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4<sup>th</sup> April 9.

Sir,

I have to acknowledge  
the receipt of your letter of the  
28<sup>th</sup> ultimo reporting on the  
complaints made by John  
Caldwell, a Munciey Indian  
and in reply I have to request  
that you will state under  
what authority Caldwell was  
placed on the pay-list of the  
Chippewas of Caradoc and  
if not by permission of the  
Department, why the question  
of including him among the  
annuitants was not submitted  
to the

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Messrs. Gordon, Esq.  
Indian Agent,  
Strathroy, Ont.