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Lot 4. Con 3. Tp Gordon.

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Fort Bay July 17th 1912

Hon. H. W. Baxter
Indian Agent.

I wish to make application for Lot 4 Con 3 Township of Gordon under section 6 of the Indian Land Regulations I am enclosing $2.50 Valuation fee.

Yours Truly

Alex Orr

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS JUL 26 1912

Gore Bay

July 24 1912

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 105
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

408444

Sir,—

Noted on plan

I have the honor to enclose the application of Alexander Orr for Lot 4 Con 3 Township of Gordon under section 6 of the Indian Land Regulations

Your obedient servant
F. W. Baxter
Indian Agent

The Asst Deputy & Secretary
Dept of Indian Affairs
Ottawa

No Licence
Current on
this Lot. G.H.

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408,444.

Ottawa, August 6, 1912.

Ex'd

Sir,-

I beg to inform you that application has been made to the Department for the purchase of Lot 4, Con. 3, Gordon, under section 6 of the Land Regulations, but before the matter can be further considered, it will be necessary for you to examine the lot and report under statutory declaration, as you were instructed in letter of the 2nd July last.

Your obedient Servant,

W. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Geo. Shaw, Esq.,
Timber Inspector & Valuator,
Thessalon, Ont

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Statutory Declaration.

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DOMINION OF CANADA,
Dis
~~County~~ OF Algoma
To Wit:

In the matter of Lot No 4 Con. 3 Township of Gordon

I, Geo Shaw

of the Town of Thessalon in the
Dis
County of Algoma

Do solemnly declare that I have examined Lot No 4 Con. 3 Township of Gordon and I find no land fit for cultivation or Merchantable Timber thereon I would value the above land at 30¢ per acre

LANDS BRANCH
AUG 27 1912

And I make this Solemn Declaration conscientiously believing it to be true, and knowing that it is of the same force and effect as if made under oath, and by virtue of "The Canada Evidence Act."

DECLARED BEFORE ME AT Thessalon
Dis
in the ~~County~~ of Algoma
this 23rd day of Aug 1912

Geo Shaw

Samuel Hagan J.P.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
AUG 28 1912

Thessalon.

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No.
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

Aug 28 cd 1912

409917

Sir,—

Rea yours Numbred 408,444. of August 6 ta 1912 Herin you will find Statutory declaration covering the same

your obedient servent

Geo Shaw
Timber Inspector & Valuator
Thessalon

The Secretary
Department Indian Affairs
Ottawa

LANDS BRANCH
AUG 27 1912

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408444

W. F. McRae, L.L.B.
Barrister, Solicitor, Notary, etc.
DISTRICT CROWN ATTORNEY, ETC.
Gore Bay, Ontario

Feby 25th, 1913.

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS FEB 27 1913

420672

Department of Indian Affairs,
Parliament Buildings,
Ottawa, Canada-

S
1647 - Pd. in full
800 - In list sold lot

228480 Lot - pd. n/a

Dear Sirs;-

Mr. William Burns has asked me to write you in connection with the purchase of Lots Seven and Eight in the Third Concession of the Township of Mills and Lot Four in the Third Concession of the Township of Gordon. Some time ago Mr. Burns made application for these lots and the same were valued by the Inspector but Mr. Burns has heard nothing in connection with same since then. Can it ~~cannot~~ not be arranged that the Transfer be made to Mr. Burns immediately?

Yours truly,

W. F. McRae

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408 444-

Ottawa, 7th March, 1913-

Sir,

In reply to your letter of the 25th Ultimo, relating to Lots 7 & 8, Con. 3, Mills, and Lot 4, Con. 3, Gordon, I have to inform you that none of these Lots appear to have been applied for by Mr. Williams Burns. I may say, however, that Lot 7, Con. 3, Mills, was sold and paid for many years ago, Lot 8, Con, 3, Mills, was also sold years ago, but as it has not been paid for, it is included in the list of sold Lots to be examined and reported upon by the Valuators recently appointed for that purpose.

Lot 4, Con. 3. Gordon has been included in the list of unsold Lots to be examined and reported upon by the same Valuators.

The Department is not, therefore, in a position to consider Mr. Burns' application for these Lots at present.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Assistant Deputy & Secretary-

W. F. McRae, Esq. L. L. B.

Barrister &c.

Gore Bay, Ont.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
MAR 12 1913

W. F. McRae, K.C.B.
Barrister, Solicitor, Notary, etc.
DISTRICT CROWN ATTORNEY, ETC.
Gore Bay, Ontario

March 10th, 1913.

421365

J. D. McLean, Esq.,
Assistant Deputy and Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Parliament Buildings,
Ottawa, Canada-

Dear Sir;- 408444

Replying to your letter of Seventh instant, I have referred to my letter of 25th ult. and notice that through a clerical error Concession Three in place of Concession One was mentioned. The lots for which Mr. Burns made application are lots Seven and eight Concession One Mills Township for which application, I understand, has been ~~xxxxx~~ filed and valuation made.

If you will be kind enough to let me know if Patent can be issued for these lots to Mr. William Burns, I shall be obliged,

Yours truly,

W. F. McRae

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408 444-

Ottawa, 15th March, 1913-

Sir,

In reply to your letter of the 10th Instant, asking for information with regard to Lots 7 & 8, Con. I, Mills, I have to inform you that, as the unsold lands on the Manitoulin Island, have been withdrawn from sale, pending an examination and report thereon by the Valuators recently appointed for that purpose, the application to purchase these Lots to which you refer, cannot be dealt with by the Department at the present time. When however, the Valuators' report is received, the mode of disposition of these lands will then be decided upon.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Assistant Deputy & Secretary-

W. F. McRae, Esq. L. L. B.
Barrister &c.
Gore Bay,
Ont.

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No. 408446

Department of Indian Affairs.

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Lot 3. Con 3. Sp Gordon.

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Gore Bay July 12 1912

408446

F. W. Baxter
Indian agent
Gore Bay

Sir

I wish to make application for Lot 3 Con 3 Township of Gordon under sec 6 of Indian Land Regulations for which I am enclosing Two Dollars and fifty cents for valueing the same.

William Gilroy

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

Gore Bay

July 24 1912

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 101
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

408446

Sir,—

Noted on plan

I have the honor to enclose the application of William Gilroy for Lot 3 Con 3 Township of Gordon under section 6 of the Indian Land Regulations

Your obedient servant
G. W. Baxter
Indian Agent.

The Asst Deputy & Secretary
Dept of Indian Affairs
Ottawa

No License current on this Lot

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JUL 27 1912

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408,446

Ottawa, August 6, 1912.

Sir,-

I have to inform you that an application has been filed for the purchase of lot 3, Con. 3, Gordon, under section 6 of the Regulations, but before it can be considered further, it will be necessary for you to report under statutory declaration as instructed in letter of the 2nd ultimo, file 406,090.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Geo. Shaw, Esq.,
Timber Inspector & Valuator,
Thessalon, Ont.

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Statutory Declaration.

409913

DOMINION OF CANADA,
Dis
~~County~~ OF Algoma
To Wit:

In the matter of Lot 6 NB 3 Con 3 Township of Gordon

I, Geo Shaw

of the Town of Thessalon in the Dis
County of Algoma

Do solemnly declare that I have examined lot NB 3 Con. 3 Township of Gordon. And I find no land fit for cultivation Or no Merchantible timber there on I would value the land at 30c Per acre

LANDS BRANCH
AUG 27 1912

And I make this Solemn Declaration conscientiously believing it to be true, and knowing that it is of the same force and effect as if made under oath, and by virtue of "The Canada Evidence Act."

DECLARED BEFORE ME AT Thessalon
District
in the County of Algoma
this 23rd day of August 1912

Geo Shaw

Samuel Hagan J.P.

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AUG 28 1912

INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

Thessalon

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No.
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

Aug 23 1912

Rec'd 409913

Sir,—

Rea yours No. 408,446 Dated Aug 6th/12
Herein attached you will find:
Statutory Declaration covering the same

Your Obedient Servant
Geo Shaw
Timber Inspector & Valuator
Thessalon

The Secretary
Department Indian Affairs
Ottawa

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AUG 27 1912

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Department of Indian Affairs.

Aug. 1912

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Laird Township
Mac Jennan P.O.
July 27th 1912

408457

A. D. McMath
Indian agent
Sault Ste Marie Ont

Dear Sir:-

I wish to purchase from the Indian Department the East half of the South East quarter of Section twenty one in the Township of Laird this property adjoins my farm and I want it for farming purposes Kindly let me know the price and terms and oblige

Yours truly

J. A. A. Davidson
Box 107 Mac Jennan P.O. Ont

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

Sault St Marie
Aug 12th 1912

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
AUG 8 1912

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Sir,—

408457

Enclosed please find application from J. D. A Davidson of Laird Township McKennan P.O. to purchase from the Department the East half of the South East Quarter of Section Number Twenty one (21) in the Township of Laird
I may say that I am personally acquainted with Mr Davidson he is a prosperous farmer in the said Township and a good Citizen

Your obedient Servant
A D McNabb
Indian Agent

J D McLean Esq
Asst Deputy and Secretary
Dept of Indian affairs
Ottawa
Ont

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AUG 8 1912

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408,457.

Ottawa, August 6, 1912.

Ex'd

Sir,-

In reply to your letter of the 1st instant, with regard to the E. ½. S. E. ¼ sec. 21. Laird, I have to inform you that this land was sold and patented to Wm. Murray, Jr., years ago the N. ½ under sale 258, and the S. ½ under sale 254½.

Your obedient servant,

W. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

A. D. McNabb. Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Sault Ste. Marie, Ont.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
AUG 16 1912

INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

Sault St Marie

Aug 15th 1912

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No.
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

Lands

Sir,—

409598

In my letter of the 1st inst enclosing application from J. A. A Davidson applying for the purchase of the East half of the South East quarter of Section Number Twenty one (21) It should have read the East half of the South East quarter of Section Number Twenty (20) in the Township of Laird
Mr Davidson made a mistake in the Number of the Section.
Hoping You will Consider this application favorably

I have the honor to be
Your obedient Servant
A D McNabb
Indian Agent

J D McLean Esq
Asst Deputy and Secretary
Dept of Indian affairs
Ottawa
Ont

LANDS BRANCH AUG 17 1912

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408,457.

Ottawa, August 17, 1912.

Sir,-

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 15th instant as to application of Mr. J. A. Davidson, for the E. ½ of the S. E. ¼ of Sec. 21, Laird, and in reply to say that, as you are aware, the unsold lands in your agency are not at present in the market.

Your obedient Servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

A. D. McNabb, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Sault Ste. Marie, Ont.

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Maclennan June 17th

to the indian department Ottawa

449299

Dear Gentlemen

eight years ago I made application for a lot in the township of Laird Mr Nickle your agent was the man I applied to he said I would have first chance Mr Nickle was expelled and Mr Murdock Maclennan took his place Mr Maclennan was expelled and Mr McNab is now in the office I was first man to make application for lot 20 to all those three agents now my application went to Ottawa and I was informed by your agent McNab to come and pay for the lot I was chosen on juror in the soo and sent a man and the money to pay for it when Mr McNab told him their was a

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prior application had got the lot
now this man has lots of hard
wood on his own lands and I
have none now mr McNab has
done a little under handed work
the man that got the lot is a
friend of mc nabs and never
made application until last fall
and mine has been in for the
last eight years now I would
like of you gentle men would see
if shuch work can be done in this
way I have always been a
strong supporter of the goverment
and wish to be dett fair with
I remain yours truly

Albert. A. Jackson

Maclennan, pd

Ont

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408,457.

Ottawa, June 22, 1914.

Sir,-

I beg to inclose copy of a letter received from Mr. Jackson, in regard to sale of lot 20 in the township of Laird, and have to request that you will be good enough to favour the Department with a report on the statements made therein.

Your obedient Servant,

WAO

W. A. Orr.

In Charge Lands & Timber Branch.

A. D. McNabb, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Sault Ste. Marie, Ont.

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Sault Ste. Marie, Ont,

June 23rd, 4

I have just received a copy of your letterof June 17th to the Department of Indian Affairs, and am very much surprised at its contents,in the first place I want you to distinctly to understand that you was not the first applicant for this lo to me as Mr Davidson put in an application a short time after I was appointed and your application did not come in for a good while after his, again you say that I am a Friend of Davidsons, I am no more his friend than I am yours, I am a servant of the Public and I try to do my duty without fear or favor.

You accuse me of doing underhand work in connection with this lot, I have been in the District of Algoma for the past 16 years and in that time have transacted a good deal of business with some of the leading men in Algoma as well as with the Laboring class, a and you are the first man that ever accused me of doing dirty work I am ready to put my reputation for honesty and fair dealing along side of yours any day,

I am writing the Department a history of the case in connection wi this lot and I will forward you a copy ,

If you put in your application to Nichol or MacLennan I know nothi of it I do know that A, Davidson was the first man that applied to me for the lot,

I am your obedient servant,

A D McMahon

Indian Agent

A, A, Jackson Esq,

Mac Lennan

Ont,

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408457

INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
JUN 25 1914

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No.
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

Sault Ste. Marie, Ont.

June 24th, 1914

Sir,—

449549

In reply to your letter of the 22nd instant, #408,457, in reference to E½, S, E, ¼ Section 20 Township of Laird, I beg to say that shortly after I took over this Office Albert Davidson made application for the above lot, I informed him that there were no Indian Lands in the market, He asked me to give him the first chance to purchase when they would be open for sale, I entered his name in a pass book as applying for this lot, several months after this Mr Jackson applied for the same lot, and I also told him that the Lands were not for sale, he also asked me to give him a chance when it came into the market, I cannot say wheter I told him there was a previous application or not, as he very likely came in when I was buisy with some other business, He accuses me of doing underhand worh on account of Mr Davidson being a friend of mine, I want to say that I did not know Davidson before he applied for the land, and I have no Friends when it comes to business, I am the servant of the Public, I make no distinction between red or white, Grit or Tory, I try to do what is right, I have been doing business in this section of the District for the past 16 years and am satisfied that my reputation for straight dealing and honesty will compare with Mr Jacksons,

INDIAN BRANCH
JUN 26 1914

1/ I am enclosing you copy of letter sent to Mr Jackson, Mr Davidson applied for the lot first and as soon as it was for sale he bought it and paid for it, those are the facts in the case, Hoping that this explanation is satisfactory,

I have the honor to be Sir,
Your obedient servant,

A D McCabe

Indian Agent,

J, D, Mc Lean Esq,
Asst, Deputy & Secretary,
Dept, of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa,
Ont,

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408457

Maclennan June 26

to the indian Affairs &c

In reply to your letter of
22 I would like to ask
you gentlemen before
a deed is issued to Mr
Davison to put him on
oath did he know that
I had applied ahead of
him or not now he
has told several that
I applied ahead of him
but he got it just the
same now if he knew
I applied for the lot
why shouldent Mr McNab
not know about it

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their were others went
to see about the lot
and saw my name
on the lot I amnot
throwing Mr McNab
down as a roque or a
dishonest man as he
is trying to make out
in his letter to me he
is a respectable gentleman
but why did he lug
me 26 miles away to the
soo y he knew I had
no right to the lot
now all I ask is to have
the thing investigated

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and if I cannot prove
that I was the first
to apply for the lot
I will forever hold
my piece I would
kindly ask for a
coppy of Mr McNab
letter from your Office
I remain Yours truly

Albert. A. Jackson
Kaclennan
Ont

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Ottawa, July 3, 1914.

Sir,-

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 26th ultimo, in regard to disposition by the local Indian agent of the E. ½ of the S. E. ¼ of Sec. 20, Tp. of Laird, and in reply to say that the local agent has assured the Department that Mr. Davidson was the first applicant for this land, in view of which his action in making a sale thereof to him was quite irregular.

Your obedient Servant,

Assistant Deputy & Secretary.

Albert A. Jackson, Esq.,
Maclennan,
Ont.

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No. 408901

Department of Indian Affairs.

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Manitowaning

Lot 26, Con 2, Sp Allan.

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408,901.

Ottawa. August 9, 1912.

Ex'd

Sir,-

I have to inform you that application has been made to the Department for the purchase of lot 26, Con. 2, Allan, under section 6 of the Regulations, but before considering the matter further, you will be good enough to report thereon under statutory declaration in the usual way

Your obedient Servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

George Shaw Esq.,
Timber Inspector & Valuator,
Thessalon, Ont.

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Lds

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
AUG 9 1912

408901

981 - 7, Indian Office, Manitowaning,

August, 7th, 1912.

Sir :-

I have the honor to report that George Guy applies to purchase Lot, 26, Con. 2, Allan, under Sec. 6 of the Land Regulations.

I would most respectfully recommend that authority be given the Land Valuator to examine this Lot and report under oath in the usual way.

LANDS BRANCH
AUG 9 1912

No Licence current on this Lot
Gds

Your obedient servant,

Wm McLeod

Indian Agent,

The Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, Ont..

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Statutory Declaration 411035

DOMINION OF CANADA,
Dis
COUNTY OF Algoma
To Wit:

In the matter of Lot no 26 Con. 2
Allen Township

I, Geo Shaw

of the Town of Thessalon in the
Dis
County of Algoma

Do solemnly declare that I have examined lot No 26 con 2 Allen. And find no land fit for cultivation. And no merchantable timber thereon And would value the lot at 30¢ per acre

And I make this Solemn Declaration conscientiously believing it to be true, and knowing that it is of the same force and effect as if made under oath, and by virtue of "The Canada Evidence Act."

DECLARED BEFORE ME AT Thessalon
Dis
in the County of Algoma
this 20 day of Sept 1912

Geo Shaw

Samuel Shagan J.P.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

Thessalon

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No.
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

Sept 19th 1912

411035

Sir,—

Rea yours no 408,901. of Aug 9
Enclosed plese find report covering the same

Your obeident servant
Geo Shaw
Timber Inspector & Valuator

The Secretary

Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa

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SEP 25 1912

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Advance P. O. Manitoulin Is.

Dec 17. 1915 Ont.

Dept. of Indian Affairs

Ottawa

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DEPARTMENT OF IN[illegible] DEC 21 1915

Dear Sir Lds

Three years ago Lot 26 Con. 2 Allan Township was valued for me by the forrest Boliff. and also again two years ago. and I have not heard about it since. And I am in need of wood could you let me know what is the reason I have not heard about it before this. I have a letter from the agent Mr McLoud to say it was valued in my name. I am willing to pay the valued price for

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Sr. I am out of work and
want to cut some wood.

Yours Respectfully
George Guy

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Ottawa, 22nd December, I9I5-

Sir,

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the I7th Instant, in regard to Lot 26, Con. 2, Allan, and in reply to say that this Lot has been sold.

There is another Lot in the locality, namely 29, Con. 3, Allan, which is valued at 20 ¢ per Acre, and if you desire to apply for this Lot, you should make application to the local Indian Agent, Mr. R. J. Lewis, of Manitownaning.

See letter of 30th May 1916 to agent Baxter re this lot File 29,565. H.E.K. WAO

Your obedient servant,

W. A. Orr.

In charge Lands & Timber Branch.

Mr. George Guy,
Advance,
Manitoulin Island,
Ont.

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Dispute between Lonnie Peko & Michel Sacco over piece of property

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
AUG 12 1912

Regis Reservation,
August 9th 1912.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

Dear Sir:

I wish to ask your advise in regard to my land here on this Reserve. Some time ago I sold a part of my land to one Mitchell Sam. We agreed that on the eastern end of my land is the eastern boundary, then goes west along side the road to a certain pine tree at a corner of the fence then directly south to the International Boundary Line on which my lands border. The southern boundary being the International Line.

Now unaware to me, said Mitchell Sam brought two of the Chiefs here to the land and began measuring the land when I discovered them, and told them it was not fair nor right for them to be measuring my lands all by themselves, without telling me, as I would want my man along to see that it was done correctly. I was the one to tell them what and how much of my land I agreed to sell to Mitchell Sam.

However they made their measurements Chief Loran Jocko did the work and figured it out to contain 6 7/5 acres.

The two Chiefs with him Jake Tie and Joseph Sam ratified the measurements when they do not know the first thing about figuring.

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With the figures you will see on the drawn diagram. I went to another Indian one Alex McDonald and he figured it out to contain 7¼ Acres. another man Silas Gray figure it out to contain 7¼ Acres.

I wish to be informed which is right. The also made the measurement in the form of a squre whereas the agreement was from the pine tree directly south. I told them But they would not listen to me. I know well enough they cannot compell me to sell my land if I do not choose to. But what can I do, they have measure it off and well claim it all.

The best thing I can think of is to have a surveyor from the Department settle it for us. Because it will be a case of main force winning.

I would be thankful for any information that would lead to a peaceful settlement for I am determined he shall not have any more land than was proposed in first agreement.

Yours Respectfully
Loran Pike
Clerk.

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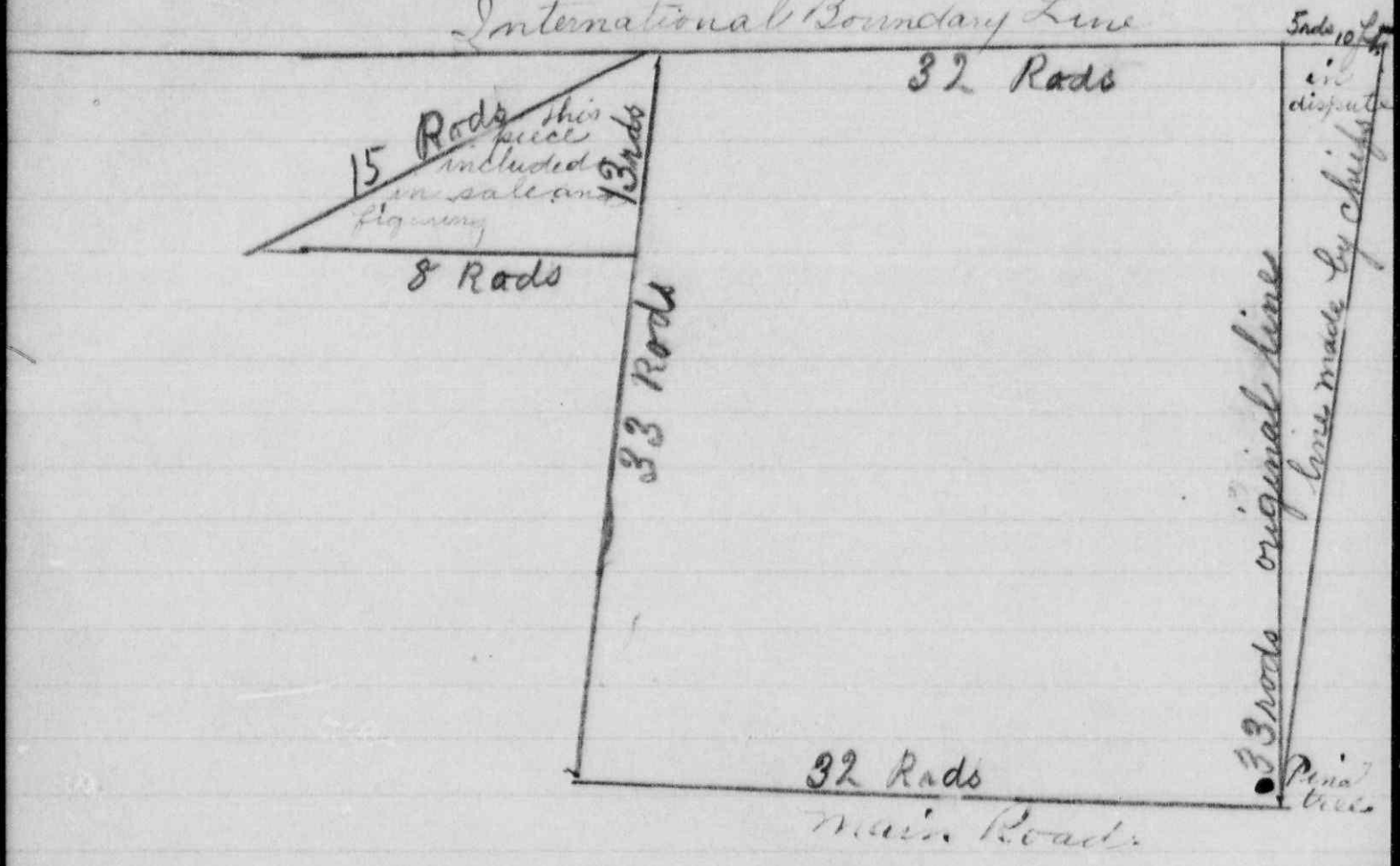

Information called for needed immediately because Mitchell Sons is going to build a fence soon. Which will make matter more complicated

Loran Pike.

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409,075.

Ottawa, Aug. 15, 1912.

Sir,

I beg to enclose herewith for your information and guidance a copy of a letter addressed to Loran Pike, clerk of the Indian Council of St. Regis.

Encl.

Your obedient servant,

Rgd. [illegible]

Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

F. E. Taillon, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
St. Regis,
Que.

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409,075.

Ottawa, Aug. 15, 1912.

Sir,

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 6th instant in which you complain of an injustice done you in connection with a sale of land and to inform you that you should bring this matter to the attention of the Indian Agent, Mr. F. E. Taillon, who will settle the matter if possible and if he cannot he will report whether there has been any irregularity or injustice in the matter.

The Department is unable to decide any questions as to land matters in the St. Regis Reserve as no survey or plan has been made of the Indian holdings. The Department does not see its way to go to the expense of sending a surveyor to decide disputes of sale of land by the Indians especially when neither plan or survey of the reserve has been made.

The following is the area of theland according to the sketch you sent:-

The small triangle to the East.....0.32 acres.

The block of land measuring 32 rods by 33 rods.....6.60 acres.

The tiangle to the West marked in dispute and having a base of 5 rods and 10 feet.....0.58 acres.

Total. 7.50 acres.

Löran Pike,Esq.,
St. Regis,
Que.

Your obedient servant,

Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

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The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Mitchell George

DATE.			AMOUNT.	
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Jan	7	Authorized by Dept. Letter No. 409,075 dated Aug 15, 1912		
		To Measuring land with Agent re Loran Pike & In Sam "Land Dispute	$1	00

ACCOUNTANTS JAN 10 1913 BRANCH

Vote 303 5

Recommended for Payment

Approved. 6D

D. G. O. of I. A.

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Sent Jan 22/13

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I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

F. E. Daillon

Agent.

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Claim of Mrs Tom Sawatis to house sold by her husband to one Jake Grey. American Ind.

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St Regis, Que.

August 7 1912

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
AUG 12 1912

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 764/165
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

Sir,--

I desire to draw your attention to a matter which is before the council and to which they desire to give a favorable judgement, in favor of the petitioner.

It appears that Tom Sawatis and his wife Agnes, both members of this reserve have been parted for about 10 years owing to certain family troubles, unknown to the writer and about three years ago Tom traded the family home for a portion of another house without consulting his wife, to an American Indian, Jake Grey and now his wife Agnes desires to have the chief compell Grey to give her the old home and he take his former building, this Grey naturally does not want to do, although the chiefs are unanimous that the exchange should be made and agree to given possession

Tom Sawatis is unknown to me but I am told that he is residing up near Grimsby and has, practially since he left here, resided with another woman, as man & wife and

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Sir,—

has not looked after his children, in fact to my knowledge the wife has supported two of them since I have been here.

As to the wife Agnes, she seems to be a good woman, still I am told that a few years ago she lived some months with another Indian.

Kindly inform me, if the chiefs can compell Trey to exchange & put Agnes in possession and if so will they be upheld by the Department?

Your obedient servant
F. E. Paillon.
Indian Agent.

J. D. McLean Sr.
Ottawa, Ont

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Sir,—

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Aug 7 1912

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
AUG 15 1912

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Dear Sirs, - I should like to ask for your opinion regarding an exchange of houses between Tom Ka-non-west and myself. Last September his wife deserted him as well as the little children. On October 21 1911 we drew up an agreement for the exchange of our houses. The agreement was ratified by the following two chiefs:- Jack Easley and Tom Oke who stated that Tom could do as he liked as he was living on their property. When his wife left him she went away with another man. To prove this I can get over one hundred witnesses. I have not submitted this matter to the chiefs because Tom has not returned to the reserve. In the meantime I should like to know your opinion

Yours truly

Jake Ka-na-tia-se-re

Chief Alex McDonald

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Ottawa, 12th September, 1912.

Memorandum:

Mr. Pedley,

Chief Alex. McDonald while at the Department today made inquiry with respect to the matter of the exchange of land by Tom Sawatis and Jake Grey as referred to hereunder. In addition to the information on file the Chief said that the house which Sawatis received in the exchange was now rented the proceeds of which went towards the maintenance of the children of Sawatis who are in attendance at some convent. It appears that on account of the alleged immoral character of the wife of Sawatis that some of the Council had objected to her having the use of this house but that an arrangement had been made whereby her children get the benefit derived from the house as above set forth. The exchange was therefore agreed to at the time by some members of the Council.

It appears that the Council now wants Gray to give back the lands which he received from Sawatis and to take the house that he originally had, and the Chief wants to know whether the Department will support the position taken by the Council in this particular case and whether the Council has a right to object to any transfer of land or to any disposition of property among the members of the band.

So far as the Department is informed the

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exchange of land seems to the Department to have been bona fide and I do not see any reason why an attempt should be made to compel Gray to give up this property.

As to the powers of the Council generally with respect to land transactions among the members of the band, I do not think that the Council has any right to interfere in these transactions unless they are for some reason illegal.

A. S. Williams

Law Clerk.

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Ottawa, 14th September, 1912.

Sir,

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your favour of the 7th ultimo, with respect to the exchange of land between Tom Sawatis and Jake Grey. It is noted that the Council on behalf of Sawatis' wife now wants Grey to give up the land he received from Sawatis and to take back the land that he originally had, and they want to know if the Department would support the Council in the position it has taken in the matter.

In reply I beg to say that from the information on file and after discussing the matter with Chief McDonald, who was here the other day, it does not appear to the Department that any effort should be made to have Grey give up the land which he received in exchange with Sawatis. Nor does it appear that the Council would have any power to interfere in a land transaction among the member of the band unless the transaction should be for some reason illegal.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Francis E. Taillon, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
St. Regis,
P.Q.

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Akwesasne August 5 - 1912

Nonwa Wenni Sevate Onen Wationtiohetste
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Witnes Loran Pike Chief K St Regis

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akwesasne oct 7 — 1912

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St Regis Reservation,
August 5th, 1912.

On this day a decision is reached by the Chiefs in the case of Thomas Sawatis and you Jake Isray.

We beg to in form you that this is to be the end of your agreement with Thomas Sawatis.

His wife and children are the sole owners of the house.

The wife shall have charge of the property. It is the decision of the Chiefs.

Mr Jake Isray you are hereby notified to leave her in place.

The wife is supporting their children therefore she shall control their property. The husband deserted wife home and children therefore has no right to interfere.

Mr Jake Isray we advise you to keep quiet where you are now if you wish to live in peace afterwards.

We notify you to let alone the house of Mrs Agnes Sawatis.

It is the judgement of the Chiefs

Because said Thomas Sawatis deserted wife home and children we will leave it to your judgment if you will side with a man who is not doing what is right.

We the Chiefs do hereby award Mrs Agnes Sawatis the house.

Mr. Jake Isray you have been your self saying that there was no agreement between you and Mrs. Agnes Sawatis it is therefore only right that you

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shall interfere with her property no more.

We notify you to take back your house, and I give up Mrs Agnes Sawatis house to her.

Ratified and confirmed by the Chiefs.

Signed

Mitchell x Jacobs
Jake x Fire
Joseph x Seymour
Joseph x Sam
John x Thompson
Angus x Papineau
Alexander x McDonald
Loran x Jocko
Jake x Stein
John x David.

Witnessed and written by
Loran Pike

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St. Regis Reservation,
Oct 7th, 1912.

To The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa,

Dear Sir:-

We, the Chiefs of St Regis, beg to inform you, of the case of Thomas Sawatis.

Said Thomas Sawatis traded their house for another house, said house belongs to his wife, by rights. being all their is left of her marriage dowry. Properly given to her by her father at the time of her marriage.

Said Thomas Sawatis deserted his wife home and children some time ago. sold and squandered their property till there was nothing left but this house.

This house he traded for another, when the wife objected and tried to prevent him, for which she narrowly escaped a beating, he telling her at the time, if she returned again he would kill her.

We therefore beg your careful consideration in this matter.

We the Chiefs are elected for the purpose of conducting the welfare of our children in the best possible manner.

Said Thomas Sawatis has never done any thing for their children otherwise than bringing them into this world. Five cents is a small sum, but they do not get that much from their father.

It is true, one should not wish to trade back what one has traded off.

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provided, always, the articles are ones own property.

In the case of Thomas Sawaks, we the Chiefs maintained that he had no right to trade what was not his own propedty. It is his wife's property and their children's.

We the Chiefs with your advice in this matter.

Signed

Chiefs

Mitchell (his mark) Jacobs
Jake x Fire
Joseph x Seymour
Joseph x Sam
John x Thompson

Angus x Papineau
Alexander x McDonald
Goran x Docker
John x Skin
John x David.

Witnessed & Written by

Goran Pike

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Mr. Cooke

EXD.

Ottawa, 10th October, 1912.

Sir,

I am writing you with regard to Tom Sawatis' and Jake Grey's exchange of land as referred to in Departmental letter of the 14th ultimo. Mrs. Sawatis and Chief Jake Fire called at the Department today with respect to this matter and claim that the property which Sawatis traded to Grey was not his property but was the property of Mrs. Sawatis at the time of her marriage. If that be true it would change the position already taken by the Department with respect to this matter.

The Department desires you to ascertain to whom this property belonged, procure a few declarations by persons who would be supposed to know who the owner was.

Your obedient servant J. D. McLean

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

F.E.Taillon, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
St. Regis,
P.Q.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE, 412864

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No.
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

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Canada
Province of Quebec
County of Huntingdon

Sir,—

Jake Trey being duly sworn states that John Sawatis furnished the material for the erection of house for Tom Sawatis and wife on Yellow Island and that he worked at carpenter work on said house from the beginning until house was completed and that his wages were paid him by Mrs Mitchell Jacobs but that Tom Sawatis had hired him and stated his mother in law would pay as she had his money.

Sworn before me this 18th Day of October 1912.

F. E. Daillon
Indian Agent.

Sa Ke ta Ka na
Bia Sivi
John Trey

Interpreter.
Mitchell Gagnon

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IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 701/217
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

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St Regis, Que
Oct 18 1912
412864

Sir,—

In further reference to yours of Oct 10th instant #409077 I enclose statements from Jake Grey & Louis Sawatis, which speak for themselves.

Grey is the Indian who now has the house which the Jacobs woman desires to secure.

Your obedient servant
F. E. Taillon
Agent.

J. D. McLean Sec.
Ottawa, Ont

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Canada, Province of Quebec, County of Huntingdon. } Sir.

Louis Sawatis being duly sworn, says that he knows that his father the late John Sawatis purchased all the material that was used in the erection of house and that he paid for the same. He further states that his father did this because his son Dom and his wife could not agree with each other. He also says that Mitchell Lacoste helped a little but that his father paid for the largest portion of the necessary material and states that his brother Tom Sawatis paid for the later.

Sworn before me
this 18th day of
October 1902
F. X. Paillon
Indian Agent.

his
Louis X Sawatis
mark.

Interpreter.
Mitchell George

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EXD

Ottawa, 22nd October, 1912.

Sir,

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your favour of the 18th instant, enclosing affidavits with respect to the Sawatis and Grey matter. In reply I beg to say that these declarations do not appear to establish the fact that the property which Sawatis traded to Grey belonged to his wife as she claimed. It does not appear, therefore, that any action can be taken in the matter.

a.s.w.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean

Assistant Secretary.

Francis Taillon, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
St. Regis,
P.Q.

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St Regis Que
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No. 705/203
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

Law Clerk

EXD.

The 5 affidavits hereunder received by me Oct 26 - action has already been taken. A.S.W.

Sir,—

In reference to yours of Oct 10th 1912 # 409077 re exchange of houses and as requested I enclose five declarations all duly sworn to by the different parties.

Your obedient servant
F. E. Paillon
Indian Agent

J. D. McLean Sec
Ottawa, Ont.

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Canada Sir,—
Province of Quebec
County of Huntingdon

I, Agnes Sawatis, nee, Jacobs being duly sworn, do say that shortly after my marriage to Tom Sawatis, my father built a house on Yellow Island which he gave to me and that about four years later although I was parted from my husband, he moved said house to Cow Island, where I joined him later; we remained on Cow Island about four years and then without my consent he sold the house to his brother the late Angus Sawatis. After this, he bought the house in dispute, located in the Chenial and about three years ago he traded this house, unknown to me and when I heard he had exchanged this house I went there to see him and he put me out saying I had no business there.

Sworn before me
this 12th day of
October 1912.
at St Regis Que
F. E. Paillon.
Indian Agent.

Agnes Sawatis

Mitell George

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Canada
Province Quebec
County Huntingdon

Sir,—

Peter Lazore being sworn does say that he knew the late Mitchell Jacobs and that said Jacobs told him many times that he had given this house to Agnes Sanatis his daughter and that he always understood that said house had been the property of Agnes Sanatis.

Sworn before me this 12th day of October 1917.

F. E. Taillon. Indian Agent
Witness and Interpreter.

Peter x Lazore.

Witness George

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Canada
Pro Quebec
St Regis

John Squaw being duly sworn does say that I know that Mitchell Jacobs was the owner of a certain house and that shortly after he gave the house to his daughter Agnes Jacobs, he came to my place and told me he had given said house to her because he (Mitchell Jacobs) could not agree with his son in law, Adam Sanatis

Sworn before me
at St Regis
this 12th day of
October 1912.
F. E. Taillon Indian Agent
Witness and Interpreter
Mitchell George

John X his mark Squaw.

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Sir,—

I, Charlotte McDonald ne Jacobs, being duly sworn, do hereby say that about one year after my daughter married Tom Sawatis, her father gave her a house as a wedding present and that at the time said house belonged to my late husband Mitchell Jacobs.

Sworn before
me this October
12th 1912
at St Regis
F. E. Paillon
Indian Agent

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Ku Ni Su No
Ku Ven O ten K8uS
Charlotte McDonald

F. E. Paillon. Indian Agent
Witness & Interpreter.
Mitchell George

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Canada
Province of Quebec
County Huntingdon } Sir,—

Louis Jacobs, being duly sworn does say that his father the late Mitchel Jacobs was the owner of a house and that he was present when his father gave said house to his sister Agnes and that he helped to build same and that it was always considered as belonging to her. He also states that when they began to build said house his father stated it was to belong when finished to Agnes who was the wife of Tom Sawatis.

Sworn before me at St Regis this 12th day of October 1912.

F. E. Taillon, Indian Agent
Witness & Interpreter.
Mitchel Jacobs

Louis his X mark Jacobs

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TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

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Canada Sir,—
Province of Quebec
County of Huntingdon.

I, Alex Buckshot being sworn do hereby state that Mitchell Jacob hired him to draw lumber from Lancaster Ont, to be used in said house and he told me that this lumber was for a house under construction for his daughter Agnes Jacobs

There were Mitchell Jacobs, Louis Jacobs & John Guy working on said building.

Sworn before me this Fourth day of November 1912

F. E. Daillon
Indian Agent

Alex his mark Buckshot

Interpreter.
Mitchell George

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TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

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Canada Sir:—
Province of Quebec.
County of Huntingdon

I, Joker Skin, do hereby make oath and say that Mitchell Jacobs, told me at my home he was about to build a house for his daughter Agnes, and saw the house under construction and also saw John Guy Louis Jacobs & Mitchell Jacobs, working on same.

Sworn before me
this Fourth day
of August 1911
F. E. Taillon
Indian Agent

Joker × Skin.

Interpreter.
Walter George

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o swen ka de 12 ni ka wi sta ke nok a sen te de tso
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ni ka wi sta ke nok a sen te de tso
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a sen te den tso 3
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skar wi sta ka von wa de te ka kon tse
da sen ne non wa wen ni se da te
wa k ni nion ka von wa de 81 sen ts
te ka kon tse da sen

Dalne a good conscience more than pause. Dalne

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(Translation)

Relating to their building a house.

Square beams, Lumber.....$ 12.75

Nails..... $ 1. 80

I paid Jake Grey .....$ 1. 25

This day I have paid out in money, shingles 9.00

Square lumber.....$ 8. 75

I paid Alexis (name unintelligible)..... $ .75

Nails 40 pounds

I paid Grey for work this day.....$ 1.00

Nails 20 pounds , I bought this day $ .81

I bought paper..... $ 4.50

Mitchael who went with us to Landcaster made the division.

Shingle nails 10 pounds..... $ .50

Lumber for flooring $10.00

" for roofing .....$ 4.00

Jake Grey again worked for four days.

Window frames.&.Windows..... $35.00

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
NOV 11 1912

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 682/27
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

St Regis, Que
Nov 6 1912

Law Clerk

Sir,—

414390

In further reference to yours of Oct 22nd ultimo # 409077 re Rose Saunatis & John Grey, I enclose two oaths and an Indian paper received from Mrs Agnes Saunatis which she states refers to her claim.

She evidently does not care about giving in, but it seems useless to bother with it as she cannot produce any substantial proof.

Your obedient servant
F. E. Taillon.
Agent

J. D. McLean Esq,
Ottawa, Ont.

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I.A.D.

Ottawa, Nov., 21st 1912.

Sir,

I beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 6th inst., with reference to the Sawatis-Grey matter.

In reply I beg to say that this does not appear to change the situation of the matter. From the affidavits furnished with respect to the ownership of the house in question, it is not altogether clear that the property belonged to Agnes Sawatis. In her own declaration she stated that some years ago her husband moved the house to Cow Island, but apparently she made no objection to that. She further stated that her husband sold the house without her consent to his brother, but apparently no objection was made that time. She further says that her husband afterwards bought the house in dispute.

In view of all these circumstances the Department is not disposed to take any action in the matter.

Your obedient servant,

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

F.E. Tallion, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
St. Regis. Que.

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Claim of George Baker against Indians for goods supplied them.

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GEO. BAKER

DEALER IN

Staple and Fancy Dry Goods, Boots and Shoes, Men's Furnishings, Groceries, Crockery and Glassware

409544

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS AUG 20 1912

Allenford, Ont., June 18 1912

Col H Clark M.P

Dear Sir after considerable Thought I have decided to ask you if you would do me what I consider a Great favour Some three years ago I commenced to sell The Indians on this Reserve goods out of our Store on orders Given them by H Ritchie the Indian Interpreter he saying he would collect some on first Pay day of their annuity, once I started it it seemed I had to continue it as they the Indians said they would pay if I would give them more goods until next Pay day which I done but found I had to discontinue selling on cr as soon as I quit, it was hard to get any money on Pay day, they owe me about $800.00 now I can give an Itemized Statement of every cent Bought what I would ask is if you would use your Influence with the Dept of Indian affairs to retain say 25 Per cent each Pay day out of their annuity and have

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DEALER IN

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Allenford, Ont., 191

I paid to me, unless I can get it this
way I feel sure I would lose a large
part of the amount due me
I would be pleased to hear from you
on the subject.
I would be pleased to have you
call on me as I have never had the
pleasure of meeting you
I remain Yours respectfully
Geo Baker
P.M.

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Kenmarame July 27/12

Dear Mr Pedley

Can you do anything to help out this gentleman

Yours

Hugh Clark

Mr. O. Pedley
Ottawa

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS CANADA

OFFICE OF THE DEPUTY SUPERINTENDENT GENERAL,

OTTAWA. July 3rd. 1912.

EXD.

409544

MEMORANDUM

Accountant's Branch -

Will you please let me have as soon as possible a memorandum with reference to the subject matter of the enclosed letter from Mr. George Baker, Allenford, Ont.

D. S. G. I. A.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS CANADA

409518

Ottawa, July 4th, 1912.

MEMORANDUM -

Mr. Pedley:-

With reference to the attached note from Colonel Hugh Clark, M.P. with enclosure, I have to report that this is the first time that Mr. George Baker has made claim for the payment of debts contracted by the Indians. As you are aware we are settling by semi annual deductions from Interest Money and the accounts of certain merchants, and under these circumstances it is always difficult to resist new claims. However, we have always declined to intervene until the pressure becomes too strong. Our reasons for non-interferance are well known, but if we have to assist in collecting these accounts, in the end they will have to be audited and acknowledged by the Indians in the usual way.

Chief Accountant.

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July 4, 1912.

EXD.

Dear Colonel Clark,-

I have your favour of the 18th ultimo, with reference to accounts of Mr. George Baker, of Allenford, Ont., against the Indians of that district, and to say that this is the first time that we have had any knowledge of his claim, and it may be some time before it can be dealt with. However, note has been made, so that it may be looked into and dealt with later on.

Yours very truly,

Frank Pedley

Deputy Superintendent General.

Col. Hugh Clark, M.P.,
Kincardine, Ont.

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September 13, 1915.

Dear Sir,-

HXD.

I have had some correspondence recently with reference to accounts owing Mr. George Baker, of Allenford, by several of the Indians of your agency; I understand that these accounts have been owing for some time and that the Indians have made little effort to pay them.

Will you please see the Indians and state to them that it is the desire of the Department that if possible they pay something on Mr. Baker's accounts when they receive their fall Interest money.

Yours truly,

Duncan C. Scott

Deputy Superintendent General.

Thos. A. Stout, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Chippewa Hill, Ont.

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409544 Chippewa Hill

Saugeen Agency Dec 6th 1915.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS DEC 9 1915

Moved by Joe Katquee 2nd by Geo Solomon that the Depat be requested to authorize the payment of Geo Bakers account against Wm Omegagabough band no 170 amount of account 76.17 Wm Omegagabough acknowledges the ac and agrees to pay 10.00 each half year till the account is paid in full

carried

I would recommend that the Depat authorize the payment of Geo Bakers ac as the account has been owing Mr Baker for some time and he is anxious to have it paid and Wm Omegagabough acknowledges the account and is willing to pay 10.00 each payday till the full amount of ac is paid

Secretary Depat of Indian affairs
Ottawa

I have the honor to be sir
Your Obedient servant
T. A. Stout
Agent

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Ottawa, ~~19th~~ December, 1915.

