalty of their adherents and their desire to support their ministers but the difficulty they experience in doing so, and thus many localities are left destitute of religious instruction and are invaded by ignorant vagrants who attempt to deceive the people. The Synod claims for its clergy a portion of the clergy reserves in common with the clergy of the Church of England. 177

Bastable to Glenelg. Applies for an answer to his late letter.

June 6, London.