

Shower intervals + a steady
rain all night. Camp in the
H.B.C. garden. Very few
Ontario Indians at the Post.

Tuesday June 5
Continued rain. Dr. Meindl
has his busy day.

Wednesday June 6.
A delightful day of sunshine
advised by a mild north wind.
Bath in afternoon.

Thursday June 7.
Begins to rain before noon - steady
down pour - Wind South.
The treaty is signed. Dr. Meindl inter-
preted everything went smoothly.
Louis McDougall Jr. was the
spokesman for the band & was
very rapid. Signs his name
in Roman. Also Antoine by dint
of heavy sweat. Old Chees-

makes his mark + two or three
besides. They want good
water frontage for their reserve.
Question arose of squatters'
rights - to be referred to the
Ontario Government.
Have been visiting Lavenex for
two days.

Friday June 8th.
Began to pay Ontario Indians
at 10.30. Seventy-one received
eight dollars. Some are to come
to-morrow. The Ontario Indians
elected as Chief Louis McDougall
& as headmen Andrew McDougall
& Michel Penatonche. At five-
thirty they came to consult about
a reserve which was provisionally
selected on the south of Lake
Abitibi immediately west of
the Narrows. The lake frontage