Sir,-

I am in receipt of your letter of the 6th instant, relative to the resolution passed by the Chippawa Council of Saugeen, in regard to $76.17, the amount of an account owed by Wm. Amegagabough to Mr. George Baker, which account the council is willing to have paid from band funds; and in reply I beg to say that the full amount of the account cannot be taken from the band funds, but if Wm. Amegagabough will give his written consent to have his interest money retained, as the same falls due, towards payment of the account, the Department will sanction the collection of the same at the ensuing interest distributions. You should obtain the Indian's consent in the matter and forward it to the Department. It is observed that this man is No. 170 on the pay-list.

with a view to paying the same to Mr Baker

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

T. A. Stout Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Chippawa Hill, Ont.

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GEORGE BAKER

ACCOUNT NUMBER 25

DEALER IN

STAPLE AND FANCY DRY GOODS, GROCERIES, BOOTS AND SHOES
MEN'S FURNISHINGS, CROCKERY AND GLASSWARE

Allenford, Ont., 191

Sold to Wm Wesley Amegagabough

Address

BUSINESS SYSTEMS LIMITED, TORONTO 12760

DATE 1911		ARTICLES	FOLIO	CREDIT AMOUNT	DEBIT AMOUNT	TOTAL
Oct	11	By Bal 75/12/Bread 10 cheese 17/14/ Butter 46		75	73	
"	14	Candy 8/16/ Pants 2.50 Cap 90/18/ By Bal 1.45		1 45	3 42	
"	21	Goods 1.13/27/ By Cash 1.95/Nov 8/ Blankets 1.95		1 95	3 08	
Nov	20	By mink skin 2.50 To 2 Caps 1.00 Hose 45		2 50	1 45	
"	20	Dolls 20 rubbers 65 By cash 1.75		1 75	85	
"	22	rubbers 3.25/Dec 13/ By credit on part 8 Skin 30		30	3 25	
Dec	15	By Bal on tins 65/19/ By coon Skin 1.80		2 45		
"	22	To Bal on goods 2.45/Jan 3/ sugar 17 Tea 35			2 85	
Jan 1912	3	Lot 30 Soap 10 Soda 5/Mar 26/ To Bal on goods 64			1 09	
Mar	28	rubbers 2.25/Apr 1/ goods as per Bill 3.43			5 68	
Apr	6	Lot 20 pork 1.47 Lard 8 eggs 46 Castor oil 20 Soap 10			2 51	
"	6	Thread 5 onions 6 matches 5 Bread 20			36	
"	9	potatoes 70 Bread 20 Lot 10/10/ Gun Cartridge 12			1 12	
"	10	sugar 5 Lot 10/11/ pork 1.50 Lot 10/13/ Socks 25			2 00	
"	13	Tea 25 cheese 9 Sugar 25 Butter 28 oil 5 potatoes 38			1 30	
"	13	Lot 10/15/ By 12 rat Skins		9 00	10	
"	15	To 1/2 goods as per Bill 2.02 Cakes 18 Cheese 18			2 38	
"	15	Lot 20/17/ suds 15 Butter 30 soap 5 Lot 10			80	
"	19	maple syrup 52 Butter 30 Bread 5/22/ By Bal on Skins 1.26		1 26	87	
"	29	(To Cash 7.57). By Cash 20.00		20 00	7 57	
				$41.41	41.41	

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GEORGE BAKER

ACCOUNT NUMBER 25

DEALER IN

STAPLE AND FANCY DRY GOODS, GROCERIES, BOOTS AND SHOES
MEN'S FURNISHINGS, CROCKERY AND GLASSWARE

Allenford, Ont., 191

Sold to Wm Wesley Amigalgabingh

Address

BUSINESS SYSTEMS LIMITED, TORONTO 42760

DATE 1912		ARTICLES	FOLIO	CREDIT AMOUNT	DEBIT AMOUNT	TOTAL
May	18	Lot 20 Lea 30 sugar 25 soap 5 potatoes 2.25 Butter 20			3 25	
"	22	pork 48 Lot 20 Bread 20 Butter 20 Bread 10			1 28	
"	22	2 hikes 50/25/ goods as per Bill 2.94			3 44	
"	27	Bread 25 Lot 10/30/ pork 56 Sugar 25 Lot 20			1 36	
"	30	molin String 10/June 6/ pork 86 Butter 23			1.19	
June	6.	Sugar 25 Lot 20 Oil 13 pork 18 Lea 15 Bread 10			1 01	
"	14	pork 50 Lea 15 Lot 10/31/ By Cash 5.00		5 00	- 75	
"	16	watch 12.00/17/ watch chain 2.50 By Cash 50		50	14.50	
Sept	2	goods as per Bill 7.63 /Nov 9/ By Cash 10.00		10 00	7 63	
Apr	5	Bread 25 Lot 20 /9/ Lot 10 Bread 20 Jam 25			1 00	
"	10	By Bal on Skins 1.90 /14/ Syrup 50 Bread 20		1 90	.70	
"	14	Salmon 25 Butter 23 /15/ By Bal on Skins 1.18		1 18	48	
"	17	Butter 23 medicine 25 /18/ By Bal 1.50		1 50	48	
"	21	Sugar 25 Butter 23 Lot 10/22/ Lot 10 Bread 10 Cheese 28			1 06	
"	22	Jam 25 Cakes 16 /23/ Bal on goods 2.16			2 57	
"	24	Cheese & Cakes 16 Diff on Shoes 10/28/ goods as per Bill 3.24			5.59	
"	24	Timothy Sud 3.75			3 75	
May	24	Lard 25 Sugar 25 Currants 15 Lea 15 Butter 46			1 36	
"	24	Lot 20 oranges 10 Buns 15/29/ Butter 46 Lot 10			1 01	
"	29	matches 5/31/ goods as per Bill 3.15			3.20	
June	3	Lot 20/7/ goods as per Bill 2.64			2 84	
			2	20 08	58 45	

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GEORGE BAKER

ACCOUNT NUMBER 25

DEALER IN

STAPLE AND FANCY DRY GOODS, GROCERIES, BOOTS AND SHOES
MEN'S FURNISHINGS, CROCKERY AND GLASSWARE

Allenford, Ont., 191

Sold to Wm Wesley Onnegagaborgh

Address

BUSINESS SYSTEMS LIMITED, TORONTO 12707

DATE 1913		ARTICLES	FOLIO	CREDIT AMOUNT	DEBIT AMOUNT	TOTAL
		Carried forward		20 08	58 45	
June	14	goods as pr Bill 3.93/18/goods as pr Bill 7.00			10 93	
"	23	Flour 75 Lot 30 Matches 15 Butter 22 Seed 5			1 47	
"	26	goods pr Bill 3.60/July 2/goods pr Bill 3 97			7 57	
July	2	Cheese 19 Bread 10 Beans 25 Eggs 21			.75	
"	10	Meat 50 Butter 46 Soap 25 Lot 30 Cakes 15			1 66	
"	10	Lea 30 Sugar 25 Medicine 25/11/By Cash 5.00		5 00	.80	
"	24	goods pr Bill 4.62/May 13.1913/By Cash 20.00		20 00	4 62	
Oct	16	By Cash on acct 10.00		10 00		
May 1914	8	By Cash 5.00		5 00		
May	10	To potatoes 12.00 flour 5.00			17 00	
"	16	Suit Clothes 8.00 pork 1.50 Butter 1.00			10 50	
June	3	sugar 25. Butter 54 Lard 34 oil 10 Liniment 25			1 48	
"	3	Braces 50 raisins 13			63	
"	7	goods as per Bill 4.61			4.61	
"	12	Butter 52 flour 75 Lot 10 salt 5			1 42	
"	17	goods as per Bill 4.81			4 81	
"	23	Shoes 3.25 shoes 2.00 hazel 10 Dress Goods 3.20			9 55	
				$60 08	$136 25	
		To acct rendered		$76.17		

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GEORGE BAKER

ACCOUNT NUMBER 25

DEALER IN

STAPLE AND FANCY DRY GOODS, GROCERIES, BOOTS AND SHOES
MEN'S FURNISHINGS, CROCKERY AND GLASSWARE

Allenford, Ont., 191

Sold to Wm Wesley Amegagabough

Address

BUSINESS SYSTEMS LIMITED, TORONTO 427181

DATE 1911		ARTICLES	FOLIO	CREDIT AMOUNT	DEBIT AMOUNT	TOTAL
Oct	11	By Bal 75 /12/ Bread 10 cheese 12 /14/ Butter 46		75	73	
"	14	Candy 8 /16/ pants 2.50 cap 90 /18/ By Bal 1.45		1 45	3 42	
"	21	goods 1.13 /27/ By cash 1.95 /Nov 8/ Blankets 1.75		1 95	3 08	
Nov	20	By mink skin 2.50 to 2 caps 1.50 Hose 45		2 50	1 45	
"	20	Dolls 30 rubbers 65 By cash 1.75		1 75	85	
"	22	rubbers 3.25 /Dec 13/ By credit on part 8 skin 36		30	3 25	
Dec	15	By Bal on furs 65 /19/ By coon skin 1.80		2 45		
"	22	to Bal on goods 2.45 /Jan 3/ sugar 12 tea 25			2 85	
Jan 1912	3	Feb 30 soap 10 soda 5 /Mar 26/ to Bal on goods 64			1 09	
Mar	28	rubbers 2.25 /Apr 1/ goods as per Bill 3.43			5 68	
Apr	6	Feb 30 pork 1.42 lard 8 eggs 46 Castor oil 20 soap 10			2 51	
"	6	thread 5 onions 6 matches 5 Bread 20			.36	
"	9	potatoes 20 Bread 20 Feb 10 /10/ Gun Cartridge 12			1 12	
"	10	sugar 5 Feb 10 /11/ pork 1.50 Feb 10 /13/ Socks 25			2 00	
"	13	tea 25 cheese 9 sugar 25 Butter 28 oil 5 potatoes 38			1 30	
"	13	Feb 10 /13/ By 92 rat skins		9 00	10	
"	15	to 1/2 goods as per Bill 2.02 Lakes 18 Cheese 18			2 38	
"	15	Feb 20 /17/ suds 12 Butter 30 soap 5 Feb 10			80	
"	17	mop 6 syrup 52 Butter 30 Bread 15 /21/ By Bal on skins 1.26		1 26	87	
"	29	to cash 7.57 By cash 20.00		20 00	7 57	
				$41.41	$41.41	

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GEORGE BAKER

Account Number 20-

DEALER IN

STAPLE AND FANCY DRY GOODS, GROCERIES, BOOTS AND SHOES
MEN'S FURNISHINGS. CROCKERY AND GLASSWARE

Allenford, Ont., 191

Sold to Wm Wesley Amezagetough

Address

BUSINESS SYSTEMS LIMITED, TORONTO 127(6)

DATE		ARTICLES	FOLIO	CREDIT AMOUNT	DEBIT AMOUNT	TOTAL
1917						
May	19	Sal 20 Tea 30 Syrup 25 Soap 5 Potat 25 Pork 12 30			3 25	
"	22	Pork 10 Sal 20 Bread 25 Butter 20 Bread 15			1 20	
"	23	2 Hills 50/25/ goods as per Bill 2.24			3 24	
"	27	Bread 25 Sal 10/30/ pork 35 Sugar 25 Tea 20			1 36	
"	30	matches 10/June 6/ pork 36 Butter 22			1.14	
June	6	Sugar 25 Sal 10 Oil 13 pork 15 Tea 10 Bread 12			1 01	
"	14	pork 15 Tea 15 Sal 15/31/ By Cash 12.00		5 00	.75	
"	16	matches 12/17/ matches 2 in 35 By Cash 32		30	14.50	
Sept	2	goods as per Bill 7.63 / Nov 11/ By Cash 11.00		10 00	7 63	
Apr	5	Bread 25 Tea 20 /1/ Sal 10 Bread 10 Jam 25			1 00	
"	10	By Cash on Skins 1.20 Sal Syrup 10 Bread 20		1 90	.70	
"	14	Salmon 25 Butter 23/13/ By Bal on Skins 1.18		1 15	.48	
"	17	Butter 23 Medicine 25/18 By Bal 1.50		1 50	.48	
"	21	Sugar 25 Butter 23 Sal 10/22/ Sal 10 Bread 10 Cheese 28			1 06	
"	22	Jam 25 Cakes 16 /23/ Bal on goods 2.11			3 57	
"	24	Cheese 9 Cakes 16 Diff on Skins 40/28/ goods as per Bill 5.24			5.51	
"	24	Linseed Seed 3.75			3 75	
May	24	Lard 35 Sugar 25 Currants 15 Tea 15 Butter 46			1 36	
"	24	Sal 20 oranges 10 Buns 15/29/ Butter 46 Sal 10			1 01	
"	29	matches 5/31/ goods as per Bill 3.15			3.20	
June	3	Sal 20/7/ goods as per Bill 2.64			2 84	
				$ 30 00	$ 58 45	

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GEORGE BAKER

ACCOUNT NUMBER 25

DEALER IN

STAPLE AND FANCY DRY GOODS, GROCERIES, BOOTS AND SHOES
MEN'S FURNISHINGS, CROCKERY AND GLASSWARE

Allenford, Ont., 191

Sold to Wm Wesley Amegagabough

Address

BUSINESS SYSTEMS LIMITED, TORONTO 12760

DATE 1913		ARTICLES	FOLIO	CREDIT AMOUNT	DEBIT AMOUNT	TOTAL
		Carried forward		20 08	58 45	
June	14	goods as pr Bill 3.93/12/goods as pr Bill 1.00			10 93	
"	23	flour 75 Lot 30 Matches 15 Butter 22 Suit 5			1 47	
"	26	goods pr Bill 3.60/July 2/goods pr Bill 3.97			7 57	
July	2	Cheese 19 Bread 10 Beans 35 Eggs 21			.75	
"	10	Meat 50 Butter 46 Soap 25 Lot 30 Cakes 15			1 66	
"	10	Lin 30 Sugar 25 Medicine 25/11/By cash 5.00		5 00	.80	
"	21	Goods pr Bill 4.62/May 13/113/By Cash 30.00		30 00	4 62	
Oct	16	By Cash on acct 10.00		10 00		
1914 May	8	By Cash 5.00		5 00		
May	10	To potatoes 12.00 flour 5.00			17 00	
"	16	Suit clothes 8.00 pork 1.50 Butter 1.00			10 50	
June	3	Sugar 25 Butter 54 Lard 34 oil 10 Liniment 35			1 48	
"	3	Braces 50 raisins 13			63	
"	7	goods as per Bill 4.61			4 61	
"	12	Butter 52 flour 75 Lot 10 salt 5			1 42	
"	17	goods as per Bill 4.81			4 81	
"	23	Shoes 3.25 shoes 3.00 hazel 10 Dress Goods 3.20			9 55	
				$ 60 08	$ 136 25	
		To acct rendered		$ 76.17		

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Nov 8th 1914

Dept of Indian Affairs

Dear Sir-

I hereby certify that
Geo Bakers Acct against
me is correct & looked over
it with him in his office
to day I wish you
to pay Geo Baker now the amount
of acct gainst and retain the
amount out of my annuity
money in amounts of
ten Dollars $10.00 each half year
until paid

William J Amegagabough
no 170

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS DEC 10 1915

Chippawa Hill

Saugeen Agency Dec 8th 1915.

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No.....
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

R

Sir,—

I have the honor to forward to the Dept account rendered by Geo Baker of Allanford for merchandise furnished by him to Wm Amegagabough band No 170 amount of account 76 17 Wm Amegagabough acknowledges the account and agrees to pay Geo Baker the amount of Ten Dollars each half year till the amount is paid I am inclosing a letter from Wm Amegagabough stating that he looked over the accounts and found everything correct the Indian council passed a resolution asking the Dept to authorize the payment of the account

Secretary Dept
of Indian Affairs
Ottawa

7 57 cash given
apr 29th 1912 not allowed

I have the honor to be Sir
your Obedient servant
T. A. Stout
Agent

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Ottawa, 17th December, 1915.

Sir:-

I am in receipt of your letter of the 8th instant, with which you forwarded an account from Mr. George Baker for supplies furnished to William Amegagabough, No. 170, of the Chippewa Band of Saugeen; and in reply I beg to say that the item of $7.57 cash supplied on the 29th April, 1912, cannot be allowed, but the balance of the account is accepted as a charge against Amegagabough's interest moneys. This will leave $68.60 to be collected from the Indian and the Department hereby instructs you to retain $10.00 from his interest money at each ensuing distribution, which money you should forward to Headquarters with a letter of explanation. You should continue to make the deductions until such time as $68.60 has been collected towards payment of Mr. Baker's account. This letter and fyle number should be quoted in your pay-list as authority for retaining the money from Amegagabough.

Your obedient servant,

Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

T. A. Stout, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Chippewa Hill, Ont.

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409544 Indian Agents Office
Chippewa Hill

Saugeen Agency March 18th 1916

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Sir

I have the honor to forward to the Dept a number of accounts rendered by Geo Baker of Allenford which he has against the Indians of this agency it seems that they have owed him for some years and that they are not endeavoring to pay much on the accounts and Mr Baker is anxious to have his accounts paid up he went around the reserve and got a number of the Indians to acknowledge their accounts and some he did not get I think it is a bad policy for any merchant to let the Indians run accounts like that I have been advising the merchants in Southampton to that effect the Dept can advise me in the matter

I have the honor to be Sir
your Obedient servant
T. A. Stout
Agent

Secretary Dept
of Indian affairs
Ottawa

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Ottawa, March 22nd., 1916.

Sir,-

I am in receipt of your letter of the 18th instant, with which you forwarded accounts from George Baker of Allenford against certain Indians of your Agency, and in reply I beg to say that the Department will not take any action towards collecting the amounts thereof. The fact that the Department consented to allow the interest moneys of William Amegagabough to be retained and paid to Mr. Baker in settlement of the account which that Indian incurred with the merchant is not be regarded as having created a precedent. Mr. Baker should not give the Indians credit in the expectation that the Department will collect his accounts for him, and I may say with regard to the accounts submitted, that it will be necessary for him to look to the individual Indians for payment. If he refuses to give them credit they will pay him in cash or will cease to purchase articles which they do not require. This has invariably been the result in cases where merchants have refused to give credit to Indians.

The accounts referred to are returned under separate cover and should be given by you to Mr. Baker, without any delay.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

T. A. Stout Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Chippewa Hill, Ont.

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Allenford 16
Feb 26

Dear Sir
I have an account against an Indian Woman on the Cape crocker Reserve She was Mrs Elliott Ritchie at Chippawa Hill but is married and living at the Cape now, the Department has authorized the Payment to me of accts I have against them, would you kindly arrange to have this amount retained out of Mrs Ritchies annuity April 1916 Pay I do not know her present name I presume you will know it I had this through through the Kindness of Col Clark M P for reference write to Mr Thos Stant

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Chippewa Hill

I hope you will be good
enough to do this for me
inclosed Please find ac-
and orders attached ~~by~~
Signed by H Ritchie
Clerk for Indian Counsel
I am Sirs
Respectfully

G. Baker

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

Cape Croker

March 27th 1916

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No.
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

H

Sir,-

You will find enclosed an account for the sum $11.17 in favour of George Baker of Ellenford. It appears he has taken the matter up with the Dept and that you have authorized Payment. The Woman is married to Wm Akwenze a member of this Band Band No 228. Kindly advise me if the amount is due returned from her at the next distribution of Interest Money.

Your Obedient Servant
A J Duncan
Agent

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Dept of Indian Affairs
Ottawa
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409,544.

Ottawa, March 31st., 1916.

H.X.D.

Sir,-

I am in receipt of your letter of the 27th instant with which you forwarded an account of $11.17 from Mr. George Baker for supplies furnished to Elliott Ritchie, and in reply I beg to say with reference to your having certified this account for payment that the Department did not authorize the expenditure in question and does not recognize any liability in the matter. The account is re-enclosed herewith. It should be returned by you to Mr. Baker and you should inform him that you have no authority to retain Elliott Ritchie's interest money or the interest money of any Indian on account of debts, which may be owed to him by them.

Your obedient servant,

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

A. J. Duncan Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Cape Croker, Ont.

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House of Commons.

Canada.

Ottawa, 3rd May, 1922.

Mr. Joseph Featherstone,
Department of the Interior,
Ottawa, Ontario.

Dear Mr. Featherstone,-

Can any arrangement be made with the Indian Department to have the Agent deduct for a debtor a portion of the Indian Treaty Allowance?

Mr. George Baker of Allenford is owed a considerable sum of money by the Indians on the Saugeen Reserve; I think the total is about $600. Baker is very hard up and spoke to me during the campaign about this matter and I received a very pressing letter from him this morning saying that it was near Pay Day and that if he could get any action on this to collect even 15 - 20 or 25% per Pay, he would appreciate it very much.

Will you please let me hear from you with regard to this?

Yours sincerely,

(signed) J. Malcolm.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

CANADA

MEMO.

Mr. McLean,-

With reference to the request of Mr. George Baker of Allenford, that the Department assist him to collect debts owing to him by members of the Saugeen Band of Indians, I beg to report that a similar request was made by Mr. Baker in 1912, through Colonel Hugh Clark, member for Bruce, and was refused. Please see Mr. Scott's memorandum of July 4th, 1912, and official letter of September 13th, 1915, to Agent Stout in regard to this matter. These letters are on this file. However, the Department consented to collect the sum of $76.17 from Wm. Amegagabough, a Saugeen Indian, who owed Mr. Baker this amount and the same was retained from this Indian's interest money and paid over to Mr. Baker.

The Department has made collections from Indians for merchants, when pressure has been heavy but it is against the policy of this Department to do so, and does not encourage the practice.

I would refer you to the case of Symon & Sons of Wiarton, who made a request similar to Mr. Baker's, to collect for them from the Cape Croker Indians, and their request was refused, see File 176284-2, also other files herewith showing that the Department is opposed to collecting for merchants.

H. M. Paget
Accountant.

Ottawa, May 12, 1922.

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May 13, 1922.

Memorandum,-

Mr. Featherston.

With reference to the request of Mr. George Baker of Allenford, that the Department assist him to collect debts owing to him by members of the Saugeen Band of Indians, I beg to report that a similar request was made by Mr. Baker in 1912, through Colonel Hugh Clark, member for Bruce, and was refused. In 1915, however, the Department did collect for Mr. Baker the sum of $76.17, owed to him by William Amegagabough, a Saugeen Indian, the Indian Agent being instructed to retain the amount from the Indian's interest money at the rate of $10.00 at each distribution. It was made clear to Mr. Baker at the time, however, that this action was not to establish a precedent, and that any further credit which he might give to Indians would be strictly at his own risk.

In view of these circumstances, I do not think that the Department should be further called upon to act as a collection agent for Mr. Baker, as such procedure does not come in any way within the proper purview of our official functions.

(Sgd) Duncan Campbell Scott

Acting Deputy Superintendent General.

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House of Commons
Canada

Ottawa, 7th June, 1922.

Mr. Duncan C. Scott,
Superintendent, Indian Affairs,
Department of the Interior,
Ottawa, Ontario.

Dear Sir,-

The enclosed letter from Mr. G. Baker, together with a lot of accounts, speaks for itself.

I know Mr. Baker very well and am satisfied that he has been at a heavy loss through the action of the old Agent, Mr. Ritchie, who gave these orders to the Indians to present to him for merchandise. It was, undoubtedly, the intention of the Indian Agent in 1910 to see that these accounts were paid, but when the change was made in Agents , shortly after, the new Agent would have nothing to do with it and as a result Mr. Baker has been out his interest and the losses caused through death as well as the amount of the accounts against Indians still living. It most decidedly seems to me that he has a real grievance against the Department.

When the matter was first brought to my attention, during the campaign, I was rather inclined to make light of it, but further investigation as shown me that a real hardship has been inflicted on this merchant and I really feel that the Agent should be instructed to see that these accounts are slowly collected, more especially in cases where the Indians themselves are willing that this should be done.

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Canada

Mr. Duncan C. Scott -2-

You will note that Mr. Baker wants these accounts and orders from Ritchie, the old Agent, returned; if you will please send them back to me, with your answer, I shall be glad to return them.

Yours very truly,

J. Malcolm

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June 8, 1922.

Dear Mr. Malcolm,-

I have your letter of the 7th instant, covering a communication addressed to you by Mr. Baker, of Allenford, as well as orders for goods signed by Mr. Henry Ritchie.

I note that you are under a misapprehension as to the identity of Mr. Ritchie. He was not the Indian Agent, but a member of the band, who at that time was Constable and Interpreter.

Mr. Baker should not have supplied goods to these Indians on the order of one of themselves who had absolutely no authority to act in this way. It would not be possible for the Department to arbitrarily retain the interest money of the Indians in order to meet these liabilities, but I shall write the Indian Agent and ask him to use his best endeavours to persuade the Indians who are indebted to Mr. Baker to meet their obligations. This I shall do at once.

I am returning, as requested, Mr. Baker's letter and the orders.

Incls.

Yours very truly,

James Malcolm, Esq., M.P.,
House of Commons,
Ottawa.

Deputy Superintendent General.

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409544

June 8, 1922.

Sir,-

The matter of the indebtedness of certain Indians on the Saugeen reserve to Mr. G.Baker, of Allenford, has again been brought to my attention.

While Mr. Baker took the risk himself when he supplied these goods on the authority of Mr. Ritchie, who was then acting as Constable and Interpreter, and cannot look to the Department to make collection, still we would like to assist him if it is at all possible to do so. I would, therefore,ask you to make a special effort to have these Indians reduce their indebtedness by making payment, if not in full, at least in part, when they are in a position to do so. After you have had an opportunity of interviewing them, will you kindly let me know the result.

Yours truly,

Deputy Superintendent General.

Thomas A.Stout, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Chippewa Hill, Ont.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
OCT 18 1922
RECORDS

.....Chippawa.....Hill,.....

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No.....409544
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

Saugeen Agency, Oct., 16 1922.

ACCOUNTANT'S BRANCH
OCT 20 1922

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June 8 th. 1922
& Aug. 21 st. 1922

Sir,—

I have the honor to acknowledge your letter of June 8 th.,1922, re Geo. Baker's accounts.

of Aug 21st

I have interviewed a good many of the Indians who owe Geo. Baker and a number of them acknowledged their accoumts and are willing to pay in small payments.,but there are quite a number of them who refuse to sign or acknowledge their accounts and say that they will not pay them.

What action will the Dept. advise me to take in the matter when they refuse to pay ? Will you authorize me to collect what I think is fair and just to both parties ?

Kindly inform me as soon as possible.

I have the honor to be, sir,

Your obedient servant,

T. A. Stout

Agent.

Duncan C. Scott,

Deputy Supt., General,

Of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa,

Ont.

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Ottawa, October 19th. 1922.

Sir,

I have your letter of the 16th. instant, with reference to Mr. Baker's accounts. You should make what collections you can from those who have acknowledged their accounts and expressed their willingness to pay. In reference to those who have refused payment, it is not seen how the Department could arbitrarily withhold their interest money. You might, however, let the Department have a statement showing the names of these Indians and the amounts that they owe. Any collections that you make on behalf of Mr. Baker should be forwarded to the Department with a statement showing the names of the Indians and the amounts.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie.

Acting Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

T. A. Stout, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Chippewa Hill, Ont.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
NOV 4 1922
RECORDS

.....Chippawa....Hill,.....

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 409544
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER June 8 th. 1922.

Saugeen Agency,...Oct....28...19 22.

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Sir,—

I have the honor to forward to the Dept. cheque No. 109446, amount $ 180.12. $ 101.40, collected for Geo. Baker, and $ 78.72, being payment on Soldier's Settlement Loans, and enclosed is a statement showing who made payments.

I have the honor to be, sir,
Your obedient servant,
P. A. Stout
Agent.

Secretary, Dept.,
Of Indian AFFairs,
Ottawa,
Ont.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE

Chippawa Hill,

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No.....
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

Saugeen Agency, Oct. 26 th. 19 22.

Sir,—
Payments to Geo. Baker's Accounts.

Band No.			
19.	John Besito.	Amount	$ 4.00
35.	Jesse James	"	5.00
127.	James Williams	"	5.00
91.	J. D. Nawash	"	9.00
95.	John Noon	"	8.00
104.	David Ritchie	"	10.00
85.	Thomas Nagum	"	3.00
185.	Wm. Nashkawa	"	6.00
142.	Paul Williams	"	9.00
27.	Percy Cameron	"	15.00
47.	John Kahbejee	"	8.00
178.	Isaiah Shobodisto	"	6.00
33.	Mrs. Peter Henry	"	3.15
114.	Mrs. Shobodisto	"	2.00
75.	J. G. Mason	"	1.75
192.	Wm. S. Johns	"	3.50
101.	Andrew Ritchie	"	3.00
		Total.$	101.40

a/c 6
ck for $101.40 in favor of Geo Baker collection from Saugeen Indians for debt
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BANK RECEIPT No. 7088

Amt. 101 40

Date 191

Entered Journal No. 22 Folio 97

Dept. Receipt No. C 43137

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Ottawa, November 8, 1922.

With Cheque.

Sir,-

Enclosed herewith please find cheque No. 5269 for $101.40, being the amount collected from Saugeen Indians on account of debts owing to you. This amount is made up of collections from the following Indians:-

John Besito	$ 4.00
Jesse James	5.00
James Williams	5.00
J. D. Nawash	9.00
John Noon	8.00
David Ritchie	10.00
Thomas Nagum	3.00
Wm. Nashkawa	6.00
Paul Williams	9.00
Percy Cameron	15.00
John Kahbejee	8.00
Isaiah Shobodisto	6.00
Mrs. Peter Henry	3.15
Mrs. Shobodisto	2.00
J. G. Mason	1.75
Wm. S. Johns	3.50
Andrew Ritchie	3.00
	$ 101.40

Your obedient servant,

Geo. Baker, Esq.,
Allenford, Ont.

J.D. McLean.
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
MAY 9 1923
RECORDS

Chippawa, Hill,

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No.....
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

Saugeen, Agency, May 5th 1923

Sir,—

I have the honor to forward to the Dept. Statement of payments to George Baker on Indian accounts and also a cheque for the amount.

Percy Cameron	$15,00
Paul Williams	$9,00
Wm, Nashkawa	$6,00
David Ritchie	$10,00
John Noon	$8,00
J. D. Nawash	$9,00
Jas. Williams	$10,00
Jessie James	$6,00
John Besito	$4,00
Isiah Shobodisto	$6,00
Total	$83,00.

a/c 6
ck for # 83 C to George Baker collections from Saugeen Indian a/c debts. PHF 1203 sent 12/5/23.

I have the honor to be Sir,
Your Obedient servant,
T. A. Stout
Agent.

Secretary, Dept.
Of Indain Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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BANK RECEIPT No. 4483

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Amt. $83.00 chq

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MAY 7 1923

Date [illegible] 19

Entered Journal No. 22 Folio 174/88

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Ottawa, May 11, 1923.

WITHnCHEQUE

Sir,-

I beg to inform you that $83.00 has been collected from Indians of the Chippewa Band of Saugeen who are indebted to you, and a cheque, No. 1203, covering the said amount, is transmitted herewith. The money was collected from the undermentioned Indians and is made up of the amounts indicated,-

Name of Indian	Amount paid
Percy Cameron	$15.00
Paul Williams	9.00
Wm. Nashkawa	6.00
David Ritchie	10.00
John Noon	8.00
J.D.Nawash	9.00
Jas. Williams	10.00
Jessie James.	6.00
John Besito	4.00
Isiah Shobodisto.	6.00
	$83.00

Your obedient servant,

J.D.McLean
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Geo. Baker,Esq.,
Allenford, Ont.

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Department of Indian Affairs

Ottawa, Oct 29 1923.

Fall 1923 interest money of Sanjeen Indians retained on debts owing to Geo Baker

No 27 -	Percy Cameron	15.00
185 =	Wm Nashkawa	4.75
104 -	David Ritchie	10.00
95 =	John Noon	8.00
127 -	James Williams	10.00
		$47.75

a/c 6

Cheque in favor of Geo Baker for $47.75 collections from Sanjeen Indians for debt

Ck with letter

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Ottawa, October 30, 1923.

With Cheque.

Sir,-

Enclosed herewith please find cheque No.5183 for $47.75 being interest money collected this Fall from Saugeen Indians owing you on account of debts, the amount is made up of as follows:-

Percy Cameron	$ 15.00
William Nashkawa	4.75
David Ritchie	10.00
John Noon	8.00
James Williams	10.00
	$ 47.75.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean.
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

George Baker, Esq.,
Allenford, Ont.

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Ottawa, October 30, 1923.

Sir,-

It is desired that you will forward to the Department the accounts of Mr. George Baker against certain members of the Saugeen Band on account of which you are making collections from the interest money. It is desired that a full statement in this matter be submitted to the Department at once in order that it may be seen what balances are outstanding against the various Indians. Kindly give the Band number of each Indian from whom collections are being made on account of debts to Mr. Baker.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean.
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

T. A. Stout, Esq.,
Acting Indian Agent,
Chippawa Hill, Ont.

over

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No. 4095,44. Chippawa Hill,

Date. Oct. 30th. 1923. Nov.7th. 1923. Ont.

Money collected for Mr Geo, Baker from Indians who acknowledged their Accounts.

		Total Ac.	Collected.	Bal.
Band No. 19.	John Besito.	$ 8,00.	$ 8,00	
" "	35. Jesse James.	21,00.	11,00.	10.
" "	127. James Willaims.	74.65.	25,00.	49.65
" "	91. J. D. Nawash.	18,00	18,00.	
" "	95, John Noon.	31,94,	24,00.	7.94
" "	104. David Ritchie.	41,28.	30,00.	11.28
" "	85. Thomas Nagum.	3,00.	3,00.	
" "	183. Wm. Nashkawa.	16,79	16,75	.04
" "	142. Paul Willaims	18,00	18,00.	
" "	27. Percy Cameron.	61,30.	45,00.	16.30
" "	47. John Kahbejee.	23,36.	8,00.	15.36
" "	178. Isaaah Shobodisto.	12,19.	12,00.	.19
" "	33 Mrs Peter Henry.	6,15.	3,15.	3.00
" "	114. Mrs Shobodisto.	4,00.	2,00.	2.00
" "	75. J.M Mason.	3,44.	1,75.	1.69
" "	192. Wm. S Johns.	9,50.	3,50.	6.00
" "	101. A. Ritchie.	3 ,00.	3,00.	
			Collected $ 232,15.	

Amount Collected fall of 1922. $101,40. p.d by CK 5269 Nov 8-1922

Amount Collected spring 1923. 83,00 " " " 1203 May 11 1923

Amount Collected Fall, 1923. 47,75. " " " 5183 Oct 30 1923

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DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
NOV 9 1923
RECORDS

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 409544.
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER Oct. 30th. 1923.

Chippawa Hill,

Saugeen, Agency, Nov. 7th. 1923.

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Sir,—

I have the honor to forward to the Dept. a statement of money collected from Indians of the Saugee Reserve for Geo. Baker. There are quite a few Indians who owe Baker but they would not acknowledge their accounts and I did not collect any from them.

The statement enclosed is a correct account of all the collections made for Geo. Baker.

I have the honor to be Sir,

Your Obedient servant,

T. A. Stout

Agent.

Secretary, Dept.
Of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
DEC 27 1924
RECORDS

Dear Mr McLean

Dear Sir

After your call here on your way over to see the Indian agent at Chippawa Hill out, same two years ago, when you was good enough to authorise the agent to make an effort to get the Indians to pay me what they owe me, the agent then was Mr Stout who got same from them, but the present agent Mr S Runan has not collected any he said he was unable to find any instructions from the dept about it. I would be pleased if you would give him instructions to collect these accts. same of them with the largest accts have not paid any on them

Yours respectfully

Geo Baker

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Money collected for Mr. George Baker from Indians who acknowledged their accounts.

No.	Name	Amount acknowledged	Amount collected	Balance owing.
19	John Besito	$ 8.00	$ 8.00	...
27	Percy Cameron	61.30	45.00	16.30
33	Mrs. Peter Henry	6.15	3.15	3.00
35	Jesse James	21.00	11.00	10.00
47	John Kahbejee	23.36	8.00	15.36
75	J. G. Mason	3.44	1.75	1.69
85	Thomas Nagum	3.00	3.00	...
91	J. D. Nawash	18.00	18.00	...
95	John Noon	31.94	24.00	7.94
101	A. Ritchie	3.00	3.00	...
104	David Ritchie	41.28	30.00	11.28
114	Mrs. Shobodisto	4.00	2.00	2.00
127	James Williams	74.65	25.00	49.65
142	Paul Williams	18.00	18.00	...
178	Isaiah Shobodisto	12.19	12.00	.19
185	Wm. Nashkawa	16.79	16.75	.04
192	Wm. S. Johns	9.50	3.50	6.00

Amount collected Fall of 1922 - $ 101.40 - Paid by cheque 5268, November 8, 1922.
Amount collected Spring of 1923 - 83.00 - Paid by cheque 1203, May 11, 1923.
Amount collected Fall of 1923 - 47.75 - Paid by cheque 5183, October 30, 1923.

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409544.

Ottawa, December 30, 1924.

Sir,-

In reply to your letter of the 26th instant, asking that debts owing to you by certain members of the Saugeen Band of Indians be collected, I beg to inform you that this will be done so far as the Indians concerned are willing that their interest money should be retained for the purpose.

Encl.

The enclosed statement sets forth the name of the Indian, the amount of debt acknowledged by him, collection made thereon and any balance that may be owing.

The Indian Agent, Mr. Putnam, will be asked to collect so far as possible the balances shown.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean.
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

George Baker, Esq.,

Allenford, Ont.

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409544.

Ottawa, December 30, 1924.

Sir,-

I beg to advise you that the Department agreed to collect,so far as possible, from the Indians of the Saugeen Band, debts owing by them to Mr. George Baker of Allenford.

Encl. The statement herewith sets forth the Indians who have acknowledged their indebtedness and are willing that their interest money should be retained to pay the same. The statement also shows what has been collected, and I have to ask that at the next and ensuing distributions you will collect so far as possible the balances as shown. Where the amount is a large one, as in the case of James Williams, it should be spread over a number of distributions.

A special column should be drawn in the pay-list showing the collections for Mr. Baker and a statement similar to the above forwarded to the Department when remitting the collection to the Department.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean.
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Saul Putnam, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Chippawa Hill, Ont.

over

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Allenford 25
Jan 2nd

Mr J D McLean
Assist Dep and Secretary
Dep of Indian Affairs
Ottawa

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
JAN 5 1925
RECORDS

Dear Sir

I have your letter of Dec 30th in which you have kindly consented to ask Mr Pulman Indian agent to collect Indian accts owing me. I also rec statement of those who owe me. I beg to say this is not near all the accts sent you who owe me, from memory there are Fred Wesley acct over $100.00 Chas Wesley about 40.00 William Wesley who have not paid any part of acct and I might say it will take pretty strong perswasion to get them started to pay. I would like very much if you would

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give the agent Permission to retain a reasonable amount of their Int money each Pay.
Thanking you for Past favours and hoping for your best endeavours for the Bal
I remain
Your obedient Servant
Geo Baker

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409544.

HXD.

Ottawa, January 12, 1925.

Sir,-

In reply to your letter of the 2nd instant, with reference to the collection from Saugeen Indians on debts owing to you, I beg to say that this Department has no authority to retain an Indian's interest money to pay his debts unless the Indian signifies his willingness that the Department do so.

In the list forwarded to you under cover of letter of the 30th ultimo, was the name of every Indian who had signified his willingness to have his interest money retained.

The list of debtors was never sent by you to this Department and the names sent you were compiled from information received from Mr. Stout the former Indian Agent.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean.

J. D. McLean.
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

George Baker, Esq.,

Allenford, Ont.

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Allenford
Feb 10th 25

D McLean
Asst. Deputy and Sec
Dept of Indian affairs
Ottawa

Dear Sir

in answer to yours of recent date re Indian accts due me enclosed please find copy of Indian accts every one of which signed an acknowledgement of the correctness of his acct and told me they were willing to pay a reasonable amount each pay day of their Interest-Money. I went to considerable trouble and expense personally they were willing to pay post each pay until their bill was paid. some of them are tricky and ~~wont~~ pay if left to their own will. kindly do what you can for me. I need the money yours respectfully
Geo Baker

Kindly return copy of Bill of accts

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409544.

Ottawa, February 13, 1925.

Sir,-

With reference to correspondence in connection with collecting interest money from the members of the Saugeen Band, on account of debts owing to Mr. George Baker, I beg to advise you that a letter has been received from Mr. Baker submitting a long list of names of Indians owing him. He states that the original has been sent to you and that each Indian in the list has acknowledged his indebtedness and expressed his willingness to have a certain amount of interest money retained each Spring and Fall to pay off his debt. Unless the Department is furnished with the signed acknowledgments of the Indians, the Department cannot consent to have the interest money retained, and I would therefore ask you to forward all acknowledgments that you have in this connection, in order that the Department may peruse the same, and, if all are in order authority can be given to begin collecting on behalf of Mr. Baker this next Spring.

Besides acknowledging his indebtedness each Indian should express how much he is willing should be retained each time.

While the Department is anxious that the Indians pay their debts, it is very important that no Indian is embarrassed financially or rendered unable to provide for his family, or procure seed, to pay his debts to Mr. Baker, as the debts were incurred without the knowledge or consent of the Department, and Mr. Baker must have been well aware of

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Indian Agent,
Chippawa Hill, Ont.

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of the Indian's habit of running into debt when he gave these Indians credit.

I may also inform you that itemized accounts showing what was obtained by each Indian and what payment was made by each individual on his account must be furnished by Mr. Baker, in order that the same can be audited by the Department, as it is not sufficient to furnish a list such as has been received by the Department stating a fixed amount opposite the name of the Indian without any particulars whatever. The number under which each Indian is known in the pay-list should be inserted in the list of debtors.

An acknowledgment like the following should be affixed to each Indian's account.

..... 18 .. I hereby admit that $ ..... is due by me on this account, and ask to have it paid, less ..... discount, in .... equal instalments from my interest shares.

WITNESS:

If desired the Department will loan you a stamp to affix the above acknowledgment on each account.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean.
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

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Allenford 25
Feb 8 th

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
FEB 20 1925
RECORDS

J. D. Mc Lean Esq
Dear Sir
A few days ago I wrote you re Indian accts. and with it I sent you copy of Indian accts the only one I had. Since then Mr Pulman Indian agent at Chippawa Hill called me up and asked me to send him a copy of accts in the next few days
I am writing him saying I will send it in a few days would you kindly return the copy I sent you. I will return same to you again after I have made a copy off it.
Awaiting your reply I remain
Yours Respectfully Jas Baker

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409544.

Ottawa, February 21, 1925.

Sir,-

In reply to your letter of the 18th instant, with reference to collections on your behalf for debts owing to you by certain Indians of the Saugeen Reserve, I beg to say that it will be necessary for you to furnish an itemized account of each Indian's debt and have an acknowledgment in writing on the same from each Indian, that he admits the amount of the debt and is willing that a stated amount be retained from his interest money at each distribution to pay off the debt.

The list as furnished by you in your letter of the 10th instant, is not sufficient and is returned herewith.

Encl.

The Indian Agent, Mr. Putnam, has been fully advised of the requirements before interest money can be retained from the Indians of his Agency to pay their debts to you.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean.
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

George Baker, Esq.,

Allenford, Ont.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
MAR 19 1925
RECORDS

....Chippewa Hill, Ont.

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No.....
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

ACCOUNTANTS
1925
BRANCH

....March 17th .....1925.

Sir.—

I have the honor to refer to your letter 409544 of Feb. 13th.

I have looked carefully into this matter, and Mr. Baker has arranged to leave the balance of the accounts, except the ones submitted with your letter 409344 of Dec. 30th, which I will collect as far as possible.

Mr. Baker did leave a long list of accounts here, but I get a good many similar lists, and for your information, I was showed one from a store in Southampton amounting to over $1800.00. On the list Baker sent in, some of the Indians mentioned are dead, and some not on the pay list at all, some are non-treaty Indians, and I think some belong to the Cape Croker band. I do not think Mr. Baker has any acknowledgements from these Indians, as he never showed them to me.

I think it is a good idea to have the Indians sign an acknowledgement and have it itemized.

I have the honor to remain, Sir,

Your obedient servant.

Saul Pulleyn

Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Dept. Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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409544

Ottawa, 20th March, 1925.

Sir:

I beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 17th instant with reference to the collection of debts on behalf of Mr. Baker, and in reply beg to say that collections should only be made of those debts which have been acknowledged by an Indian.

Debts contracted by other than Saugeen Indians should not receive any attention from you. I think it advisable that you should forward the Department a statement of the debts which have been acknowledged by Saugeen Indians, setting forth the amount each Indian is willing to have retained at each interest payment.

Indian debtors who are dead, or not on the paylist, will, of course, require no consideration from you.

Your obedient servant,

Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

Mr.Saul Putnam,
Indian Agent,
Chippawa Hill,Ont.

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Allenford Feb 25th 1925

Indian accts with Geo Baker

	Jas Nagum	3	90			3	90
	Jas Williams By cash 5.00 By cash 10.00 By cash 10.00	74	65	Balance		49	65
	Nancy Wabize	4	25			4	25
	Jas Kewenjik	5	80			5	80
	Wm Noshkawa By cash 6.00 By cash 47.75 By cash 6.00	16	79				04
Dead	Jesse Ritchie Dead	21	02			21	02
Dead	John Stevens Dead	3	00			3	00
Unknown	Mrs Tabias unknown	5	04			5	04
	Augus Ahnoquet	1	00			1	00
	John Mandowab		42				42
	Sam Ritchie	46	44			46	44
	Elijah Ahnoquet Dead		27				27
Dead	Wm Elijah Ahnoquet Dead	11	82			11	82
	Andrew Ritchie By cash 3.00	3	00		Paid		
	Geo Nawash	2	01			2	01
	Mrs Shebadees By cash 2.00	2	00		Pd		
Dead	Wilson Ritchie Dead	5	00			5	00
Dead	Peter Moses Dead	1	50			1	50
non-treaty	John B. Kwapisitung unknown	1	80			1	80
Unknown	Eliza Francis unknown	4	10			4	10
Unknown	Louis Shebadees unknown	3	50			3	50
	W. E. James	2	00			2	00
Dead	Mrs Christina Kabashking Dead	3	00			3	00
Dead	Ed Noon Dead		25			—	25
	Mrs Eliza Ahnoquet	13	72			13	72
Dead	John Stevens Dead	3	00			3	00
	Elijah Muskosega	13	22			13	22

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Feb 25th 25 Int account with J Baker

Dead	Elliott Ritchie Dead	1100		1100
	James Kahgee	1634		1634
	James Besido	1295		1235
	Wm Johns By cash 350	950		600
Dead	Jacob Petonquot Dead	500		500
	Elijah Cook	1826		1826
Cape Croper	John Kahbege Cape Croper By cash 800	2336		1536
	Ed Joshawa	315		315
	Sarah Shabadees By cash 600 By cash 600	1219		-19
	David Ritchie By cash 1200 By cash 1000 By cash 1000	4500		1500
Dead	John Moon Dead By cash 800 By cash 800 By cash 800	3194		794
	Jas. D. Nawash By cash 900 By cash 900	1809		09
	S. E. James	500		500
	Joe Cameron	339		339
Enfranchised	Levi Wesley Enfranchised	786		786
	Jesse James By cash 600 By cash 500	2100		1000
Dead	Wm Ahnoquot Dead	1569		1569
	Chas Wesley Dead	4542		4542
	Wm Wesley	1606		1606
	Albert Kiwaquom	100		100
	John Besido By cash 400 By cash 400	800	Paid	
	David Besido	125		125
	D Besido & P Cameron By cash 1500 By cash 1500 By cash 1500	4130		1630
	Mrs P. Henry By cash 315	615		300
	Luke Kiwaquom	281		281
Dead	Mrs John Cook Dead	240		240
	Thos Naguse By cash 300	300	Paid	
	Paul Williams By cash 900 By cash 900	1998	Paid	
	Thos Nashkawa	425		425
	Geo Mosaw By cash 125	440		265
	Henry Ritchie	6021		6021
	John Kabashking	600		600
	Fred Wesley	115.61		115 61

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COLLECTIONS for Mr. G. Baker - Spring 1925.

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nd No.	Name	Retained Spring 1925	Balance	Returned Fall '25 Spring '26
27	P. Cameron	8.00	8.30 ✓	8.30
33	Mrs. P. Henry	3.00	....	
35	J. James	5.00	5.00 ✓	5.00
47	J. Kahbejee	8.00	7.38 ✓	7.36
75	J. G. Mason	1.69	....	
95	J. Moon	4.00	3.94 ✓	3.94
104	D. Ritchie	6.00	5.28 ✓	5.28
114	Mrs. Shobodiste	2.00	....	
127	J. Williams	10.00	39.65 - 10.00	15
178	I. Shobodiste	.19	....	
185	W. Nashkawa	.04	....	
192	W. S. John	6.00	....	
		$ 53.92		39.88

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
MAR 27 1925
RECORDS

Chippewa Hill, Ont.

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No.
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

March 24th 19 25.

Sir.—

I have the honor to refer to your letter of the 20th inst. re Baker's account. I am enclosing herewith a list of accounts that he sent me, which is the only thing I have. There are no records in the office of this matter.

Mr. Baker says he has acknowledgements from the Indians , but has never showed them to me. I have no acknowledgements from the Indians at all.

I went carefully over the list with the Chief, and have the ones checked off who are not here, or unknown.

I have arranged with Mr. Baker that he will have to get acknowledgements from the Indians for the account he is sending. Re your letter 409544 of December 30th, I will collect these as far as possible.

I have the honor to remain, Sir,

Your obedient servant,

ACCOUNTANTS
MAR 28 1925
BRANCH

Saul Pulman
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Dept. Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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a/c 6

Cheque for $53.92 in favor of George Baker being collections from Saugeen Indians Spring 1925 for debt

letter with CR
19/6/25

2233.
sent. 24/6/25

JAC

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409544.

Ottawa, June 24, 1925.

With Cheque.

Sir,-

Enclosed please find cheque No. 2333 in your favour for $53.92 being the amount collected from Saugeen Indians, on account of debt, in accordance with the statement attached.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean.
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

George Baker, Esq.,
Allenford, Ont.

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a/c 6

Cheque in favor of G. Baker for $39.88 being collections from Sarcee Indians for debt.

Ck with letter

GAC

5925

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409544.

DXB

Ottawa, November 14, 1935.

ith Cheque.

Sir,-

Enclosed please find cheque No. 5925 for $39.88, being amount collected from Saugeen Indians, as follows:-

P. Cameron	$ 8.30
J. James	5.00
J. Kahbejee	7.36
J. Noon	3.84
D. Ritchie	5.28
J. Williams	10.00

Collection has now been made from all the Indians except J. Williams, who owes a balance of $39.85, which will be collected at a later date.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean.
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

George Baker, Esq.,

Allenford, Ont.

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Department of Indian Affairs.

Aug 1912

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Gore Bay.

Lot 41 Con 8 Tp Robinson.
" 41 "

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409745

Gore Bay, Aug. 16, 1912.

