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Ottawa, 16th July, 1908.

Sir,-

I am in receipt of your letter of the 7th inst. in regard to the damage done to Mr. A.G. McLeod's boat which you hired to take you out to Brokenhead River Reserve. The voucher, amounting to \$24.40, submitted in this connection has also been received. In reply I have to request that you will state what arrangements you made with Mr. McLeod, ^{also} who was running the boat at the time the accident happened, and how much per diem you were to allow Mr. McLeod. You should also state whether he furnished a man to run the boat or whether you engaged a man for the work. I may point out that the Department has not received an account for the hire of the boat. Full particulars in the matter should be reported.

Your obedient servant,

Tom Lewis
Secretary.

J.O. Lewis, Esq.,

Indian Agent,

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