F. W. Baxter,
Indian Agent.

Sir:

I wish to make application for lots 39, 41, 42, & 45 con. 8.
Lots 40 con. 9.
" 41 " 7.
under section six of the Land Regulation for which I am enclosing the sum of fifteen dollars, Valuation fees!
Township of Robinson

Wm Burns.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

Sons Bay

August 20 1912

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 131
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

Sir,

409745

I have the honor to enclose the application of Wm Burns for Lots number 39, 41, 42, 43 (308 370, 213070) Concession 8 and Lot number 40 (256520) Concession 9, and Lot number 41 Concession 7 Township of Robinson under section six of the Land Regulations

Your obedient servant
F. W. Baxter
Indian agent

The Asst Deputy & Secretary
Dept of Indian affairs
Ottawa

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Lot 32. Con 8 Robinson.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS AUG 23 1912

Gore Bay

August 20 1912

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 130
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

Sir,—

409747

I have the honor to enclose the application of Alexander Burns for Lots number 30. 31. 32. (308360 308390) Concession 7 ✓ and Lots number 30. 31. 32. (153716 311300) Concession 8 ✓ Township of Robinson under section six of the Land Regulations

your obedient servant
F. W. Baxter
Indian Agent

The asst Deputy & Secretary
Dept of Indian affairs
Ottawa

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Gore Bay. Aug 16th 1913

Frank Baulter Esq
Indian Agent
Gore Bay. Ont.

409747

Dear Sir

I wish to make application to purchase the following Lots under section 6 of the Indian Act Lots Nos. 30. 31. 32 Concession 7 and Lots Nos 30. 31. 32. Concession 8. Township of Robinson for which please find enclosed the sum of fifteen Dollars ($15.00) to pay valuation fees.

Yours Truly
Alexander Burns

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Aug.

Gore Bay

1934

Lots 33 & 34 Con 7
" 33 & 34 " 8

Jp Robinson

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Gore Bay. Aug. 18th/12

Mr. Frank. Baxter
Indian Agent

409749

Dear Sir

I wish to make application to purchase to following lots under Section Six of the Indian act for which please find enclosed the sum of Fifteen Dollars to pay for Valuation

Lots No. 33 " 34 " 35 - Concession 7
" " 33 " 34 35 - Concession 8

Township of Robinson

I Remain
Yours Truly
R. F. Porter

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS AUG 23 1912

Gore Bay

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 129
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

August 20 1912

409749

Latest Sir,—

Ex'd

I have the honor to enclose the application of R. J. Porter for Lots number 33. 34. 35. Concession 7 and Lots number 33. 34. 35. 311300 Concession 8 Township of Robinson under section six of the Land Regulations

LANDS BRANCH AUG 23 1912

your obedient servant
F. W. Baxter
Indian agent.

The Asst Deputy & Secretary
Dept of Indian affairs
Ottawa

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No. 411096

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411096

Department of Indian Affairs.

Sept- 1912

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Walpole Island

Acct. Sept. qr. 1912.

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No. of Account Chippawa of Walpole Island

INDIAN TRUST FUND.

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Wilson Knaggs

a/c 9

DATE.			AMOUNT.	
		Resolution of council		
1912		Authorized by ~~Dept. letter No.~~ dated		
Aug	31st	To 1 Day man and team leveling No 1 school grounds	$4	00

JWS

3063

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

J B McDougall
Indian Agent.

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No. of Account Chippewa Walpole Island

INDIAN TRUST FUND.

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To J. S. Saint — A/c 9

DATE.			AMOUNT.	
1912		— Authorized by Dept. letter No. ..... dated		
June	29	To Coffin for Lipetico	$9	50
July	7	" " " Sarah Solomon	9	50
"	22	" " " Jos Peters child	9	50
Aug	12	" " " McKenzie Rah dec child	9	50
Sept	12	" " " Wm Georges Daughter	9	50
			$47	50

3062

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

J. McDougall Indian Agent.

Agent.

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No. of Account Chippewa

Walpole Island

INDIAN TRUST FUND.

The Department of Indian Affairs. 411036 a/c 9

To David Johnson

DATE.			AMOUNT.	
1912		Authorized by Dept. letter No. ..... dated		
June	30th	To Digging Grave for Liperico	$1	00
July	8	" " " " Sarah Solomon	1	00
"	23	" " " " Jos Peter Auld	1	00
Aug	13	" " " " McKenzie Rah dee child	1	00
Sept	13	" " " " Wm Georges Daughter	1	00
			$5	00

3061

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

J Mc Dougall
J Dean

Agent.

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Acct

Walpole Island Sept 16 1912

Required by the Chippawa Council the sum of $81.31 to pay the following accts for Sept quarter 1912

Wilson Knaggs
Leveling No 1 School grounds $4.00

Return

McNairnie Bros
Plank for culverts 24.81

J. S. Saint
5 Coffins @ $9.50 47.50

David Johnson
Diging 5 Graves @ $1.00 5.00

$81.31

Moved by Johnson Peters Sec by Peter Miskokomon that the above accts be paid in the usual way Mott carried

J B McDougall
Sec
Protem

Jos White Chief

Return Nairnie Bros & inform agent the merchants a/c should be attached to the form. All merchants accounts should be attached to the voucher Form.

a/c 9
except Nairnie Bros
67

Chas Sew Sept. 26

JWS
23/9/12

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411096

EXD.

Ottawa, 26th September, 1912.

Sir:-

Referring to resolution passed by the Walpole Island Council on the 16th instant, I re-enclose herewith the voucher for $24.81 which you submitted in favour of Messrs. McNairnie Bros. The firm's account should be attached to the voucher form in order that the Department may be aware of the quantity of planks furnished. All merchants' accounts should be attached to voucher forms as details are required regarding goods supplied.

Your obedient servant,

D. McL.

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

J.B.McDougall Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Walpole Island, Ont.

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No. of Account Chippawa & Pa

INDIAN TRUST FUND. 411096 Walpole Island 411952

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To McNairnie Bros

DATE.			AMOUNT.	
1912		Authorized by ~~Dept. letter No.~~ Resolution of Council dated		
Aug	23d	To Plank for Culverts	$24	81

a/o 9 = 18.61
a/o 31 = 6.20

3424

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

J B McDougall
Indian Agent.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

Walpole Island

Oct 5th 1912

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No.
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

ACCOUNTANTS
OCT 9 1912
BRANCH

EX'D. 411952

Sir,

As Instructed in your letter No 411096 dated Sept 26th 1912 I return Vouchers in favor of Mc Nairnie Bros with their acct attached

Your Obediant Servant
J B McDougall
Indian Agent

Secretary Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa

Recommended for Payment
Approved
D.S.G.

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No. 411427

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Oct. 1912

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411427

Ohsweken Council House,

September 17th, 1912.

The Adjourned Council of the Six Nations opened in due form by Chief Alex Hill, one of the Fire Keepers.

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30.

Vote of $25.00 to pay expenses of a delegate.

The Council decided to vote the sum of $25.00 to defray the expenses of a delegate to attend the Indian Conference at the Ohio State University Columbus, Ohio, October 2nd to 7th 1912, and would ask the Department to comply with this resolution and forward a cheque for this amount by the 24th inst on which date a delegate will be named.

* * *

The Council then adjourned until Tuesday 24th inst. at 10 o'clock a. m.

I hereby certify that the above is a true copy from my minute book.

Josiah Hill,

Sec'y S.N.C.

Read and approved

J. S. Johnson

Deputy Speaker, S.N.C.

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ORIGINAL ON
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SEP 27 1912

Indian Office, Brantford.

Sept. 24th 1912.

411427

Sir,

I beg to enclose minutes of Council held on the 10th, 11th & 17th instant, and to report thereon as follows:-

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ACCOUNTANTS SEP 30 1912 BRANTFORD

No 30

The Council voted the sum of $25.00 to defray the expenses of a delegate to the Indian conference at the Ohio State University Columbus, Ohio on October 2nd. to the 7th. I beg to recommend your approval of this decision and to request that a cheque issue for this amount be forwarded in time for the delegate to use it.

RECOMMENDED FOR PAYMENT Accountant. D. S. G. of I. A.

* * * * *

Your obedient servant.

The Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

Gordon J. Smith.
Supt.

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No. of Account

INDIAN TRUST FUND.

412184

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Chief J. S. Johnson

DATE.		AMOUNT.
	Cy. No. 3105.	
	Authorized by Dept. Letter No. ..... dated	
	To expenses & Delegate to Indian Congress at Columbus, Ohio —	$ 25 00

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

Agent.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
OCT 10 1912

Indian Office, Brantford,
October 8th., 1912.

412184

Sir,-

I beg to enclose voucher for $25.00 in favour of Chief J. S. Johnson the delegate appointed by the Council to attend the Indian Conference at Columbus Ohio. This amount was sent to me by accountable cheque No. 3108. Chief Johnson will make his report at the next general council.

I am

sir

your obedient servant,

Supt-

The Secretary-

Dept. of Indian Affairs-

Ottawa-

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
OCT 22 1912

Indian Office, Brantford.

Oct. 17th 1912.

Sir,

I beg to enclose the minutes of Council held on the 1st, 8th & 9th inst. and to report thereon as follows:-

* * * * *

No 30.

Chief J.S. Johnson gave a verbal report of the Indian conference at Columbus, Ohio and promised to give a written report at next council.

* * * * *

Your obedient servant.

Gordon J. Smith.

Supt.

The Secretary,

Dept. of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa.

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Ohsweken Council House,

October 9th 1912.

The Adjourned Council of the Six Nations opened in due form by Chief Alex Hill one of the Fire Keepers.

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30

Verbal report.

Chief J.S. Johnson gave a verbal report of the Indian Conference held at Columbus, Ohio, and promised to write a full report for the Chiefs which will be ready by the next Council.

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The Council then adjourned until Tuesday November 5th next at 10 o'clock A.M.

I hereby certify that the above is a true copy from my minute book.

(Sgd.) Josiah Hill,
Sec'y. S.N.C.

Read and approved,

(Sgd.) J.S. Johnson,
Deputy Speaker S.N.C.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
OCT 25 1912

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Indian Office, Brantford.

Oct 17th 1912.

ACCOUNTANT'S BRANCH
OCT 26 1912

EX'D.

Sir,

I beg to enclose the minutes of council held on the 1st. 8th & 9th inst. and to report thereon as follows:-

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No 42

Chief J.S. Johnson was appointed a delegate to attend the Indian conference at Columbus, Ohio and $25.00 was voted for travelling expenses. This cheque was already been received and paid to Chief Johnson.

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Your obedient servant.

Gordon J. Smith.

Supt.

The Secretary,

Dept. of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa.

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Ohsweken Council House 413376

October 9th 1912.

The adjourned Council of the Six Nations opened in due form by Chief Alex Hill one of the Fire Keepers.

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42

Chf. J.S. Johnson, Delegate to Indian Conference.

The Council decided to appoint Chief J.S. Johnson as a delegate from the Six Nations of Grand River, Canada, to attend the Indian Conference to be held at Ohio State University, Columbus, Ohio, Oct. 2nd to 7th 1912, and vote $25.00 for travelling expenses.

* * * * *

The Council then adjourned until Tuesday November 5th next at 10 o'clock A.M.

I hereby certify that the above is a true copy from my minute book.

(Sgd.) Josiah Hill,
Sec'y. S.N.C.

Read and approved,

(Sgd.) J.S. Johnson,
Deputy Speaker S.N.C.

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Ohsweken Council House, Nov.5,1912

To the Honourable Chiefs of the six Nation Council,

Hon. Sirs,-

Having been appointed by your Councio to represent the six Nations at the second Annual Conference of the society of American Indians held in the City of Columbus, in the state of Ohio, October 2nd. to 6th inclusive, 1912, and having been thus honored I deem it a great pleasure and a duty to submit a report to you of my visit to this conference.

I was pleased indeed to receive kind wors of welcome from the members and friends of the society, and their making honorable mention of their brothers the six Nations of Canada.

The society held its meetings in the state university, Union Hall, Memorial Hall and the Chamber of Commerce.

The citizens of Columbus, seemed to throw open their doors to the society of Indians and appeared to be in thorough sympathy with their movement.

At the public meetings held in Memorial Hall (a large building capable of accommodating five thousand people) on the platform of this great building were seated with the Indian delegates, prominent and influential men of the city of Columbus and Officials of the Indian Bureau Department of Washington, D.C. All of these spoke in high terms of the aims and objects of the society in promoting the status of the Indian in moral and social conditions and asserted that the life and hope of the Indians of America, depends on his ability to meet enlightened races on an equal footing in all the walks and avocations of life incident to surrounding conditions, whereby the white race and all races may have a better and broader knowledge of the Red Race— its needs, and its ability to contribute materially to modern civilization.

One of its highest aims is to bring about conditions whereby the Indian may take his place equal with all other races. It believes that the development of individual ability and the stimulat-

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stimulation of high ideals is a far better means of promoting the highest interest of the race and individual. It believes that Indian progress depends upon awakening the abilities of every individual Indian. The realization of personal responsibility for self and race and the duty of responding to the call of activity; to be independent of all paternal support and to become equal to the most enlightened citizens of America. This is the main object of the society.

Now in conclusion brother Chiefs, and Warriors of the six Nation I wish to impress upon the minds of our people the advisability of organizing a society, similar to that of the American Idnians. This society to have for its object the promotion and co-operation of all efforts looking to the advancement of the Indian and his enlightment which will lease him free as a man, to develop according to the natural laws of social evolution; to provide through an open conference the nemans for a full and free discussion of all subjects bearing on the welfare of our race. The red man may through this means break through the long silence and voice his opinion and beliefs. Thus the future of the Indian will be placed in the hands of the Indian himself.

Every Indian should be interested in his race and its advancement; in its rights as the original owner of the soil of this continent; in demonstrating the ability of the race to organize as a unit to construct and outline a policy for the aims and objects ofthis unit; to provide and maintain a free platform and welcime free speech on any subject bearin on the welfare of the Indian; his rights, his status and his destiny as an ally of the British Crown.

A society of this kind will bring every friend of the Indian throughout Canada and the Empire to consult his won conscience and determine whether he can refrain from consulting his own personal welfare and interest and live an unselfish exhistence, by promoting such an society which will bring the greatest good to the greatest number.

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This would be evidence that the movement has nothing less than the best of motive behind it.

No love of spectacular display or of private advantage brings this movement into exhistence. It would offer the Chief, if not the only hope of self-sacrificing racial leadership—— the only kind of leadership which can elevate the race to higher possibilities.

The general pulbic must decide whether it will support such a splendid type of organization or allow it to go by default, and so prepare the way for a more mercenary type.

All of which is most respectfully submitted for your consideration.

Yours Respectfully,

Chief J.S.Johnson.

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I herewith attach a few extracts from the speeches and opinions of eminent white friends of the society of American Indians, which I though would also, interest you as bearing upon this subject.

The American Idnain Commissioner says:- " The best sign I have seen on the horizon/ the best star in the sky, was what happened in Columbus a year ago when the society of American Indians was framed".

Mr. Joseph Elkington, a member of the society of Friends, whose grandfater and father before him, labored for the Indians, joined the society with the words" " I am profoundly thankful that the Indians have taken up the consideration of their own needs" and from Arizona one writes" " I believe it will be a great uplift to the Indians in general".

From Ithaca, N.Y. comes the word" It is a noble idea well carried out" government Officials and government critics to applaud the society."

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
NOV 27 1912

Indian Office, Brantford,

Nov. 25th., 1912.

Sir,- No. 11.

The Council on the 5th inst. received a written report of J.S.Johnson the delegate appointed to attend the second conference of a society of American Indians at Columbus, Ohio. As requested I am enclosing a copy of his report which is most interesting.

I am

Sir

Your obedient servant,

ACCOUNTANTS
NOV 28 1912
BRANCH

Supt-

The Secretary-

Dept. of Indian Affairs-

Ottawa-

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EXD.

Ottawa, December 3rd, 1913.

Sir:-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of the report of J. S. Johnson, the delegate appointed to attend the second conference of a society of American Indians at Columbus, Ohio.

The report is,as you remark, interesting, and it is hoped that the Six Nations will profit by the suggestions made therein.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean

Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

Gordon J. Smith, Esqr.,
Indian Superintendent,
Brantford,
Ont.

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Ohsweken Council House.

November 5th 1912.

The General Council of the Six Nations opened in due formby Chief David John one of the Fire Keepers.

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11

Chief J.S. Johnson's report adopted, etc.

After hearing the report of J.S. Johnson who had been appointed by the Council tonattend the second Conference of the Society of American Indians at Columbus, Ohio, The Council decided to adopt the report and that a copy of the said report be sent to the Department of Indian Affairs.

The Council then adjourned until tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock.

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I hereby certify that the above is a true copy from my minute book.

Josiah Hill..

Secy S.N.C.

Read and approved.

J.S. Johnson.
Deputy Speaker S.N.C.

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Department of Indian Affairs.

Sept. 1912

19/34

Gore Bay

Lot	34	Con	3
"	30. 31. 32. 33	"	4
"	30. 38. 39	"	6
"	30. 31. 32. 42.	"	8
"	36	"	

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE, 411597

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS SEP 30 1912

Gore Bay

Sept 27 1912

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 185
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

LANDS BRANCH OCT 1 1912

Sir,—

I have the honor to inform you that I have received an application from John Harrison & Sons Company Limited Owen sound for twenty six Lots in the Township of Robinson under section six of Land Regulations. They are as follows

26 lots

Con 3. Lots 34
Con 4 Lots 30. 31. 32. 33.
Con 5 Lots 30. 31. 35. 36. 37. 38. 39.
Con 6 Lots 30. 31. 32. 35. 36. 37. 39. 41. 42.
Con 8 Lots 36. 39. 41. 42. 45.

See notice to Agt to serve timber cut file 197794

229120 308370 213070

for which they enclosed there cheque for sixty five Dollars for valuation fees.

These Lots are not covered by License
G.H.C.

your obedient servant
F. W. Baxter
Indian agent

The Asst Deputy & Secretary
Dept of Indian affairs
Ottawa

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4II 597-

Ottawa, 2nd September, 1912-

Sir,

In reply to your letter of the 27th Ultimo, submitting an application on behalf of Messrs. John Harrison and Sons Company, Limited, for the purchase of twenty six Lots in the Township of Robinson, under Section 6 of the Regulations, and stating that they had enclosed their cheque for $65.00, as valuation fees, I have to ask upon what authority you have accepted such fees. In this connection I have to direct your attention to letter to your predecessor, dated 23rd March, 1907, pointing out that no charge is to be made by the Timber Inspector and Valuator, for examining and valuing lands under Section 6 of the Land Regulations, as he is paid a salary for performing his duties.

Kindly favour the Department with an early reply in the matter.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy & Secretary-

F. W. Baxter, Esq.
Indian Agent,
Gore Bay,
Ont.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

Gore Bay

October 2 1912

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
OCT 14 1912

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 223
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

Lands

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Sir,-

I have the honor to Reply to Department Letter number 411597 under date of September 2nd 1912 and would say that I did not know that I was doing wrong in accepting Messrs John Harrison & Sons Cheque for Sixty Five Dollars Valuation Fees as I have sent Valuation Fees with all other applications for land under section Six of the Land Regulations which I have received

INDIAN BRANCH
OCT 16 1912

your obedient servant
H. W. Baxter
Indian agent

The asst Deputy & Secretary
Dept of Indian affairs
Ottawa

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Department of Indian Affairs,

ACCOUNTANTS
OCT 17 1912
BRANCH

Ottawa, 16th Oct. 1912.

1st Acct.

As to return of all fees received from Agent Baxter of Lore Bay in connection with the valuation of lots under Sec. 6 of the Regulations, as such valuations are made by the Timber Inspector and Valuator, who is paid a salary.

2nd Lands

A.E.M.

W. Ades

For approval of DM

Affd

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Department of Indian Affairs

Ottawa, ... 19..

Lands

July 15	Wm. Gilroy	Valuation Fee	3613	2.50	
" 15	Robert L Bryford	" "	26284	2.50	
	Wm Burns	" "		2.50	
	alex Orr	" "		2.50	6
	Cloyton Slumke	Slumke " "		2.50	7
	alfred Wiggins			2.50	8
	Charles Bracken			2.50	9
	~~John Scott~~				
Aug 10	alexander Burns			15.00	20
	P. J Porter			15.00	1
	Wm Burns			15.00	2
	Robert Lewis			2.50	3
Sept 17	John Harrison & Sons. Co Ltd.			65.00	4
20	John Currie			5.00	5
20	Wm Burns			2.50	6
20	Robert L Orford			2.50	7

Chs. Lull. Oct. 19th

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Lots applied for by Agents, to be valued under Section 6.

File	No. of Lots.	Township.
409 746	6	Robinson.
409 745	5	do.
409 747	6	do.
303 708	I	Mills.
4II 599	2	Gordon.
2I6 485	2	Robinson.
269 760	I	Campbell.
~~230 280~~	~~I~~	~~Mills.~~
205 770	I	Allan.
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Lots examined and valued by Timber Inspector & Valuator Shaw, under Section 6.

406 090	I	Mills.
309 700	I	Allan.
276 490	I	Sandfield.
204 078	I	Sheguiandah.
408 90I	I	Allan.
II8 652	I	Gordon.
408 444	I	do.
408 446	I	do.
303, 708	2	Mills
230, 280	2	do
216, 485	1	do
	13	

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MEMORANDUM.

Ottawa, 21st October, 1912-

LANDS BRANCH JAN 28 1913

To the Deputy Minister,

Referring to letter of the 27th Ultimo, from Mr. Agent Baxter, of Gore Bay, submitting an application on behalf of Messrs. John Harrison & Sons Co. Ltd. for the purchase of twenty-six Lots in the Township of Robinson, under Section 6 of the Regulations, I beg to submit as to whether Timber Inspector and Valuator, George Shaw, should be requested to proceed to value these Lots, and also twenty-four other Lots, as per list herewith, the applications for which are on different files in the Department.

In this connection I would also beg to submit as to whether some ~~eight~~ 13 Lots, as per list herewith, which have been reported upon by Mr. Shaw, as having been inspected and valued, be sold under Section 6, and would respectfully refer to Memo. of the 8th August last, on File 406 090, herewith, marked " Stands ".

In charge of Lands & Timber Branch.

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411 597-

Ottawa, 1st February, 1813-

Sir,

I have to inform you that application has been made for the purchase of twenty six Lots in the Township of Robinson, under Section 6 of the Land Regulations.

They are as follows:-

Con. 3. Lot 34.

Con4. Lots 30, 31, 32 & 33.

Con. 5 Lots 30, 31, 35, 36, 37, 38, & 39.

Con. 6. Lots 30, 31, 32, 35, 36, 37, 39, 41, 42.

Con. 8. Lots 36, 39, 41, 42, & 45.

You will be good enough to examine and value these Lots as soon as possible, and report to the Department, under Statutory Declaration in the usual way, giving the approximate quantities and kinds of timber on each Lot. It will also be necessary to shew the value per acre of the land, separate from the value of the timber, and to state to what extent the land is, in each case, fit for agricultural purposes.

Your obedient servant,

Assistant Deputy & Secretary-

George Shaw, Esq.

Timber Inspector & Valuator,

Thessalon, Ont.

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Department of Indian Affairs.

Sept 1912

Gore Bay

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Lots 28 & 29. Con 9. Gordon Tp.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

Gore Bay

Sept 27 1912

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 186
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

Lt'd

411599

Ex'd.

LANDS BRANCH
OCT 1 1912

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
SEP 30 1912

Sir,—

I have the honor to inform you that J. W. Best of the Township of Gordon has made application for Lots 28 and 29 Concession 9 Township of Gordon under section six of the Land Regulations

2 lots

These Lots are not covered by License
G.H.C.

your obedient servant
F. W. Baxter
Indian agent.

The Asst Deputy & Secretary
Dept of Indian affairs
Ottawa

Noted on Plan
A.E.H.

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Province of Ont
District of Manitoulin
to Wit

I Daniel McDougall of the Village of Providence Bay Agent and I Walter Gordon of Carnarvon Th Farmer and both of the above named District

Each for himself maketh oath and saith that he is well acquainted with Lot No 15 in the 13th con of Carnarvon in the aforesaid District.
That said Lot has no improvements thereon and that said Lot is not occupied and never has been occupied

Sworn before me at Providence Bay this 21st day of Sept A D 1912
C P Ferguson (J P & Offico)

Daniel McDougall
Walter Gordon

Sale 2844

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SECRETARY INDIAN AFFAIRS
SEP 30 1912

LANDS BRANCH
OCT 1 1912

86 - 10, Indian Office, Manitowaning,

September, 27, 1912.

Sir :-

I have the honor to enclose herewith an Affidavit as to the nonpreformence of settlement duties on Lot 15 Con. 13, Carnarvon. Sale 2844, fyled by J. R. Galbraith, who asks that the sale be cancelled. I would most respectfully recommend that Mr Dean be given thirty days in which to make a payment failing which the sale will be cancelled.

LANDS BRANCH
OCT 1 1912

Your obedient servant,

Wm McLeod

Indian Agent,

The Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, Ont..

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EX'D.

Ottawa, 5th October, 1912-

Sir,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 27th Ultimo, enclosing Affidavit by Daniel McDougall and Walter Gordon, as to the non-fulfillment of the conditions of sale Lot 15, Con. 13, Carnarvon, and in reply have to state that you should inform the owner of this property that he will be allowed thirty days in which to make a payment thereon, failing which the Sale is liable to be cancelled.

At the end of the time given, you will report again to the Department stating what action has been taken in the matter, and whether you would recommend cancellation of the Sale.

E. L. M.

WVD

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy & Secretary-

Wm. McLeod, Esq.
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning,
Ont.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
NOV 25 1912

Manitowaning, Ont.,

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 411 601
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

November, 22nd, 1912. 191

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Sir,

Reffering to Official Letter No. 411 601 dated October 5th, last, instructing me to notify the owner of Lot 15, Con. 13, Carnarvon, to make a payment on the Lot in thirty days or the sale would be libalete cancellation.

Sale, 2844.

LANDS BRANCH
NOV 26 1912

I have the honor to report having notified the owner as per your instructions, but no further payments have been made, nor any attention whatever paid to the notice sent.

In view of the above I would most respectfully recommend that the sale be cancelled.

Your obedient servant,

Wm McLeod

Indian Agent,

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The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont..

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MEMORANDUM.

Ottawa, 20th December, I9I2-

To the Deputy Minister,

Lot I5, Con. I3, Carnarvon, was sold on the 2nd October, I879, to David Dean, in whose name it stands.

I00 Acres @ 50/ per Acre ----------$50.00

Paid at date of Sale ----------$20.00

Balance Principal due ----------$30.00

and Interest thereon @ 6 % &c.

Regular Notices were sent for October, I888, I889. 90, 9I, 93 & 94.

On the 27th September last, the Agent forwarded an Affidavit by Daniel McDougall and Walter Gordon, stating that this Lot was unimproved and unoccupied, and never had been occupied. The Agent recommended that the owner be given thirty days to make a payment, failing which, that the Sale should be cancelled.

On the 5th October Agent McLeod was instructed that he should notify the owner, as above, and in letter of the 22nd Ultimo, the Agent reports having done so, but that no attention was paid to the notice, nor any payment made. He now recommends cancellation of the Sale, and in view of the above, I also recommend that it should be cancelled.

E. L. M.

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Sale 2844-

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Brian Shawana
Signature

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Reg # X 021395

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, 21st December, 1912-

WHEREAS Lot 15, Con. 13, Carnarvon, was sold on the 2nd October, 1879, to David Dean, in whose name it stands, subject to the conditions of actual occupation, the performance of certain settlement duties, and the payment of equal annual instalments,

AND WHEREAS it has been represented and established to my satisfaction that the conditions under which the said Sale was made have been violated,

NOW THEREFORE by and in virtue of the powers and duties vested in the Superintendent General of Indian Affairs by the Indian Act, Chap. 81, Sec. 61, Revised Statutes of Canada, 1906, I hereby CANCEL the said Sale, and resume the said land.

E. L. M.

V.V.D.

Deputy Superintendent General of Indian Affairs.

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411 601-

Ottawa, 28th December, 1912-

EXD

Sir,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 22nd Ultimo, recommending the cancellation of the Sale of Lot 15, Con. 13, Carnarvon, and in reply have to inform you that the Sale of this Lot was cancelled on the 21st Instant, and the land resumed by the Department.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Assistant Deputy & Secretary-

Wm. McLeod, Esq.
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning,
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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

Manitowaning, Ont..

January, 21st, 1913. 191

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No.
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

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Sir,- 418586

I have the honor to report that John R. Galbraith applies to purchase Lot 15, Concession 13, in the Township of Carnarvon, under Section 6.

I would most respectfully recommend that authority be given to the Land Valuator to examine this Lot and to report under oath in the usual way.

Your obedient servant,

Wm McLeod

Indian Agent,

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont..

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Reserve for Moose Factory Band.

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The Diocese of Moosonee

RIGHT REV. JOHN G. ANDERSON
BISHOP

Immediate
Survey

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS, OCT 7 1912 SURVEYS.

CHAPLEAU, ONT. Oct. 2nd 1912

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS OCT 5 1912

Dear Sir.

I enclose a memorial from the Moose Factory Band of Indians, which they asked me to forward to you on my arrival home. I may say that I made inquiries while at Moose in August, and found that the facts as set forth in the memorial are all correct regarding both reserves. I also camped on the shore or coast between North Bluff & Navy Creek & thought it to be an excellent place for Reserve purposes.

I also wish to state that I met Mr Dobie, your surveyor, on the English River on his way to survey the reserves at Albany & Moose, having already completed the work at English River. I mentioned the subject of the memorial to him. He replied that although he had instructions to make a suitable selection for the Albany Reserve, he had no authority to do so for Moose, but simply to survey the promised reserve at French Creek. It was unfortunate that the Indians did not make the request while your Agent, Mr W. F. McLean was there, as the matter might have been adjusted immediately. I trust that it is not too late yet, as from all I was told at Moose, the French Creek Reserve, does not seem at all suitable for their purposes.

Yours Sincerely — John G. Moosonee

Pres. Mark

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The Diocese of Moosonee

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RIGHT REV. JOHN G. ANDERSON
BISHOP

CHAPLEAU, ONT. Oct. 21st 1912.

The Secretary
Indian Department, Ottawa.

Dear Sir. Will you kindly lay before the Minister of the Interior the following request from the Moose Factory Band of Indians.

When the treaty was made with us, a reserve on French Creek was given us, about 9 miles south of Moose Fort. We find on examination that the above reserve is a poor one, not suitable for wood or farming. The wood has been largely cut down & destroyed and the land is too stony for agricultural purposes. Besides there is very poor hunting there. The arrangements were too hurriedly made & did not give us time to investigate.

We much prefer & do hereby apply for a reserve extending from North Bluff to Wavy Creek - about 9 miles N.W. from Moose Fort along the coast towards Albany. This is most suitable for all purposes - for farming, hunting & wood supply. Though rather swampy further back, it is far ahead of the French Creek reserve. The hunting is especially good & we could leave an old & infirm here while the hunters are away in the winter, and they would be comfortable - there being also good fishing in the various creeks & streams. The survey can be best done in winter. Kindly send us a reply at once by the first packet, as we are very anxious to have this matter settled to our satisfaction.

Yours Sincerely Richard Wanestigoosh, Chief
David Cheena
Simon Cheena
Fred. Mark } Councillors

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412,065.

Ottawa, Oct. 7, 1912.

IXD.

Right Reverend Sir:-

I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 2nd. instant and of the enclosures relating to the change of locality desired by the Moose Factory Indians for the reserve provided for them under the terms of the treaty. This Department has no objection to the proposed change but the Province of Ontario was also a part to the said treaty. The Department of Lands and Forests has been communicated with and requested to reply immediately whether the Province will allow the change desired.

I shall be obliged if you will inform me of the best manner in which instructions, if the change is agreed to, can be sent to the surveyor, Mr. J.S.Dobie, who is now engaged in making the surveys in that region.

Your obedient servant,

Sgd. J.D. McLean.

Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

Right Rev. John G. Anderson,
Bishop of Moosonee,
Chapleau, Ont.

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Minister

Ottawa, Oct. 7, 1912.

EXD.

Sir,

According to the arrangements made under Treaty No. 9 the Indian Reserve at Moose Factory was defined as beginning at the East Point of Moose River at South Bluff Creek thence South six miles on the East shore of French River and of sufficent depth to give an area of thirty-six square miles. I have the honour to submit herewith a copy of a petition from the Chief and Councillors of the Moose Factory Band requesting that the said reserve be not laid out as defined but that it should extend from a point known as North Bluff to Navy Creek about nine miles North West from Moose Fort.

This Department has no objections whatever to laying out a reserve of thirty-six square miles for these Indians at the said point. I shall be obliged if you will be good enough to inform me whether there is any objection on the part of the Province to have the reserve laid out as it is desired by the Indians.

Aubrey White, Esq.,
Deputy Minister of Lands,
Toronto, Ont.

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Our Surveyor Mr. J.S.Dobie, is now making the survey of the remainder of the reserves provided for, under the treaty. The Moose Factory Reserve is one of these. In order to authorize a change it will be necessary to forward instructions or permission to him at once. I have therefore to request that you will be good enough to forward or wire an immediate reply.

Your obedient servant,

Rgd. J.D. McLean.

Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

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The Diocese of Moosonee

RIGHT [illegible] JOHN G. ANDERSON
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DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,
OCT 12 1912
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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
OCT 11 1912

CHAPLEAU, ONT. Oct. 10th 1912

Immediate
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Secretary
Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa

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Dear Sir. Re 412,065.

I have to thank you for yours of the 7th inst. I am glad to know that the Department is willing to make the proposed change of locality for the Moose Reserve. I trust the Province of Ontario will likewise be agreeable. I hope your reply to the Moose Band has been dispatched. The only way to send instructions to Mr Dobie will be to address him "Moose Factory, via Cochrane, Ont., c/o Hudson's Bay Company or Revillon Bros." I say "or", because I am afraid that, owing to the non-arrival of the Hudson's Bay vessel at Moose, the H.B. Co. packet has been delayed. That packet leaves Moose ordinarily on Sept. 20th and should reach Cochrane about Oct. 1st, but so far I have not heard of its arrival there. The Revillon Bros. packet is a week later, and should now be near Cochrane. Perhaps the surest way would be to send your letter at once to Mr Dobie in care of our missionary, Rev. J. R. Bythell, Holy Trinity Rectory, Cochrane, Ont. asking him, at my request, to see that your instructions are forwarded by the first chance. With best wishes — Yours Sincerely — John G. Moosonee

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SURVEYS BRANCH

No.

Please not write about more than one lot or subject in the same letter.

Write legibly your full name and address.

Address your reply to The Deputy Minister of Lands and Forests, Toronto, and QUOTE ABOVE NUMBER.

ONTARIO
DEPARTMENT OF LANDS FORESTS & MINES
WOODS & FORESTS BRANCH

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
OCT 12 1912

SURVEYS
OCT 12 1912
DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

Toronto, October 10th, 1912.

Sir:

I have the honour to acknowledge your letter of the 7th inst. in connection with the Indian Reserve at Moose Factory under Treaty No. 9. I observe, on referring to the copy of the Treaty which was sent to us, and the schedule of the Reserves provided for therein, that at Moose Factory there is a Reserve to be laid out beginning at a point on the east shore of Moose River at South Bluff Creek; thence south six miles to the east shore of French River, and of sufficient depth to give an area of 66 square miles.

This is the reserve provided for under the Treaty, and we do not see, nor is there anything before us to show why the Reserve should be changed from the location in which the Commissioners fixed it.

Yours truly,

Deputy Minister.

J. D. McLean, Esq.,
Asst. Deputy Minister of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Can.

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Ottawa, Oct. 14, 1912.

EXD.

Sir,

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 10th instant, Surveys Branch, not numbered, and to state that it would appear form the last paragraph of the said letter that the copy of the Petition from the Indians of Moose Factory may not have been enclosed with our letter of the 7th instant and which is now enclosed.

Encl.

Kindly note that the Indians state their choice of a reserve at Moose Factory was made too hurriedly and that they did not have time to investigate the features of the land chosen as a reserve; they have since found that the wood is largely cut down and destroyed and the location is not fit for agricultural purposes and is also not in a good hunting locality. The locality in which they desire the reserve to be surveyed instead of the one provided for in the Treaty, the Indians contend, is much superior to the one provided for in the Treaty.

S. B.

Aubrey White, Esq.,
Deputy Minister,
Dept. of Lands, Forests & Mines,
Toronto, Ont.

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I may add that the request of the Indians is supported by a letter from the Right Reverend John G. Anderson , Bishop of Moosonee, who says that the facts set forth in the Indian Memorial are correct. and he also further states that he was informed from another quarter that the reserve provided for under the Treaty is not suitable for the Indians' purposes.

I shall be obliged if you will kindly again consider this matter and send an immediate answer.

Your obedient servant,

Pgd P Stewart

Assistant Secretary.

Aubrey White, Esq.,
Deputy Minister,
Dept. of Lands,Forests & Mines,
Toronto, Ont.

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Department of Indian Affairs.

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New Brunswick East

Dispute between Sam. Augustine and John Augustine about ownership of house and land on Big Cove Res.

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NEW BRUNSWICK.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
OCT 10 1912

Northeastern Division,

Buctouche, October 7, 1912.

Sir;-

I beg to report, that a dispute has arisen between Samuel Augustine and John Augustine, both sons of the late Julien Augustine and, Noel Tom Augustine, son of the late Tom Augustine, over the ownership and possession of one house situated on the Big Cove Indian Reserve, Kent County, N.B. There does not seem to be any dispute regarding the land that this house is upon, that is claimed by Noel Tom Augustine and his title is undisputed. The facts regarding the house are as follows ;-

Some twenty-five years ago, John Augustine together with his father built the house in dispute. John purchasing and paying for the material and his father assisting him in the labour of building the same. Shortly after the house was built, John left and then went to the United States, were he has since resided up to a year or so ago. Before leaving for the United States, he informed his father who was living in the house, that he could continue to live in the same until such time as he would get married and want it for himself, being at the time a single man. On July 1st.,1901, during the time that his son John was in the United States, Julien Augustine sold this house to Noel Tom Augustine for the sum of Fifty dollars

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($50.00) and signed a writing to that effect, written in the micmac language, before a witness who is now dead. It would appear from the information I received, that this ~~was~~ sale was actually made and the money paid by Noel Tom Augustine to Julien Augustine, as this fact was generally admitted. About six years ago, Julien Augustine died at Painsec Junction in the County of Westmorland, where he had been residing for a few years, and while he was sick and before his death, he signed a paper giving all his property to his son Samuel Augustine. As the matter stands now, John Augustine, who claims to have built the house and bought the material, which does not seem to be disputed, wants the possession of the house, while Noel Tom Augustine, who is in possession and lives in it, claims to have purchased it from Julien Augustine and paid for it, and refuses to give up possession of the house unless he is paid the sum of Sixty dollars, ($60.00). I might also say, that John Augustine who has been in the United States for about eighteen years, married an Indian woman of that country, who is not a member of the Big Cove Band.

Kindly advise me as to what I should do in the matter.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,

R. A. Irving

Indian Superintendent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS CANADA

Ottawa, 16th October, 1912.

LANDS BRANCH OCT 16 1912

Memorandum:

Lands Branch,

Relying on the statement that Noel Tom Augustine is the undisputed owner of the land and that he purchased the house eleven years ago and apparently has been in possession of it ever since, I think he has the best claim to the property in question. If John Augustine had any claim he should have made it when his father sold the house to Noel and I think it is now too late to ask the Department to intervent.

A.S. Williams

Law Clerk.

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Ottawa, October 16, 1912.

EXD.

Sir,-

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 7th instant, in regard to dispute between Samuel Augustine and John Augustine, as to possession of a house on the Big Cove Indian reserve, and in reply to say that, relying on the statement that Noel Tom Augustine is the undisputed owner of the land, and that he purchased the house eleven years ago, and apparently has been in possession ever since, it is considered that he has the best claim to the property in question. If John Augustine had any claim, he should have made it when his father sold the house to Noel, and the Department considers that it is now too late to ask for its interference.

Your obedient Servant,

S. STEWART

Assistant Secretary.

R. A. Irving, Esq.,
Indian Superintendent,
Buctouche, N. B.

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North Tuniskaming

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS OCT 18 1912

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TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

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Sir,

Referring to your letter of

No.

LANDS BRANCH OCT 22 1912

Enclosed please find an agreement of sale passed between Jean Massinkijik a member of the Tuniskaming Band and Samuel Edwardson, of this place. The price paid for the improvements is considered to be sufficient.

Hoping to have an early reply.

I am Sir,

your obedient servant.

J. A. Renaud
Ind. Agt.

The Secretary.
Dept Indian Affairs.
Ottawa.

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Agreement of sale passed between Jean Massinikijik a member of the Finnishanning Band of Indians and Samuel Edwardson of North Finnishanning, county of Pontiac, farmer.
For and in consideration of the sum of Five hundred Dollars of lawful money of Canada, the said Jean Massinikijik agrees to sell to the said Samuel Edwardson his heirs and assigns forever all his right title, interest claim and demand into and out of all and singular that certain parcel or tract of land and premises situate lying and being in the Finnishanning Indian Reserve County of Pontiac and containing by admeasurement sixty five acres more or less, and being composed of lot no 38 Prinze Range.
The said Samuel Edwardson agrees to pay to the Ind. Dept. $3.00 an acre for the land.
This agreement of sale to be presented to Indian Dept. for approbation.
In witness whereof the said parties have sign this 15th day of October 1912.

Sign. in presence of
J. W. Kenan S.
Ind. Agent.

Jean Massinikijik
Samuel Edwardson

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M E M O R A N D U M.

Ottawa, October 23, 1912.

LANDS BRANCH JAN 4 1913

EXD

To the Deputy Minister-

In regard to letter from Agent Renaud of the 15th instant, inclosing an agreement between John Massinikijik, and Samuel Edwardson, as to purchase by the latter of lot 38, Quinze range, Temiscamingue, I beg to say that this lot contains an area of 65 acres, and stands under location ticket in the name of John Massinikijik. The agreement calls for payment by the proposed purchaser for Indian improvements of the sum of $500.00, and in addition $3.00 per acre for the interest of the band. The agent reports that the price to be paid is sufficient, and I would beg to recommend submission of surrender to the band, in the usual way.

In Charge Lands & Timber Branch.

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Ottawa, I4th January, I9I3-

EXD

Sir,

In reply to your letter of the I5th October last, submitting an Agreement for sale between Jean Massinikijik and Samuel Edwardson, regarding Lot 38, Quinze Range, Temiscamingue, I beg to enclose form of Surrender in Duplicate, which you are hereby authorized to submit to the Indians, under and in accordance with the provisions of the Indian Act.

If Surrender is assented to, you should have it duly executed and attested, and return to the Department with advice as to number of Indians present at meeting, number voting for surrender and number of total voting members of the Band.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Deputy Superintendent General
of Indian Affairs-

J. A. Renaud, Esq.
Indian Agent,
North Temiscamingue,
P. Q.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

North Lemuskanning
Jan. 4/13. 191

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
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ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

EXD.

Sir,—

417823

There has been an agreement of sale passed between Jean Massinikijik and Samuel Edwardson for lot 38 Quinze Front. and the parties interested have requested me to write and find out what consideration has been given to the said agreement and the cause of the delay for the surrender papers to come.

LANDS BRANCH
JAN 16 1913

I am Sir
Your obedient Servant.

J. A. Renaud
Ind. Agt.

The Secretary
Dept. Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

North Lunstanning
March 18/13

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TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

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EXD.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS MAR 20 1913

LANDS BRANCH MAR 25 1913

Sir,—

Referring to letter No 412706 of Jan. 14/13 and that No 368284 of Jan. 24/13- These two surrenders has been assented to. by the Band There are about 40 voting members but a good number do not reside on the reserve and never comes to meetings.
There were 26 members present entitled to vote. 24 have voted in favor of the two surrenders and 2 against. Majority being 22.

I am Sir,
Your obedient Servant.

J. A. Renaud.
Ind. Agt.

Adj. Dn
I would recommend Submission to Council for approval of Authority to sell so they are done last in which of [illegible]

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Ottawa, March 26, 1913.

His Excellency

The Administrator in Council

The undersigned has the honour to submit herewith a surrender in duplicate, made on the 1st of March, 1913, by the Temiskaming band of Indians, of 65 acres comprised within lot No. 38 in the River Quinze Front Range, in the Temiskaming Reserve, in the County of Pontiac, in the Province of Quebec.

The surrender has been duly authorized and executed as required by the 49th section of the Indian Act, and the undersigned would recommend that the same be accepted by Your Excellency in Council and that authority be given for the sale of the land covered thereby as the Superintendent General may deem best in the interests of the Indians, the original surrender to be returned to the Department of Indian Affairs, the duplicate thereof to be kept of record in the Privy Council Office.

Acting Superintendent General
of Indian Affairs.

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Timiskaming Office
Interior Dept.
Returned for statement as to majority of voters being present at the surrender and voting therefor. If not a new surrender will be necessary.

(Sd) J. G. M.

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Surrender of 65 acres, Timiskaming band

John Massinikijik, the Indian owner of lot 38 in this reserve, has signed an agreement of sale with Samuel Edwardson, a farmer of North Timiskaming, covering the 65 acres referred to in the surrender, the consideration being $500.00 for Massinikijik's improvements and $3.00 per acre for the land (The land in a reserve is held in common by a band; and the members of the band, upon a sale being made, receive compensation pro rata and the individual locatee receives, in addition, payment for the value of improvements made by him). Edwardson will therefore have to pay $500+ $195 (65X3)= $695

There are something over 14,000 acres in the Timiskaming reserve and of this about 3,010 acres have been located by the Indians. The last census gives the band a population of 241 Indians.

Section 48 of the Indian Act provides that no portion of a reserve shall be alienated without a surrender being taken, and section 49 requires that the surrender shall be submitted to the Governor in Council for acceptance or refusal.

Indian Affairs,
March 26, 1913.

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As to votes taken on Timiskaming surrenders of 65 and 6.54 acres.

The Department has obtained a full report from the Indian Agent with regard to the voting on these surrenders.

The two surrenders were taken on the same day, viz., 1st March last. There are 58 male members in the band of the full age of 21 years. 18 of these do not reside on or near the reserve, leaving 40 who, under subsection 2 of section 49 of the Indian Act, are entitled to vote. 26 of the 40 entitled to vote were present at the meeting, and 24 of them voted for and 2 against the surrender.

The surrenders are therefore perfectly in order for acceptance by Council.

Indian Affairs,
14 May, 1913.

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412,706

Surrender of 65 acres, Timiskaming Indian reserve.

John Massinikijik,, the Indian owner of lot 38 in this reserve, has signed an agreement of sale with Samuel Edwardson, a farmer of N. Timiskaming, covering the 65 acres referred to in the surrender, the consideration being $500 for Massinikijik's improvements and $3.00 per acre for the land (the land in a reserve is held in common by the band; and the members of the band, upon a sale being made, receive compensation pro rata and the individual locatee receives, in addition, payment for the value of improvements made by him). Edwardson will therefore have to pay $500 + $195(65 X 3) = $695.00.

The province of Quebec are selling Crown lands in this district for from 50¢ to $1 per acre. This Department has sold lands in the surrendered portion of this reserve for from 85¢ to 75¢ per acre, and has on several occasions sold farm lands at the front of the reserve for from $2.50 to $3.00 per acre; so that the price now being obtained is probably as high as could be obtained.

There are 58 male members in the Timiskaming band of the full age of 21 years. 18 of these do not reside on or near the reserve, leaving 40 who, under subsec. 2 of Sec. 49 of the Indian Act, are entitled

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entitled to vote. 26 of the 40 entitled to vote were present at the meeting, and 24 of them voted for and 2 against the surrender. The surrender has therefore been properly taken.

There are something over 14,000 acres in the Timiskaming reserve, and of this about 5,010 acres have been located by the Indians. The last census gives the band a population of 241 Indians.

Section 48 of the Indian Act provides that no portion of a reserve shall be alienated without a surrender being taken, and section 49 requires that the surrender shall be submitted to the Governor in Council for acceptance or refusal.

Indian Affairs,
27 May, 1913.

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A.G.C.

MINISTER OF THE INTERIOR
CANADA

Ottawa, 7th April, 1913.

Mr. Pedley,

Report to

Encl.

In connection with the attached (Order in) Council it is desired by Mr. Crothers that an assurance shall be given that a majority of the entire voters in the Timiskaming reserve were in attendance at the meeting at which the surrender was taken, and that that majority voted in favour of a surrender, Mr. Crothers spoke to you about this matter.

Kindly ascertain if this is the case, and submit a supplementary memorandum attaching the copy of the Memorandum to Council to the same.

[signature]

Minister subsequently decided that subsection 2 of Sec. 49 I.A. obtains. See Mr. Pedley's note in Mr. Orr's memo. on 4-3-5-77

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Ottawa, April 8, 1913.

Sir,

Referring to your letter of the 18th ultimo, enclosing a surrender of sixty-five acres of the Timiskaming reserve, I beg to call your attention to sub-section 2 of Sec.49 of the Indian Act, relative to the taking of ~~the~~ surrenders, which provides that no Indian shall be entitled to vote or to be present at such Council unless he habitually resides on or near and is interested in the reserve in question. Be good enough to state how many male members, 21 years of age and over, there are in the Timiskaming band who come under the above mentioned sub-section, and whether they were all duly notified to be present at the meeting called for the taking of the surrender.

Your obedient servant,

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

J.A. Renaud, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
North Timiskaming, Ont:

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See also F. 368284

Ottawa, April 9, 1913.

Sir,-

Referring to letter addressed you on the 8th instant, in regard to surrender of 65 acres on the Temiscamingue reserve, comprised within lot 38, River Quinze front range, Temiscamingue, and surrender of 6.54 acres in lot 24, Quinze front range, both assented to by the band on the 1st ultimo, I have to request that you will be good enough to furnish in addition to the information called for in letter above referred to the number of male members of the Temiscamingue band over twenty-one years of age. You will, therefore, be good enough to advise the Department by return mail in regard to these two surrenders as follows:- The number of male members of the Temiscamingue band of the full age of twenty-one years, the number present at the meeting granting the surrenders, the number voting for the surrenders and the number voting against, also the number of male members of the band included in the above who are not resident on or near the reserve.

Your obedient Servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

J. A. Renaud, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
North Temiscamingue, Que.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

North Simiskaming

Apr. 14/13 191

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS APR 16 1913

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 412706
ALSO of April 9/13.
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER and June 8/13

Sir,—

424090

There are 58 male members of the full age of 21 years in the Simiskaming Band.
There are 40 male members that habitually resides on the Simiskaming Reserve, and of the full age of 21 years—
There are 18 male members of the full age of 21 years who resides outside of the Reserve.
There were 26 male members of the full age of 21 years present at the meeting referred to. and all residents on the reserve, 24 members voted in favor of the Surrenders and 2 voted against, total majority in favor 22 members.
All the members were notified in due time to be all present at meeting, only a few do not seems to take any interest and never comes to meetings. and always a few are working out and ~~loose~~ lose no time to assist at meetings, especially young people. It is generally always the same who assist at meetings.
Regarding Subsection No 2 Section No 49. Page 15 of the Indian Act.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No.
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TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

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424090

Sir,—

Act. the provisions contained there-in has all been applied at meetings called to vote on surrenders.

Hoping that I have answered at all questions requested and to the entire satisfaction of the department.

I am Sir,
Your obedient Servant.

J. A. Pinard.
Ind. Agt.

The Secretary,
Dept. Indian Affairs.
Ottawa.

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Ottawa, April 15, 1913.

Sir,-

I am in receipt of your letter of 14th in reply to mine of 9th instant regarding the vote on the recent Temiskaming surrenders.

Referring again to subsection 2 of section 49 of the Indian Act, you will observe that it states that " No Indian shall be entitled to vote or be present at such council unless he habitually resides on or near and is interested in the reserve in question." While you state that there are 40 male members 21 years of age or over who habitually reside on the reserve and 18 who reside outside, you do not state whether any of these non-residents live near the reserve. Kindly give full particulars on this point showing where or at what distance from the reserve such non-residents live, and whether any of these Indians were notified or whether it was impossible to notify them.

Your obedient servant,

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

J. A. Renaud, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
N. Temiskaming, P. Q.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS MAY 13 1913

INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

North Sunshaning

May 10/13 191

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 412706 & 368284
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

of Apr 18/13.

Sir,—

Referring to letter of above date. I have taken some informations in regards to the residence of those Indians referred to in your letter. From the 18 members who reside outside of the Sunshaning Reserve two reside at Dunze Lake or in the neighborhood at about 25 miles from here. Two resides a Long Lake about 50 miles from here. Three resides at Abitibi Lake about 125 miles from here. The rest are travelling through the country and do not know their addresses. None of these Indians were notified of the meetings to take surrenders because they have not vote, and you can very well testify that it is impossible to notify these Indians for a meeting. The mail service through the bush is not very regular. I can certify that all surrenders assented to by this Band in my presence have been so in accordance with the rules of the Band and that of the Indian Act.

It is always a pleasure for me to give all informations asked

See Sir the explanation dated 14 May '13 attached to Report to Council, under Form 14-5-13

INDIAN BRANCH MAY 14 1913

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. .....
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

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Sir,—

by the Indian Dept. regarding the Timiskaming Agency, and hoping that the present informations will be to the entire satisfaction of the dept. and that the question of the surrenders will be settled.

I am Sir
Your obedient Servant

J. A. Renaud,
Ind. Agt

The Secretary,
Dept. Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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Certified copy of a Report of the Committee of the Privy Council, approved by His Excellency the Administrator on the 2nd. June, 1913.

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
JUN 4 1913

PRIVY COUNCIL
CANADA.

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On a memorandum, dated 26th March, 1913, from the Acting Superintendent General of Indian Affairs, submitting a surrender in duplicate, herewith, made on the 1st of March, 1913, by the Timiskaming band of Indians, of 65 acres comprised within lot No. 38 in the River Quinze Front Range, in the Timiskaming Reserve, in the County of Pontiac, in the Province of Quebec.

The Minister recommends, as the surrender has been duly authorized and executed as required by the 49th section of the Indian Act, that it be accepted by Your Excellency in Council and that authority be given for the sale of the land covered thereby as the Superintendent General of Indian Affairs may deem best in the interests of the Indians, the original surrender to be returned to the Department of Indian Affairs and the duplicate thereof to be kept of record in the Privy Council Office.

LANDS BRANCH
JUN 4 1913

The Committee concur in the above recommendation and submit the same for approval.

Robt. Fk. Boudreau

Clerk of the Privy Council.

The Honourable
The Superintendent General
of Indian Affairs.

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Ottawa, June 5, 1913.

Sir,-

I beg to inform you that the surrender by the Temiscamingue band of Indians of lot 38 in the River Quinze range, Temiscamingue, containing 65 acres, has been duly accepted by Council, and you may now carry out a sale to the applicant, Mr. Samuel Edwardson, in accordance with agreement furnished under cover of your letter of the 15th of October last, the upset price being $500.00 for Indian improvements, and $3.00 per acre for the land.

Your obedient Servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

J. A. Renaud, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
North Temiscamingue,
Que.

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Ottawa, June 5, 1913.

Sir,-

I have the honour to enclose for registration in the Registrar General's Branch of your Department a Surrender made by the Timiskaming band of Indians, of 65 acres of their reserve, which surrender has been accepted by His Excellency the Administrator in Council on the 2nd instant.

Encl.

Be good enough to return the Instrument to the Department at your early convenience with certificate of registration endorsed thereon.

Your obedient servant,

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Thomas Mulvey, Esq., K.C.,
Under Secretary of State,
Ottawa.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
JUN 7 1913

DEPARTMENT OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE
OF CANADA.

S.
No.1650.

Ottawa, 6th June, 1913.

Sir,-

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 5th instant, No.412706, enclosing, for registration, surrender made by the Timiskaming band of Indians of 65 acres of their reserve.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

Assistant Under-Secretary of State.

The Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
JUN 23 1913

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DEPARTMENT OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE
OF CANADA.

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Ottawa, June 21st, 1913.

Sir:-

With reference to your letter of the 5th instant, I beg to return to you herewith, duly recorded in this Department, Surrender by the Temiskaming band of Indians of certain land on their reserve.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

LANDS BRANCH
JUN 24 1913

Acting Under Secretary of State.

The Deputy Superintendent General

of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa.

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Know all men by these presenters that I Jean Massinikijik a member of the Lumstanning Band of Indians, for and in consideration of the sum of Five hundred Dollars of lawful money of Canada, I hereby consent and agree to sell to Adelard Provencher farmer of the Township of Nedelec, all my right, title, interest claim and demand what soever both at law and in equity, into and out of all and singular, that certain parcel of tract of land and premises, situate lying and being in the Lumstanning Indian Reserve, and being composed of lot 38 Dunze Front, and containing sixty-five acres, more or less.

The said Adelard Provencher agrees to pay to the Indian Department the sum of Three Dollars an acre for the land.

Same to be submitted to the Indian Department for approbation.

Dated at North Lumstanning this 26th day of May 1916

Witness
J A Renaud
Ind Agt

Jean Massinikijik
Adelard Provencher

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I Samuel Edwardson, farmer of the Township of Lunnishaning, by these presents declare that I do not desire to purchase lot 38 Quinze Front, Lunnishaning Indian Reserve, from Jean Massinkyk
S 213/a member, of the Lunnishaning Indian Band.

Dated at North Lunnishaning the 26th day of May 1916.

Samuel Edwardson

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 482265
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

North Temiskaming, May 29th/16 191

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
MAY 31 1916

Sir,-

Enclosed please find an # , of sale agreement, passed between Jean Massinikijik a member of th Temiskaming Band and Adelard Provencher, farmer of North Temiskaming. Jean Massinikijik agrees to sell to Provencher lot 38 Quinze Front for the sum of $ 500.00 for the improvements and Provencher agrees to pay $ 3.00 an acre for the land .

On the I5th of October I9I2# I submitted an agrement of sale for the same lot to Samuel Edwardson, the form of Surrender was submitted to the Band and assented to, then I was authorized to sell the lot to Edwardson but did not want to buy it so it was left there until now.

Now Provencher wishes to purchase this lot as per agreement passed May 26th/I6.

Hoping that the Department will approve of the sale and will authorized same.

I am Sir,

Your Obedient Servant,

J. A. Renaud
Indian Agent.

LANDS BRANCH
MAY 31 1916

The Secretary,
Dept. Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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412,706.

Ottawa, May 31, 1916.

Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 29th instant, reporting that Samuel Edwardson, to whom you were instructed to sell lot 38 in the River Quinze Range, Temiscamingue, containing 65 acres, by letter of the 5th of June, 1913, does not desire to purchase, and submitting an agreement to purchase on the same terms from Adelard Provencher.

In reply I would say that, as instructed in letter addressed you on the 5th instant, a sale may be carried out to Mr. Adelard Provencher instead of to Mr. Samuel Edwardson on the terms agreed upon.

Your obedient Servant,

W. A. Orr.

WAO

In Charge Lands & Timber Branch.

J. A. Renaud, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
North Timiskaming, Que.

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Acct Funshaming Band

No. of account .....

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Jean Wassinikipik

DATE 1916			AMOUNT	
July	7	Authorized by Dept. Letter No. ..... dated ..... For improvements no lot 38 Quinze Front, sold to Adelard Provencher, under sale 213	$ 500	00

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Issued July 15/16

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

J. A. Renaud
Agent.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

North Temiskaming,

July 7th/16 191

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No.
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
JUL 10 1916

Sir,—

Enclosed please find two vouchers one for $ 8.75 for stove wood furnished to Indian school during last winter by John McBrideand one for $500.00 for improvements on lot 33 Quinze Front sold by Jean Massinikijik to Adelard Provencher.

I am Sir,

Your Obedient Servant,

J. A. Renaud
Indian Agent.

Sale 213

The Secretary,
Dept. Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

a/c 45 Inst.
Acct.
To pay Jean Massinikijik $500, as requested by agent
14. July 16
Sale noted
H.G.O.

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No. 413302

Department of Indian Affairs.

Oct 1902

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Six Nations

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Purchase by Band strip of land rear of Doctors residence from Mrs. Helen Kee.

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Ohsweken Council House,
October 9th 1912.

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The Adjourned Council of the Six Nations opened in due form by Chief Alex Hill one of the Fire Keepers.

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22

Chief to confer Mrs. H. Hill.

On the recommendation of the Board of Health the Council appointed Chiefs Richard Hill and Harry Martin to confer with Mrs. Hellen Hill with the view of purchasing a strip of land in the rear of Doctor's residence and the Council House grounds.

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The Council then adjourned until Tuesday November 5th next at 10 o'clock A.M.

I hereby certify that the above is a true copy from my minute book.

(Sgd.) Josiah Hill
Sec'y. S.N.C.

Read and approved

(Sgd.) J.S. Johnson,
Deputy Speaker S.N.C.

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Ohsweken Council House. 415520

November 7th 1913.

The adjourned Council of the Six Nations opened in due form by Chief Alexander Hill one of the Fire Keepers.

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29

The Council adopted the report of Chiefs Harry Martin and Richard Hill re purchase of a strip of land in the rear of the Doctor's residence from Mrs Hellen Hill at $50.00 per acre.

Report of land to be purchased adopted.

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The Council then adjourned until Wednesday 13th inst. at 10 oclock A.M.

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I hereby certify that this a true copy from my minute book.

Josiah Hill. Secy. S.N.C.

Read and approved.

J.S. Johnson.

Deputy Speaker S.N.C.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
DEC 3 1912

Indian Office, Brantford,

November 20th 1912.

Sir,-

415520

I beg to enclose minutes of Council held on the 5th instant and subsequent dates and to report thereon as follows:-

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,
DEC 9 1912
SURVEYS.

EXT.

No. 29

The Council adopted the report of a committee appointed to purchase a strip of land in the rear of the Doctor's residence and in rear of Village lots from Mrs. Helen Hill at a cost of $50.00 per acres for the use of the Doctor. Dr. Holmes frequently complained that he had no paddock in which to turn out his horses and Dr. Davis had complained of the same, and this land is purchased for the purpose, and also to add greater depth to the Village lots. I beg to recommend your approval of this decision.

Your obedient servant,

(Sgd) Gordon J. Smith,
Supt.

The Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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1 Dy. Minister
2 Secty.

Ottawa, Dec. 6, 1912.

EX. D.

Sir,

Referring to the resolution of the Six Nations Council, No. 29, enclosed with your letter of the 20th ultimo, I have to request you to be good enough to send a sketch showing the measurements of the lot in the rear of village lots to be purchased from Mrs. Helen Hill at $50.00 per acre, for the use of the doctor, I may say that the resolution is approved but it is necessary to know the area of the land to be purchased.

S.B.

Your obedient servant,

Sgd J D McLean

Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

Gordon J. Smith, Esq.,
Indian Superintendent
Brantford, Ont.

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420052

Ohsweken Council House,
January 21st, 1913.

The Adjourned Council opened in due form by Chief Alexander Hill one of the Fire Keepers.

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71

Locating line committee to draw plans etc.

The Council decided that Locating line committee shall draw a map or plan of the proposed extention of the Ohsweken Village lots, and in the rear of the Doctor's residence.

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I hereby certify that the above is a true copy from my minute book.

Josiah Mill,
Sec'y S. N. C.

Read and approved,
Chief J. S. Johnson,
Deputy Speaker, S. N. C.

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SURVEYS.

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DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
FEB 13 1913
SURVEYS

Indian Office Brantford,

January 30th 1913.

420052

Sir,-

I beg to enclose the minutes of Council held on the 7th January and subsequent dates and to report thereon as follows:-

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LANDS BRANCH
FEB 14 1913

This decision was made as a result of the Department's letter 6th of December last under file No 413302. When I get the plan I will forward it.

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Your obedient servant,

Gordon J. Smith,

Supt.

The Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
MAR 14 1913

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,
MAR 14 1913
SURVEYS.

421671 Indian Office, Brantford,
March. 12th., 1913.

Sir,- No. 37

I beg to enclose the report of the surveyors whom were requested by the Council to survey the land behind the village lots in Ohsweken referred to in your letter of the 6th of December last. ~~I beg to enclose this report~~ and to ~~xxxxx~~ recommend that it be adopted. The land proposed to be bought contains 11½ acres of which ½ of an acre is proposed to be added to the Doctor's half acre to give him more room the remaining 5½ acres is proposed to be divided and sold to the owners of the village lots adjoining for the purpose of making their lots deeper;as they are situated now, the stables and other out buildings behind the dwellings on the lots are so close ~~and are~~ as to be unhealthy. I believe it is the intention to reserve a portion of this 5½ acres at the rear for the purpose of opening out new lots on a new street which may be opend to the North of this property.

Your obedient servant,

Supt-

The Secretary-
Dept. of Indian Affairs-
Ottawa-

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Ohsweken Council House

February 19th, 1913.

The adjourned Council of the Six Nations opened in due form by Chief Alex. Hill one of the Fire Keepers.

37

The Council decided to adopt the report and plan of the proposed extention of the Ohsweken Village streets and lots and decided to pay Mrs. Hellen Hill for the 6¼ acres at $50.00 per acre or $312.50

Mrs. Hellen Hill be paid $312.00

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I hereby certify that the above is a true copy from my minute book.

Sgn. Josiah Hill

Sec. S.N.C.

Read and approved

Sgn. J.S.Johnson

Deputy Speaker S.N.C.

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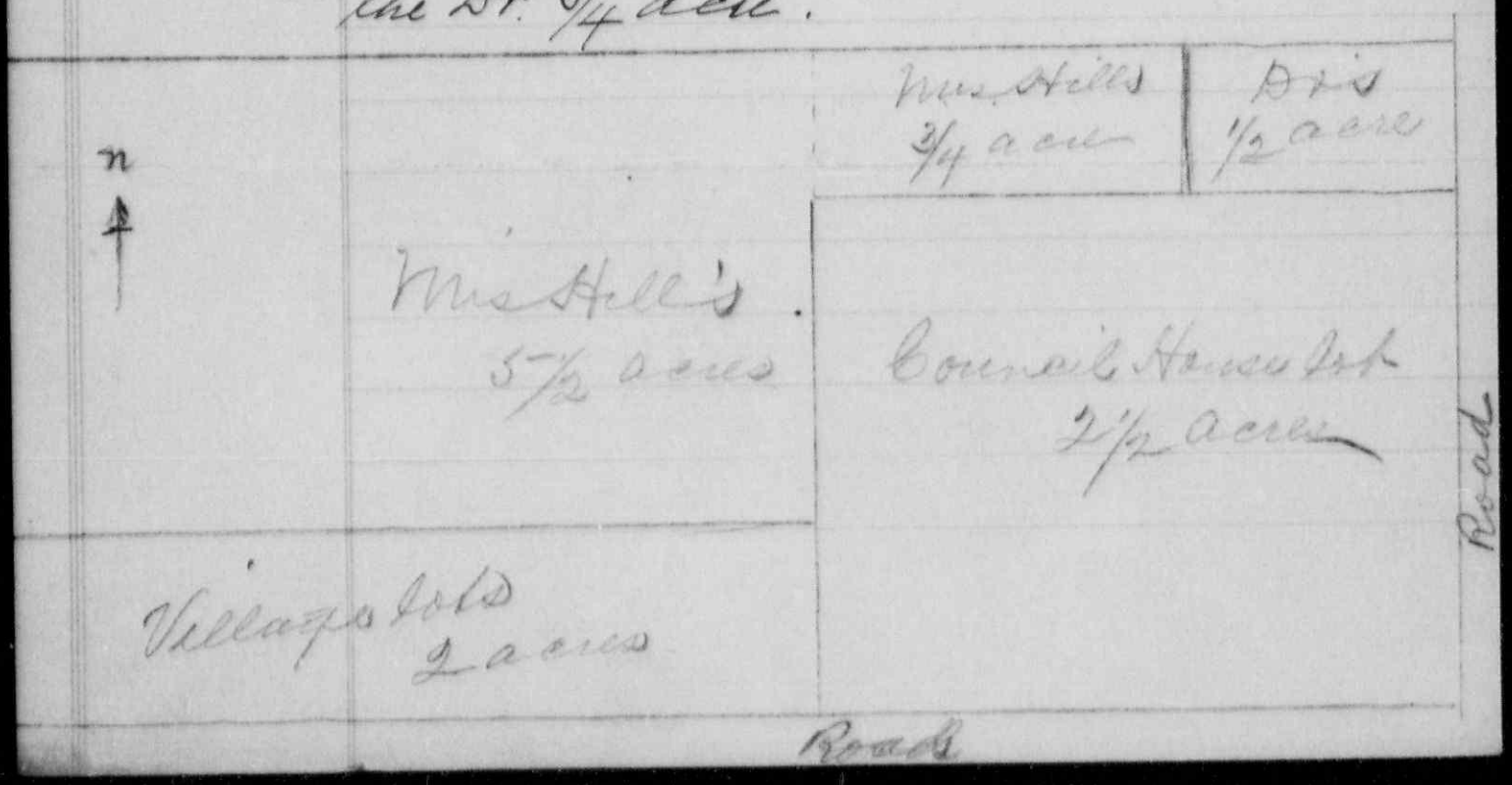
421556 Ohsweken Feb. 5th 1913

To the Chiefs in Council.

Sirs.

Following the instructions received from the Secretary of the Council, We have Surveyed the Southern limit of the South half of lot No 19, Con. 4. Tus. commencing from the South East Corner of the lot to the North side of the Doctor's premises, 5 Chains and 65 links, Then we went to the South west corner of the lot, Surveyed back 5 Chains and 65 links, We could not drive a stake into the ground, so we tied the stake to the fence with wire, as well as made a mark on the fence, We then struck a line accross the lot and found it to Contain 11¼ acres. devided as follows (as per rough sketch below) Council house lot 2½ acres, Dr's lot ½ acre Village lots 2 acres, Mrs Hill's 6¼ acres. back of the Village lots 5½ acres, back of the Council house sheds and back of the Dr. 3/4 acre.

Signed J. B. Hill
Deceased
Acting for R. S. Carpenter



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EXD.

Ottawa, March 20, 1913.

Sir,

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 12th instant and with reference to the Resolution No. 71 of the Six Nations Indian Council of January 21, last, I have to say that no one can legally exercise the duties of a land surveyor in the Province of Ontariounless he has duly received a commission from the Provincial Government empowering him to perform the duties of a land surveyor.

It is very difficult to draw the line between the duties that the fence viewers or locating committee of the Indian Council may perform and those which should be performed only by an Ontario Land Surveyor.

The policy of the Deparmtment has been in the past to respect strictly the Provincial Acts relating to surveyors and the survey of lands. The present case is a matter of the subdivision of the Indian Reserve and of preparing a map or plan of the same . It should be properly the work of an Ontario Land Surveyor.

I may say that the Department will consider the advisability of sending a surveyor from headquarters to make the necessary survey but would prefer to have your views in this matter before deciding.

Gordon J. Smith,Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Brantford,Ont.

Your obedient servant,

Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
MAR 27 1913

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,
MAR 29 1913
SURVEYS.

Indian Office, Brantford,

March 26, 1913.

Sir,-

In answer to your letter of the 20th inst. referring to the locating lines committee of the Indian Council performing the duties of provincial land surveyors, I beg to reply as follows:- This question was raised by the Department in reference to a former decision and reported to the Council. The Council took strong exception to the ruling of the Department on the ground that the locating line committee had for so many years past performed these purely local duties of running the proper line for a ~~proper~~ line fence dividing up an estate amongst the different heirs and various other small measurements of this kind. The pepple respected their decisions and no question has every been raised in regard to it. While this committtee may be technically exercising some of the duties of a land surveyor. I do not think they are infringing on any work which would otherwise find its way into the office of a land surveryor. The reserve forms no part of the organized portion of the Province of Ontario and if the Department could possibly see its way

The Secretary-

Dept. of Indian Affairs-

Ottawa-

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way fit to allow this committee to continue as it has been doing. I think it would be ~~xxxxxxxx~~ decidedly in the interest of the six Nations. surveyors could only be employed at heavy expense and in many cases the value of the land to be surveyed is not great enough to warrant this expense. The committee does not collect fees for its work any more that the usual dollar per day allowed for expenses.

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I am

sir

Your obedient servant,

[signature]

supt-

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1 Dy. Minister
2 Secty

Ottawa, March 31, 1913.

Sir:-

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 26th instant and note what you say in connection with the measurements made by the Locating Committee in the Tuscarora Indian Reserve.

Trouble is sure to ensue if subdivisions of land into several lots are made in an inaccurate manner. The plan also made of them is legally worthless. Also cases arise in which disputes as to the limits may necessarily have to be referred to the courts. It is, therefore, considered advisable that all surveys except those of a minor nature should be legally performed. In the present case the Department is willing to send an Ontario Land Surveyor from headquarters. There will be no charge against the band for his services, the only charge will be his actual expenses. Kindly discuss this matter again with the chiefs. It is especially desired to comply with the laws of the Province of Ontario and no unnecessary evasion of them should be made.

Your obedient servant,

Sgd J. D. McLean

Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

G. J. Smith, Esq.,

Indian Superintendent,

Brantford, Ont.

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Ohsweken Council House.

September 24th 1913.

Adjourned Special Council of the Six Nations opened in due form by Chief David John one of the Fire Keepers.

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14.

A new strip of land for Street.

On consideration of a proposed Street as an outlet to propose Village extention, the Council decided to purchase another strip of land from Mrs. Hellen Hill 40 feet in width and 80 rods long at $50.00 per acre, and further decided that the Inspector of works purchase wire, and hire men to set the posts and erect the fence as soon as possible.

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The Council then adjourned until Oct.7th next.

I hereby certify that the above is a true copy from my minute book.

Read and approved. Josiah Hill.

J.S. Johnson. Secy S.N.C.

Deputy Speaker S.N.C.

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APR 8 1914

EXTRACT.
ORIGINAL ON
218222-175.

Indian Office, Brantford,
March 21st, 1914.

445124

Sir.-

I beg to enclose the minutes of Council held on the 3rd ~~February~~ March and subsequent dates and to report thereon as follows:-

x x x

No. 14.

Jeff and Jacob Isaac made application to rent the land recently purchased from Mrs. Simon Hill for the extension of village lots but the Council refused this application and instructed the locating line committee to stake out the lots and number them with the exception of the three quarter of an acre lot in the rear of the Doctor's residence and the council sheds. I beg to recommend your approval of this decision.

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Gordon J. Smith,
Supt.

The Secretary,
Dept. Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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APR 9 1914

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218222-173.

Ohsweken Council House,

March 4th 1914.

The adjourned Council of the Six Nations opened in due form by Chief David John one of the Fire Keepers.

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Rent of land refused, etc.) The Council refused the application of Jeff & Jacob Isaac to rent the land recently purchased for village extension, and further decided to engage the locating line committee to stake out the lots and number them, accepting the ¾ of an acre in the rear of the sheds and the Doctor's residence.

x x x

Josiah Hill,

Sec'y S.N.C.

Read and approved,

J. S. Johnson,

Deputy Speaker S.N.C.

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413 302-

OTTAWA, 13th April, 1914-

Sir-

Referring to Resolution No 14, regarding desire of Jeff and Jacob Isaac to rent the land recently purchased from Mrs.Simon Hill, I beg to say that the action of the Council in refusing said application is hereby approved, as the land was purchased for the extension of village lots.

Your obedient servant

W. A. Orr.

In charge Lands & Timber Branch.-

WAO

Gordon J.Smith,Esq.,
Indian Superintendent,
BRANTFORD,
Ontario.-

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No. 413747

Department of Indian Affairs.

Nov. 1912

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

North Gunstamma

Nov 2 1912

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS NOV 5 1912

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No.
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

Lands

Sir,

Referring to your letter of

No.

Enclosed Agreement of sale passed between William Polson a member of the Gunstamma Band and Pascal Jann Carriere labourer of this place.
The price paid for the improvements is quite satisfactory.
I am Sir
Your obedient Servant.

J. W. Renaud.
Ind. Agt.

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The Secretary
Dept Indian Affairs
Ottawa.

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Agreement of sale passed between
William Polson a member of the
Timiskaming Band of Indians and
Pascal Jarm Carriere. Laborer of
North Timiskaming County of Pontiac
Province of Quebec.

For and in consideration of the sum
of two hundred and twenty-five
Dollars of lawful money of Canada
the said William Polson agrees to
sell to the said Pascal Jarm Carriere
all his right. title raised and
claim out of all and singular
that certain parcel or tract of land
and premises situate lying and
being in the Timiskaming Indian
Reserve County of Pontiac Province of
Quebec and being lot no 5 concession 4.
The said Pascal Jarm Carriere agrees
to paid the sum of two Dollars an
acre to the Indian Department for
the land. The said lot containing
by admeasurement eighty acres.
This agreement to be submitted
to the Indian Department for
approbation.
Dated at North Timiskaming this
2nd day of November A.D. 1912.
Signed. Sealed and executed
in presence of

John George McBride

William Polson
Pascal Jarm Carriere

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413,747.

Ottawa, November 12, 1912.

EXD.

Sir,-

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 2nd instant, inclosing agreement of sale between William Polson and Pascal Jarm Carriere, of Lot No. 5, Con. 4, Temiscamingue, and in connection therewith beg to point out that this land was only located to Polson in 1906, and you should report fully as to whether it is desirable that he should be allowed to dispose of same.

Your obedient Servant,

F. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

J. A. Renaud, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
North Temiscamingue, Que.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

North Tiniskaming

Nov. 25/12 - 191

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 413747
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

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EX'D.

Sir,—

Referring to letter of Nov. 17/12
No 413747 -
William Polson the owner of
Lot 5 Con 4. Tiniskaming Indian
Reserve, says that he has no
use for this lot, for the reasons
that all the timbers has been
cut, and that he has not the
means to go and reside on the
lot, and to clear land. There
are no improvements made, and
I do not suppose if he keeps
this lot for another ten years,
that he would make improvement
or clear land, that would be
to some benefit to him.
The price obtain is satisfactory
and I think that he should be
allowed to sell.

I am Sir,
Your obedient Servant,

J. A. Renaud
Ind. Agt.

The Secretary,
Dept. Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS NOV 29 1912

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File 413,747.

M E M O R A N D U M.

Ottawa, December 2, 1912.

To the Deputy Minister- EX'D.

Under cover of communication of the 2nd ultimo, Mr. Agent Renaud submitted an agreement for sale between William Polson, a member of the Temiscamingue band, and Pascal Jean Carriere, for lot 5, Con. 4, Temiscamingue, containing by admeasurement 80 acres,
Mr. Carriere agrees to pay for the Indian interest the sum of $225.00, and in addition $2.00 an acre for the land, to go to the band.

This land was only located to Polson in 1906, and the agent was asked to report whether he should be allowed to dispose of same. The agent now states that he has no use for the lot for the reasons that all the lumber has been cut, and that he has not the means to go and reside on the lot and to clear the land. He also states there are no improvements made, and he does not suppose that if the Indian occupied the lot for another ten years, that he would make any improvements or clear land that would be of some benefit to him. The Agent thinks that the price is satisfactory, and that sale should be carried out.

Submitted as to whether a surrender for the purpose should be forwarded to the local agent to lay before the Indians in the usual way.

W. Sibbald

In Charge Lands & Timber Branch.

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File 413,747.

(Copy)

Know all Men by these Presents

THAT WE, the undersigned Chief and Principal men of

The Temiscamingue Band of Indians

resident on our Reserve at North Temiscamingue

in the Province of Quebec and Dominion of Canada, for and acting on behalf of the whole people of our said Band in Council assembled, Do hereby release, remise, surrender, quit claim and yield up unto OUR SOVEREIGN LORD THE KING, his Heirs and Successors forever, ALL AND SINGULAR, that certain parcel or tract of land and premises, situate, lying and being in the Temiscamingue Indian Reserve, in the County of Pontiac and Province of Quebec containing by admeasurement eighty acres be the same more or less and being composed of lot five, concession four, in the said Indian Reserve.

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TO HAVE AND TO HOLD the same unto His said Majesty THE KING, his Heirs and Successors forever, in trust to sell _____

the same to such person or persons, and upon such terms as the Government of the Dominion of Canada may deem most conducive to our welfare and that of our people.

AND upon the further condition that all moneys received from the sale _____ thereof, shall, after deducting the usual proportion for expenses of management, ~~be~~ and the amount payable to the Indian locatee for his interest in the said land, be placed to our credit and interest thereon paid to us, in the usual way.

AND WE, the said Chief and Principal men of the said

The Temiscamingue Band of Indians _____ do on behalf of our people and for ourselves, hereby ratify and confirm, and promise to ratify and confirm, whatever the said Government may do, or cause to be lawfully done, in connection with the sale of the said land and the disposition of the moneys derived therefrom.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands and affixed our seals this day of
in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twelve.

Signed, Sealed and Delivered,

IN THE PRESENCE OF

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413,747.

Ottawa, December 4, 1912.

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Sir,-

In reply to your letter of the 25th ultimo, in regard to agreement between William Polson and Pascal Jarm Carriere for the sale of lot 5, Con. 4, Temiscamingue, I beg to inclose form of surrender, in duplicate, which you are hereby authorized to submit to the Indians under and in accordance with the provisions of the Indian Act.

Notice should be given of the meeting to be called for consideration of the surrender, in accordance with the rules of the band, and if the surrender is assented to, you should report the number of voting members of the band, the number present, and the number voting for and against the surrender.

Your obedient Servant,

FRANK PEDLEY.

Deputy Superintendent General
of Indian Affairs.

J. A. Renaud, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
North Temiscamingue, Que.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

Nat. Leeuskamming

Jan. 8/13. 191

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 413747 of Dec. 4/12
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS JAN 10 1913

LANDS BRANCH JAN 11 1913

417859

Sir,— Lands

Enclosed please find Surrender assented to by the majority of the voting members of this band at a meeting held in the school house on Jan. 4/13.

There are about 41 voting members but many of them are out of the Reserve, and some will pay a visit once a year, some once in two or three years and others never comes. There were 27 members present at this meeting and 19 voted in favor of surrender and 8 against.

The assistance at meetings varies from 20 - to 25 members generally but at election meeting there is always a larger assistance.

I am Sir
Your obedient Servant

J. A. Renaud,
Ind. Agt.

The Secretary
Dept. Indian Affairs.
Ottawa.

Sir: I try to recommend submission of surrender to Council for approval & authority to sell
Wade

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Ottawa, January 14th 1913.

His Royal Highness

The Governor General in Council.

The undersigned has the honour to submit herewith in duplicate, a surrender made on the 4th day of January, 1913, by the Temiscamingue band of Indians, of 80 acres of their reserve, No. 19, consisting of Lot 5, Con. 4, of the said reserve in the County of Pontiac, in the Province of Quebec, the said surrender having been made in order that the land covered thereby may be sold for the benefit of the band.

The surrender has been duly authorised and accepted as required by the 49th section of the Indian Act and the undersigned would recommend that the same be accepted by Your Royal Highness in Council, the original surrender to be returned to the Department of Indian Affairs and the duplicate thereof to be kept of record in the Privy Council Office.

Superintendent General
of Indian Affairs.

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Surrender of 80 acres of Timiskaming Reserve.

This is in accordance with an agreement of sale entered into between William Polson, a member of the Timiskaming band, and P.J. Carriere, a labourer of the town of North Timiskaming, under which Polson agreed to sell to Carriere, his lot, No. 5, Con. 4, of the reserve, Carriere to pay Polson $225.00 for his interest in the lot and in addition $2.00 per acre to the band.

The Indian Agent reports that the terms are satisfactory; and the surrender has been taken in accordance with the provisions of the Indian Act.

Indian Affairs,
Jan., 14th 1913.

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Certified copy of a Report of the Committee of the Privy Council, approved by His Royal Highness the Governor General on the 25th January 1913

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On a Memorandum dated 14th. January,1913, from the Superintendent General of Indian Affairs submitting herewith in duplicate, a surrender made on the 4th. day of January, 1913, by the Timiskaming band of Indians, of 80 acres of their reserve, No.19, consisting of Lot 5, Con.4, of the said reserve in the County of Pontiac, in the Province of Quebec, the said surrender having been made in order that the land covered thereby may be sold for the benefit of the band.

The Minister recommends, as the surrender has been duly authorized and accepted as required by the 49th. section of the Indian Act, that the same be accepted by the Governor General in Council, the original surrender to be returned to the Department of Indian Affairs and the duplicate thereof to be kept of record in the Privy Council Office.

The Committee submit the same for approval.

Clerk of the Privy Council.

The Honourable

The Superintendent General of Indian Affairs.

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413,747.

Ottawa, February 1, 1913.

Sir,-

In reply to your letter of the 6th instant, in regard to application of Pascal Jarm Carriere to purchase lot 5, Con. 4, Temiscamingue,reserve, containing 80 acres, I beg to say that the surrender by the Indians of this land has been duly accepted by His Royal Highness in Council, and you may now make a sale of the land to the applicant at the upset price of $2.00 an acre and $225.00 for the Indian improvements .

Your obedient Servant.

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

J. A. Renaud, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
North Temiscamingue, Que.

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Ottawa, 3rd February, 1913.

Sir,

I have the honour to enclose herewith for registration in your Department a surrender made by the Temiscamingue band of Indians of 80 acres of their reserve, No.19, consisting of Lot 5, Con.4, of the said reserve in the County of Pontiac, in the Province of Quebec, with a view to the same being sold for the benefit of the band, which surrender was accepted by His Royal Highness the Governor General in Council on the 25th January, 1913.

Be good enough to return the instrument to this Department as soon as possible with a certificate of registration endorsed thereon.

Enc.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Thomas Mulvey, Esq., B.A., K.C.,
Under Secretary of State,
Ottawa.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE
OF CANADA.

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
FEB 6 1913

S. Ottawa, 4th February, 1913.

No. 387.

Sir,-

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 3rd instant, No. 413747, enclosing, for registration, Surrender made by the Temiscamingue band of Indians.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

F. Pelletier

Assistant Under-Secretary of State.

The Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE
OF CANADA.

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No.387.

Ottawa,15th February,1913.

Sir,-

I beg to return to you,herewith,the same having been duly registered in this department,Surrender made by the Temiscamingue Band of Indians.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

Acty Under-Secretary of State.

The Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

North Lunenshanning

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IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No.
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS MAR 12 1913

ACCOUNTANT MAR 13 1913 BRANCH

Sir,—

Enclosed please find a voucher in favor of Willie Palson for improvements on lot 5 Con IV sold to Pascal Jarm Carriere under sale 198.

LANDS BRANCH MAR 12 1913

I am Sir
Your obedient Servant
J. A. Renaud,
Ind. Agt

The Secretary,
Dept. Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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No. of Account

INDIAN TRUST FUND.

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Willie Palson

DATE. 1913		421433	AMOUNT.	
Mr	6.	Authorized by Dept. Letter No. ..... dated		
		For improvements on lot 5 Con IV under sale 198-	$ 225	00

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

J A Renaud

Agent.

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No. of Account

INDIAN TRUST FUND.

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Willie Polson

DATE 1913		421433	AMOUNT.	
Mar	6	Authorized by Dept. Letter No. dated		
		For improvements on lot 8 Con IV under sale 198-	$ 225	00

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

J A Renaud

Agent.

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Department of Indian Affairs.

ACCOUNTANTS MAR 18 1913 BRANCH

ACCOUNTANTS MAR 18 1913 BRANCH

E Ottawa, 14th Mar. 1913.

1st Acct. To forward to Mr. Agent Renaud, N. Temiscamingue, Cheque for $225.00, in favor of William Polson, being for improvements on lot 5 con 4, Temiscamingue Res. sold to Pascal Jarm Carrière - Sale 198 - per Land Return for Feby 1913.

LANDS BRANCH MAR 18 1913

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Hans Vidal

D. M.

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Department of Indian Affairs.

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Right of Way across Port Credit Town plot.

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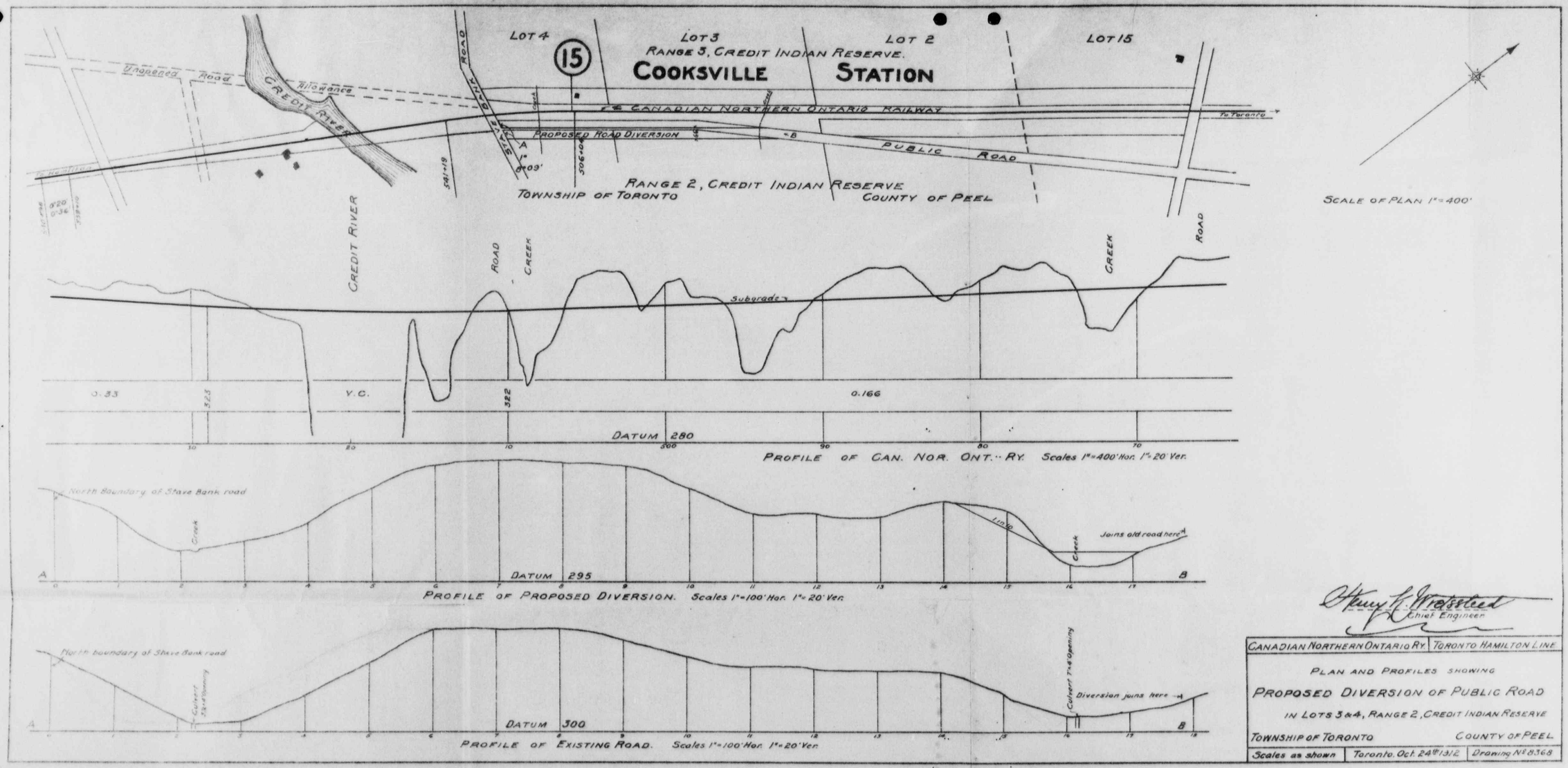

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The Board of Railway Commissioners for Canada

413880

Application No.

The Canadian Northern Ontario *Railway Company*

hereby applies to the Board for an order under section 237 *, of The Railway Act, granting to the Company* authority to divert the public road in Lots 3 and 4, Range 2, Credit Indian Reserve, Township of Toronto, County of Peel;

in accordance with plans and profiles (drawing No. 8368)

thereof dated Oct. 24th *191* 2 *submitted in* triplicate *herewith.*

Dated at Toronto, Ontario, this First day of

November *191* 2.

P. H. M. Temple.

Assistant *Solicitor.*

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BOARD OF
RAILWAY COMMISSIONERS
FOR CANADA

Application No.

Made by The Can. Nor. Ontario
Railway Company for an order under
Sec. 237, for authority to divert the public road in Lots 3 and 4, Range 2, Credit Indian Reserve Twp. of Toronto, Co. of Peel

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The within application is made by the above named Company by

R.H.M. Temple,

Assistant *Solicitor.*

Toronto, Ont. Nov. 1st *1912*

To the Indian Department

within named.

Take Notice *that you are required to file with the Board of Railway Commissioners for Canada within* 15 *days from the service hereof your answer to the within application.*

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CANADIAN NORTHERN RAILWAY SYSTEM

LEGAL DEPARTMENT

F. H. PHIPPEN, K. C.,
General Counsel
GERARD RUEL,
Chief Solicitor
R. H. M. TEMPLE
A. J. REID, K. C.
S. PERCY BIGGS
Asst. Solicitors

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
NOV 4 1912

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TORONTO, November 1st, 1912.

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,
NOV 4 1912
SURVEYS.

REFER TO T/1046-58-134

Survey

To the Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, Ont.

Dear Sir:-

I enclose herewith copy of application of the Canadian Northern Ontario Railway Company for authority to divert the public road in Lots 3 and 4, Range 2, Credit Indian Reserve, Township of Toronto, County of Peel, also copy of plan in connection therewith. Will you kindly acknowledge receipt.

Yours truly,

R. H. M. Temple.

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413,880.

Minister

Ottawa, Nov. 20, 1912

Sir,

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter, of the 1st instant , No. T/1046-58-134, and of a copy of the application of the Canadian Northern Ontario Railway for authority to divert the public road in Lots Three and Four , Range 2, Credit Indian Reserve, Township of Toronto, County of Peel, Ontario, I may say that the Board of Railway Commissioners has been informed that there is no objection on the part of this Department to the diversion of the said road it being understood that the railway company will duly compensate the present owners for the land which will be required to make the diversion.

Your obedient servant,

Sgd. J. D. McLean

Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

R. H. M. Temple, Esq.,
Asst. Solicitor,
Canadian Northern Rwy. Co.,
Toronto, Ont.

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413,880.

Ottawa, Nov. 20, 1912.

Sir,

I beg to inform you that there has been received from the Canadian Northern Railway Company a copy of an application, dated Nov. 1, 1912, to your Board for authority to divert the public road in Lots Three and Four, Range 2, Credit Indian Reserve, Township of Toronto, County of Peel, Ontario.

The adjacent lands have been sold some time ago; there appears to be no objection to the diversion of the road provided the present owners of the land required for the diversion are compensated in the usual manner.

Your obedient servant,

Sgd J. D. Maheux

Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

A. D. Cartwright, Esq.,
Secretary,
Board of Rwy. Commissioners,
Ottawa, Ont.

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LEGAL DEPARTMENT

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GENERAL COUNSEL
GERARD RUEL,
CHIEF SOLICITOR
R. H. M. TEMPLE
A. J. REID, K. C.
S. PERCY BIGGS
ASST. SOLICITORS

TORONTO, November 15th, 1912.

REFER TO T./1046-58-134.

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Surveys
This letter was crossed by the one of the 20th inst.

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,
NOV 22 1912
SURVEYS.

To the Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

Dear Sir: Re C.N.O.R. Diversion in Lots 3 & 4, Rge.2, Credit Indian Reserve, Tp.Toronto.

On November 1st I sent you copy of application and plan herein . We are advised that at one time this road was undoubtedly in the Credit Indian Reserve, but our Engineers think that it is now under the control of the Municipality. If it is under the control of the Department, will you please take it up with the Department, and advise me if there is any objection to the diversion. If it is not will you please advise me at your earliest convenience.

Yours truly,

R. H. M. Temple

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GERARD RUEL,
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S. PERCY BIGGS
Asst. Solicitors

TORONTO, November 21st, 1912.

REFER TO T.-1046-58-134.

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E.D.

J. D. McLean, Esq.,
Assistant Deputy and Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

Dear Sir: Re Road Diversion, Lots 3 & 4,
Rge. 2, Credit Indian Reserve.

I am very much obliged for your favor of the 20th instant and for your advice to the Board that the Department has no objection to this diversion.

Yours truly,

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A. D. CARTWRIGHT.
SECRETARY.

BOARD OF
RAILWAY COMMISSIONERS
FOR CANADA.

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY.
OTTAWA.

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
NOV 24 1912

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Nov. 21st, 1912.

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,
NOV 26 1912
SURVEYS.

Dear Sir:- File 12021.17

I have your letter of the 20th inst. with respect to an application, dated the 1st Nov., 1912, from the C.N.R., for authority to divert the public road in Lots Three and Four, Range 2, Credit Indian Reserve, Township of Toronto, County of Peel, Ontario, and note that there is no objection to your Department to the diversion of the road provided the present owners of the land required for the diversion are compensated in the usual manner.

I cannot find that we have yet received an application from the Railway Company in this matter, but when received your letter will be considered in connection therewith.

Yours truly,

A D Cartwright
Secretary

J. D. McLean, Esq.,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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CF. Order No. 18350

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THE BOARD OF RAILWAY COMMISSIONERS FOR CANADA.

THURSDAY, THE 19TH DAY OF DECEMBER A.D. 1912.

D'ARCY SCOTT,
Assistant Chief Commissioner.

A. S. GOODEVE,
Commissioner.

IN THE MATTER OF the application of the Canadian Northern Ontario Railway Company, hereinafter called the "Applicant Company", under Section 237 of the Railway Act, for authority to divert the public road between Lots 3 and 4, Range 2, Credit Indian Reserve, in the Township of Toronto, County of Peel, and Province of Ontario, as shown on the plan and profile on file with the Board under file No.12021.117:

UPON the report and recommendation of the Assistant Chief Engineer of the Board, and reading what has been filed on behalf of the Department of Indian Affairs, and upon proof of service of notice of the application upon the Township of Toronto, as appears byletter from the Clerk of the said Township, dated November 30th, 1912, acknowledging receipt of copy of the said application --

IT IS ORDERED that the Applicant Company be, and it is hereby, authorized to divert the said public road in Lots 3 and 4, Range 2, Credit Indian Reserve, in the said Township of Toronto, County of Peel, and Province of Ontario, as shown on the plan and profile on file with the Board under the said file No. 12021.117:

(S'G'D.) D'ARCY SCOTT

Assistant Chief Commissioner,

Board of Railway Commissioners for Canada.

BOARD OF RAILWAY COMMISSIONERS FOR CANADA.
Examined and certified as a true copy under Section 23 of "The Railway Act."
Secy of Board of Railway Commissioners for Canada.
Ottawa DEC 24 1912

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Department of Indian Affairs.

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Gore Bay

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

Gore Bay

Nov 25 1912

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 290
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS NOV 27 1912

LANDS BRANCH NOV 27 1912

Sir,—

I have the honor to Inform you that I have received an application from Edward Ainslie Elizabeth Bay for Lot number 5 Concession 2 Township of Robinson under section six of the Land Regulations

Noted on Plan.

your obedient servant
F. W. Baxter
Indian agent

The Asst Deputy & Secretary
Dept of Indian affairs
Ottawa

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Manitowaning

Lots 35 & 36. Vankoughnet Sh. South
" 36 & 36 Blake " North
" 34, 35 & 36 " " South
& Park Lots 9 & 10 East Side
Town plot of Shaftesbury.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
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Manitowaning, Ont., December, 1850, 1912. 191

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
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Sir,-

I have the honor to report that C. L. D. Sims applies to purchase Lots, 35 and 36 Vankoughnet St. South, Lots 35 and 36 Blake St. North, ~~and Parkxlots~~ 34 - 35 and 36 Blake St. South, and Park Lots 9 and 10 on the East side of the Townplot, in the Townplot of Shaftesbury.

I would most respectfully recommend that these Lots be sold him at the upset price, and under the usual conditions of sale.

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Your obedient servant,

Wm McLeod

Indian Agent,

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont..

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Ottawa, 28th December, I9I2-

Sir,

EXD.

In reply to your letter of the I8th Instant, submitting an application on behalf of Mr. C. L. D. Sims, for the purchase of Lots 35 & 36, on the South side of Vankoughnet St., Lots 35 & 36, on the North side of Blake St., Lots 34, 35 & 36, on the South side of Blake St. and Park Lots 9 & I0, on the East side of the Townplot of Shaftesbury, all in that Townplot, I have to request that you will be good enough to favour the Department with a valuation of these Lots, shewing in your report the valuation of each Lot separately.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Assistant Deputy & Secretary-

Wm. McLeod, Esq.
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning,
Ont.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

Manitowaning, Ont..

January, 14th, 1913. 191

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
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TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

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EXD.

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Sir,-

In reply to Official Letter No 416435 of 28th, December last, asking me to report on certain lots in the townplot of Shaftesbury.

I have the honor to report having visited and examined those lots and I find that they are very shallow land, low and wet, and will not be suitable for building on unless there is quite a sum spent in draining.

I would value the Lots as follows :-

Lot 35	Vankoughnet St. South	$ 25.00
36	do	25.00
35	Blake St. North	25.00
36	do	25.00
34 , 35 and 36	Blake St.South	25.00 each,
Park Lots, east side, 9 and 10		50.00 each.

I would most respectfully recommend that they be sold to the applicant at the above prices, on the usual conditions.

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Your obedient servant,

Wm McLeod

The Secretary, Indian Agent,

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, Ont..

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MEMORANDUM.

Ottawa, 20th January, I913-

INDIAN BRANCH
JAN 21 1913

To the Deputy Minister,

Sale
426 8 1/2

Referring to letter of the I4th Instant, from Mr. Agent McLeod, of Manitowaning, I beg to state that on the I8th December last, Mr. McLeod applied on behalf of Mr. C. L. D. Sims, for the purchase of Lots 35 & 36, South side Vankoughnet St., Lots 35 & 36, North side Blake St., Lots 34, 35 & 36, South side Blake St., and Park Lots 9 & IO, on the East side of the Townplot, all in the Townplot of Shaftesbury. On the 28th December, the Agent was requested to favour the Department with a valuation of these Lots, shewing in his report, the value of each Lot separately. In his letter of the I4th Instant, referred to above, he reports Lots 35 & 36, South side Vankoughnet St. Lots 35 & 36, North side Blake St. and Lots 34, 35 & 36, South side Blake St., each of the valua of $25.00, and Park Lots 9 & IO, East side of the Townplot, at a value of $50.00 each, and recommends that they be sold to the applicant at the above prices.

In vuew of the circumstances, I would also recommend that these Lots be sold to Mr. Sims, at the above valuations.

A.E.K.

In charge of Lands & Timber Branch.

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Ottawa, January 22, 1913.

E.A.D.

Sir,-

Sale 4268½

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 14th instant, No. 296-12, in regard to application of Mr. C. L. D. Sims for the purchase of lots 35 and 36 south of Vankoughnet street, 35 and 36 north of Blake street, and 34, 35 and 36, south of Blake street, and park lots 9 and 10 on the east side of the townplot of Shaftesbury and in reply to say that sale may be made of these properties at the prices recommended by you in communication above referred to.

Your obedient servant,

W. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Wm. McLeod, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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COPY.

July 15th, 1924.

Dear Sir:- Re Lot 36 South Vankoughnet St.
Townplot of Shaftesbury.

I understand the above Lot stands on the books of your office in the name of Rebecca Smith, and is not paid up.

The following are the facts in connection with this property, I took the Lot up several years ago, sold it to John E. Smith, at the time he purchased it he requested me to make the transfer to his wife Rebecca Smith. Rebecca Smith has since departed this life, she died several years ago and the family are all grown up, doing for themselves and scattered all over the Dominion. Some of them their whereabouts are unknown. John E. Smith still occupies the property and has occupied it without interruption since the time he purchased it.

In view of these facts I would like if you would take the matter up with the Department with a view of having the present Sale cancelled and a new Sale entered to John E. Smith for the amount standing against it with accrued interest up to the date of the new entry. The Lot being arrears, the heirs of Rebecca Smith could be notified to pay up within a certain time, failing which that the sale would be cancelled.

There is absolutely nothing irregular in this as I know all the facts and they are just as I state them and as one of the conditions of sale was the payment of the purchase money within a specified time I do not think my suggestion is at all unreasonable. Thanking you in anticipation of your co-operation in this matter and awaiting your remarks herein.

Yours very truly,

C.L.D. Sims

R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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Indian Office, Manitowaning,
August 4th, 1924.

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
AUG 6 1924
RECORDS

Sir:-

I have the honour to enclose herewith a copy of a communication received from Mr. C.L.D. Sims in connection with the question of having the sale of Lot 36 Vankoughnet St., South, Shaftesbury, cancelled and a new sale entered in the name of John E. Smith, husband of the late Rebecca Smith.

After making enquiries into this matter I have found the facts as stated by Mr. Sims, the heirs of Rebecca Smith are all grown up and doing for themselves. John E. Smith is occupying the Lot and is willing to pay the arrears of unpaid purchase money and interest thereon if the Department will cancel the present sale and enter a new sale in his name.

I would most respectfully recommend that the old sale be cancelled, and the Lot be re-sold to Mr. John E. Smith for the amount of unpaid purchase money and interest thereon against the Lot.

Your obedient servant,

Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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Lot 36 Vankoughnet D. L.

- Shaftesbury -

Purchase price $25.00

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Department of Indian Affairs

File No. 416435

Canada

Lands and Timber Branch

Ottawa, August 14th 1924

Memo.

TO THE DEPUTY SUPERINTENDENT GENERAL:

Lot 36 Vankoughnet St. South, Shaftesbury, was purchased twelve years ago for $25.00 and a down payment of $5.00 was then made and no further payment of principal has been received to date.

This lot is at present entered in the name of Rebecca Smith.

Agent Lewis has been requested to cancel the sale owing to the death of the purchaser and the refusal of the children, who have all grown up and scattered throughout the country, to pay the balance of the principal and interest against the lot.

The agent recommends cancellation of the sale and re-sale to John E. Smith for the sum of $31.25 cash under Section 6 of the Regulations. I concur in the recommendation and beg to submit the matter for your consideration.

Officer-in-Charge.

Sale # 2687
Sold 27 May 1914
Rebecca Smith

Entered
sale 4533

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Sale 4268½

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, August 19th, 1924.

WHEREAS Lot 66, Vankoughnet St. South Shaftesbury, was sold May 27th, 1914 to Rebecca Smith in whose name it now stands, subject to the condition of the payment of equal annual instalments,

AND WHEREAS it has been represented and established to my satisfaction that the condition under which this sale was made, has been violated,

NOW THEREFORE by and in virtue of the powers and duties vested in the Superintendent General of Indian Affairs by the Indian Act, Chap. 81, Sec. 61, Revised Statutes of Canada, 1906, I hereby CANCEL the said sale and resume the said Lot.

Acting Deputy Superintendent General

of Indian Affairs

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Entered in Cancellation Register

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Signature

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DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
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347-5,

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
February 5th, 1925.

Sir:-

On the 4th of August, last, a copy of a communication received from Mr. C.L.D. Sims requesting cancellation of Sale of Lot 36, Vankoughnet St., South, Townplot of Shaftesbury, was forwarded to the Department, and to date no reply has been made from Headquarters in connection with this matter.

I have the honour to report that on different occasions recently Mr. Sims has made enquiry as to the decision of the Department in regard to the question of cancellation of the sale of this Lot to Rebecca Smith, and therefore, I would ask the Department to advise me in this matter as soon as possible in order that I may advise Mr. Sims accordingly.

Your obedient servant,

Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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EXD.

Entered
Sale 4533
B.O.C.

Ottawa, February 11th, 1925.

Sir:-

I have your letter of the 5th instant with reference to Lot 36, Vankoughnet Street, South, in the Townplot of Shaftesbury, and advise that sale number 4268½ was cancelled on the 19th of August last. The file of correspondence covering this transaction was put away and not returned to this Branch for final action.

I am now pleased to advise that you are authorized to carry out a sale of this lot to Mr. John E. Smith for the sum of thirty-one ($31.00) dollars cash under Section Six of the Regulations.

B.O.C.

Your obedient servant,

J. C. Caldwell
In Charge Land & Timber Branch.

R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
MANITOWANING,
Ontario.

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LANDS BRANCH
APR 16 1926

I48-I6. Indian Office, Manitowaning,
April I4th, I926.

Sir:-

I have the honour to report to the effect that Mr. John Smith, of Little Current, has made application to purchase Lot number 36, Blake Street North, Town-plot of Shaftesbury, in the name of his wife Beatrice Smith, and has offered $25.00 cash for the same.

Mr. C.L.D. Sims, in whose name the lot stands at the present time, does not intend to pay up the unpaid balance of purchase money and interest thereon and has relinquished any claim he may have to the said Lot to Mr. Smith.

I would most respectfully recommend that the sale of this Lot to Mr. Sims be cancelled and I be given authority to enter a sale in the name of Beatrice Smith, of this Lot, for $25.00 cash.

Your obedient servant,

Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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File 416,435.
Sale No. 4268½

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, September 9, 1927.

WHEREAS Lot 36, South side of Blake Street, in the Townplot of Shaftesbury, was sold to C. L. D. Sims in January 1913 for the sum of $25.00, and only $5.00 has been received by the Department to this date on account of the purchase,

AND WHEREAS Agent R. J. Lewis advises that the purchaser will not complete the purchase and he therefore recommends cancellation of the sale and re-disposition of the property,

AND WHEREAS it has been represented and established to my satisfaction that the conditions under which the said Sale was made have been violated,

NOW THEREFORE by and in virtue of the powers and duties vested in the Superintendent General of Indian Affairs, by the Indian Act, Chapter 81, Section 61, Revised Statutes of Canada, 1906, I hereby CANCEL the said Sale and resume the said land for further disposition.

Acting Deputy Superintendent General

of Indian Affairs.

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" " Sales Book
Entd Cancellation Register

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Signature

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Ottawa, May 6th, 1926

Sir,-

In connection with your letter of the 14th. ultimo, numbered 148-16, covering Lot No. 36, on the North Side of Blake Street in the Townplot of Shaftesbury, I advise that Sale No.4268½ has been cancelled in accordance with your recommendation. This lot is now placed in your hands for further disposition at a valuation of $25.00 cash.

Entd Sale 45-39.

Your obedient servant,

J.C.Caldwell,
In Charge Land and Timber Branch.

R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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347-5.

Indian Office, Manitowaning,
August 29th, 1927.

Sir:-

Referring to Lot number 36 Blake Steeet south, Townplot of Shaftesbury, part Sale number 4268½, which the books of this office show to stand in the name of Mr. C.L.D. Sims with a balance of unpaid purchase money and interest thereon for several years against the said Lot, I have the honour to report that I have been given to understand that it is the intention of Mr. Sims to not pay up the arrears against this Lot as it is not of any value to him, therefore, I would most respectfully recommend that the sale in his name be cancelled and I be given authority to re-sell this property to Mr. C. S. R. Bradley at the valuation price when sold to Mr. Sims, namely $25.00. Mr. Bradley has property adjoining this Lot and can make use of it.

Your obedient servant,

Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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File 416,435

Sale 4268½

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, April 26th, 1926.

WHEREAS Lot 36, North side of Blake Street, in the Townplot of Shaftesbury, was sold to C. L. D. Sims in January 1913 for the sum of $25.00, and only $5.00 has been received by the Department to this date on account of the purchase,

AND WHEREAS Agent R. J. Lewis advises that the purchaser will not complete the purchase and he therefore recommends cancellation of the sale and redisposition of the property,

AND WHEREAS it has been represented and established to my satisfaction that the conditions under which the said Sale was made have been violated,

NOW THEREFORE by and in virtue of the powers and duties vested in the Superintendent General of Indian Affairs, by the Indian Act, Chapter 81, Section 61, Revised Statutes of Canada, 1906, I hereby CANCEL the said Sale and resume the said land for further disposition.

Duncan C Scott

Deputy Superintendent General

of Indian Affairs.

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Entered in Cancellation Register

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Signature

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416435.

Ottawa, September 10th, 1927.

Sir,-

I am acknowledging receipt of your letter of the 29th ultimo with reference to Lot 36 on the south side of Blake Street, in the Townplot of Shaftesbury, and advise that the sale covering the above lot has been cancelled in accordance with your recommendation and you are hereby authorized to carry out a sale to the applicant, Mr. C. R. S. Bradley, for the sum of $25.00 cash.

Your obedient servant,

In Charge Land and Timber Branch.
(J. C. Caldwell)

R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning,
Ontario.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
DEC 27 1912

Manitowaning, Ont..

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
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TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

December, 23rd, 1912. 191

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Sir,-

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I have the honor to report that Dr Henry Glendinning applies to purchase Lot 24, Con. 6, and Lot 23, Con. 5, in the township of Sheguiandа, under Sec. 6, of the land Regulations.

I would most respectfully recommend that authority be given the Valuator to examine these Lots and report under oath in the usual way.

LANDS BRANCH
DEC 27 1912

Your obedient servant,

W. McLeod

Indian Agent,

These Lots are not covered by Licence.
G.H.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont..

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To The Secretary of
The Department of Indian Affairs

Pike Bay
Dec 21, 1912

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Sir. I have writen to the Patent Office at Walkerton about lot 6 con 1. E.B.R. Township of Albemarle and they say that there is no entries in their Books for that lot. and that the title would befound in the Department of Indian Affairs at Ottawa. Would you let me know who has the right title if any one has it. And if it is in the Indian Office what it can be bought for. it is unimproved. Is there any thing agenst this lot Is lot 5, con 1. E.B.R. Albemarle in the Indian Office and if it is what can it be bough for. Or if any one owens it I would like to know who the party is. Is those lots paid out in the Indian Office

Yours

address — John H Parker
Pike Bay
Bruce. Co. Ontario

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Ottawa, December 27, 1912.

E EXD.

Sir,-

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 21st instant, and in reply to say that lot 5, Con. 1, E. B. R., Albemarle, was sold in January, 1892, and has been patented. Lot 6, Con. 1, E. B. R., Albemarle, was sold in January, 1899, to Mr. John Ashcroft, of Purple Valley, Ont., and as the purchase money has not been paid, Letters Patent have not been issued.

If you desire any further information in regard to these lots, kindly communicate with the local Agent, Mr. J. E. Sutherby, Indian Lands Agent, Wiarton.

Your obedient Servant,

F. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

J. H. Parker, Esq.,
Pike Bay,
Ont

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

Warton

February 1st 1913

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No.
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TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

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Dear Sir,—

Lot No 6. Con E B R. Albemarle. Sale No 6942. Stands in the name of John Ashcoft - sold to him June 17th 1899. he made payment of $15.00 I can find no record of any more payments. And I cannot find any record of sale being cancelled. I can sell this lot for $75.00 the upset price in sales book. to John Parker kindly let me know if I can resell. without notifying Mr Ashcoft that the sale is cancelled.

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I have the honour to be
Your Obedient servant.

J E Sutherby
Indian Land Agent

The Secretary Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa

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Ottawa, 6th February, 1913-

Sir,

In reply to your letter of the Ist Instant, with regard to Lot 6, Con. I, E. B. R. Albemarle, Sale 6942, I have to state that this Lot was sold to Mr. John Ashcroft, as you state, in June, 1899, and there is a balance of $60.00 purchase money, together with Interest thereon, from date of Sale, against the Lot, and which amount is some years past due.

You will, therefore, be good enough to advise Mr. Ashcroft that he will be allowed three months in which to pay the arrears, Principal and Interest. Failing this, the Department will have to consider the question of cancelling the Sale, without further notice, and in case of such cancellation, the sum paid, will be forfeited, and the Department will dispose of the property to another purchaser.

At the expiration of the time given, it will be your duty to report fully in the matter, and to state whether, should Mr. Ashcroft fail to pay up, as above stated,, you would recommend cancellation of the Sale.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Assistant Deputy & Secretary-

J. E. Sutherby Esq.
Indian Agent,
Wiarton,
Ont.

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Secretary Dept
Indian Affairs 421673

March 11, 1913

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
MAR 13 1913

LANDS BRANCH MAR 14 1913

Dear Sir in regards to No 416,977 of December 27, 1912. It appears that Mr John Asheroft of Purple Valley Ont. only paid $15 fifteen dollars on Lot 6 Con 1 E B R Albemarl in January 1892 and has not paid any more since besides there is no improvements done on the said Lot 6, con 1 E B R Albemarl. And there is but very little timber left. Now what I want to know is this. Can I buy the said lot out of the (Indian) Office at Brianton when I can prove that there is no improvements done on the said Lot 6 con 1 E B R Albemarl. Please let me know as early as possible And Oblige

Your Truly

John H Parker

Pike Bay Ont

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4I6 977-

Ottawa, I5th March, I9I3-

Sir,

In reply to your letter of the IIth Instant, with regard to Lot 6, Con. I, E.B.R. Albemarle, I have to inform you that Mr. Agent Sutherby, of Wiarton, has been instructed to extend the time for payment of arrears against this Lot, to the 6th May next, and that failing payment then, the question of cancelling the Sale will be considered by the Department. Under these circumstances, your application to purchase the Lot cannot be considered at present.

For any further information which you may desire in this matter, I would refer you to Mr. Sutherby.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Assistant Deputy & Secretary-

John H. Parker, Esq.
Pike Bay,
Ont.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

Wiarton

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. .....
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

May 10th 1913

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Dear *Sir,—*

In reply to your letterof February 6thNo 416 977- re lot 6 con 1 E.B.R Albamarle sale no 6942 , I wrote Mr Ashcroft on Feb 8 th notifying him that he would have until May the 8th to pay the principal and intrest failing to do this the Department would consider cancelling sale,

Mr Ashcroft called at the office and Promhised to pay in full he has failed to do this

I would suggest that Mr Aschroft be given one more month not any longer as I have another purchaser as soon as we say so In the meantime I have wrote Mr Ashcroft that he will have to pay up

I Have The Honor To Be

Your Obedient Servant

J.E.Sutherby

Indian Lands Agent

The Secretary Dept Of

Indian Affairs

Ottawa

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4I6 977-

Ottawa, I5th May, I9I3-

Sir,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the I0th Instant, recommending that Mr. Ashcroft be given one month longer in which to pay the arrears due on Lot 6, Con. I, E.B.R. Albemarle, and in reply have to inform you that you may notify Mr. Ashcroft that he will be allowed this additional time, but at the expiration of the month, the sale will be cancelled, the money paid thereon forfeited, and the land disposed of to another purchaser, without any further notice.

W.W.

E.L.M.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Assistant Deputy & Secretary-

J.E. Sutherby, Esq.
Indian Agent,
Wiarton,
Ont.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

Wiarton

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. .....
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

June 14th 1913 191

Dear Sir,— 42773

In reply to your letter of May 15 No 416 977_
I notified Mr Aschroft that he would have till May 8th to pay all arrears on lot6 1st Con E.B.R Albamarle he called at the offiee a few dayd ago and beged for a few months longer he said he had a lot of wood on the dock at Golden Valley and as soon as he could get a beat to take it he would pay I made enquiery an find that he has about $300.00 worth an it is just as he stated I do not feel like reccomending As there is another party after the lot , Hewever i will be pleased to eancell and Resell at your request

Yours Truly
J E Sutherby
Indian Agent.

The Secretary Dept Of Indian Affairs Ottawa

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
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July 8th 1913 191

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No.
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

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Dear Sir,—

Will you kindly let me know how be- South half of lot 5 con 1 W.B.R. Albamarle I cannot understand the book and i had a purchaser for it and I could not find the record

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Yours Truly

Indian Lands Agent

The Secretary The Dept
Of Indian Affairs
Ottawa

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EXD.

Ottawa, July 11, 1913.

Sir:-

In reply to your letter of the 8th instant, asking for information as tb the south half of Lot 5, Con 1, W.B.R. Albermarl, I have to inform you that this half lot stands by assignment in the name of Mr. John H. Parr, under sale number 6103, and is paid for in full, but has not yet been patented as no application has been received for same by the Department.

S 6103

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Assistant Deputy and Secretary

J. E. Sutherby, Esq.,
Indian Lands Agent,
Wiarton,
Ont.

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E.A.T.

Ottawa, 18th June, 1913-

Sir,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 14th Instant, stating that you do not feel disposed to recommend cancellation of the sale of Lot 6, Con. I, Albemarle, as the owner has begged for an extension of time in which to pay for the property, and in reply I have to inform you that under the circumstances, the Department will allow Mr. Ashcroft three months from this date, on condition that the arrears are then promptly paid, and you should notify him accordingly.

At the expiration of the time given, be good enough to report to the Department, stating what action has been taken in the matter.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Assistant Deputy & Secretary-

J. E. Sutherby, Esq.
Indian Agent,
Wiarton,
Ont.

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To The Secretary
of Indian Affairs
Ottawa

Pike Bay Aug 28, 1913

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Sir in reply to your letter of March 15th No 416,977- you refered me to Agent Mr Sutherby, of Trenton. I have seen Mr Sutherby and he said that the department had extended the time for payment of arrears against Lot 6 con 1 E.B.R Albemarl until Sep 8th 1913. Now what I want know is if Mr John Ashcroft as paid for the said lot or not and if he has not will the Department cancell the said lot 6 con 1 E B R Albemarl this fall as I have no place and I would like to get the lot this fall as early as possible so as I can get some clearing done before the weather gets wet. Mr John Ashcroft as a number of lot which he is holding for speculation.

hopeing to hear from you soon I

Remain Yours Truly

John H Parker. Pike Bay Ont

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Ottawa, 8th September, 1913-

Sir,

I have to inform you that a letter has been received by the Department, from Mr. John H. Parker, of Pike Bay, Ont. who is desirous of purchasing Lot 6, Con. I, E. B. R. Albemarle, in case the Sale of the Lot should be cancelled.

Mr. Parker has been notified that the present owner of the property has been allowed until the 18th Instant, to pay the arrears thereon, and I have to request you at the expiration of the time given, to report promptly to the Department, stating under Statutory Declaration, whether there are any improvements on this Lot, and whether you would recommend cancellation of the Sale.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Assistant Deputy & Secretary-

J. E. Sutherby, Esq.
Indian Agent,
Wiarton,
Ont.

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I.X.D.

Ottawa, 8th September, I9I3-

Sir,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 28th Ultimo, in connection with cancellation of the Sale of Lot 6, Con. I, E. B. R. Albemarle, and in reply have to inform you that the local Agent, Mr. J. E. Sutherby, has been instructed to allow the owner of this porperty until the I8th Instant, in which to pay the arrears due, at the end of which period the Agent is to report with a view to cancellation of the Sale, in case payment has not been made.

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Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Assistant Deputy & Secretary-

John H. Parker, Esq.
Pike Bay,
Ont.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

Wiarton

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. .....
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

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Dear Sir,—

In reply to your letter of Sept 8th No 416 977_
Re lot no 6 con 1 E.B.R Albamarle
Mr Ashcroft has paid all arears Mr Ashcroft says that there is no improvements on this lot and for me to make Statutory Declaration i would have to see the lot and as it is about 15 miles from here i did not want to examine lot without instructions

I Have The Honor To Be

Your Obedient Servant

J C Sutherland

The Secretary Dept Of Indian Affairs

Ottawa

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
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Ottawa, 10th July, 1917.

Dear Mr. Scott,

Mrs. Rodgers, of Pike Bay, Ontario, bought the south half of Lot 5, Concession 1, Albemarle, west of the Bury Road, from one Hooey, who bought it from a man named Hammill, who bought it from his brother, who in his turn bought it from a man named Parr. Parr paid for it in full to the Land Agent, but as it is all either rocky land or swale, he did not do settlement duties and the patent has not, therefore, been issued. Mrs. Rodgers owns the adjoining lot. Parr went to Manitoba some years ago and cannot be located. You may have some correspondence in the Department about this matter from Mr. C. J. Mickle, of Chesley.

I should be very glad if you would do what you can for Mrs. Rodgers, as she has just lost her son, who was killed in action in France.

Yours very truly,

Hugh Clark

The Deputy Superintendent-
General of Indian Affairs,
OTTAWA.

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Department of Indian Affairs

File No. 260,526.

Canada

Lands and Timber Branch

Ottawa, July 12, 1917.

Memo. to the Deputy Minister,-

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In regard to letter of the 10th instant, from Mr. Hugh Clark, M.P., I beg to say that the S. ½ of lot 5, Con. 1, W. B. R., Albemarle, stands on the books of the Department in the name of John H. Parr, the purchase price paid in full. As it is reported that the lot is not fit for settlement, the Department c ould obtain a report as to this from the local Agent under oath, and if the land found unfit for settlement, Letters Patent could be issued to Mrs. Rogers, upon her furnishing a satisfactory transfer of the half lot from Hooey to herself, also an assignment from Hammill to Hooey, and an assignment from Hammill's brother to himself, and an assignment to Hammill's brother from Mr. John H. Parr, in whose name the sale stands. I cannot find that there has been any correspondence in the Department with Mr. C. J. Mickle in regard to this land.

W. W. Dr

Officer in Charge.

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July 13, 1917.

Dear Colonel Clark,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your favour of the 10th instant, regarding the desire of Mrs. Rogers, of Pike Bay, Ont., to have patent for the south ½ of Lot 5, Con. 1, W.B.R., Albemarle. In this connection I would say that the above lot was purchased from the Department by Mr. John H. Parr and has been paid for in full; it was, of course, sold with settlement conditions attached, but, as it has been reported unfit for settlement, it might be possible for the Department to issue patent for it if we obtain a report from the local Agent under oath to the effect that it is unfit for settlement. Mrs. Rogers, of course, would have to furnish a satisfactory transfer of the half lot from Hooey to also an assignment from Hammill to Hooey herself, an assignment from Hammill's brother to himself and an assignment to Hammill's brother from

Lt.-Col. Hugh Clark, M.P.,
Parliamentary Under Secretary of State for External Affairs,
Ottawa.

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Mr. John H. Parr, in whose name the sale stands.

There does not appear to be any correspondence in the Department with Mr. C. J. Mickle regarding the above land.

Yours sincerely,

Duncan C. Scott

Deputy Superintendent General.

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CANADA.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
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Ottawa, 20th July, 1917.

Dear Sir,

Re Mrs. Mary Eliza Rodgers
South half of Lot 5, W.B.R. Albemarle.

I am enclosing Abstract of Title to this lot, and also a deed from Lucy M. Hooey to Mary E. Rodgers, which I trust will be satisfactory proof of Mrs. Rodgers' claim. You will note by the abstract that at one time it sold for three hundred dollars but that was before it was stripped of the timber. As it lies along side of the lot she is living on, and would be suitable for pasture, Mrs. Rodgers bought it at a higher price than any one else would give.

Mr. R. W. Bright, who took up the matter with me, says he has tried to find the whereabouts of John H. Parr, but so far has been unable to locate him, but as the abstract shows he sold his claim and that it has passed on to Mrs. Rodgers, Bright thinks the patent should issue in her name. Her husband has been insane for thirteen years and her eldest son was killed in France.

Mr. Bright says it would incur a good deal of expense for the local agent to go up and inspect the lot, which is eighteen miles

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miles away, and asks if it would be sufficient to get affidavits from a few of the neighbours to the effect that it is unfit for settlement.

Yours very truly,

Hugh L Clark

The Deputy Superintendent-General,
Department of Indian Affairs,
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416,977.

Ottawa, August 7, 1917.

Sir,-

I beg to inform you that it has been represented to the Department that the S. ½ of lot 5, in the 1st Concession, W. B. R., Albemarle, is unfit for settlement, and I have to request that you will be good enough to visit the lot and furnish a report under form of a statutory declaration, showing that the land is for the most part unfit for settlement if such is the case.

Your obedient Servant,

J. D. McLean

Assistant Deputy & Secretary.

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J. E. Sutherby, Esq.,
~~Indian Agent.~~ Lands
Wiarton, Ont.

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F. 416,977.

August 7, 1917.

Dear Colonel Clark,-

In reply to your communication of the 20th ultimo, in regard to the S. ½ of lot 5 in the 1st concession, W. B. R., Albemarle, I beg to say that the evidence furnished appears satisfactory, showing that Mrs. Rodgers is at present entitled to this half lot. The Department proposes cancelling the old sale of this half lot and obtaining information from the local Indian Agent as to whether the lot is unfit for settlement, and if found unfit, to re-enter a sale under section 6 of the Regulations for the property in the name of Mrs. Rodgers, crediting her with the money which has been paid for the half lot, and which pays for it in full.

If the report which will be obtained from the local Indian Agent is satisfactory, Letters Patent will be at once issued for the half lot in Mrs. Rodgers' name

Yours very truly,

Duncan C. Scott

Deputy Superintendent General.

Lt.-Col. Hugh Clark, M.P.,
Parliamentary Under-Secretary of State for External Affairs,
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DOMINION OF CANADA) In the Matter of the Title to
Province of Ontario) the S. ½ of lot 5 in the 1st con-
County of Bruce,) cession, West Bury Road, Albermarle
To Wit:) Township, County of Bruce.

I, John Royden Ashcroft, of the Township of Albermarle in the County of Bruce, Farmer, do solemnly declare that

1. Mary E. Rodgers is the lawful owner of the S. ½ of lot 5, Concession 1, West of the Bury Road in the Township of Albermarle and is entitled to the Government grant of the said lands as it is unfit for settlement, but adjoins the lot on which she lives.

2. That the said Mary E. Rodgers is in occupation of the said lands at the present time and has been for the past year.

3. That the said Mary E. Rodgers purchased the said lands from one Lucy M. Hooey, who was the former lawful owner.

4. That the said Mary E. Rodgers is desirous of obtaining the Government grant of the said lands and that she is justly entitled thereto.

5. That I am a neighbor of the said Mary E. Rodgers and live on lot 6, concession 1, W. B. R., in the township of Albermarle and know the foregoing statements are true and correct.

And I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing it to be true and knowing that it is of the same force and effect as if made under oath and by virtue of "The Canada Evidence Act."

Declared before me at the Township of)
Albermarle in the County of Bruce) John Royden Ashcroft.
this thirteenth day of August, A.D.1917.)
R. W. Bright,)
Notary Public.

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DOMINION OF CANADA) In the Matter of THE TITLE TO
Province of Ontario) THE S. ½ OF LOT 5 IN THE 1ST
County of Bruce,) CONCESSION, WEST BURY ROAD,
To Wit:) ALBERMARLE TOWNSHIP, COUNTY OF BRUCE

Dymals retired to R. W. Bright Wanhi at request of Mr Clark Mrs

I, William Henry Ebel, of the Township of Albermarle in the County of Bruce, Farmer, do solemnly declare that

1. Mary E. Rodgers is the lawful owner of the S. ½ of lot 5, Concession 1, West of the Bury Road in the Township of Albermarle and is entitled to the Government grant of the said lands, as it is unfit for settlement, but adjoins the lot on which she lives.

2. That the said Mary E. Rodgers is in occupation of the said lands at the present time and has been for the past year.

3. That the said Mary E. Rodgers purchased the said lands from one Lucy M. Hooey, who was the former lawful owner.

4. That the said Mary E. Rodgers is desirous of obtaining the Government grant of the said lands and that she is justly entitled thereto.

5. That I am a neighbour of the said Mary E. Rodgers and live on lot 9, Concession 2, W. B. R., in the Township of Albermarle and know the foregoing statements are true and correct.

And I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing it to be true and knowing that it is of the same force and effect as if made under oath and by virtue of "The Canada Evidence Act."

Declared before me at the Township of Albermarle in the County of Bruce this Fourteenth day of August, A.D. 1917.
R. W. Bright,
Notary Public.

W. H. Ebel.

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OFFICE OF
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FOR EXTERNAL AFFAIRS
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Ottawa, 17th August, 1917.

Re - F.416,977, Mrs. Mary Eliza Rodgers
South half of Lot 5, W.B.R. Albemarle.

Dear Mr. Scott,

With reference to your letter of August 7th, I beg to enclose herewith two statutory declarations which I have just received relative to the above matter.

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Yours very truly,

The Deputy Superintendent-General,
Department of Indian Affairs,
O T T A W A .

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Pt.Sale 6103-

Mr. Kemp to enter Sale and issue Patent
W.A.D.

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, 20th August, 1917-

S 7306½

Ref. 17,988. H.W.

E.T.M.

WHEREAS the S.½ Lot 5, Con.I, W.B.R. Albemarle, was sold on the 5th January, 1890, to John and William Stringer, who assigned to John H.Parr, in whose name it stands, subject to the conditions of actual occupation, the performance of certain settlement duties, and the payment of equal annual instalments,

AND WHEREAS it has been represented and established to my satisfaction that the conditions under which the said Sale was made, have been violated,

NOW THEREFORE by and in virtue of the powers and duties vested in the Superintendant General of Indian Affairs by the Indian Act, Chapter 81, Section 61, Revised Statutes of Canada, 1906, I hereby CANCEL the said Sale, and resume the said land.

W.A.D.

Duncan C. Scott

Deputy Superintendent General of Indian Affairs-

1. Ent. in Cancl. Reg.
2. Ruled off Sales Book
3. Ruled off Plan
E.T.M.

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Ottawa, 24th August, 1917-

Sir,

With further reference to the S.½ Lot 5, Con. I, W.B.R. Albemarle, I have to inform you that the Sale (6103) of this half Lot has been cancelled, and a new Sale, No. 7306½, entered under date of the 20th Instant, in the name of Mary Eliza Rodgers.
A Patent is also in course of preparation for this land, in Mrs. Rodger's name, and when completed, will be forwarded to you, for transmission to her, in the usual way. You will, of course, be careful to make an entry of this transaction in the Sales Book in your office, for future reference.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean

Asst. Deputy and Secretary-

J. E. Sutherby, Esq.
Indian Lands Agent,
Wiarton,
Ont.

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STATUTORY DECLARATION

DOMINION OF CANADA,

COUNTY OF

TO WIT: S 7306 1/2

In the matter of South 1/2 of Lot 5 Con 1 W B R Albamarle

I, James E Sulhuby

of the Town of Wiarton in the

County of Bruce

Do solemnly declare that I have Examined S 1/2 Lot 5 Con 1 W B R Albamarle and find about 15 acres of Good tillable land. the ballance is all rock and wet fit for Cultivation It is fenced on the North Side. the 15 acres of Good land is very wet and low and will be no good till township Drains there is a little Scattered second growth timber on the rocky part

And I make this Solemn Declaration conscientiously believing it to be true, and knowing that it is of the same force and effect as if made under oath, and by virtue of "The Canada Evidence Act."

DECLARED BEFORE ME AT Wiarton

in the County of Bruce

this 20 day of August 1917

J E Sulhuby
Indian Lands Agt

N W Baines
a commissioner etc

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IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
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AUGUST 18th 1917 191

Dear Sir,—

New Sale 7306½

Ref. 17.988

In reply to your letterof August the 7 no 416.977 Re ~~lo~~ South Half lot 5 con 1 W.B.R Albamarle I am enclosing Statutory Declaration I might say that Mrs Rodgers owens lot 6 making 150 acres and there is 30 acres on lot 6 and 20 acres on lot5 south half the ballance of the 150 acres is unfit for cultivation I would like to reccomend the issuing of the Patent as her oldest son was killed in France and leaves her with one son 19 years old to help her

LANDS BRANCH AUG 25 1917

I HAVE THE HONOR TO BE

YOUR OBEDIENT SERVANT

J E Sutherby

INDIAN LANDS AGENT

THE SECRETARY

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

OTTAWA

Patent mailed to Agent Sutherby on the 26th Oct 17. W.A.D

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416977

September 28th. 1917.

Dear Sir,

At the request of Lt.-Col. Hugh Clark, M.P., I beg to enclose herewith two declarations in the matter of the title to the S.½ of Lot 5, first concession, West Bury Road, Albermarle township, County of Bruce.

Yours very truly,

Deputy Superintendent General.

R. W. Bright, Esq.,
Wiarton, Ont.

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October 3, 1917.

Sir,-

At the request of Col. Clark, M.P., I beg to inclose deed of the 16th of December, 1916, between Lucy May Hooey and James Hooey, and Mary Eliza Rodgers, covering the S. ½ of lot 5, Con. 1, W. B. R., Albemarle, and also Abstract of Title in connection therewith.

Your obedient Servant,

W. A. Orr.

In Charge Lands & Timber Branch.

R. W. Bright, Esq.,
Box 126
Wiarton, Ont.

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OFFICE OF
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FOR EXTERNAL AFFAIRS
CANADA.

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Ottawa, 30th October, 1917.

- Re. F.416977 - S.½ Lot 5, W.B.R., Albemarle -

Dear Sir,

I understand that the local Indian Agent has furnished a report in this matter, and, if it is satisfactory, I trust you will see that letters patent issue for the half lot in the name of Mrs. Rodgers.

Yours very truly,

Hugh Clark

Duncan C. Scott, Esq.,
Deputy Superintendent-General
of Indian Affairs,
O T T A W A .

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416,977 October 31, 1917.

Dear Colonel Clark,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your favour of the 30th instant, with reference to patent in favour of Mrs. Rodgers for the south ½ of Lot 5, W.B.R., Albemarle. In reply I have to say that, upon looking into the matter, I find that the patent in favour of Mrs. Rodgers was mailed to Agent Sutherby on the 25th instant.

Yours sincerely,

Deputy Superintendent General.

Lt.-Col. Hugh Clark,
Parliamentary Under-Secretary of State
for External Affairs,
Ottawa.

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412,706	TEMISCAMINGUE AGENCY - SURRENDER AND SALE OF LOT 38 IN THE RIVER QUINZE FRONT RANGE ON THE TEMISCAMINGUE RESERVE	1912-1916
413,302	SIX NATIONS AGENCY - PROPOSED EXTENSION OF THE OHSWEKEN VILLAGE LOTS AND THE PURCHASE OF LAND IN THE REAR OF THE DOCTOR'S RESIDENCE FROM MRS. HELLEN HILL	1912-1914
413,747	TEMISCAMINGUE AGENCY - SURRENDER OF LOT 5, CON. 4, TEMISCAMINGUE RESERVE	1912-1913
413,880	NEW CREDIT AGENCY - RIGHT OF WAY - APPLICATION OF THE CANADIAN NORTHERN ONTARIO RAILWAY CO. FOR AUTHORITY TO DIVERT THE PUBLIC ROAD IN LOTS 3 AND 4, RANGE 2, CREDIT RESERVE, TOWNSHIP OF TORONTO	1912
415,079	GORE BAY AGENCY - APPLICATION OF EDWARD AINSLIE TO PURCHASE LOT 5, CON. 2, TOWNSHIP OF ROBINSON	1912
416,435	MANITOWANING AGENCY - APPLICATION OF C.L.D. SIMS TO PURCHASE A NUMBER OF LOTS IN THE TOWNPLOT OF SHAFTESBURY ALSO CANCELLATION OF THE SAID LOTS	1912-1927
416,814	MANITOWANING AGENCY - APPLICATION OF DR. HENRY GLENDINNING TO PURCHASE LOT 24, CON. 6, AND LOT 23, CON. 5, TOWNSHIP OF SHEGUIANDA	1912
416,977	CAPE CROKER AGENCY - CORRESPONDENCE REGARDING SALES OF A NUMBER OF LOTS IN THE TOWNSHIP OF ALBEMARLE	1912-1917
417,221	MANITOWANING AGENCY - CANCELLATION OF SALE OF LOT 21, CON. 2, ALLAN TOWNSHIP	1912-1927

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Lot 21. Con. 2 Tp Allan.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS JAN 3 1913

Manitowaning, Ont..

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
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December, 31st, 1912. 191

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Sir,-

I have the honor to enclose herewith a Statutory Declaration as to the nonpreformance of settlement duties on Lot 21, Con. 2, Allan, fyled by Thomas Pope who asks that the sale be cancelled. I would most respectfully recommend that the present owner be given thirty days in which to make a payment, failing which the sale will be cancelled.

Your obedient servant,

W. McLeod

Indian Agent,

LANDS BRANCH JAN 4 1913

The Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, Ont..

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Dominion of Canada,
Province of Ontario,
District, of Manitoulin,
TO WIT

In the mattar of the cancellation of the sale of Lot 21, Concession, 2, in the Township of Allan.

I Thomas Robertson of the Township of Allan in the District of Manitoulin, Farmer and I John Robertson of the said Township of Allan in the District of Manitoulin, Farmer

DO SOLEMNLY DECLARE

1 - THAT I am well acquainted with Lot number Twenty-one on the Second Concession of the Township of Allan.

2 THAT there is no improvements on the said Lot.

3 THAT the said lot is not occupied and has not been occupied for Twenty years last past.

4 THAT this Declaration is made on behalf of Thomas Pope.

AND WE make this Solemn Declaration conscientiously bevieving it to be true and knowing that it is of the same force as if made under oath and by virtue of the Canada Evidence Act.

DECARED before me at the Town of Gore Bay In the District of Manitoulin, this 26th day of December A. D. 1912.

Thomas Robertson
John Robertson

A. E. Mowat
a Notary Public

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Ottawa, I6th January, I9I3-

Sir,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 3Ist Ultimo, enclosing Statutory Declaration by Thomas Pope, as to the non-performance of settlement duties on Lot 2I, Con. 2, Allan, and in reply have to inform you that you should notify the owner that he will be given one month in which to pay the arrears, or a fair portion thereof, failing which the Sale is liable to be cancelled.

At the expiration of the time given, you should report to the Department stating what action has been taken in the matter, and whether you would then recommend cancellation of the Sale.

E.L.M.

WAD

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Assistant Deputy & Secretary-

W. McLeod, Esq.

Indian Agent,

Manitowaning,

Ont.

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Canada
Ontario
District of Manitoulin
To Wit;

IN THE MATTER OF LOT NUMBER TWENTY ONE in the second concession of the township of Allan in the District of Manitoulin in the Province of Ontario

I, Thomas H Fifer of the town of Gore Bay in the District of Manitoulin, Merchant make oath and say

That I am well acquainted with the above mentioned lot number twenty one in the second concession of the said township of Allan and it is not fit or suitable for agricultural purposes and settlement duties upon the same for such purposes should not be required

Sworn before me at the town of Gore Bay in the District of Manitoulin this 30th day of August A.D. 1927

T H Fifer

J H Evans
A Commissioner etc

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Dated August 3 1927.

IN RE LOT 21 concession 2
township of Allen District
of Manitoulin

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Thomas Pifer

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Canada
Ontario
District of Manitoulin
To Wit:

IN THE MATTER OF LOT NUMBER TWENTY ONE in the second concession of the township of Allan in the District of Manitoulin in the Province of Ontario

I, Richard Clarke of the town of Gore Bay in the District of Manitoulin, Gentleman make oath and say

That I am well acquainted with the above mentioned lot number twenty one in the second concession of the said township of Allan and it is not fit or suitable for agricultural purposes and settlement duties upon the same for such purposes should not be required

Sworn before me at the town of Gore Bay in the District of Manitoulin this 31st day of August A.D. 1927

J.H. Craig
A Commissioner etc

Richard Clark

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Dated August 3 1927

IN RE LOT 21 concession 2
township of Allen District
of Manitoulin

AFFIDAVIT
Richard Clarke

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417,878	CAPE CROKER AGENCY - CORRESPONDENCE REGARDING SALE OF LOT 2, CON. 9, EAST OF BURY ROAD, TOWNSHIP OF EASTNOR	1913-1919
418,091	MANITOWANING AGENCY - CANCELLATION OF SALE OF LOT 13, CON. 13, TEHKUMMAH TOWNSHIP	1913
418,683	MANITOWANING AGENCY - PETER SAGLE AND ED WILLIAMSON APPLYING TO PURCHASE LOTS 35 AND 36. DRAPER STREET NORTH, AND LOT 34, BLAKE STREET NORTH IN THE TOWNPLOT OF SHAFTESBURY	1913
418,811	OTTAWA - INSTRUCTIONS FROM EXTERNAL AFFAIRS REGARDING DESPATCHES FROM HOME ON FOREIGN GOVERNMENT NOT TO BE PUBLISHED WITHOUT AUTHORITY	1913-1926
418,893	MANITOWANING AGENCY - ASSIGNMENTS COVERING LOT 25, CON. 5, TOWNSHIP OF HOWLAND	1913
419,157	MANITOWANING AGENCY - CANCELLATION OF SALES OF LOTS 18 AND 19, CON. A IN THE TOWNSHIP OF CARNARVON	1913-1916
419,920	SIX NATIONS AGENCY - PROPOSED ESTABLISHMENT OF A CONTINUATION SCHOOL ON THE SIX NATIONS RESERVE	1913-1931
420,137	GORE BAY AGENCY - REQUEST FOR CANCELLATION OF SALE OF LOT 39, CON. 17, AND LOT 40, CON. 16, ROBINSON TOWNSHIP	1913-1928
420,156	MANITOWANING AGENCY - APPLICATION OF JOHN STEWART TO PURCHASE LOTS 12, 13 & 14, NORTH SIDE NAPIER STREET AND APPLICATION OF HOWARD SMITH TO PURCHASE LOTS 15 & 16 NORTH SIDE OF NAPIER STREET, ALL IN THE TOWNPLOT OF MANITOWANING	1913
420,881	THESSALON AGENCY - APPLICATION OF H.H. FLESHER TO PURCHASE THE TIMBER ON HOTHAM ISLAND	1913-1914

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Geo. M. Eyre

Lot 2. Con 9. E.B.R. Eastnor

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Hope Bay, Ont.,
Jan. 4, 1913

Secretary of Dept. of Indian Affairs
Indian Dept.,
Ottawa

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My Dear Sir,

Would you kindly inform me if lot No. 2, 9 Concession E. B. R., in the township of Eastnor, County of Bruce has been patented or not? I am living on the property and would like to buy it if it is not already sold.

Awaiting an early reply.
I remain
Geo. N. Eyre

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Department of Indian Affairs

Ottawa, 14th Jany 1913.

Memo re Lot 2 Con 9. E.B.R. Eastnor.

This lot was sold 1 Nov. 1867 to Allan Ervin, who assigned to Alexander Edward Strathy in whose name it stands.

186 of Albemarle Muskoot

100 acres @ $1.00 P.a.		$100.00
Paid at date of sale $20.00		
" 31 Mar. 1886	$40.00 (Int. $24.60)	
" 1 Feby. 1888	40.00 (Int 29.00)	
" 14 May 1888, shortage in Int. 5.20		$100.00

The lot is paid in full but was sold subject to the Settlement Conditions. Patent has not been requested nor proof filed as to performance of settlement duties.

N. E. Kemp

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Ottawa, I6th January, I9I3-

Sir,

In reply to your letter of the 4th Instant, I beg to say that Lot 2, Con. 9, E. B. R. Eastnor, was sold in I867, to Mr. Allan Ervin, who subsequently assigned it to Alexander Edward Strathy, of Albemarle Township, Merchant, in whose name the Lot still stands on the Books of the Department, the purdhase price having been paid in full, but Patent has not issued.

It will be necessary for you to obtain an Assignment from Mr. Strathy, and forward same to the local Indian Agent at Wiarton, for transmission to the Department.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Assistant Deputy & Secretary-

George N. Eyre, Esq.
Hope Bay,
Ont.

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Hope Bay, Ont.,
October 14. 1918.

Sect-Treasurer Indian Affairs
Indian Dept.
Ottawa.

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My dear Sir-

Will you kindly inform me if the patent has been issued for Lot 2, Con. 9, E. B. R. of the township of Eastnor. Bruce County ?

And oblige
Geo. N. Eyre

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Ottawa, October 21, 1918.

E.A.D.

Sir,-

In reply to your letter of the 14th instant, regarding lot 2, Con. 9, E. B. R., Eastnor, I beg to say that this lot was sold in 1867 to Mr. Allan Ervin, who assigned the same to Alexander Edward Strathy, of Albemarle township, Merchant, in whose name the lot still stands on the books of the Department, the purchase price having been paid in full but patent has not issued.

Your obedient Servant,

WAO

W. A. Orr.

In Charge Lands & Timber Branch.

George N. Eyre, Esq.,
Hope Bay,
Ont.

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417879 Hope Bay, Ont.
Nov. 30. 1918.

Secretary. Dept of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa -

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No. 417, 878.

Dear Sir,

Your favour of October 21, 1918 was received regarding lot 2. con. 9. E. B. R. Eastnor.

Now Alexander Edward Strathy is dead. His widow is married again.

I have bargained with her and Mr. Alexander Edward Strathy's children for the above number lot. But before I can get a title. I desired to have the patent issued, then I would get a quick claim deed.

I have already had Alexander Edwards Strathy's son, Henry Edmund Strathy consult the Land Agent Dat Wharton.

Now would you kindly advise me as to what course I should take to get the matter fixed up?

Awaiting your early favour,

I remain
Yours respectfully
George W. Eyre

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417,878.

Ottawa, December 6, 1918.

Sir,-

In reply to your letter of the 30th ultimo, regarding lot 2, Con. 9, E. B. R., Eastnor, I beg to say that it will be necessary to furnish satisfactory documentary evidence of title acquired from Alexander Edward Strathy, and upon furnishing same along with evidence by statutory declaration as to performance of conditions of sale regarding settlement and improvements, the question of issue of patent will be given due consideration.

Your obedient Servant,

W. A. Ort.

In Charge Lands & Timber Branch.

WAO

George N. Eyre, Esq.,
Hope Bay,
Ont.

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Wiarton

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Dear Sir,—

I would like a little information on what procedure
I will take in order to apply for Patent for lot 2 con 9
E.B.R Eastoner Sale No 2178
By my land sales book this lot was assinged from
Allan Erwin to Alaxander Edward Strathy In June 1876
Another poscript is entered in sales book as follows
K# L.F.Strathy Heir of A.E.Strathy has signed title to
John Hewton aggeeing to make an assingment to L.Hewton
as soon as his sister will be of age
There is a son of A.E.Strathy turned up and is asking
for the patent Hewton is claiming the property
any information that will assist me to clear up
and help me to get the matter straighened out

I Have The Honor To Be

Your Obedient Servant

J. A. Strathy

Indian Lands Agent

THE SECRETARY

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

OTTAWA

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417,878.

Ottawa, December 10, 1918.

Sir,-

In reply to your letter of the 4th instant, in regard to lot 2, Con. 9, E. B. R., Eastnor, I beg to say that it will be necessary for the party claiming this lot to furnish satisfactory documentary evidence of title from Alexander Edward Strathy, in whose name the lot stands on the books of the Department.

Your obedient Servant,

W. A. Orr.

In Charge Lands & Timber Branch.

WAO

J. E. Sutherby, Esq.,
Indian Lands Agent,
Wiarton, Ont.

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J. CARLYLE MOORE
BARRISTER, SOLICITOR, NOTARY, &C.
WIARTON, ONTARIO,
CANADA.

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December 12th, 1918.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario.

Dear Sir:-

Re Lot 2, Con., 9, E.B.R., Eastnor.
Your file 419878.

Mr. J.E. Sutherby, Indian Land Agent at Wiarton has shown me a letter he received from Mr. W.A. Orr of your Department under date of 10th December 1918. A. E. Strathy, in whose name the Lot stands on the books of the Department, died by drowning in the year 1880 and no probate or administration was ever taken out. The heirs of the estate now wish to sell the land to Mr. George N. Eyre of Hope Bay.

The heirs consist of a widow, who married again, but is still living, two daughters, one married and the other single, one son Mr. Henry Edmund Strathy of Port Elgin.

Would you kindly advise me what would be required in order to have the title transferred to Mr. Eyre. Will you require that Letters of Administration be obtained or will you accept a deed in which all the heirs join to Mr. Eyre, and in that deed I can put sufficient recitals setting forth the death of the late A.E. Strathy and that the grantors in the deed are the only heirs. If you wanted the recitals verified by an affidavit or statutory declaration, it could easily be done.

The land is not valuable and the purchase price agreed on in the proposed transaction is $200.00, so that I desire to avoid costs that are not absolutely necessary.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Yours truly,

JCM/S

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Ottawa, December 19, 1918.

Sir,-

In reply to your letter of the 12th instant, in regard to lot 2, Con. 9, E. B. R., Eastnor, I beg to say that it will not be necessary to furnish letters of administration of the late Alexander Edward Strathy, but upon your furnishing as proposed, a deed from all the heirs to Mr. Eyre, properly executed and attested, and accompanied by a declaration showing that the parties joining in the deed are all the heirs of the late Mr. Strathy, and also upon furnishing evidence by statutory declaration of compliance with conditions of sale, namely, occupation of lot for three years, erection of a house 18 x 24, and clearing and fencing at least five acres, the question of issue of patent will be given due consideration.

Your obedient Servant,

W. A. Orr.

In Charge Lands & Timber Branch.

J. Carlyle Moore, Esq.,
Barrister, etc.,
Wiarton, Ont.

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...ENT. Campbell & Cross. Printers and Stationers, Wiarton Ontario.

Know all Men by these Presents, that I John Hawton of the Township of Eastnor in the County of Bruce and Province of Ontario, Farmer for and in consideration of Four Hundred Dollars of lawful money of the said Province, ~~my~~ in hand paid by William Thomas Hawton of the Township of Eastnor in the County of Bruce and Province aforesaid, Farmer at or before the date hereof, the receipt whereof I do hereby acknowledge, **have** bargained, sold, assigned, transferred, and set over, and by these Presents **do** bargain, sell, assign and set over to the said William Thomas Hawton his heirs and assigns, all my estate, right, title interest, claim and demand whatsoever, both at law and in equity, of, in, and to that certain parcel or tract of land and premises, situate, lying and being in the Township of Eastnor in the County of Bruce and Province aforesaid containing by admeasurement ~~one~~ Hundred Acres, be the same more or less, being composed of Lot Number Two (2) in the South Concession of the Township Eastnor East of the Bury Road

To have and to hold the same, with all and every the benefit that may or can be derived from the said ~~one~~ Hundred Acres of land unto the said William Thomas Hawton his heirs and assigns forever.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my Hand and Seal this 5th day of July in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty ~~one~~

Signed. Sealed and Delivered,
Having first been read over and explained,
IN THE PRESENCE OF

Fredk. L. Jermyn

John Hawton

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ONTARIO,
County of Bruce
TO WIT:

I Frederick Lisi Jermyn
of the Village of Wiarton in the
County of Bruce clerk make oath and say:

1. That I was personally present and did see the within Instrument duly signed, sealed and executed by John Hewton one of the parties thereto.

2. That the said instrument was executed at the Village of Wiarton on the day of the date thereof.

3. That I know the said John Hewton

4. That I am a subscribing witness to the said Instrument.

SWORN before me at Wiarton in the said County of Bruce this 5th day of July in the year of our Lord 1889

Fred. L. Jermyn

D. McJennyn
A Commissioner, etc., in B.R.

Sale No

ASSIGNMENT.

Jno Hewton

to

H. J. Hewton

Dated 5th of July 1889

Lot No 2

Con 9 Wiar

Township Carrick

WIARTON OR (WALKERTON)
Sol. # 417878
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The original of this Document has been removed for retention in the Records of the Indian Land Registry.

J. E. Jolley
Signature

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Robertson & McNab
Barristers, Solicitors, Conveyancers, &c.

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Solicitors for 518552
The Canadian Bank of Commerce

DAVID ROBERTSON, K.C.
A. E. McNAB

Walkerton, Ont., Jany. 15th, 1919.

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS JAN 13 1919 OTTAWA

DEAR SIR,

Re Lot 2, Con. 9, E.B.R. Eastnor.

We have been consulted by William John Hewton, who claims to have purchased this lot from his father, John Hewton. We enclose you the Assignment and affidavit of execution.

Hewton instructs us that his father in 1886, purchased this lot from R. L. F. Strathy. Strathy represented that it belonged to his father, that he and his sister Helen Ruth Strathy, were the only heirs; that he could not give a deed until his sister became of age. Hewton has since lost trace of Strathy

Mr. Hewton gave a note for the purchase price, which note has been paid. We have Mr. Strathy's acknowledgement to that effect. Hewitt and his son William T. Hewton have been in possession of the lot ever since. They instruct us that they have cleared ten acres and built a house on it; that William T. Hewton lived on it for three or four years and then moved across the road on to his father's farm but has rented it to different parties, who have always paid the rent to him, and he has always paid the taxes on the property.

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One George Ayre has been a tenant for several years past and has always paid Hewton the rent until this year. He only paid part of the Jan 1918 rent, and writes him that Strathy has instructed him not to pay any more rent to Hewton.

Hewton has been unable to learn as to Strathy's address and we are now trying to locate him.

At the time of the agreement, he was an employee of the Molsons Bank at Owen Sound.

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Robertson & McNab

Barristers, Solicitors, Conveyancers, &c.

DAVID ROBERTSON, K.C.
A. E. McNAB

Solicitors for
The Canadian Bank of Commerce

Walkerton, Ont., ... 191

DEAR SIR, Re

Sup't General of Indian Affairs-2.

We are instructed the Lot is rough and of very little value.

Will you please let us know in whose name the Lot stands and also whether on the proof of the facts as above detailed and the performance of the settlement duties, a patent will issue to our client.

Superintendant General of Indian Affairs,
Parliament Buildings,
OTTAWA, Ont.

Yours truly,
ROBERTSON & MCNAB,
per A. E. M.

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Ottawa, January 20, 1919.

Gentlemen,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 15th instant, in regard to lot 2, Con. 9, E. B. R., Eastnor. In reply I beg to say that this land stands on the books of the Department in the name of Alexander Edward Strathy, the purchase price therefor having been paid in full.

Letters Patent for this lot can only issue to the party proving title thereto from Alexander Edward Strathy, and upon furnishing evidence of title as well as evidence showing compliance with the conditions of sale, namely, occupation of lot for three years, erection of a house 18 x 24 and the clearing and fencing of at least five acres.

I may say that Mr. J. Carlyle Moore, Barrister, of Wiarton, has been in communication with the Department in regard to acquisition of this lot by Mr. George M. Eyre, who represents that he is making some bargain for the property with Alexander Edward Strathy's heirs.

Your obedient Servant,

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W. A. Orr.

In Charge Lands & Timber Branch.

Messrs. Robertson & McNabb,
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Walkerton, Ont.

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(LIS PENDENS.)

I Certify that in a suit or proceeding in the County Court of the County of Bruce

Between William Thomas Hewton

Plaintiff

and

R. L. F. Strathy, Helen Ruth Strathy and Evangeline M. Eyre Defendants

some title or interest is called in question in the following lands: that is to say

Lot 2 in the ninth concession East of Penny Road in the Township of Eastnor in the County of Bruce

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And at the request of the Plaintiff , this certificate is given for the purpose of registration, pursuant to the Statute in such case made and provided

Given under my hand, and the seal of the said County Court at Walkerton this 22nd day of January A.D. 1919

Robert E. Clapp
Clerk of the County Court
Co Bruce

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Solicitors for
The Canadian Bank of Commerce

DAVID ROBERTSON, K.C.
A. E. McNAB

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Walkerton, Ont., January 22nd, **191** 9

DEAR SIR,

Re Lot 2, 9th Con. E.B.R. 518828

Replying to yours of the 20th, #417-878, will you kindly let us have the address of Alexander Edward Strathy as shown on your books and oblige.

The Secretary
Department of Indian Affairs,
OTTAWA,
Ont.

Yours truly,
Robertson & McNab,
per AM

P.S. We enclose you Certificate of Lis Pendens for registration.
in your office.

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Ottawa, January 24, 1919.

Gentlemen,-

In reply to your letter of the 22nd instant, in regard to lot 2 in the 9th concession, E. B. R., township of Eastnor, I beg to say that the records of the Department show that Alexander Edward Strathy, in whose name this lot stands on the books of the Department, died by drowning in the year 1880.

The certificate of lis pendens forwarded by you has been duly entered against this lot.

Your obedient Servant,

W. A. Orr.

In Charge Lands & Timber Branch.

Messrs. Robertson & McNabb,
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Walkerton, Ont.

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A. E. McNAB

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DEAR SIR, Re South Half of Lot 33-8th, Albemarle.

On searching this lot, which was owned by Alexander E. Strathy, before his death, we find that the Patent was granted by your Department on the 17th December, 1900, to Robert Louis F. Strathy and Helen Ruth Strathy.

We wrote you on the 15th inst. and have your Reply of the 20th -# 417878, in regard to Lot 2 in the 9th Concession, E.B.R. Eastnor.

As we explained before, Robert L. F. Strathy on behalf of himself and his sister, Helen Ruth Strathy , entered into an agreement to sell this Eastnor lot to our client's father, and one H. E . Strathy now claims to be a son of Alexander E. Strathy, although he does not give his father's correct name.

Will you kindly let us know on what the patent of the south half of Lot 33 in the 8th of Albemarle was granted to Robert L. F. Strathy and Helen Ruth Strathy, and if there was any will, send us a copy of it, or any papers that you think will assist us in proving that Robert L. F. Strathy and Helen Ruth Strathy have the authority to sell the Eastnor lot.

File 10168.

Re also 67239.

We will, of course, be pleased to pay for any copy of papers you send us.

LANDS BRANCH JAN 30 1919

Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,

Parliament Buildings,

OTTAWA, Ontario.

Yours truly,

ROBERTSON & MCNAB,

per

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Ottawa, January 31, 1919.

Gentlemen,-

In reply to your letter of the 28th instant, in regard to the S. ½ of lot 33 in the 8th concession, Albemarle, I beg to inclose copy of affidavit under which the Letters Patent issued to Robert L. F. Strathy and Helen Ruth Strathy for this land.

I am also inclosing for your information copy of an agreement of record in the Department in regard to lot 2, Con. 9, E. B. R., Eastnor.

Your obedient Servant,

W. A. Orr.

In Charge Lands & Timber Branch.

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Walkerton, Ont., February 28th 191 9

DEAR SIR, Re Lot Two Ninth Concession, E. B. R.
Township of Eastnor

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We enclose you deed from Robert Louis Frederick Strathy to our client, William Thomas Newton and an affidavit of Mr. Strathy. On the 26th of March, 1886 Robert L. F. Strathy agreed to sell this land to John Newton and took a note in favor of Helen Ruth Strathy in payment of the balance of the purchase price which note has been paid. John Newton was in possession for awhile and then conveyed it to his son our client, William Thomas Newton. The assignment which is dated the 5th of July, 1889 we forwarded to you to be filed in your Department.

Our instructions are that our client has been in possession either personally or by tenants, who have paid the rent to him, ever since.

Mr. Newton lost track of Mr. Strathy for some time and we commenced an action for specific performance and sent you certificate of Lis Pendens so as to prevent any application for patent adverse to our client's interest. You wrote us on the 31st of January last No. 417878, sending us a copy of a declaration made by R. L. F. Strathy filed in your Department against the South Half of Thirty-three, Eighth Concession, Albemarle on which your Department granted a patent to R. L. F. Strathy and Helen Ruth Strathy and on the 20th of January last you advised us that the purchase price of the Eastnor lot had been fully paid. You mentioned that Mr. J. C. Moore of Wiarton had been in communication with the Department in regard to the acquisition

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DEAR SIR, Re

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of this lot by George M. Eyre.

George M.Eyre entered into possession of this lot as tenant to William Thomas Newton and paid rent to Newton for the time he occupied except half of the rent for 1918. It appears that a man claiming to be H. E. Strathy of Port Elgin went to him and agreed to sell him this lot but our instructions are that he certainly is not a son of the late Alexander Edward Strathy. Please let us know if on our filing an affidavit of the performance of the settlement duties and occupation, patent will now issue in William Thomas Newton.

We are writing Mr. Moore suggesting that he write you abandoning all claim to the land if he ever made any.

Yours truly,

Robertson & McNab

per W.R.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
OTTAWA,
Ontario

Encs.

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Ottawa, March 4, 1919.

Gentlemen,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 28th ultimo, in regard to lot 2 in the 9th Concession, E. B. R., in the township of Eastnor, inclosing affidavit by Mr. R. L. F. Strathy and transfer by him to William Thomas Hewton.

In reply I would say that upon furnishing the Department with satisfactory proof under statutory declaration as to compliance with settlement conditions, and upon returning the deed which is herewith inclosed, amended by insertion of date therein, the question of issue of patent will be given due consideration. The Officials of his Province will also require to be properly discharged

Your obedient Servant,

W. A. Orr.

In Charge Lands & Timber Branch.

Messrs. Robertson & McNabb,
Barristers, etc.,
Walkerton, Ont.

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Ontario)
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County of Bruce)
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To Wit:)

In the matter of Lot Number Two in the Ninth Concession East of the Bury Road in the Township of Eastnor in the County of Bruce.

I, WILLIAM THOMAS HEWTON, of the Township of Eastnor in the County of Bruce, Yeoman, make oath and say:-

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1. That my father John Hewton took possession of the said lot about the year 1884

2. That on or about the 5th day of July, 1889 the said John Hewton made an assignment under seal of all his interest in the said lot to me.

3. That I took possession of the said lot in or about the year 1889 and resided thereon for 4 or 5 years years when I moved to another lot close by and continued to work and remained in actual possession of the said lot for near fifteen years.

4. and Since the year 1904 I rented the said lot to several tenants who have regularly paid the rent therefor.

5. That I rented the said Lot to George M. Eyre about 5 years ago at the annual rental of $ 20.00 per annum and he has been in possession of the said lot ever since and is now in possession thereof.

6. The said Eyre paid me the rent for all the years prior to the year 1918 and paid me the sum of $ 10.00 on account of the rent for the said year 1918.

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7. That ten acres of the said lot are cleared, fenced and under cultivation.

8. There is erected on the said lot a Frame Dwelling house 20ft by 20 feet and a Frame barn 14 by 24 feet.

SWORN before me at the Village of Lions Head in the County of Bruce, this Fifth day of March, 1919.

H. B. Mosher

A Commissioner &c.

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In the Matter of Lot no. 2
9th Concession E. B. R.
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AFFIDAVIT OF WM. T. HEWTON

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In the Matter of Lot Number Two in the Ninth Concession East of the Bury Road in the Township of Eastnor in the County of Bruce.

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I, Joseph Waugh Jr of the Township of Eastnor in the County of Bruce, Yeoman, make oath and say:-

1. I have known the above land for Thirty years.

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2. During all that time William Thomas Newton either by himself or his tenants has been in actual occupation and possession of the said land.

3. Ten acres of the said lot are cleared, fenced and under cultivation and there is erected on the same a Frame Dwelling house 20 ft by 20 feet and a Frame barn 14 by 20 feet.

SWORN before me at the Village of Lions Head in the County of Bruce, this fifth day of March, 1919.

W. B. Washer

A Commissioner &c.

Joseph Waugh Jr

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In the Matter of Lot No. 2

Ninth Concession E. B. R.

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AFFIDAVIT OF Joseph Waugh Jr

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In the Matter of Lot Number Two in the Ninth Concession East of the Bury Road in the Township of Eastnor in the County of Bruce.

I, Alexander Hepburn of the Township of Eastnor in the County of Bruce, Yeoman, make oath and say:-

1. I have known the above land for Thirty years.

2. During all that time William Thomas Newton either by himself or his tenants has been in actual occupation and possession of the said land.

3. Ten acres of the said lot are cleared, fenced and under cultivation and there is erected on the same a Frame Dwelling house 20 ft- by 20 feet and a Frame barn 14 ft by 24 feet.

SWORN before me at the Village of Lions Head in the County of Bruce, this fifth day of March, 1919.

H. B. Moshier

A Commissioner &c.

A. H. Hepburn

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In the Matter of Lot No. 2

Ninth Concession E. B. R.

Eastnor

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AFFIDAVIT OF *A. K. Hepburn*

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A. E. McNAB

Solicitors for
The Canadian Bank of Commerce

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Walkerton, Ont., March 7th **1919**

DEAR SIR

Re Lot 2 Ninth E.B.R. Eastnor

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We enclose you quit-claim deed , Robert L. F. Strathy to William Hewton, affidavits of William T.Hewton, and Alexander Hepburn and Joseph Wall as to settlement duties. We beg to ask that a patent be issued to Mr.Hewton for this lot.

Yours truly,
Robertson & McNab
per

The Secretary, Department of Indian Affairs,
OTTAWA,
Ontario

Encs.

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Ontario)
District of Thunder Bay)

In the Matter of Lot Number Two in the Ninth Concession East of the Bury Road in the Township of Eastnor in the County of Bruce.

I, ROBERT LOUIS FREDERICK STRATHY formerly of the Town of Owen Sound in the County of Grey but now of the City of Port Arthur in the District of Thunder Bay, 4 counts. make oath and say:-

1. I am a son of Alexander Edward Strathy who was formerly the owner of the above lot.

2. That the said Alexander Edward Strathy died on or about the Fall ~~day~~ of _____ 1878 intestate leaving him surviving myself and my sister Helen Ruth Strathy his only children and next of kin.

3. That the said Helen Ruth Strathy died on or about the 5th day of April 1914 at the City of Toronto intestate and was at the time of her death an unmarried woman , never having been married.

4. That in the year, 1886 I entered into an agreement on behalf of myself and Helen Ruth Strathy to sell the above described land to one John Newton.

SWORN before me at the City of)
Port Arthur in the District of)
Thunder Bay, this 26th day of)
February, 1919.)

R. L. F. Strathy

D. J. Cowan

A Commissioner &c.

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In the Matter of Lot No. 2
in the 9th Concession East of
the Bury Road in the Township
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AFFIDAVIT OF ROBERT L. F.
STRATHY

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Ottawa, 10th March, 1919-

Gentlemen,

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 7th Instant, enclosing Assignment from R.L.F. Strathy to William Hewton, covering Lot 2, Con. 9, E.B.R. Eastnor, also Affidavits as to the performance of settlement duties in connection therewith. and in reply have to inform you that the above mentioned Transfer is again returned for amendment by insertion of the date thereof.

As you were informed in letter of the 4th Instant, Patent cannot be issued for this Lot, until the Certificate of Lis Pendens filed against it has been properly discharged by a Court of competent jurisdiction.

Your obedient servant,

W. A. Orr.

In charge Lands & Timber Branch-

Messrs. Robertson & McNab,
Barristers &c.
Walkerton,
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IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO

No. 417 878-

ALSO TO THE DATE OF THIS LETTER.

PLEASE WRITE ON ONLY ONE SUBJECT IN EACH LETTER

ADDRESS REPLY TO THE SECRETARY, DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS, OTTAWA.

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Ottawa, 10th March, 1919-

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Your obedient servant,

W. Wright

In charge Lands & Timber Branch-

Messrs. Robertson & McNab,
Barristers &c.
Walkerton,
Ont.

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Ottawa, I7th March, I9I9-

Gentlemen,

I have to state that the Assignment returned to you for amendment on the I0th Instant, has again been received by the Department, unamended, and without any covering letter, but presumably from you.

G. F. M

This document is therefore, once more forwarded for insertion of the date in the place marked by a red cross, which was placed there, before being returned to you on the I0th Instant.

When returned in proper order, this Transfer will be held on file, pending receipt of the Certificate of the Discharge of Lis Pendens, as stated in letter above mentioned, no action as regards the issue of Patent being possible, until this matter has received attention.

Your obedient servant,

W. A. Orr.

In charge Lands & Timber Branch-

Messrs. Robertson & McNab,

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IN THE COUNTY COURT OF THE COUNTY OF BRUCE.

BETWEEN

WILLIAM THOMAS HEWTON

Plaintiff,

-and-

R. L. F. STRATHY, HELEN RUTH STRATHY,
and GEORGE M. AYRE,

Defendants.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that on the 22nd day of January, 1919, an action was commenced in the County Court of the County of Bruce by William Thomas Hewton, against R.L.F.Strathy, Helen Ruth Strathy and George M. Ayre, defendants, and a Certificate of Lis Pendens was issued in the said action and that on the 18th day of March, 1919, a notice was filed discontinuing the said action, ~~That~~ the land effected by said action is Lot Number Two in the Ninth Concession, East of the Bury Road in the Township of Eastnor in the County of Bruce, and this certificate was given by the Clerk for registration.

WITNESS my hand and the seal of said Court this 18th day of March, A.D.1919.

In duplicate

Robert E. Clapp

Clerk, County Court County Bruce.

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COUNTY COURT COUNTY BRUCE.

HEWTON

VS

STRATHY ET AL.

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CERTIFICATE OF DISCONTINUANCE.

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Walkerton, Ont., March 20th, 191 9.

DEAR SIR,

Re Hewton vs Strathy (Lot 2, Con. 9, E.B.R.Eastnor)

We enclose you quitclaim deed, Robert L. F. Strathy to William Thomas Hewton corrected and a certificate of the Discontinuance of the action commenced by our client against R. L. F. Strathy and others signed by the Clerk of the Court here.

We presume that the patent will now issue to Mr. Hewton . Kindly forward same to us when completed.

Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,

O T T A W A,

Ontario.

Yours truly,

ROBERTSON & MCNAB,

per

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A. E. McNAB

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Walkerton, Ont., April 26th, 1919.

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DEAR SIR,

Re Lot 2, 9th Con. E.B.R. Eastnor.

On the 20th March last, we sent you quitclaim deed Robert L.F.Strathy to William Thomas Hewton and Certificate of Discontinuance of the action commenced by our client against Strathy and others.

We are very anxious to secure the issue of the Patent to our client Hewton. Please let us know when we may expect the issue of the patent.

LANDS BRANCH
MAY 1 1919

Superintendant of Indian Affairs,
Parliament Buildings,
OTTAWA, Ontario.

Yours truly,
ROBERTSON & MCNAB,
per A.M.

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Ottawa, May 5, 1919.

Gentlemen,-

In reply to your letter of the 26th ultimo I beg to say that Letters Patent in favour of William Thomas Hewton for lot 2, Con. 9, E. B. R., Eastnor, were forwarded on the 3rd instant, to Mr. J. E. Sutherby, Indian Agent, Wiarton, for the patentee.

Your obedient Servant,

W. A. Orr.

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In Charge Lands & Timber Branch.

Messrs. Robertson & McNab,
Barristers, etc.,
Walkerton, Ont.

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J. CARLYLE MOORE
BARRISTER, SOLICITOR, NOTARY, &c.
WIARTON, ONTARIO,
CANADA.

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May 19th, 1919.

LANDS BRANCH
MAY 22 1919

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario.

Dear Sir:- Re Strathy, Your file 417878.

On 12th December 1918, I wrote you in regard to the title to Lot 2, Concession 9, E.B.R., Township of Eastnor, County of Bruce, and received a reply from you under date of 19th December. I am now informed that a Patent to this land has issued to Mr. William Thomas Hewton of Barrow Bay, supposedly under an assignment from R. L. F. Strathy now of Port Arthur, who was a son of A. E. Strathy in whose name the lot apparently stood.

I did not have complete information concerning the late Mr. Strathy's family history when I wrote you in December, but have since learned that Mr. R. L. F. Strathy was the late Mr. Strathy's eldest child and was apparently unaware of the existence of his half brother and sisters by his father's subsequent marriage. The late Mr. Strathy's widow is still living and is now Mrs, Parker of Owen Sound. There is a Mr. H.E. Strathy from whom my client holds an assignment, living at Port Elgin, and a daughter at Toronto. These three persons would appear to be entitled to share in the estate of the late A. E. Strathy and their interests are still outstanding.

If it is a fact that a Patent has issued to Wm. T. Hewton, would kindly inform me of the material upon which it issued. I have a letter from Mr. R. L. F. Strathy of 15th inst., in which he states that at the time he agreed to convey to Hewton, he could not find any trace of his father's widow and believes her to be dead and further that he had no knowledge of any other children of his father except one sister by the name of Helen who died last year; this shows that Mr. R. L. F. Strathy was not aware of the true family history.

I am acting for Mr. G.N. Eyre who bought under an Agreement of Sale from Mr. H. E. Strathy of Port Elgin who is acting in the matter for his mother and sister as well as for himself.

Yours truly,

JCM/S

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Ottawa, May 23, 1919.

Sir,-

In reply to your letter of the 19th instant, in regard to lot 2, Con. 9, E. B. R., township of Eastnor, I beg to say that Letters Patent for this lot have been issued in the name of William Thomas Hewton, and were forwarded on the 3rd instant to the local Indian Agent for the patentee.

I may say that a transfer of this lot from Robert Louis Frederick Strathy to William Thomas Hewton was filed in the Department along with statutory declarations copies of which are herewith inclosed.

Your obedient Servant,

W. A. Orm

In Charge Lands & Timber Branch.

J. Carlyle Moore, Esq.,
Barrister, etc.,
Wiarton, Ont.

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Jan. 1913

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Lot 13. Con 13. Sp Tehkummah.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
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Manitowaning, Ont.,

January, 14th, 1913. 191

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
JAN 16 1913

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Sir,-

I have the honor to report that Alex. M. Chisholm owner of Lot 13, Con. 13, in the townhip of Tehkummah, Sale 4066, called at this Office, and asks that the sale be cancelled and the Lot re-sold to him under Sec. 6, of the Land Regulations, as he finds that it is not fit for farming purposes.

I would most respectfully recommend that authority be given the Land Valuator to examine this Lot, and to report under oath in the usual way, and if he finds that the Lot is unfit for farming purposes that the sale be cancelled, and re-sold to Mr Chisholm at the value placed thereon by the Valuator.

LANDS BRANCH
JAN 17 1913

Your obedient servant,

Wm McLeod

Indian Agent,

The Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, Ont..

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Department of Indian Affairs

Ottawa, 17th Jany - 1913.

Memo.

S
4066

Lot 13 Con 13, Tehkummah, was sold to Alexr. Murray Chisholm 2 Decr. 1904, subject to the usual Settlement Conditions - Payt. to be made in 5 Annual Instts.

90 acres @ 50¢ P.A.	$45.00
Paid at date of sale	10.00
Bal. Princ.	$35.00

& Int. thereon @ 6% from date of sale -

A. E. Kemp

LANDS BRANCH
JAN 17 1918

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418 091-

Ottawa, 21st January, 1913-

Sir,

I have to inform you that request has been made to the Department, to have Lot 13, Con. 13, Tehkummah, Manitoulin Island, examined under Section 6 of the Regulations, on the ground that it is considered by the owner to be unfit for agricultural purposes. You will, therefore, be good enough to examine and value this Lot accordingly, as soon as it is possible to do so properly, and report to the Department, under Declaration, in the usual way, stating the value of the land per acre, separate from the value placed on the timber. I might add that your report should also shew the approximate quantities and kinds of timber upon the Lot.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

George Shaw, Esq. Assistant Deputy & Secretary-
Timber Inspector & Valuator,
Thessalon,
Ont.

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Statutory Declaration.

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DOMINION OF CANADA,
~~County~~ of Algoma
To Wit:

In the matter of Lot 13 Con 13
Township of Tehkummah.
Manitoulin Island

I, Geo Shaw

of the Town of Thessalon in the
~~County~~ of Algoma

Do solemnly declare that

I have examined the above lot and I find no land fit for agricultural purpose and no timber of commercial value

And I make this Solemn Declaration conscientiously believing it to be true, and knowing that it is of the same force and effect as if made under oath, and by virtue of "The Canada Evidence Act."

DECLARED BEFORE ME AT Thessalon
in the ~~County~~ of Algoma
this 14th day of May 1913

Geo Shaw
Timber Inspector & Valuator

F W Williams
A Commr &c

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS MAY 15 1913

INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

Thessalon

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No.
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

Ladies

May 14th 1913

426124

Ex'd.

Sir,—

Rea yours No 418 091 – dated 21st Jan 1913 Inclosed please find my report on lot 13 Leon 13 Township of Tekkummah would also say that this lot was on Mr. Robert Russells list and I got him to go with me and we went of the lot togather so when his report come in will be the same as mine

Your obeident servant
Geo Shaw
Timber Inspector & Valuator
Thessalon

LANDS BRANCH MAY 15 1913

The Secretary
Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa

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No. 418683

Department of Indian Affairs.

Jan 1913

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Manitowaning.

1934

Lots 35 & 36 Draper St. North
Lot 34. Blake St. "
Town plot of Shaftesbury.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
JAN 22 1913

Manitowaning, Ont..

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
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ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

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Sir,-

I have the honor to report that Peter Sagle applies to purchase Lots 35 and 36 Draper St. North, and Lot 34 Blake St. North in the townplot of Shaftesbury.

I would most respectfully recommend that the Lots be sold to him at the upset price, on the usual conditions. I examined those Lots a few days ago and I find them very shallow land, wet, and not worth any more than the upset price.

See 416435 11

LANDS BRANCH
JAN 24 1913

Your obedient servant,

Wm McLeod

Indian Agent,

The Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, Ont..

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418 683-

Ottawa, 3rd February, 1913-

Sir,

In reply to your letter of the 18th Ultimo, submitting an application on behalf of Mr. Peter Sagle, for the purchase of Lots 35 & 36, North side Draper St. and Lot 34, North side Blake St. in the Townplot of Shaftesbury, and recommending a Sale thereof at the upset price, as the Lots are wet, and not worth more, I have to inform you that, under the circumstances, a Sale may be made of these Lots to the applicant, as recommended, at the upset price of $25.00 each, and upon the usual terms of payment.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Assistant Deputy & Secretary-

Wm. McLeod, Esq.
Indian Agent
Manitowaning,
Ont.

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Little Current April 20th 1913

418683

The Indian department

Ottawa. Ont.

Dear Sirs

I wrote to the Indian office to Mr Wm McLeod of Manitowaning last fall to make an entry for me of Lot 35 & 36. North Draper St and I got a reply from him stateing that he had made an entry for me in which I will send you a copy of the said entry signed by him self.

and on the 1st day of January he also make

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II an entry for Peter Sagle
and applied for those
lots in his name 424908
and got back a reply
from Ottawa office
to sell to the said
Peter Sagle. in which
I am the right title
holder of these lots
as I have dug a
well on lot 35 north
draper st. Shaftsbury 5 lot
and 7. notified the
Indian office to make
an entry for me as
I have no water on
my lot and wanted
to get this one. as
soon as it came
in Market and he
promised on the 15 of
November 1917 that he
would notify me in
reason against said

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[illegible] due time
now I would ask of
Jas to consider this
Matter and reply by
return mail.
I also went to
Manitowaning to
see the agent befor
I would write to Jas
but he was not there
and his clerk refused
to take my money
for my location ticket
as they were in
Peter Eagle name
but he had not
paid any money
against them yet
and I would ask
Jas again to cancel
his name. as I
still hold first ~~Claim~~
Claim against said

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LV lots.

I am a surporter of the conservatives and do not like the guit Peter Lagle. under mine me in this way. I would be satsfied if I got lot 35 so to hold the well which I dug 7 years ago.

Trusting you will look this over carefully

I remain
Yours truely &
surporter

Ed Williamson
Little Current
Ontario

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Copy. of the entry
made for me. in Nov
15th 1912 Indian office
At. Manitowaning Nov 15th
1912.

Sir
in looking over. the map
and Books. in office
there is get not sold
lot 35 & 36 Draper Street
North. and I have
made an entry for
you so when they
come in sale
I will notify you
in due time

signed
Wm McLeod.
Indian agent

Ed Williamson
Little Current

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II Now it looks funny for Peter sagle to apply for these lots in January 1ist 1913 and get them against the apply an Now 1ist 1912.

Ed Williamson

P.S. I wish Jan to write Mr Mcleod for an explanation of him self in so doing

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(18-6 [redacted])

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CANADIAN PACIFIC R'Y CO.'S TELEGRAPH

NIGHT LETTERGRAM

The Canadian Pacific R'y Co.'s Telegraph transmits and delivers this night lettergram subject to the terms and conditions printed on the back of this blank.

JAS. KENT, Manager Telegraphs

SENT NO.	SENT BY	RECEIVED BY	TIME SENT	TIME FILED	CHECK

Send the following night lettergram, without repeating, subject to the terms and conditions printed on the back hereof, which are hereby agreed to.

William McLeod,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

Ottawa, 30th April, 1913-

Ed. Williamson states he applied to you for Lots thirty five and thirty six, North side Draper Street, Shaftesbury, in November last, but you recommended sale to Peter Sagle, who only applied in January following. Stop sale of Lots, as authorized in letter of 3rd February last. Am writing.

J. D. McLEAN

Charge D. I. A.

Assistant Deputy & Secretary-

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418,683.

H.X.L.

Ottawa, May 2, 1913.

Sir,-

With further reference to night lettergram to you of the 30th ultimo as follows:-

"Ed. Williamson states he applied to you for lots "thirty-five and thirty-six, north side Draper street, "Shaftesbury, in November last, but you recommended sale "to Peter Sagle, who only applied in January following. "Stop sale of lots, as authorized in letter of 3rd February "last. Am writing."

I am enclosing herewith copy of a letter dated 15th November 1912, which Mr. Williamson claims he received from you in regard to these lots. As it shows that his application was made some months prior to that of Peter Sagle, you will be good enough to advise the Department why you recommended a sale of the lots to Mr. Sagle in your letter to the Department of 18th January last, instead of to Mr. Williamson.

If any action has been taken upon letter of instructions to you of the 3rd February last, you should notify Mr. Sagle not to take possession of the lot or make any improvements thereon until you are further advised.

Your obedient Servant,

H. STEWART

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Wm. McLeod, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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296 - 12.

Indian Office, Manitowaning,

May, 5th, 1913.

Sir :-

In reply to Official Letter No. 418 683, of the 2nd, Inst., in regard to Lots 35 and 36, Draper St. North in the townplot of Shaftesbury.

I beg to say that one day last November I was in Little Current, and Mr Williamson spoke to me about the above Lots I sent him a note saying they were not applied for and pencilled his name in the OLD Schedule for the two Lots. In January of this year Mr Sagle came into the Office and enquired re the same two lots. Mr Neilson looking them up in the NEW Schedule saw there was no application there for, and noted Mr Sagles name there for. When I made the application to the Department in Mr Sagles name I had forgotten entering Mr Williamsons name in the Old Schedule. I explained the circumstances to Mr Sagle when he called on the 29th, of April,(before I got your telegram) to make a payment on the lots, and he was good enough to relinquish his claim to Lot 35 which is the one Williamson particularly wants, as he has a well on it. Mr Williamson was in the Office during my absence about

The Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, Ont..

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two weeks ago, and told Mr Neilson if he could get Lot 35 he would be satisfied to let Sagle have Lot 36.

Mr Sagle has made a payment on the other two Lots which he applied for and I would most respectfully recommend that the sale stand as it is, and that Lot 35 be sold to Mr Williamson at the upset price, and on the usual conditions of sale.

Your obedient servant,

W. McLeod

Indian Agent.

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418,683.

Ottawa, May 10, 1913.

Sir,-

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 5th instant, No. 296-12, in regard to lots 35 and 36, Draper street north in the townplot of Shaftesbury, and in reply to say that, in view of the representations made, the Department will carry out the arrangement come to in regard to lot 35, and the sale which has been returned by you made to Mr. Peter Sagle for lots 35 and (36) north of Draper street and lot (34) north of Blake street, Shaftesbury, will be carried out as regards lot 36 north side of Draper street and lot 34 north side of Blake street, , and the moneys forwarded credited on these two lots, but you may carry out a sale of lot (35) north side of Draper street to Mr. Williamson at the upset price of $25.00, upon the usual terms of payment.

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Your obedient Servant,

E. STEWART

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

William McLeod, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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July 4, 1913.

Dear Mr. Smyth,-

Incl. With reference to letter from Mr. E. J. Williamson, Little Current, to you, which I herewith return, regarding his application for Lots 35 and 36, Draper street, North, in the Townplot of Shaftesbury, also Lots 29 and 30, Wilson street, North, and Lot 34, Vankoughnet street, North; I beg leave to say that on looking into the matter I find that the application regarding the Draper street lots has been adjusted, Mr. Williamson Wilson securing Lot 35, but his application for the latter mentioned lots is noted here pending the decision of the Department as to disposal of any more lots in that vicinity until after re-valuation of same is made.

Yours very truly,

Deputy Superintendent General.

W. R. Smyth, Esq., M.P.,
Rydal Bank, Ont.

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Department of Indian Affairs.

Jan. 1913.

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Dep- of External Affairs

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Downing Street,

CANADA.

No.36. 10 January,1913.

Sir,

I have the honour to request Your Royal Highness to inform your Ministers that the attention of His Majesty's Government has been drawn to the possibility of inconvenience arising if diplomatic correspondence (an expression which includes not only correspondence between His Majesty's Government and foreign Governments but also correspondence between the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs and His Majesty's Representatives abroad) is published in the Over-sea Dominions without prier reference to the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs.

2. I should be glad if you would explain to your Ministers that it is the invariable practice of His Majesty's Government not to publish communications addressed to or received from foreign Governments or His Majesty's Representatives abroad without obtaining the concurrence of the foreign Government or of the British representative concerned in each case. Your Ministers will no doubt agree that the same procedure should be adopted in all cases where they may desire to publish diplomatic correspondence of which copies have been furnished to them by His Majesty's Government.

3. It would,of course, be simple to secure the result by marking despatches in which copies of diplomatic correspondence are forwarded as Confidential or Secret,but His Majesty's

GOVERNOR GENERAL

HIS ROYAL HIGHNESS

THE DUKE OF CONNAUGHT AND OF STRATHEARN,K.G.,

&c., &c., &c., &c.

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Majesty's Government recognise that it may not always be convenient to have to treat as confidential correspondence which is only confidential because of the diplomatic rule as to publication. I shall be glad, therefore, if your Ministers will bear in mind that the ordinary rule laid down in paragraph 173 (1) of the Colonial Office Regulations under which numbered despatches may be published if desired is not applicable to diplomatic correspondence communicated in numbered despatches, and that the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs must be consulted before any such publication takes place. I may add that permission for publication can of course be asked for by telegraph and steps will be taken to secure that all such ~~XXXXXXXXXX~~ applications will be dealt with as promptly as the necessity of consulting the foreign Government or the British Representative concerned permits.

4. In cases of direct correspondence with His Majesty's Representatives abroad application for permission to publish despatches received from those officers should be made to them direct.

I have the honour to be, Sir,
Your Royal Highness's most obedient
humble servant,
(Sd.) L.HARCOURT.

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DEPARTMENT OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS CANADA

418811

Ottawa, 23rd January, 1913.

Sir,

I have the honour to enclose for your information and guidance in connection with the preparing of Returns for Parliament which may include copies of despatches received by the Governor General, a copy of a despatch
No.36. from the Secretary of State for the Colonies, dated 10th January, 1913, emphasizing the desirability where such despatches cover communications from Foreign Governments of obtaining the consent of such Foreign Governments to the publication of these communications even though the covering despatches are not marked confidential.

This would, of course, apply equally in the case of publication by any other method than presentation to Parliament.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

H. H. Walker,

Acting Under-Secretary of State

for External Affairs,

The Deputy Minister of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa.

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Ottawa, January 27, 1913.

Sir,

I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 23rd inst., and of the copy of the despatch from the Secretary of State for the Colonies contained therein, both relating to Returns for Parliament which may include copies of despatches received by the Governor General, and to say that the contents thereof have been noted and will be carefully acted upon both as regards Returns for presentation to Parliament and in the case of publication by any other method than presentation to Parliament.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

W.H. Walker, Esq.,
Acting Under-Secretary of State
for External Affairs,
Ottawa.

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JUL 30 1914

DEPARTMENT OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS CANADA

Ottawa, 28th July, 1914.

Sir,

No.540.

Referring to Mr. Walker's letter of the 23rd January, 1913, touching the rules to be observed in connection with the preparation of Returns to Parliament which may include copies of a certain class of despatches, I have now the honour to transmit herewith copy of a despatch from the Secretary of State for the Colonies to His Royal Highness the Governor General, dated 14th July, 1914, to the effect that the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs has now agreed to the Governments of the self-governing Dominions being authorized to publish diplomatic commercial correspondence without reference to him, provided that the correspondence only deals with such matters as crop reports, invitations to tender for contracts, trade opportunities, reports on cattle diseases and matters of a similar character.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

Under-Secretary of State for External Affairs.

The Deputy Superintendent of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa.

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No.540.

Downing Street,

14 July, 1914.

Sir,

With reference to my despatch No. 36 of the 10th of January 1913, I have the honour to request Your Excellency to inform your Ministers that the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs has now agreed to the Governments of the self-governing Dominions being authorized to publish diplomatic commercial correspondence without reference to him, provided that the correspondence only deals with such matters as crop reports, invitations to tender for contracts, trade opportunities, reports on cattle diseases and matters of a similar character.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient humble servant,

(Signed) L. Harcourt.

THE OFFICER ADMINISTERING

THE GOVERNMENT OF

CANADA.

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Ottawa, August 1st, 1914.

Sir,

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 28th ultimo, enclosing copy of despatch from the Secretary of State for the Colonies to His Royal Highness the Governor General, dated 14th July, 1914, to the effect that the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs has now agreed to the Governments of the self-governing Dominions being authorized to publish diplomatic commercial correspondence without reference to him, provided that the correspondence only deals with such matters as crop reports, invitations to tender for contracts, trade opportunities, reports on cattle diseases and matters of a similar character.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Sir Joseph Pope,
Under-Secretary of State for External Affairs,
Ottawa.

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SUPERINTENDENT GENERAL OF INDIAN AFFAIRS CANADA

Ottawa, 23rd April, 1926.

Memorandum:

Dr. Scott.

Mr. Stewart has been thinking for some time that it would probably be advisable to have forwarded to his office a copy of all Returns which are to be sent to the Under-Secretary of State. This would also cover the Answers to Questions which concern more than one Department. It just happens that sometimes we have material in our own office which should be included in the Return, also the Minister is anxious to be aware of what is going in before it is put on the Table of the House, and if it is not forwarded here by the Deputy's Office sometimes it goes through without his seeing it.

J. D. Hall

Private Secretary.

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Private Papers
FROM
23/4/26
TO
27/4/26

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April 27th. 1926.

MEMORANDUM

Mr. Pratt -

With reference to your memorandum of the 23rd. April regarding Returns and Questions of the House of Commons and of the Senate, I beg to say that Returns are always submitted to the Minister for approval before being forwarded to the Secretary of State.

Questions that apply only to this Department are, of course, sent direct to the Minister and I shall be pleased to have copies of the answers to all questions, even though relating only partly to this Department, sent to the Minister for his information.

D.S.G.I.A.

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No. 418893

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Department of Indian Affairs.

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Lot 26. Con 5. Tp Howland.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS JAN 27 1913

119 - 6,

Indian Office, Manitowaning,

January, 23rd, 1913.

Sir :-

I have the honor to enclose herewith two Assignments, Lillico to Eadie, and Edie to Edie, covering Lot 25, Concession 5, in the township of Howland, Sale 2331.

Mr John G. Eadie called at the Office to-day and he says this Lot is not fit for farming purposes and asks that the sale be cancelled and the Lot re-sold to him under Sec. 6, of the Land Regulations.

I would most respectfully recommend that the Land Valuator be instructed to examine the Lot and report under oath in the usual way.

Your obedient servant,

Wm McLeod

Indian Agent,

The Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, Ont..

Make Lot file to do

File noted on Sale 1st July 1913

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EXD.

Ottawa, 11th February, 1913-

Sir,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 23rd Ultimo, enclosing two Assignments covering Lot 25, Con. 5, Howland, and recommending that this Lot be examined by the Land Valuator. In reply I have to inform you that this Lot is included in the list of those shortly to be examined and reported on, with a view of judging whether the Sales should be cancelled, and therefore no other action can at present be taken in the matter.

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E.S.M.

WMO

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Assistant Deputy & Secretary-

Wm. McLeod, Esq.
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning,
Ont.

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119 - 6, Indian Office, Manitowaning, Ont..

July, 18th, 1913.

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Sir :-

Referring to a letter from this Office, dated 23rd, January, last, enclosing two assignments covering Lot 25, Con. 5, in the township of Howland, I beg to say Mr Eadie has now decided to pay out for the Lot , and he asks that the Assignments be returned to this Office so that they may be dealt with in the usual way.

Your obedient servant,

W. McLeod

Indian Agent,

The Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, Ont..

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418,893.

Ottawa, July 22, 1913.

Sir,-

In compliance with request contained in your letter of the 18th instant, No. 119-6, I beg to return the two assignments covering lot 25, Con. 5, Howland, forwarded under cover of your letter of the 23rd of January last.

Your obedient Servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Wm. McLeod, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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Lots 18 & 19 Rgn A Ip Carnarvon

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
FEB 3 1913

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86 - 10, Indian Office, Manitowaning,
January, 30th, 1913.

Sir :-

I have the honor to enclose herewith the Statutory Declarations of William Savage and John R. Galbraith, as to the non-preformance of the settlement duties on Lots 18 and 19, Range A. in the township of Carnarvon.

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252B

I would most respectfully recommend that the owner be given thirty days in which to make a payment failing wich the sales will be libale to cancellation.

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FEB 3 1913

Your obedient servant,

Wm McLeod

Indian Agent,

The Secretary,
The Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont..

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STATUTORY DECLARATION.

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DOMINION OF CANADA,

District of Manitoulin

To Wit:

In the matter of Application for the cancellation of the sales of Lots 18 and 19 Concession A. in the Township of Carnarvon.

I, John R. Galbraith

of the township of Carnarvon in the District of Manitoulin, Farmer,

Do solemnly declare that

1 - That I am well accquainted with Lots 18 and 19, Concession A. in the township of Carnarvon.

2 - That the said Lots are not improved.

3 - That the said Lots are not occupied and have not been occupied for ten years last past.

4 - That this Declaration is filed on behalf of Dougald Campbell.

And I make this Solemn Declaration conscientiously believing it to be true, and knowing that it is of the same force and effect as if made under oath, and by virtue of "The Canada Evidence Act."

DECLARED BEFORE ME AT Manitowaning,

in the District of Manitoulin

this 29th, day of January 1913.

J R Galbraith

Wm McLeod.

Indian Agent

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STATUTORY DECLARATION.

419157

DOMINION OF CANADA,
District
~~County~~ OF Manitoulin
To Wit:

In the matter of Application for the cancellation of sales of Lots 18 and 19 Concession A in the township of Carnarvon.

I, William Savage

of the village of Manitowaning in the

~~County~~ District of Manitoulin, Laborer

Do solemnly declare that

1 - That I am well accquainted with Lots 18 and 19 Concession A. in the township of Carnarvon.

2 - That the said Lots are not improved.

3 - That the said Lots are not occupied and have not been occupied for ten years last past.

4- That this Declaration is filed on behalf of Dugald Campbell.

And I make this Solemn Declaration conscientiously believing it to be true, and knowing that it is of the same force and effect as if made under oath, and by virtue of "The Canada Evidence Act."

DECLARED BEFORE ME AT Manitowaning
in the ~~County~~ District of Manitoulin
this 29th day of January 1913.

Bill Savage

Wm McLeod
Indian Agent

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IN THE MATTER OF

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Cancellation R
Lots 18919 A

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STATUTORY DECLARATION.

Sales 2528
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419 157-

Ottawa, 11th February, 1913-

Sir,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 30th Ultimo, enclosing Statutory Declarations in connection with the non-performance of settlement duties on Lots 18 & 19, Rge. A. Carnarvon, and in reply have to inform you that these Lots are included in the list of those shortly to be examined and reported on, with a view of ascertaining whether the Sales of same should be cancelled, and the Lots didposed of to other purchasers.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Assistant Deputy & Secretary-

Wm. McLeod, Esq.
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning,
Ont.

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Department of Indian Affairs

File No. 419157

Canada

Lands and Timber Branch

Ottawa, September 7 1916.

Memo.

The Deputy Minister,-

In regard to lots 18 and 19, range A, Carnarvon, I beg to say that these lots were sold on the 1st of January, 1879, and stand on the books of the Department in the name of William Patterson. The purchase price was 50 cents per acre, and there was paid at date of sale $40 leaving a balance of principal due of $60. As the owner of the land is unwilling to pay the purchase price, I would beg to recommend cancellation of the sale of these two lots, and that Agent Lewis be instructed to call for tenders therefor from Mr. Robert Graham and Mr. Walter Wagg, of Providence Bay, asking each to state what he is willing to pay for the lots over and above the upset price of 20 ¢ per acre for lot 18 and 22 cents per acre for lot 19, being the values placed thereon by Mr. Russell, who valued the lands on the Manitoulin Island.

W. H. Orr

Officer in Charge.

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Department of Indian Affairs,

File 419 157-

Ottawa, 12th September, 1916

Sales Nos. 2528 & 2529-

WHEREAS Lots 18 & 19, Con. A. Carnarvon, were sold on the 1st January, 1879, to Robert Somerville, who assigned to William Patterson, in whose name they stand, subject to the conditions of actual occupation, the performance of certain settlement duties, and the payment of equal annual instalments,

AND WHEREAS it has been represented and established to my satisfaction that the conditions under which the said Sales were made, have been violated,

E. J. B.

NOW THEREFORE, by and in virtue of the powers and duties vested in the Superintendent General of Indian Affairs by the Indian Act, Chap. 81, Sec. 61, Revised Statutes of Canada, 1906, I hereby CANCEL the said Sales, and resume the said lands.

W.A.D. Withdrawn Received

Duncan C. Scott

Deputy Superintendent General of Indian Affairs.

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The original of this Document has been removed for retention in the Records of the Indian Land Registry.

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Signature

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419 157-

Ottawa, 19th September, 1916-

Sir,

I have to inform you that the Sales of Lots 18 & 19, Con. A. Carnarvon, were cancelled on the 12th Instant, and you are hereby authorized to call for tenders therefor, from Mr. Robert Graham and Mr. Walter Wagg, of Providence Bay, asking each to state what he is willing to pay for the Lots, over and above the upset price of 20 ¢ per Acre, for Lot 18, and 22 ¢ per Acre, for Lot 19, the land to be sold without conditions as to settlement, and the timber free of dues.

E. J. L

You will be good enough to inform these parties that they will be given ten days in which to state the price they are willing to pay for the Lots, and at the expiration of that time, you should forward the tenders to the Department, for consideration.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Assistant Deputy & Secretary-

R. J. Lewis, Esq.

Indian Agent,

Manitowaning,

Ont.

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419,157.

Ottawa, October 11, 1916.

Sir,-

Referring to letter addressed you on the 19th ultimo, in regard to lots 18 and 19, Con. A, Carnarvon, I have to request that you will be good enough to advise as to whether you received any tenders for these lots.

Your obedient Servant,

W. A. Orr.

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In Charge Lands & Timber Branch.

R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
OCT 16 1916

636-36, Indian Office, Manitowaning,
October 13th, 1916.

Sir:-

With reference to Official Letter No. 419, 157 of the 11th Instant, I have the honor to report that Mr. Robert Graham has offered 25 ¢ per acre for Lot 18, and 50 ¢ per acre for Lot 19, Concession A, township of Carnarvon, but will not purchase Lot 18 unless he secures Lot 19.

I have not received any tender for those lots from Mr. Walter Wagg.

Your obedient servant,

Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont..

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OCT 16 1916

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419,157.

Ottawa, October 16, 1916.

Sir,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 13th instant, reporting that you have received only one tender for lots 18 and 19, Con. A, township of Carnarvon, and in reply to say that, as the price offered is over and above the upset price, you may carry out a sale of these lots to Mr. Robert Graham at the price tendered, namely, 25 cents per acre for lot18 and 50 cents per acre for lot 19, cash, the sale to be made under section 6 of the Land Regulations.

Your obedient Servant,

W. A. Orr.

In Charge Lands & Timber Branch.

R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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Onsweken Council House,

January 21st 1913.

The adjourned Council opened in due form by Chief Alexander Hill one of the Fire Keepers.

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The Council decided that on account of the action of the Collegiate Institute Board at Brantford refusing admittance to Brant County pupils after the end of the present school year and the Departmental grant of $500.00 being but a partial relief to those prepared to take a High School Course, that a continuation class be established in one of the school districts and a qualified teacher be engaged to teach in such district wherein a continuation class is established, and the secretary will write and ask all the Teachers on the Reserve to send a list of all pupils in their school districts who have passed the Entrance examination.

Continuation School.

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I hereby certify that the above is a true copy from my minute book.

Sgd. Josiah Hill,

Secy. S.N.C.

Read and approved,
(Sgd) Chief J.S. Johnson,
Deputy Speaker S.N.C.

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EXTRACT
ORIGINAL ON
7825-4

Ohsweken, Ont.,
June 23rd, 1914.

The 190th meeting of the School Board was held in the Council House, Ohsweken.

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Moved by Rev. Geo. Carpenter seconded by Rev. Mr. Park that the information obtained by the chairman with reference to Continuation Schools be referred to the Council.

Carried.

x x x

Indian Office, June 24, 1914.

Sir,-

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A report on Continuation schools was made to the Board and by the Board referred to the Council.

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Gordon J. Smith,
Supt.

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EXTRACT
ORIGINAL ON
7825-4.

Indian Office, Brantford,
April 17th, 1913.

185th Meeting of the Six Nations School Board was held in the Indian Office.

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Moved by Mr. H.M.Hill seconded by that a committee consisting of the chairman, Mr. Parke and Mr. H.M.Hill be appointed to consider the subject of continuation classes.

Carried.

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Indian Office, Brantford,
April 28th, 1913.

Sir,-

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A special committee was appointed to consider the subject of continuation classes on the reserve which will report later.

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Gordon J. Smith.
Supt.

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Ohsweken Council House,

August 5th, 1914.

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Continuation School to be opened.

The Council decided to urge the School Board to open a Continuation School in Ohsweken, and get a list of the pupils who are ready to take up continuation work, and engage a qualified teacher to take charge. The Council further decided to build a school house for this purpose as soon as possible.

(Signed) Josiah Hill,

Sec'y. S. N. C.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
AUG 13 1914

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Indian Office, Brantford.
August 7th, 1914.

Sir,

I beg to enclose the minutes of council held on the 5th and 6th inst. and to report thereon as follows:-

No.10.

The Council decided to urge the School Board to open a Continuation School in Ohsweken and get a list of pupils who are ready to take up that work and engage a qualified teacher. The Council further decided to build a school house for this purpose. There are said to be a large number of children on the reserve who have passed the Entrance Examination and would like to take up high school work if a school was on the reserve and this continuation school will I believe supply the want. Such a school has recently been started in the Village of St. George near Brantford with two teachers, but I do not know how it is getting on as yet. I beg to recommend your approval of this decision.

SCHOOLS BRANCH
AUG 15 1914

(Signed) Gordon J. Smith,
Supt.

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Ottawa, August 24, 1914.

MEMORANDUM.

Mr. Scott,-

Mr. Superintendent Smith has forwarded a resolution of the Six Nation Council urging the School Board to open a continuation school in Ohsweken and engage a qualified teacher to take charge. The Council will furnish the money for building a school-house for this purpose.

Mr. Smith states that there are a large number on the reserve who have passed the Entrance Examination and would like to take up high school work. He says that if a continuation school were on the reserve it would supply the want.

I have been looking over the report of the Royal Commission on Industrial Training and Technical Education and I think that if the Six Nation Indians are willing to spend the money for a continuation school it would be well to include vocational teaching and industrial training, as these are the means by which most of the

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the Indians will have to make their living.

Duncan Scott

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ORIGINAL ON
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DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
FEB 1 1922
BRANTFORD

Ohsweken Council House,
January 17, 1922.

Minutes of Council Meeting.

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No-28

With reference to the building of a Continuation school upon the Reserve the Council after considerable discussion decided to defer the project for a year so that the Council may be enabled to make a thorough inquiry as to the success of such schools in other sections.

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Andrew Staats,
Speaker, S.N.C.

Asa R. Hill,
Sec'y, S.N.C.

Indian Office, Brantford,
January 28, 1922.

Sir,-

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No-28.

With reference to the Council's decision regarding Continuation School on the Reserve. I will defer reporting until after the School Board meeting next Tuesday.

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Gordon J. Smith,
Superintendent.

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Ohsweken Council House,
Feb. 7, 1922.

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No-6.

The Council again decided to postpone the consideration of building continuation school upon the Reserve for one year according to their former decision.

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Andrew Staats,
Speakers, S.H.C.

Asa R. Hill,
Sec'y, S.H.C.

Indian Office, Brantford,
Feb. 21st, 1922.

Sir,-

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No-6.

The Council decided to postpone the consideration of building a Continuation School for one year. I understand this question is going to be taken up by the deputation which is going to the Department in the near future.

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Grodon J. Smith,
Superintendant.

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Ohsweken Council House,
January 16th, 1923.

Dele R.T.F.

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No. 48.

The Council decided to defer the question of building a continuation school for the reserve until such time as the question of ownership of the lands of the reserve are definately settled.

The original idea was 50/50 basis R.T.F.

x x x x

David S. Hill.
Sec'y, S.N.C.

Indian Office Brantford,
April 6th, 1923.

Sir-

x x x x

No. 48

D.M. said go ahead with plans & site for complete bldg. R.T.F.

The School Board referred the matter of building a Continuation School on the Reserve and the Council refused to consider this question.

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C. C. Parker.
Acting-Supt.

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Schools R.T.F.

April 20, 1923.

Memorandum.

Mr. Orr:

When Mr. Scott was referring this morning to the proposed continuation school on the Six Nations Reserve, he stated that it would be better to arrange for the complete building when the contract was let. It is his wish that the plans and a selection of the site be proceeded with at this time.

R.T.F.

Mr Ferrier -

Please advise what accomodation will be required and number of pupils.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS CANADA.

May 4, 1923.

Memorandum.

Mr. Scott:

A Continuation School on the Six Nations Reserve was suggested in the first instance by the Indian Council. It was proposed, during the last year or two, to utilize Parliamentary Appropriation as well as Band Funds in connection with the building.

Mr. Benson, formerly with the Department, recommended vocational and industrial training in addition to high school work. It is my opinion that no industrial work should be undertaken at the outset but that a commercial class should be commenced in addition to the academic instruction.

My recommendation is that a 4-roomed school be erected. the two larger rooms could be used for grades 7 and 8 and for high school work, respectively. A third class in bookkeeping and stenography should be opened when the school is erected. Three teachers should be employed. If the commercial department met with success, it would soon require two classrooms, one for bookkeeping, Business English, etc., and the other for shorthand and typewriting.

The building should be dissociated from the present No. 2 school at Ohsweken, so that adequate playground facilities would be secured. A separate continuation school would also be an incentive to pupils in all 11 schools on the reserve. They would look forward to the day when they would be prepared for admission to the central continuation school at Ohsweken.

If, at a later date, it is found that the teen age girls who are boarding with relatives and others in the town need supervision, I believe a small residence should be built and their evening activity supervised. A matron could be appointed who, with the help of an Indian lady worker, could manage and do the necessary work for a residence accommodating 15 girls.

Supt. of Indian Education.

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Duncan C. Scott, Esq.
Indian Dept.
Ottawa.

Dear Sir,-

At the May meeting of the Ohsweken Branch of the Women's Institute, held at the home of Chief Johnson, on Thursday afternoon, May 3, the following resolution was unanimously passed, to be sent on to the Dept.

Resolved, that we, the members of the Ohsweken Branch, of the Federated Women's Institutes of Canada, are interested in the better education of Indian children and we would therefore urge, the Indian Department, to provide a

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suitable building, on the reserve for advanced studies, as we feel that education is of vital importance, to the rising generation, on the Six Nation Reserve,

Believe me,

Yours truly,

Mrs R. R. Hill.

Secretary.

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May 16th. 1923.

Dear Madam,

I have your letter of the 7th. instant advising me of a resolution passed by the Ohsweken Branch of the Women's Institute on May 3rd. with reference to the higher education of Indian children. In reply I beg to say that the Department hopes before long to establish a Continuation Class on the reserve which will meet the needs referred to.

Yours very truly,

Duncan C. Scott

Deputy Superintendent General.

Mrs. R. R. Hill,

Ohsweken, Ont.

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Ohsweken Council House,
May 2nd, 1923.

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No. 11.

Continuation School.

The Council decided to reconfirm its former decision by building an addition to school No.2 which can be used for this purpose and thereby saving maintenance cost of heating etc.

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David S. Hill.
Sec'y. S.N.C.

Indian Office Brantford,
May 30th. 1923.

Sir:-

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No. 11.

The Council decided to reconfirm its former decision with reference to a Continuation school on the Six Nations Reserve. Their former decision was to the effect that an addition be built to the present school no.2. I beg to ask for your approval of the action of the Council.

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C.C. Parker.
Acting-Supt.

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Ottawa, June 25, 1923.

Sir:

I have to refer to that portion of your communication of the 30th ultimo, which refers to Resolution No. 11 of the Six Nations Indian Council, dated at Ohsweken the 2nd ultimo. I have noted that the council wish a continuation school to be built as an addition to the present No. 2 school in the village.

In reply I wish to state that it is the present intention of the Department to have a continuation school which will be entirely dissociated from the present day school at Ohsweken. The costs of such a building and the expenses in operating the classes will be met, I trust, from Parliamentary Appropriation.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

The Acting Indian Superintendent,
Brantford,
Ont.

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Ohsweken, Ont., Dec. 18, 1924.

The third general council of the Six Nations Council was held at Ohsweken and was opened in due form by the Superintendent, Lt. Col. C. E. Morgan.

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No. 68.

Moved by Archie Russell, seconded by Frank Miller that Hilton M. Hill, Fred L. Johnson, and Wm. Smith be a committee to enquire into cost of building and operating continuation school.

Carried.

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No. 68.

This matter, I understand, will be taken up by the deputation that is coming to Ottawa in a few days.

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(Sgd.) Cecil E. Morgan.
Supt. Six Nations.

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26 Gloucester St.,

Toronto, Ontario.

Sept. 21, 1927.

Mr. R. T. Ferrier,

Superintendent of Indian Education,

Department of Indian Affairs, Ottawa.

Dear Mr Ferrier:

At the regular July meeting of the Six Nations Council, the matter of providing further educational facilities for Six Nations children who have passed the High School Entrance Examination, was laid before the Councillors. The proposition that was suggested was the organization of a continuation school at Ohsweken. But the matter has not yet been discussed by the Council. The urgency of the situation is the occasion for communicating directly with the Department regarding the facts as they appear to me after further consideration of the above proposition.

The increasing efficiency of the schools of the Six Nations Reserve has resulted in a large annual increase in the number of pupils who pass the High School Entrance Examination. Last June some twenty pupils passed that examination. Among these are to be found children whose parents are not financially able to send them to distant schools for further education, even with the assistance of the grant. In proposing the organization of a continuation school on the Reserve, I have particularly in mind that class of pupils, although I am certain that the organization of such a school would be welcomed by all. A canvass of the situation shows that a continuation school started now would have an enrolment of about ten pupils.

A new building is not necessary, and will probably not be necessary for a few years to come. A suitable room for a beginning class twenty pupils is available in No. 2 school at Ohsweken. The room is heated and well lighted. The senior room at No. 2 school contains 46 desks of which 24 are now occupied. It would create no great inconvenience to move 10 or 15 of these desks to the empty room. Practically all that is required is a teacher with a First Class Certificate. The salary of the teacher would be from $1000 to $1500 per annum. It seems to me that any argument against the establishment of such a school on account of the cost

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dwindles in the face of these proposals. The cost of maintaining the school would not, in my opinion, exceed $1500 a year.

Mr. T. W. Standing, Inspector of Public Schools, is of the opinion that a continuation school is now needed on the Reserve, and that there is still time to complete the work of the first year if such a school is started now. The matter of inspection would of course have to be arranged.

I would be pleased to answer any questions and to give any further information that the Department may require regarding the establishment of a continuation school on the Reserve.

Yours very truly,

Elmer Jamieson

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Ottawa, October 4, 1927.

Dear Mr. Jamieson:

I have your letter of the 21st ultimo, with reference to the advisability of establishing a continuation school for the Six Nation Indians at Ohsweken. Dr. Scott and myself have given this question serious consideration, and we are glad to have your representations on our file. You will understand that the chief problem is the boarding and supervision of those pupils who live too far from the village to go to and from their own homes daily.

Yours very truly,

Russell T. Ferrier

Russell T. Ferrier,
Supt. of Indian Education.

R.T.F.

Elmer Jamieson, Esq.,
26 Gloucester St.,
Toronto, Ont.

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EXTRACT FROM REPORT OF MR. INSPECTOR STANDING, dated May 14th, 1928, on his inspection of the Six Nations No. 2 Indian Day School.

Original on File 32-2-6.

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In action this year

There is a real need for Fifth Class or Continuation School work to be taken in connection with this school. With a slight alteration to the building, the rear room could be made to accommodate about 24 pupils. With an additional teacher in this room, many of the pupils now being supported in outside High Schools could be accommodated here.

The school building has been left for some time in an unfinished condition and it has an unsightly appearance. It should, I think, be finished this summer but, in this connection, I would recommend fitting up the room at the rear for advanced work. If the rear stairways were removed and alterations made at the front, there would be room for a class of from twenty to twenty-four. One teacher could be employed to do Lower School work and thus relieve the Board of the expense of sending these pupils to outside schools. There would have to be a front entrance to the basement with stairways leading up to the front hall. This would do away with the need for the outside stairs which are now always exposed to the weather.

I would recommend that these alterations be considered and that plans be made to establish a third room for Lower High School work, to start next September.

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PLEASE REFER TO

No. IOB-1477/31.

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT
SIX NATIONS
BRANTFORD, ONT.

ADDRESS ALL CORRESPONDENCE
TO THE SUPERINTENDENT OF
THE SIX NATIONS

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
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August 17th, 1931.

The Secretary,

Dept. of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, Ont.

Dear Sir,-

"Council resolution #4, August 6/31.
Petition for the establishment of a
Continuation School on the Six Nat-
ions Reserve."

The following resolution was passed by the Six Nations Council at the meeting of August 6th;-

> "Moved by Fred Johnson seconded by Hardy Miller, that Col. Morgan be requested to write the Indian Department asking the undermentioned questions in view of a petition presented to this Council as to the establishment of a Continuation School on this Reserve, whether the school grants will be withdrawn from pupils attending outside High Schools, whether pupils residing on the Reserve would be allowed to attend outside High Schools and if cost of construction of said school would be charged to Band funds,"

Resolution No. 5, it was decided to summons a meeting of the School Board to discuss the matter with the Council at the September meeting, and it is perhaps too early for me to express an opinion as to the desirability, or otherwise, of the establishment of a Continuation School, as there are points both for and against it.

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It will be seen that the Council requested me to write to the Department asking whether, in the event of sanction being granted for the establishment of a Continuation School, grants would be withdrawn from pupils attending outside High Schools, and whether pupils residing on the Reserve would be allowed to attend outside High Schools if they so desired.

I told the Council that in my opinion, from a point of view of economy, that this was entirely the wrong time to bring the matter up, but in order that the questions may be discussed, I shall appreciate a reply from the Department ~~of~~ To these two questions, which will of course be entirely without prejudice, or in any way regarded as an undertaking by the Department to establish such a school.

Your obedient servant,

C.E. Morgan.
Supt. Six Nations.

Lt. Col. C.E. Morgan

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Ottawa, August 19, 1931.

Sir:

I beg to acknowledge receipt of your 10B-1477/31 of the 17th instant, with reference to Resolution No. 4 of the Six Nation Council meeting of the 6th instant, regarding the proposed establishment of a continuation school on the Six Nation Reserve.

In reply I have to say that, as you are aware, all expenses for Indian education are now paid by Parliamentary Appropriation. Our funds this year, however, are so limited, that the Department is not in a position to consider incurring the expense that would be involved if a continuation school was erected.

The other questions asked in the Council's resolution could be settled only in the event of the erection of a continuation school being definitely decided upon.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. Mackenzie,
Secretary.

Lt. Col. C. E. Morgan,
Indian Superintendent,
Brantford, Ont.

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Ohsweken, Ont.,
Aug. 6, 1931.

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No-4.

Moved by Fred Johnson seconded by Hardy Miller, that Col. Morgan be requested to write the Indian Department asking the undermentioned questions in view of a petition presented to this Council as to the establishment of a Continuation School on this Reserve, whether the school grants will be withdrawn from pupils attending outside High Schools, whether pupils residing on the Reserve would be allowed to attend outside High Schools and if cost of construction of said school would be charged to Band Funds.
Carried.

No-5.

Moved by Frank Montour seconded by Samuel Lickers that consideration of the establishment of a Continuation School on this Reserve be laid over for one month and that the School Board be requested to attend. x x Carried.

Brantford, Ont.,
August 17, 1931.

Dear Sir,-

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Nos. 4 &m5.

I have reported in my 10B-1477/31 of this date.

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C. E. Morgan,
Indian Agent.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

Gore Bay

February 14 1913

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 393
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
FEB 17 1913

Sir

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I have the honor to inform you that Mr. Bullock lumberman of Gore Bay has ask if he could have lots 39 Concession 17 and lot 40 Concession 16 Township of Robinson Cancelled and buy them under section six of the Land Regulations he intends to build a saw mill on his own property close to these lots and he claims that lots 16 and 17 are of no use for farming purposes and that the person in whose name the lots now stands are dead.

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your obedient servant
F. W. Baxter
Indian agent

The Asst Deputy & Secretary
Dept of Indian affairs

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Ottawa, I8th February, I9I3-

Sir,

In reply to your letter of the I4th Instant, submitting a request on behalf of a Mr. Bullock, of Gore Bay, to have the Sales, I586 & 458, of Lots 39, Con. I7, and 40, Con. I6, Robinson, cancelled, and the Lots resold to him, under Section 6 of the Regulations, I have to inform you that, as these Lots are included in the list of sold Lots on the Manitoulin Island, which have not yet been paid for, to be examined and reported upon by Valuators recently appointed for the purpose, Mr. Bullock's application cannot be entertained by the Department. I may say that, under the circumstances, you should not forward any more such applications to the Department, until further advised on the subject.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McL[illegible]

Assistant Deputy & Secretary-

F. W. Baxter, Esq.

Indian Agent,

Gore Bay,

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LANDS BRANCH
OCT 20 1927

Gore Bay Ont,
Oct,17th/27

Sir:-

Iam in receipt of a cheque from W.F.McRae for $104.50 for lots 40 and 41 con 16 Robinson township , as I can not find any authority in this office for sale of these lots to Mr McRae I would be pleased to have a confirmation of this sale from you before entering same,

your obedient servant
E. Shingle
Acting Indian Agent

The Secretary
Dept,Indian Affairs
Ottawa Ont,

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Ottawa, November 4th, 1927.

Sir,-

In reply to your inquiry of the 17th ultimo with reference to Lots 40 and 41, Concession 16 of the Township of Robinson, I am pleased to enclose herewith copy of a letter addressed to Mr. McRae, on the 24th of September, last, asking him in the event of purchase to make payment direct to you, in order that the same may be forwarded in the usual way.

Your obedient servant,

In Charge Land and Timber Branch.
(J. C. Caldwell)

E. T. Priddle, Esq.,
Acting Indian Agent,
Gore Bay, Ontario.

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Gore Bay Ontario

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No.....
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TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

March 23rd 1928

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Sir,—

With reference to sale No ~~xxxx~~ 1586 covering lot 39 Con 17 Robinson township. This sale was made in 1900 to Frederick T Zollars but has never been paid out for and this man has not been heard from for years.

I have a application for this lot under section nsix of the land regulations and am offered 50¢ per acre. I would recommend cancellation of sale 1586 and having it resold.

your obedient servant
E. F. Priddle
Indian Agent.

The Secretary
Dept. of Indian Affairs
Ottawa Ontario.

S. 1586
Lot 39
Con - 17 -
Robinson

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Sale. 2487

Ottawa, April 4, 1928.

Sir,-

I am acknowledging receipt of your letter of the 23rd ultimo with reference to Lot 39, in the 17th Concession of the Township of Robinson, and advise that our records show that Sale 1586 was cancelled on the 2nd of September, 1919, and the Lot has not since been sold.

You are hereby authorized to carry out a sale to the present applicant, at the price of fifty cents per acre, cash, under Section 6 of the Land Regulations.

Your obedient servant,

In Charge Land and Timber Branch.
(J. C. Caldwell)

E. F. Priddle, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Gore Bay, Ontario.

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Lots 12, 13 & 14, 15, & 16
Napier St. North -
Town plat Manitowaning

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RECORDS BRANCH
FEB 14 1913

200 - 2, Manitowaning, Indian Office,

February, 11th, 1913.

Sir :-

I have the honor to report that John Stewart applies to purchase Lots, 12, 13, and 14, and Howard Smith Lots 15 and 16, Napier St. North, in the town-plot of Manitowaning.

I have the honor to report having examined those Lots, and find that they are not worth any more than the upset price. I would most respectfully recommend that they be sold to the applicants at the upset price on the usual conditions of sale.

Your obedient servant,

W. McLeod

Indian Agent,

The Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, Ont..

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Ottawa, I9th February, I9I3-

Sir,

In reply to your letter of the IIth Instant, applying on behalf of John Stewart, for the purchase of Lots I2, I3 & I4, North side Napier St. and on behalf of Howard Smith, for the purchase of Lots I5 & I6, also on the North side of Napier St. all in Manitowaning, I have to inform you that you may sell these Lots to the applicants at the upset price, as recommended in your letter, and upon the usual terms of sale.

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When reporting the Sales to the Department, you should refer in the margin of your Land Return, to this letter and File No. as your authority for the Sales.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Assistant Deputy & Secretary-

Wm. McLeod, Esq.

Indian Agent,

Manitowaning,

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Timber Supt. Geo. Shaw

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Timber on Rothaan Island.

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Massey Ont, 420881

25th Feby 1913

George Shaw Esq
Dominion Land Agent

Thessalon Ont,

Dear Sir;-

I herewith beg to make application for the Timber now lying or standing upon Hotham Island, situated five miles east of Spanish Mills and opposite the Albert Indian Reserve.

I might say that there is an Island lying between Hotham Island and the main land, which a year ago, contained a considerable quantity of valuable timber, but which was totally destroyed by fire a year ago last summer.

No doubt Hotham Island will meet with the same fate sooner or later, as it lies in the direct route between Spanish and Little Current, and is a common camping ground for Tourists and Indians.

Kindly acknowledge receipt of this application and oblige.

Yours truly,

W W Shaw

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
MAR 3 1913

INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

Thessalon

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No.
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

Feb 28th 1913

Sir,—

LANDS BRANCH
MAR 3 1913

I enclosed please find an application from Mr. H. H. Fletcher of Manay, which he sent to me applying for the timber on Holtham Island and which I am sending to the department for consideration I notified Mr. Fletcher it was out of my jurisdiction but informed him that I had sent it on to the department

Your obedient servant
Geo Shaw
Timber Inspector & Valuator

The Secretary
Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa

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420,881.

Ottawa, March 3. 1913.

Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 28th ultimo, with inclosed letter from Mr. H. H. Flesher, with application to purchase the timber on Hotham Island, and in reply to inform you that this is one of the islands the ownership of which is in dispute between the Dominion Government and the Province of Ontario, and therefore, no disposition of the timber thereon can be made pending the settlement of the question of ownership.

When time permits you should examine the other Island between Hotham and the mainland to which Mr. Flesher's letter refers in order to learn the nature and extent of damage done by fire thereto.

Your obedient Servant.

J. D. McLean

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

George Shaw, Esq.,
Timber Inspector & Valuator,
Thessalon, Ont.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
MAR 25 1913

INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

Thessalon

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No.
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

Mar. 22nd 1913

Sir,—

Rea yours No 420,881 dated Mar. 8th/13
I have visited the Island refered to. And it lies due north of the south end of Hotham Island. The timber on the Island is badly burnt and it has been burnt for some time There is about 75 thousand feet and I think the sooner it is disposed of the more you will realize for it It wont bring much of a price at any time as 70% of the timber is dead

LANDS BRANCH
MAR 27 1913

Your obedient Servant
Geo Shaw

The Secretary
Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa

Timber Inspector & Valuator

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420,881.

Ottawa, March 27, 1913.

EXD.

Sir,-

In reply to your letter of the 22nd instant, reporting on burnt timber on island near Hotham, I have to request you to state the kind or kinds of timber thereon which your letter omitted to give.

Your obedient Servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Geo. Shaw, Esq.,
Timber Inspector & Valuator,
Thessalon, Ont.

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420,881.

Ottawa, March 27. 1913.

Sir,-

A Mr. H. H. Flesher, of Massey, Ont., made application to Mr. Geo. Shaw, Timber Inspector and Valuato r Thessalon, last month for the purchase of timber now lying or standing upon Hotham Island, situated about five miles east of Spanish Mills. He stated that there was an island lying between Hotham Island and the mainland, which a year ago contained a considerable quantity of valuable timber which was totally destroyed by fire a year ago last summer, and no doubt Hotham Island timber will meet the same fate, as it lies in the direct route between Spanish and Littl e Current, and is a common camping ground for tourists and Indians.

On receipt of this letter the Inspector was instructed to examine the island between Hotham and the mainland, and report as to the nature and extent of damage done, and was informed that the ownership of Hotham Island was in dispute between the Dominion Government and the Province, and that no disposition of the timber thereon could be made pending the settlement of the question.

He has reported that he visited the island referred to which lies due north of the south end of Hotham Island, and found the timber badly burnt, about 75,000 feet of ------timber thereon which should be disposed of as

The Deputy Minister of Lands & Forests,

Toronto, Ont.

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as soon as possible, about 70 per cent. being dead timber.

He omitted to state the kind of timber, and will be asked to give this information.

In the meantime will you kindly state whether or not you have any objection to this Department selling this timber under local competition.

Your obedient Servant.

J. D. McLEAN

Asst.Deputy and Secretary.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

Thessalon

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No.
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

Mar. 31st 1913

Sir,—

EXD

Rea Yours No 420,881 dated March 27th/13
In reply would state the timber on the Island is mostly white pine and some red pine there is a little small cedar and small balsm on the Island but it is very badly burned and of no commercial value the white and red pine is all that is of any use at all and it is badly damaged to

INDIAN BRANCH
APR 1 1913

Your obedient servant
Geo Shaw

The Secretary
Timber Inspector & Valuator
Department Indian Affairs
Ottawa

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No. 14724/13

Do not write about more than one lot or subject in the same letter.

Write legibly your full name and address.

Address your reply: to The Deputy Minister of Lands and Forests, Toronto, and QUOTE ABOVE NUMBER.

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DEPARTMENT OF LANDS FORESTS & MINES
WOODS & FORESTS BRANCH

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
MAY 9 1913

Toronto, May 8th, 1913.

Sir:

With reference to Departmental letter of the 27th of March last, No. 420881, in regard to timber on an island lying between Hotham Island and the main land reported by your timber Inspector as totally destroyed by fire, which timber you desire to know if this Department has any objection to your Department selling under local competition, I have the honour to state that on receipt of your communication our officer at Webbwood, Mr. S. J. Hawkins, was instructed to enquire into the matter, and from what he now reports it is considered it would be advisable to dispose of this timber, and we have no objection to your Department selling it by public tender,- the proceeds to be funded subject to award later.

Owing to the condition of the ice etc. it appears that Mr. Hawkins was unable to make the investigation when first instructed.

LANDS BRANCH
MAY 10 1913

Your obedient servant,

Deputy Minister.

The Secretary,
The Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Can.

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420,881.

Ottawa, May 10, 1913.

Sir,-

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 8th instant, No. 14,724/13, respecting disposal of burnt timber on Hotham Island, and in reply to inform you that the timber Inspector at Thessalon has been instructed to ask for sealed tenders from lumbermen and dealers in the district for the timber, to be transmitted to this Department for decision.

Your obedient Servant,

S. STEWART

for Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

The Deputy Minister of Lands & Forests,
Toronto, Ont.

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420 & 81

Ottawa, May 10, 1913.

Sir,-

Referring to your letter of the 31st of March last, reporting on burnt timber on Island near Hotham Island, I have to inform you that the consent of the Ontario authorities has been obtained to the sale of it and you should ask responsible dealers and lumbermen in the district to send sealed tenders to you during the remainder of the present month, stating the cash price per M. feet, B. M., they will pay for the several kinds of timber, free of dues.

Your obedient Servant,

S. STEWART

for Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

George Shaw, Esq.,
Timber Inspector & Valuator,
Thessalon, Ont.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
MAY 10 1913

INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE, 426120

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IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No.
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

May 14th 1913

Sir,—

Rear yours No 420881 Dated May 10th 1913 Dose the Department intend to sell the timber on Flotham Island as well as the timber on the Island that I reported on in my letter of the 31st of March last the Island that I reported on lies to the North of the South end of Flotham Island is it just the Island that was burnt or do you intend to Include Flotham Island with the Island that I burnt

Your obedient Servant
Geo Shaw
Timber Inspector & Valuator
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MAY 15 1913

The Secretary
Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa

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420,881.

Ottawa, May 16, 1913.

Sir,-

In reply to your letter of the 14th instant, inquiring about the timber on Hotham Island, I have to inform you that it is not the intention at present to sell timber on this island.

The burnt timber on the island to which you refer, north of the south end of Hotham Island. is the one on which the timber is to be sold.

Your obedient Servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Geo. Shaw, Esq.,
Timber Inspector & Valuator,
Thessalon, Ont.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

Thessalon

June 7th 1913

427502

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No.
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

Sir,—

Rea yours No 420 & 81 dated May 10th 1913
I might say that I complied with your request and have only received one reply which you will find attached

your obedient servant
Geo Shaw
Timber Inspector & Valuator

The Secretary
Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa

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The Spanish Mills Company, Limited

Manufacturers of

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Spanish Mills, Ont., May 28th./13.

Mr. George Shaw,

Inspector of Dominion Lands,

Thessalon, Ont.

Dear Sir:-

We received your notice asking for bids on timber on a small island lying near the North Shore, opposite the East end of Hothan Island. The writer looked over the only island he could find with burnt timber on it, in that location, and I presume I found the right island. The island I was on, however, does not contain any timber of any value, it being badly burnt, except very few green trees. If the island running East and West from the entrance to Oak bay, however, is for sale we will be pleased to make a bid for the timber on it.

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Yours truly.

J O Smith

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D.X.D.

Ottawa, June 19, 1913.

Sir,-

In reply to your letter of the 7th instant, with inclosed letter from Mr. J. O. Smith, in regard to the burnt timber on the Island lying to the north of south end of Hotham Island. I have to state that under the circumstances, unless you can find a purchaser, the matter may stand as nothing more in the way of disposal of the timber on the Island can be done.

Your obedient Servant,

W. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Geo. Shaw, Esq.,
Timber Inspector & Valuator,
Thessalon, Ont.

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DEC 10 1913

INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

Thessalon

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
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TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

Dec 6th 1913

438394

Sir,—

From information received I think it would be advisable to examine Heatham Island also Fox Island in regards to timber blown down in the storm the 9th inst I would have gone over myself. but I thought I would advise the Department that you might be able to have a joint report Mr Mc Donald of Thessalon as the Crown Timber Agent for the Ontario Goverment

Your obecident servant
Geo Shaw

Timber Inspector & Valuator

The Secretary

Department of Indian Affairs

Ottawa

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420,881.

Ottawa, December 12, 1913.

Sir,-

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 6th instant, in regard to the examination of the timber blown down on Hotham and Fox Islands, north of the Manitoulin, and in reply to say that you are hereby authorized to act jointly with the representative of the local Government in making an examination and valuation of this timber. It will be necessary, of course, if Mr. Macdonald, of Thessalon, the Crown Timber Agent for the Ontario Government, is to act as joint examiner and valuator, that he should first have the consent of the local Government to do so.

Your obedient Servant,

F. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary

George Shaw, Esq.,
Timber Inspector & Valuator,
Thessalon, Ont.

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DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
MAR 19 1914

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IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
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TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

Mar 18th 1914

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Sir,—

Rea yours No 420.881 dated Dec 12/1913
That I have visited Holtham, Fox & Eagle Islands
I made the examination alone
1000 | Rea Holtham Island I find about one thousand
pieces blown dow and they are the largest pine
trees that are down
300 | Fox Island has about three hundred pieces
blown down the timber on Fox Island is small
and of poor quality
500 | Eagle Island has about five hundred pieces
down hemlock & pine

Your obedient servant
Geo Shaw
Timber Inspector & Valuator

The Secretary

Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa

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MAR 19 1914

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420 881-

Ottawa, 20th March, 1914-

Sir,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 18th Instant, reporting on Timber blown down on Hotham, Eagle and Fox Islands, and in reply to request you to explain why the instructions sent you under date of 12th of December last, to act jointly with the representative of he local Government, have not been complied with.

Your obedient servant,

W. A. Orr.

In charge Lands & Timber Branch-

George Shaw, Esq.
Timber Inspector & Valuator,
Thessalon,
Ont.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

Thessalon

Mar 24th 1914

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. .....
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

Agreed

Sir

444245

Rea yours No 420 881 Dated Mar 20/14
In reply would say that up to the time of my visiting the Islands Mr. McDonald had not received any instructions from the Crown Lands Department to examine the Island reffered to so I thought I would make an examination before the Ice got bad Apparently the Crown Lands Department are taking the handling of the Islands As they have had their men over a group of Island laying of Algoma Mills and have sold the timber on French Island off Blind River And when I was at Gore Bay the first of the Month parties there had Instructions to examine Burnt Island and Green Island lying on the South side of Manitoulin

Your obeident servant
Geo Shaw
Timber Inspector & Valuator

The Secretary

Department of Indian Affairs

Ottawa

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Rabbit Islands, Lake Huron

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
MAR 5 1913

House of Commons

OTTAWA 27th February, 1913.

Frank Pedley, Esq.,
Deputy General of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

Dear Sir,

I wrote to you about the sale of Rabbit Island. The Island to which I refer is at the Eastern entrance to Owens Channel between Cape Smith and Fitzwilliam. The natives call it Rabbit Island, although it may have some other name on the Chart. The Island to which you referred in your letter lies North-west from Tobermory about 2½ miles, in the vicinity of Cove Island. It is not the Island about which I wrote you.

Will you please let me know if the Island above referred to is for sale, and if so, on what terms, and oblige.

Yours very truly,

Geo. Clark

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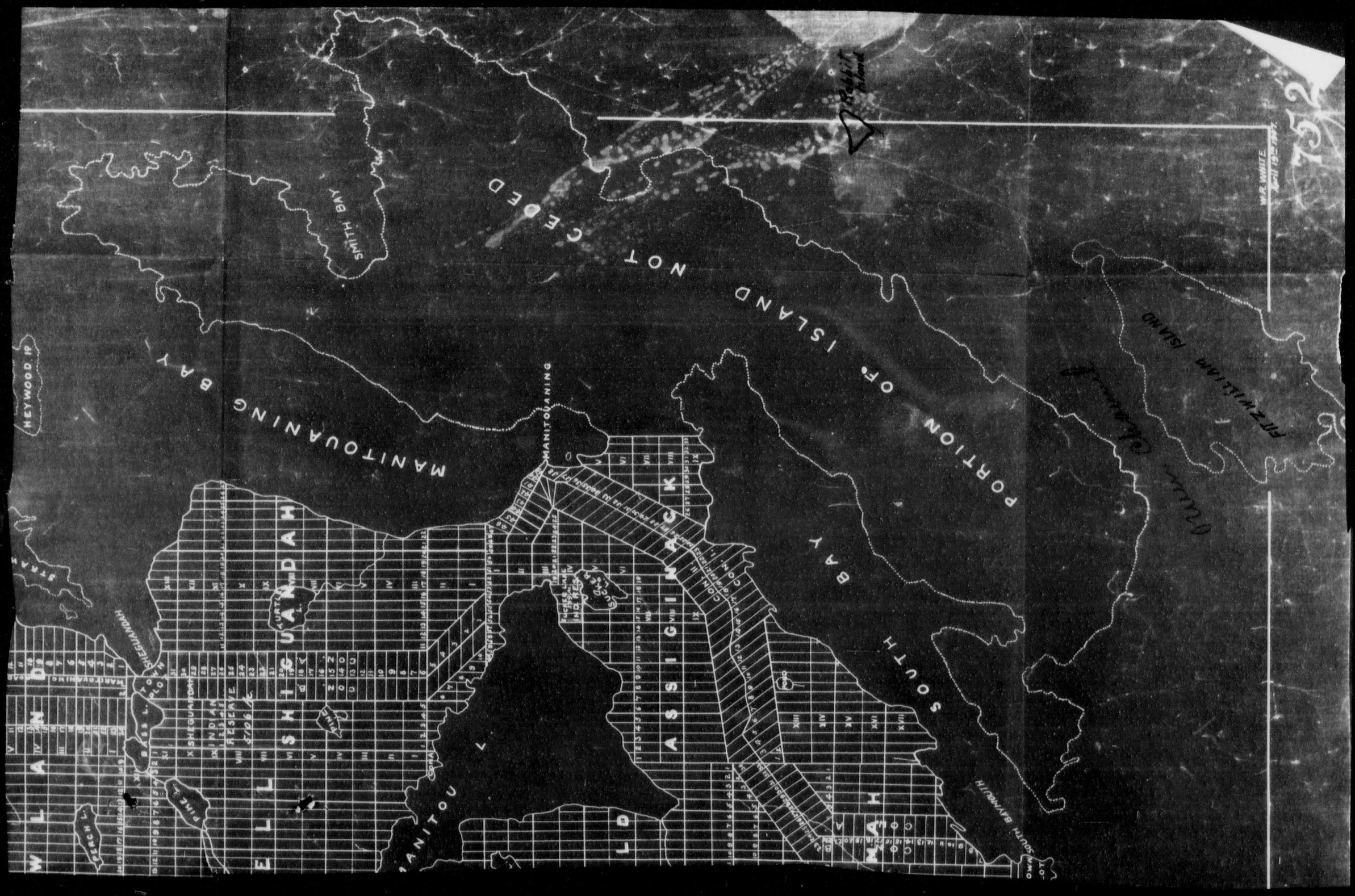
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Memorandum

To the Dpputy Superintendent General

Ottawa, March 3, 1913.

Rabbit Island is situated between Fitz William Island and Smith Bay and about 2½ miles east of the unceded portion of Manitoulin Island or Manitoulin Island Reserve No.26, and contains about 110 acres.

These Islands are in dispute with the Ontario Government and that Government has refused to allow these Islands to be disposed of until the question of ownership is settled.

An Island named Narrow or Rabbit Island has been disposed of to Marine and Fisheries by Order in Council of 22nd December 1893 for Light House purposes, but is situated quite close to Little Current and is not the same one

Blue Print attached shows position of Rabbit Island.

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March 3rd. 1913.

Dear Colonel Clark .

Referring to your favour of the 27th. ultimo regarding Rabbit Island, I beg leave to say that this island, along with others, is in dispute between the Ontario and the Dominion Governments, and the Ontario Government has refused to allow these islands to be disposed of until the question of ownership is settled. It will, therefore, be seen that the disposition of this property will have to remain in abeyance until a decision is reached either one way or the other.

Yours very truly,

Frank Pedley

Deputy Superintendent General.

Colonel Hugh Clark , M.P.,
House of Commons,
Ottawa, Ont.

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Owen Sound, Oct 17th, 1944.

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Department of Indian Affairs,
Parliament Buildings,
Ottawa, Ont.

Dear Sir;

Would you please quote your price for Rabbitt Island in Georgian Bay, just east of the eastern shore of Manitoulin Island. If this is not in your department the Writer would appreciate your forwarding this to the proper department.

Thanking you, I remain,

Yours truly,

T. H. Pettigrew.

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Ottawa, October 21, 1944.

Dear Sir,-

I am enclosing herewith a copy of an inquiry received from Mr. T.H. Pettigrew, of Owen Sound, concerning Rabbit Island in Georgian Bay just east of Manitoulin Island, and as our records indicate that the said island is within the jurisdiction of the Provincial Government, Mr. Pettigrew's inquiry is being directed to you.

Yours truly.

D.J. Allan,
Superintendent,
Reserves and Trusts.

H.W. Crosbie, Esq.,
Land and Recreational Areas,
Department of Lands and Forests,
TORONTO - Ontario.

Encl.

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Ottawa, October 21, 1944.

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Dear Sir,-

I have for acknowledgment your inquiry of October 17th with reference to Rabbit Island, Georgian Bay.

Your letter has been referred to the Department of Lands and Forests of the Ontario Government under whose jurisdiction the island stands, and you doubtless will hear shortly from them.

Yours truly,

D.J. Allan,
Superintendent,
Reserves and Trusts.

T.H. Pettigrew, Esq.,
OWEN SOUND, Ontario.

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DEPARTMENT OF LANDS AND FORESTS

TORONTO 5, November 9th, 1944.

Department of Mines & Resources
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Dear Sir:

Your letter of the 21st ultimo, regarding Rabbit Island in the Georgian Bay, just east of Manitoulin Island, has been received. This is in connection with the enquiry of T.H. Pettigrew of Owen Sound, which I am returning.

According to the records on file, this island was sold by the Department of Indian Affairs to the Department of Marine on October 4th, 1889.

Yours truly,

H.W. Crosbie,
Chief, Division of Land
and Recreational Areas.

MP:AC
Encl.

D.J. Allen, Esq., Supt.,
Reserves & Trusts,
Department of Mines and Resources,
OTTAWA, Canada.

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Ottawa, November 15, 1944.

Dear Sir,-

I have for acknowledgment your letter of November 9th with reference to Rabbit Island in Georgian Bay, just east of Manitoulin Island and note that according to your records this island was sold to the Department of Marine on October 4th, 1889.

You are quite correct in stating that a Rabbit Island in the vicinity of Manitoulin Island was sold by this Department to the Department of Marine and Fisheries, but the island so sold and known as Narrow or Rabbit is situated quite close to Little Current, whereas the Rabbit Island in which T.H. Pettigrew is interested lies between Fitz William Island and Smith Bay about two and one-half miles east of the unceded portion of Manitoulin Island, and according to our records is within the jurisdiction of the Ontario Provincial Government.

Apparently you have confused the two Rabbit Islands and I am, therefore, returning the copy of Mr. Pettigrew's letter herewith in order that you may deal with his inquiry.

Yours truly,

Encl.

D.J. Allan,
Superintendent,
Reserves and Trusts.

H.W. Crosbie, Esq.,
Chief, Division of Land and
Recreational Areas,
Department of Lands and Forests,
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Agreement between Govt. Provincials & Angus Shrafare

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
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CAUGHNAWAGA.

St. Constant, 6th March, 1913

Ack'd 7/3/13

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa,

Sir:-

I am enclosing herewith an agreement between Sose Aroniotas and Ennias Soratase, both members of the Caughnawaga Band, also a letter from L. F. Jackson acting on behalf of Sose Aroniotas, and I beg to ask you whether the said agreement holds good, for my part I believe that Sose Aroniotas shall be entitled to the property in question, because Ennias Soratase has not fulfiled the conditions of the agreement. I beg to ask that the enclosed document be returned after your decision is rendered.

Your obedient servant,

Asst-Indian Agent

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Ottawa, 9th April, 1914.

Sir,

I am returning herewith a transfer of land from Ennias Soratase to Sose Aroniotas subject to proviso for repurchase, which was forwarded to this Department about a year ago, together with a letter from Mr. L.F.Jackson asking what steps Sose Aronitas could take to recover his money.

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In reply I beg to say that it does not appear that Sose Aroniotas can compel Ennias Soratase to return the purchase price of this land but Sose Aroniotas can hold the land absolutely if Ennias Soratase refuses to repurchase.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Lorenzo Letourneau, Esq.,

Asst. Indian Agent,

St. Constant,

Que.

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Ottawa, 12th May, 1914.

Sir,

Mr. Ennias Soratase is at the Department today with reference to his property. It appears that he secured a loan from Sose Aronitas and conveyed his land as security, subject to proviso for re-purchase; that he has been unable to pay the amount of this loan and that Sose Aronitas threatens to eject him from the property. Mr. Soratase states that he offered him at one time the sum of $100 being payment on account of the loan, which Mr. Aronitas refused to accept. Mr. Soratase further states that he has been in very ill health for a long time which has rendered him unable to meet this obligation. He says that he can sell this property for much more than the amount of the loan. It appears to the Department that if Mr. Aronitas gets the amount of his loan with interest he should be satisfied. Soratase should be allowed to sell the place in order to pay off the said loan. Of course this should be done without delay as Mr. Aronitas should not be kept out of his money indefinitely. Would you kindly intervene in the matter to prevent any injustice being done to Mr. Soratase and also to facilitate the payment of Mr. Aronitas's loan.

Your obedient servant,

Lorenzo Letourneau, Esq.,
Asst. Indian Agent,
St. Constant, Que.

J. D. McLean
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
MAR 11 1913

Minutes of the Chiefs in Council of March 5th 1913.

Tyendinaga. 421337

Council House, March 5th 1913.

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Moved by Chief Isaac W. Green Sec by Chief Walter Brant that the Agent Jos. R. Stainton be authorized to notify Eleayer Maracle to abandon and give up possession of the Five acres of Land belonging to Jacob Moses which he illegally took possession of in the Fall of 1912.

Carried.

Moved by Chief John A. Loft Sec by Chief Walter Brant that Chief Isaac W. Green and Chief Albert Maracle be authorized to assist Frank Brant to measure the 10 acres of land now occupied and owned by Eleayer Maracle and to report said measurements at the next meeting of this Council.

Carried.

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Certified,

Jos. R. Stainton,

Indian Agent.

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Complaints of Chiefs John A Lloyd & Isaac Wright re land matters.

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Department of Indian Affairs

Ottawa, 13th March 1913

Chief Isaac W. Green

states that Agent Stainton turned Samuel Williams & his family off land (part of 29 Con 1) for which he held a Grit claim deed from his Grandmother, he being, it is claimed, the only heir.

Will you please look into this as well as the case of Isaac W. Green himself which he brought vertally to your notice today

Martin Ext

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Moved by Chief Daniel H Maracle.
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Quit Claim Deed between The Mohawk
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composed of one acre more or less of the
south west part of Lot number 7 in
concession number A running four
hundred and thirty five feet along
the shores of the Bay of Quinte on
The Tyendinaga Mohawk Reservation be
confirmed. Carried.

(Has above been confirmed by department)
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7 Nov 6th 1912

Moved by Chief William Green sec by Chief Joseph J Hill that Daniel H. Maracle be and is hereby located on Lot 17 S.W. part on the shores of the Bay of Quinte for a term of five years at a yearly rental of $1500 per year payable first of November each year. said shores to be used for fishing purposes during the said term

carried

Has the above been confirmed by the Department?

This is a fishing station & land owned by Band

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R. H. BABCOCK, PROP
11-13-15 O'CONNOR ST.

Ottawa, 421661 191

Minutes of Dec 1st 1909.

Moved by Chief Joseph J Hill sec by Thomas Hill that D H Maracle be allowed to purchase one acre of land between Lot 20 broken front at a price of $10.00.

(Has above been confirmed by department and money paid in?)

This is a fishing Station & claimed as Band land

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R. H. BABCOCK, PROP
11-13-15 O'CONNOR ST.

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Ottawa, ... 191....

Minutes of Meeting March 7th 1906

Moved by Chief Sampson Green and seconded by Chief D H Maracle that the Band lease south ~~one~~ end of the east half Lot 18 Con A. to the Bay of Quinte containing Seventeen acres at a rental of Five Dollars per year and in addition to build sixty eight rods of wire fence be leased to John R. Smith for a term of nine years, rent payable first day of Oct each year. Carried.

(Has rent been regularly paid, and credited to Band?)

This land is claimed by the Band.

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R. H. BABCOCK, PROP
11-13-15 O'CONNOR ST.

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Ottawa, ... 191...

March 7th 1906.

Moved by Chief D. H. Maracle and seconded by Chief Joseph G. Brant that the south end of the west half of Lot 18 and part 17 Con A. containing about twenty five acres to the Bay be leased to George Lucas for two years at a rental of Twelve & 50/100 Dollars per year and in addition to build a good fence on the west side of the Bay, rent payable first day of Oct each year.
Carried

(Has rent been regularly paid in and credited to Band?)

This is land claimed by the Band

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Department of Indian Affairs,

LANDS BRANCH MAR 14 1913

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS MAR 14 1913

Ottawa, 13th March 1913

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These are matters left today to Chief John A. Soft & Isaac McGreen. They would like the information asked for conveyed to them

J. D. McLean

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421,661.

Ottawa, March 15, 1913.

Dear Chiefs.-

In regard to the questions referred to when at the Department yesterday, In connection with resolutions as to rental and land on the Tyendinaga reserve, I beg to give you the following information.

As to resolution of Council of the 4th of December 1912, as to acceptance of quit claim deed to Joseph J. Hill of one acre of the southwest part of lot 7, Con. A, Tyendinaga, I beg to say that the resolution was reported to the Department, but no approval thereof was given, and there is no record of payment of any money to the Department.

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As to resolution of the 6th of November, 1912, locating Daniel H. Maracle for the southwest part of lot 17 for five years at an annual rental of $15.00 per year, I beg to say that this resolution was reported to the Department, but no approval thereof was given, nor has any money been received by the Department.

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As to resolution of the 1st of December, 1909, allowing D. H. Maracle to purchase one acre of land between lot 20, Broken front, for $10.00, I beg to say that there is no record of this resolution having been reported to the Department, and no approval thereof was given, nor has any money been received by the Department.

In

Chiefs John A. Loft and
Isaac W. Green,
Deseronto, Ont.

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In connection with the above, I would point out that the only approval which can be given by the Department of locations of land on your reserve is by the issue of location ticket, in accordance with the provisions of the Indian Act, and as apparently the Indians do not desire to have location tickets, any transfers can only be noted by the agent, and come under recognized title referred to in the Indian Act.

As regards resolutions of Council of the 7th of March, 1906, as to lease of the south end of the east half of lot 18, Concession A, containing 17 acres, at a rental of $5.00 per year to John J. Smith, for a term of nine years, and also resolution as to the leasing of the south end of the west half of lot 18 and part of 17, Con. A, containing about 25 acres, to George Lucas, for two years at a rental of $12.50 per year, I beg to say that the Department has no record of leases having been issued in accordance with these resolutions, and no moneyshave been received by the Department.

File 7.29530

As to statement that Agent Stainton turned Samuel Miles and his family off part of lot 29, Con. 1, for which he held a quit claim deed from his grandmother, I beg to say that the Department does not appear to have any information in this matter.

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Your obedient Servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

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115,945

Ottawa, 25th April 1914.

Sir,-

On the 14th November the Department wrote you with regard to fishing licenses on the Tyendinaga Reserve. You were referred in that letter to communication of the 23rd June 1913 addressed to your predecessor Mr.Stainton,and also to letter to you of the 22nd August. As yet you have not replied. The Department desires that you will without further delay furnish detailed information with regard to this matter.

Your obedient servant,

D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Thomas Donnelly Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Deseronto, Ont.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

Deseronto.

May 13th 1914

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No.
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

ACCOUNTANTS MAY 19 1914 BRANCH

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Sir,—

Your communication No 115945 dated April 25th 1914. regarding fishing licenses on the Tyendinaga Reserve came to hand and in reply beg leave to state that while in Ottawa in January last in company with Chief Loft we placed in the hands of Mr Orr. resolutions passed by the previous council which granted to two members of the council viz: Daniel H. Maracle and Joseph J Hill a portion of land on the shore for a small purchase price. These transactions we were informed by the department had never been confirmed and we were promised at that time that the matter would be looked into. We have not heard from it since. The amount collected for fishing licenses cannot be gone after until the ownership of the land for which they were collected is determined.

Your obedient servant,

Thos Donnelly
Indian Agent.

J D McLean Esq
Asst Deputy & Secretary.
Ottawa, Ont.

LANDS BRANCH MAY 19 1914

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Deseronto August 18th/14

Mr W H Orr

Dear Sir

I wish to remind you that when Mr Agent Thos Donnelly and myself Were at the Dept in Jan last We drew your Attention To the matter of two of the Ex Chiefs Namely Joseph E Hill And D H Maracle That during their term of office had Purchased from one another one Acre of land Each That belonged to the Band you at that time Promised us That if we Could convince you that they had defrauded the Band That you would demand what they had Collected as Rents from Fishermen which should have gone into the Bands funds On our return the Agent handed you a Copy of the information he had from D H Maracle that he expected to receive the sum of $100.00 from the Fishery And Marine Dept for Camping on his supposed Acre you at that time said that you would Immediatly write that Dept forbiding them to Pay D H M untill they heard from you In Closing I shall Refer you to a letter on this Matter No 421.661 dated March 15. 1913 Sincerely yours

John A Loft

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421,661.

Ottawa, August 21, 1914.

Sir,-

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 18th instant, in regard to the question of purchase of land by ex-Chiefs Joseph J. Hill and E. H. Maracle, and in reply to say that this is a matter which as understood when you were at the Department should be looked into and reported on by the local Indian agent, and you will be good enough to take up the matter with him.

Your obedient Servant,

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W. A. Ore.

In Charge Lands & Timber Branch.

Mr. John A. Loft,
Deseronto,
Ont.

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True Extracts From Minutes of Mohawk Council

Minutes December 1st 1909 Page 210

Moved by Chief Joseph J Hill Sec by Thomas Hill that D H Maracle be allowed to Purchace one Acre of land Between Lot 20 Broken front at a Price of $10

Minutes of April 6th 1910 Page 220

Moved by Chief Joseph J Hill Sec by Chief Thomas Hill that the quit Claim Deed Between the Indian Council and D H Maracle being composed of Part of the South Part of the West half of Lot number twenty in Concession A Broken front Tyendinaga Mohawk Reservation Containing by admeaussament one Acre. As follows Ten rods along the waters edge of the Bay of quinte on the west of the Center line of Lot number twenty and on the North sixteen Rods be approved. Carried

Minutes of August the 2nd 1911 Page 255

Moved by Chief Daniel H Maracle Sec by Chief Thomas Hill That Joseph J Hill be allowed to Purchace one Acre of land east of long Point Along the Bay of quinte of the Tyendinaga Mohawk Reservation Carried

Minutes of December 4th 1912 Page 305

Moved by Chief Daniel H Maracle Sec by Chief William Green That the quit Claim Deed between the Mohawk Council And Joseph J Hill Being Composed of one Acre more or less of the south east Part of Lot number 5 in Concession number A Running four Hundred and thirty five along the shores of the Bay of quinte on the Tyendinaga Mohawk Reservation be Confirmed Carried

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421661

Deseronto August 26th 1914

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS AUG 29 1914

Mr Wood

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When is this?
WRO

nothing further of record
G. M. M.

453389

Dear Sir

yours of the 21st instant is to hand And in Reply wish to inform you that the Agent and myself went into the matter Refered to in detail And he informs me that he had forwarded all Month ago But had received no Reply And that was my Reason for writing you on the 18th instant And I may inform you that I drew the Agents attention to you reply And he said that the Dept had allowed D H Maracle to collect the Rents last fall But he would write you again But as I understand that Maracle was allowed to do that was Pending a settlement of the whole matter later And that is why I am still urging the Dept in the matter And shall not be satisfied till those ~~sales are~~ Parcels of lands is Restored to the Band and all the Rents are collected I enclose herewith a copy of Resolutions of the case

Sincerely yours
John A Loft

LANDS BRANCH AUG 29 1914

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421,661.

Ottawa, September 1, 1914.

Sir,-

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 26th ultimo. in regard to the allotment of land on the Tyendinaga reserve to ex-Chiefs Joseph J. Hill and D. H. Maracle, and in connection therewith would refer you to letter addressed yourself and Chief Green on the 15th of March last, giving you full information as far as the Department had knowledge in regard to these allotments.

I may say that the local agent has not made any report in the matter to the Department and it would be well for you to take the matter up with the agent and have him favour the Department with a full report in each case.

Your obedient Servant,

W. A. Orr

In Charge Lands & Timber Branch.

Mr. John A. Loft,
Deseronto,
Ont.

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Deseronto Sept 11th 1914

Mr W A Orr

Sir

Rec No 421.661 454102

I am in receipt of yours of the 1st Instant And in reply wish to inform you that I drew Mr Agent Donnellys Attention to its contents And his reply was that he had already sent an account of the matter to the Department And I Beg to be allowed to say to you That I believe that he has no desire to Act in any case Unless ordered by the Department And I for my Part in the case Wants first to be Satisfied with the Items contained therein that they be in Accordance with the information that I have received From all the fishermen that has Paid rent to the Chiefs in question Since the fall of 1909 When W C Macdonald first Paid them $25 Rent for camping on our shore Since then he has Paid $30- Each year Until last fall When Mr D H Maracle got angry with him And would not allow Macdonald to have his camp on what he claimed to be his land unless he would Pay him $30- and also $30- for the Privilage to draw a Seine on the fishing ground that they only had in Previous years Collected $15- for Rent And which the Chiefs That are Prejudiced

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against the Macdonalds By their Majority allows Maracle to undermine him By letting him have the fishing ground for $21.00 a year And Maracle cannot get Permision to fish From the Ontario fishery Inspector and this was the reason that Chief I W Green and I were Opposed to Maracle in being allowed to have the ground And as I understand that the Department has agreed that Maracle should have it From the fact That last fall Agent Donnelly was instructed To have Maracle allow Macdonald to use the ground on account of the Dominion Govt wanted the White fish Spawn and which he would not consent Till he was Paid $30- for it And which is not allowable in Govt leasing to sublet But it appears to me That the Department questions the correctness of all my Statements Regarding this Matter And I contend that the resolutions that I have forwarded to the Dept ought to be sufficient Proof of the action of the Chiefs in question And I contend to that the chiefs are only trustees for the People during their term of office And I consider that its a Breach of trust For the chiefs to divert the Property of the Community they are supposed to Honestly Serve Into channels for their own Personal Benefit and yet it will take the Department over a year and half to consider this matter and yet not decide

Sincerely

John A Loft

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421,661.

Ottawa, September 17, 1914.

Sir,-

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 11th instant, in regard to payment of rental for land in connection with fishing privileges on the Tyendinaga reserve, and in reply to say that the Department is unable to deal with this matter until it has been fully investigated and reported on by the local agent.

Your obedient Servant,

W. A. Orr.

In Charge Lands & Timber Branch.

Mr. John A. Loft,
Deseronto,
Ont.

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LANDS BRANCH
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Deseronto Sept 29th 1914

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Mr W A [redacted]

Sir Re No 421.661

Yours of the 17th instant to hand, And as usual Drew Mr Agent Donnellys attention to its contents And he informs me That he had sent in his report long ago to the Dept. And later than that. A Mr. McGibbon Representing the Dept visited the Agent. And went over the Reserve with the Agent. And before leaving, took a statement from him Regarding this matter in question But promised me that he would write you again And I may here state That the Agent and I are agreed That the Dept should demand the surrender of those quit Claims From D H Maracle And Joseph J Hill at once And Collect through the Agent all the Rents from them That they have Collected from the Fishermen That have Camped on our Shores. W B Macdonald Alone has Paid to the Ex Chiefs Since the the year of 1909 for Seine Fishing And Camping on D H M supposed Acre The sum of $25= And in the years of 1910 11-12 the sum of $30= in each and every And in 1913 He Paid $60= I gave you the reason In my last letter Why Macdonald had to Pay that amount

And the Dept according to its Present action is upholding the Majority of the Chiefs In undermining Macdonald Simply because they Prejudiced against him This I can Prove by the Agent As for the amount Collected at long Point I cannot just at the Present time State But D H M should also Pay for his Camping on Band Property As well as the Fishery and Marine Dept

Sincerely John A Loft

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421,661.

Ottawa, October 5, 1914.

Sir,-

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 22nd ultimo, in regard to rentals paid in connection with fishery licenses, and in reply to say that no report on this matter was received from the late agent, and it would be well for you to take up the matter with the new agent and have it thoroughly investigated and reported on to the Department.

Your obedient Servant,

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W. A. Orr.

In Charge Lands & Timber Branch.

Mr. John A. Loft,
Deseronto,
Ont.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

Shamrock

Oct 31st 1914

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No.
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

47284

Sir,—

You have had a lot of correspondence from Chief John Loft about Sale of Band Lands to Chiefs in council
{Re Dan H Maracle and Joe J. Hill}
now in regard to this matter & have not had time to go into the details of the matter. But from my view I think the Law Department should decide if Chiefs in council have the right to sell Band lands to one an other and if they have the right their can nothing be done in this matter and if they have no right then something can be done

Your obedient servant

G M Campbell
agent

Mr Orr
Department of Timber & Land
Ottawa

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS CANADA

Ottawa, 12th November, 1914.

Memorandum:

Mr. Scott,

It is provided by Section 21 of the Indian Act that no Indian shall be deemed lawfully in possession of any land in a reserve unless he has been or is located for the same by the band or Council of the band with the approval of the Superintendent General, and by Section 22 that when the Superintendent General approves of any location as aforesaid he shall issue in triplicate a ticket granting a location ticket to such Indian.

It appears from the resolutions on file that the Council of the band has located D.H.Maracle and Joseph J.Hill for the lands in question as it has an undoubted right to do. These locations have not yet been approved by the Superintendent General. Approval may be granted or withheld but approval in my opinion should only be withheld on good grounds shown . no good reason appears on the file for withholding approval.

A.S. Williams

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421,661.

Ottawa, November 16, 1914.

Sir,-

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 31st ultimo, in regard to the question of locating of lands on an Indian reserve by the Council of the Band, and in reply to say that, under the provisions of the Indian Act the Council of the Band has authority to make locations.

It appears from the resolutions on file that the Council of the band has located D. H. Maracle and Joseph J. Hill for the lands in question, but these locations have not as yet been approved by the Superintendent General, but the approval would not be withheld unless good grounds were shown for withholding same.

Your obedient Servant,

W. A. Orr.

In Charge Lands & Timber Branch.

G M. Campbell, Esq.,
Indian Agent.
Belleville, Ont.

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Lots 28 & 29 Blake St South
" 25 & 26 Cockburn St North
Townplot Shaftesbury.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

421824

Manitowaning, Ont..

March, 14th, 1913.

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
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TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

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Sir,—

I have the honor to report that Geo. Wm. Collins applies to purchase Lots 28 and 29 Blake St. South, and Robert Hembruff applies to purchase Lots 25 and 26 Cockburn St. North, in the townplot of Shaftesbury.

I would most respectfully recommend that these Lots be sold to the applicants at the upset price, and under the usual conditions of sale.

See 418,683

Your obedient servant,

Wm McLeod

Indian Agent,

The Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, Ont..

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Ottawa, 19th March, 1913-

Sir,

In reply to your letter of the 14th Instant, submitting an application on behalf of George William Collins, for the purchase of Lots 28 & 29, South side of Blake St. and on behalf of Robert Hembruff, for the purchase of Lots 25 & 26, on the North side of Cockburn St. all in the Townplot of Shaftesbury, I have to inform you that you may dispose of these Lots to the respective applicants, as recommended by you, at the upset price and upon the usual terms of payment.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Assistant Deputy & Secretary-

Wm. McLeod, Esq.
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning,
Ont.

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St. Regis

Sale of Land &c. by Basil Cook to Jake Seymour.

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St Regis Akwesasne March 25th 1911

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Basil Thahonwentsioren

Know all men by these presents, that I the within named Basil Cook (Basil Thahonwentsioren, have assigned to the said Louis Cook and his assigns, all my interest in the within written instrument and every clause, article, or thing therein contained.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal, this Fourteenth day of October, one thousand nine hundred and twelve.

Executed and delivered in the presence of

F. E. Taillon.

St Regis Ms

Angus. Cook Witness

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Mark

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

St Regis, Que

April -1- 1913.

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
APR 3 1913

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 537/330
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

INDIANS BRANCH
APR 8 1913

422832

E.T.U.

Enclosed find an Indian deed of Sale from Basil Cook to Joe Seymour, also translation of same.

It appears that Seymour purchased some and has failed in his payments; therefore when payment had been demanded he replied that he has seven years to pay for it and will not do anything to reduce his indebtedness.

You will note that Basil Cook who by the way is an American Indian and has resided in the village of St Regis for some years, has assigned his rights of same to his son Louis Cook and naturally Louis wants his own.

What action, under the circumstances must Cook take to secure possession of said property? It would not be just to him were he compelled to lose same, because he is an American Indian.

The agreement plainly states Seymour is to pay $100.00 a year and this he fails to do.

Your obedient servant
F. E. Taillon
Agent.

J. D. Mc Lean Esq.
Ottawa.

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St Regis Reservation.
March 23, 1911.

I Bazil Cook do authorize what is written here.

I by house, which is my own property, I do hereby sell, and also the land; which I own, and also the houses adjoining there to.

The house or residence is worth ($ 900.00) Nine Hundred Dollars altogether, including the land

This is the location; One side road leading to the river, across the road from Louis Shirts and is west of it. Bounded on the North by Mitchell Cook's land; on the west by Louis Thomas's land reaching to the River St Regis.

This is the extent of my property, which is my own property, and which I have sold of my own free will to Joseph Seymour altogether

This is the amount of Joseph Seymour's first payment ($ 200.00) Two Hundred Dollars.

It shall begin from this date on March 23rd 1912, he shall pay another $100.00.

He shall pay one hundred dollars a year, until he has paid the whole amount which gives him seven years time.

But if he (Joseph Seymour) can make the payment earlier I will do so.

If I should die, my wife shall carry out the terms of this agreement.

Said terms to apply to our wives, in case of death, they shall settle agreement between them.

We do hereby sign our names

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in ratification and confimation
I Bazil his X mark Cook
I Joseph X mark Seymour

Witness Jake X Fire
Louis Thomas

Written by Louis Thomas

Witnesses Mrs Annie her X mark Cook
Mrs Minnie her X mark Seymour

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422,832.

Ottawa, April 25, 1913.

Memorandum,

The Lands Branch.

LANDS BRANCH APR 25 1913

In virtue of the document hereunder, Joseph Seymour is a purchaser and owner of the lands referred to subject to the payment of the balance of the purchase money according to the terms of the document, the vendor or his assignee having a lien on the property for the balance of the purchase price.

It appears that the purchaser has failed in making his payments. If he is unable to make these payments on receiving reasonable notice to pay, he might be willing to give back the property to the vendor's assignee on having returned to him the money he has already paid. If however the purchaser is unwilling to do this, the vendor's assignee would have the right to re-sell the property, preferably by public auction, after giving the purchaser reasonable notice of his intention so to do. In such event the proceeds of sale should be applied in paying the assignee the balance of his claim and any surplus would go to the purchaser under this document.

I would suggest that the Agent be instructed to advise both parties as to their right and duties and see if he cannot effect an amicable settlement of this matter.

A.S. Williams

Law Clerk.

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422,832.

Ottawa. April 26, 1913.

Sir,-

In reply to your letter of the 1st instant, No. 537/330, in connection with the deed of sale from Basil Cook to Joe Seymour. I beg to say that it appears that the purchaser has failed in making his payments. If he is unable to make these payments on receiving reasonable notice to pay, he might be willing to give property to the vendor's assignee on having returned to him the money he has already paid. If however, the purchaser is unwilling to do this, the vendor's assignee would have the right to re-sell the property, preferably by public auction, after giving the purchaser reasonable notice of his intention so to do. In such event, the proceeds of sale should be applied in paying the assignee the balance of his claim, and any surplus would go to the purchaser under this document.

It is, however, suggested that you should advise both parties as to their right and duties, and see if you cannot effect an amicable settlement of this matter.

Your obedient Servant.

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

F. E. Taillon, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
St. Regis, Que.

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A. B. North.

Applic. W. D. Merchants for land for road purposes. Iroquois Co.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

Indian Office.

Apr 12 1913

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. .....
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,
APR 16 1913
SURVEYS.

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
APR 15 1913

423978

Sir,—

A party by name of Welsh & Merchant who owns 200 acres of land that faces on St John River and runs along the Indian Tobique Reserve north side of the Tobique wants to get a road way to the Tilly road He says he is willing to pay the Dept 100.00 for a strip of land 100 long by 10 rods wide & Dept will sell him that amt. you will notice the piece would contain 6¼ acres I might say the fire burnt over this tract and I understand little or no green lumber on it. so offer appears to be a good one Will Dept consider the selling of it

Your Obedient Servant

S. P. Waite
Indian agent

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423,978.

1 Dy. Minister
2 Secty

Ottawa, April 22, 1913.

Sir,

Referring to your letter of the 12th instant, I have to request you to note on the plan herewith enclosed the strip of land in the Tobique Indian Reserve which Mr. Wilson D. Merchant desires to purchase. Also show the Tilly Road on the said plan and the location of Mr. Merchant's land.

If Mr. Merchant only wants a right of way to connect with the Tilly Road it is not clear why he asks for so great a width as ten rods, four rods or even less should be sufficient. You may, however, discuss the matter with the Indians with the view of ascertaining whether they will consent to surrender the portion of land desired by Mr. Merchant and on what terms. Please return the plan with your report.

Encl.

Your obedient servant,

Sgd J. D. Nicholson

Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

S. P. Waite, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Andover, N.B.

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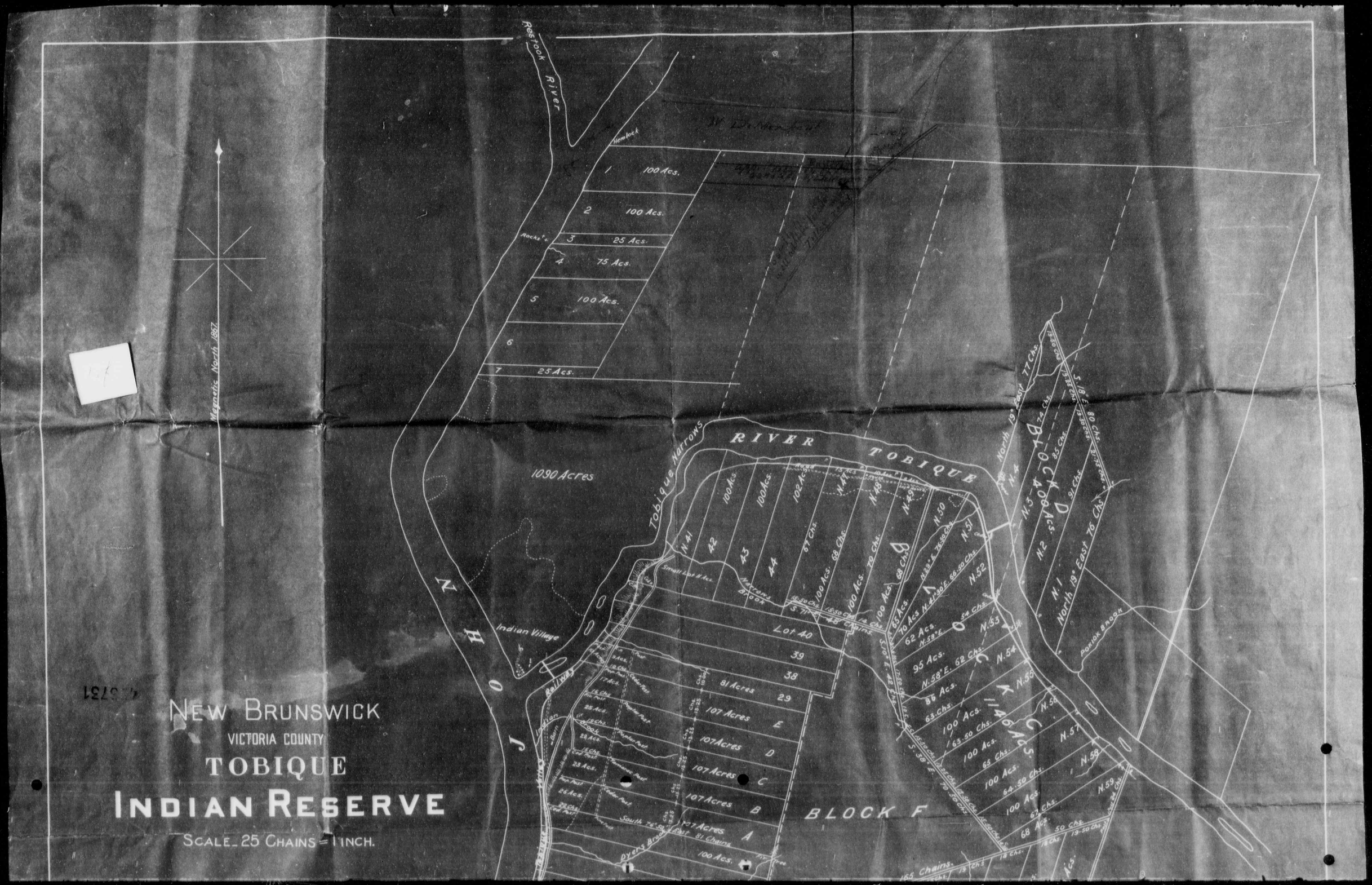
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VICTORIA COUNTY
TOBIQUE
INDIAN RESERVE
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2 100 Acs.
3 25 Acs.
4 75 Acs.
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1090 Acres
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Tobique Narrows
RIVER TOBIQUE
N H O J
BLOCK F
BLOCK D
BLOCK C
Lot 40
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81 Acres
107 Acres E
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107 Acres C
107 Acres B
107 Acres A
100 Acs.
Small Lot 11 Acs.
Narrows Brook
Dyers Brook
Pokiok Brook
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North 19° East 76 Chs.
S. 18° E. 80 Chs.
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65 Chs.
64.50 Chs.
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50 Chs.
165 Chains.

INDIAN RESERVE

SCALE - 25 CHAINS = 1 INCH.

Compiled by
W. A. Austin,
Chief Surveyor,
21st April 1892. Dept. of Indian Affairs.



Note. Compiled from Plans 20 Dated at Fredericton, Jan. 5th 1854 & signed J.A. MacLauchlan & H.M.G. Garden, Commissioners.
" 20B " " Perth, October 1864. Signed Chas. C. Beckwith, Land Surveyor.
" 20C " " Woodstock, 18th January 1858, Signed H.M.G. Garden, Local Deputy.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS MAY 17 1913

Andover

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 423,978
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

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May 15 1913

S.T.B.

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS, MAY 19 1913 SURVEYS.

Sir,—

Yours of Apr. 22 with Plan enclosed came duly to hand. I got W. B. Hoyt the Local Government Land Surveyor to locate the Land Wilson De Merchant wants to buy of Dept. see marked x In reply to inquiry why a narrow strip say 4 rods for a road way would not satisfy May say ~~Lowing~~ to heavy hills along the land next to Wm Lavely Lot would be useless as could not get accessible road there. Again wants to build as close as can to Tilly road. So as to avoid the need of keeping a winter road open from his dwellings to Tilly road. then living on the road brings him that much nearer to School house and Church also nearer to market It would quite an advantage to have water from the little brook that runs near the road—

It would be a public advantage to have him living on the road in way of road work needed on the road and as there is no timber on the land he wants I would think it well to sell the Indians seem quite satisfied to have it sold. If the offer he makes of 2.50 an acre is not considered a fair price would you put a price on it. I talked with Mr Hoyt who knows the location well and he places a value of 3.00 an acre which I would say would be about the right price

Yours Obedient Servant
S. Waite
Indian Agent

Asst Deputy and Secretary Dept of Indian Affairs
Ottawa

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423,978.

Ottawa, May 21, 1913.

Sir,

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 15th instant and to draw your attention to the blue print enclosed with it and herewith returned. Please note that the sketch of the tract of land asked for by Mr. P. Merchant shows a block of land averaging seventy-two chains or two hundred and eighty-eight rods long and about fifteen chains or sixty rods wide containing one hundred and eight acres whereas your letter of the 12th ultimo described a strip of land one hundred rods or twenty five chains long by ten rods or two and a half chains wide containing an area of only twenty-five acres. Please state whether Mr. Merchant wishes to purchase a tract containing twenty-five acres of one containing about one hundred and eight acres and plot the tract required in an approximately correct manner on the plan enclosed and again return to the Department. Also state whether Mr. Merchant is willing to pay $3.00 per acre for the land.

Encl.

Your obedient servant,

Asst D McLean

Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

S. P. Waite, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Andover, N.B.

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May 28 1913

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 423,978
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

LANDS BRANCH
MAY 20 1913

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
MAY 29 1913

Sir,—

I am returning plan with sketch of land wanted by Wilson DeMerchant. May say Mr DeMerchant would like or prefer 50 acres of this tract facing the Lilly road and will pay cash for it @ $3.00 per acre or will purchase the whole tract 108 acre and pay 1/2 of purchase price done at rate of $3.00 the balance to be paid in one year. Please advise me which proposition you will accept advise as soon as conviently can as he would like to do some spring work on the lot and advise under which regularlation will make application. He is willing to take for settlement & agricultural purposes

Your Dedicated Servant
S. P. Waite
Indian Agent

Asst Deputy and Secretary Dept of Indian Affairs
Ottawa

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423 978-

Ottawa, 31st May, 1913-

Sir,

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 28th Instant, regarding application of Mr. DeMerchant, for land on the Tobique Reserve, and in reply to say that while the Department might be in a position to consider the question of providing a Road Allowance to the Tilley Road, for Mr. De Merchant, it is not in a position at present, to take up the question of sale of either 50 or 108 Acres, as desired, which could only be done after formal surrender by the Indians, under the provisions of the Indian Act.

I may say however, if only a Right of Way to the Tilley Road is desired, upon the Department being furnished with a description thereof, the question of allowing temporary use of the road, would be given due consideration.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Assistant Deputy & Secretary-

S. P. Waite, Esq.
Indian Agent,
Andover,
N. B.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

Chelsea P.Q.

June 26th 1913

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 423,978
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
JUN 27 1913
SURVEYS.

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Sir—

I have had some talk with William De Merchant in regard to road allowance referred to in your letter of May 31st and he said he would not be satisfied with a road way as suggested as he wants to build on the Tidy road and he wants the land so much he will give $200.00 for 50 acres and pray the earth I would consider this a very liberal offer for this land as in looking over the land wanted I am sure there is no green lumber on it nor any burnt of any value. I would refer you to W.B. Hoyt the Surveyor who has looked over the land quite recently if you require any further information He said to me he thought it would be wise for (Dept to accept Mr. De Merchants offer. The Indians I have talked with seem in favor of it as there can be no revenue from this tract for a good many years. I would think the money bearing interest would be better than holding the land, and would recommend selling to him. Please advise soon if he offer is favorably considered

Your Obedient Servant

S. P. Waite
Indian agent

Deputy
and Secretary
Dept of Indian Affairs
Ottawa

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS CANADA.

Ottawa, July 10, 1913.
File 423,978.

Memorandum for the Deputy Minister:-

Mr. Wilson de Merchant owns a lot of two hundred acres adjacent to the North boundary of the Tobique Indian Reserve. A public road known as the Tilley road passes through the Indian Reserve leaving it on the North boundary at a little distance to the East of the Eastern boundary of Mr. Merchant's land. Mr. Merchant desires to obtain a tract of fifty acres from the Indian reserve adjacent to his land for the purpose of constructing a private road leading to the said Tilley Road for which he offers the sum of $4.00 per acre. The Indians Agent says this is a liberal offer and recommends the sale of the land. Hon. Senator Baird has verbally stated that he hopes Mr. Merchant's application will be favourably considered and he also states that he thinks $4.00 per acre is a very liberal offer for the land.

The Agent reports that the Indians appear to be in favour of surrendering the land for the purpose

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purpose of selling it to the said Mr. Merchant. Senator Baird, however,, says that Mr. Merchant is a comparatively poor man so that it would not be advisable for him to go to the expense ofhaving the necessary survey made of the said fifty acres of land unless he has assurance that if the Indians execute the necessary surrender that the Superintendent General of Indian Affairs will consider favourably its sale to the said Mr. Merchant. It is therefore submitted whether the Minister will be good enough to state whether he has any objection to the procedure outlined.

O. L. Bray

Chief Surveyor.

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OFFICE OF THE DEPUTY SUPERINTENDENT GENERAL.

OTTAWA. July 18th. 1913.

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,
JUL 19 1913
SURVEYS.

MEMORANDUM

Surveys Branch -

Please let me have a sketch or blue print showing this reserve with the land desired for Mr. Wilson de Merchant indicated thereon.

D. S. G. I. A.

Dy. Minister

The sketch (a blue print) requested is attached herewith

J. Bruce
19 July 1913

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

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Andover NB

July 18 1913

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. .....
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TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

430189

Sir,—

Have you come to any decission in regard to the 50 acre of Land Wilson De Merchant wants of northside of Tobique Indian reserve. His offer of 4.00 an acre for Land that has no timber in it, is a good price for it —

Asst Deputy and Secretary
Dept of Indian Affairs
Ottawa

Your Obedient Servant
S. P. Waite
Indian agent

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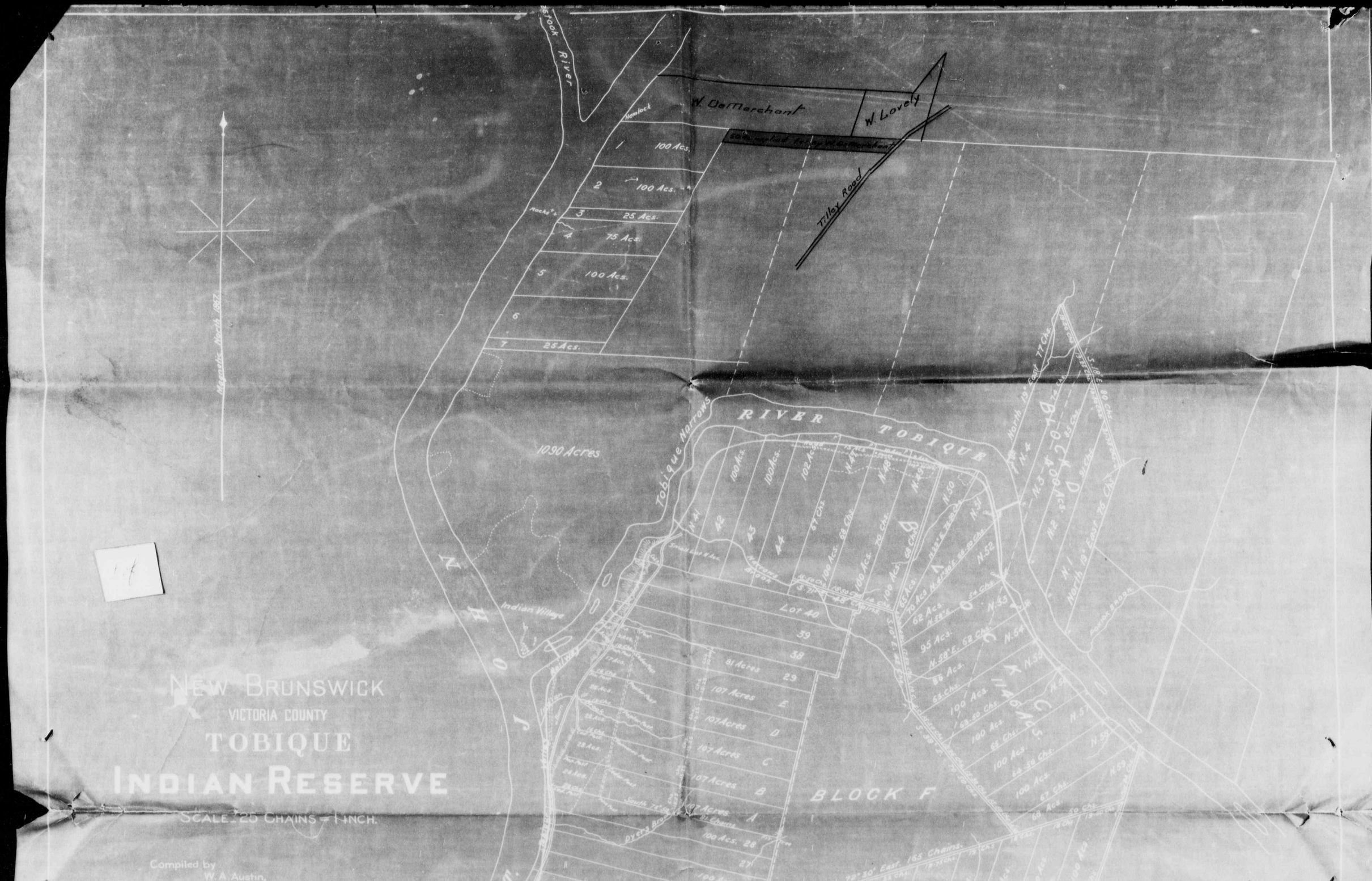

NEW BRUNSWICK
VICTORIA COUNTY
TOBIQUE
INDIAN RESERVE
SCALE: 25 CHAINS = 1 INCH.
Compiled by
W. A. Austin,
Magnetic North 1867
Hemlock
W. DeMerchant
W. Lovely
Tilley Road
Rocks
1 100 Acs.
2 100 Acs.
3 25 Acs.
4 75 Acs.
5 100 Acs.
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7 25 Acs.
1090 Acres
Tobique Narrows
RIVER TOBIQUE
Indian Village
Lot 40
39
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81 Acres
107 Acres E
107 Acres D
107 Acres C
107 Acres B
107 Acres A
100 Acs. 28
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BLOCK F
BLOCK D
BLOCK C
BLOCK B
BLOCK A
North 19° East 77 Chs.
North 19° East 76 Chs.

TOBIQUE
INDIAN RESERVE

SCALE: 25 CHAINS = 1 INCH.

Compiled by
W. A. Austin,
Chief Surveyor,
21st April 1892. Dept. of Indian Affairs.


BLOCK F
107 Acres C
107 Acres B
107 Acres A
North 72° 30' East 165 Chains
South 72° 30' West 165 Chains
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South 52° 30' West
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July 29, 1913.

Memorandum, -

Hon. Dr. Roche.

Application is made by Mr. Wilson de Merchant, who owns 200 acres of land adjacent to the north boundary of the Tobique Indian reserve, to purchase a tract of 50 acres off the bordering Indian reserve for the purpose of constructing a private road leading to the Tilley road, as shown on the accompanying blue print. Mr. de Merchant offers for this land $4.00 per acre. The Agent thinks the offer is a liberal one and the Hon. Senator Baird is of the same opinion. The land is not yet surrendered, but the Agent reports that the Indians appear to be in favour of surrendering it for sale to Mr. de Merchant.

If the Indians are willing to surrender to sell to Mr. de Merchant and expressly state so in the surrender, I would recommend that the surrender be submitted to the Indians, and, if accepted, the land sold

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as applied for. The cost of the survey to be borne by Mr. de Merchant. There is one difficulty about this, that Mr. de Merchant does not care to make the survey unless he has some guarantee that he will get the land; the Department can give no guarantee or semblance of guarantee until the Indians have dealt with it, and, if it is decided to submit the question to the Indians, survey will have to be made by Mr. de Merchant, who must take his chances upon the same being carried out.

Duncan C. Scott

Deputy Superintendent General.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS CANADA

OFFICE OF THE DEPUTY SUPERINTENDENT GENERAL.

OTTAWA. August 1, 1913.

The Lands Branch,-

Necessary action may be taken to submit to the Indians the question of surrendering 50 acres of the Tobique reserve applied for by Mr. Wilson de Merchant, surrender to be along the lines indicated in memo. herewith.

Incl.

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Acting D. S. G. I. A.

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Ottawa, 5th August, 1913-

Sir,

Referring to your letter of the 18th Ultimo, as to application of Mr. Wilson de Merchant, for 50 Acres of land on the Tobique Reserve, North of the River, I beg to say that you should advise Mr. de Merchant that upon his furnishing a plan and description of the land applied for, by a qualified Surveyor, the question of surrender of the land will be submitted to the Indians, as required by the Indian Act.

The Department, of course, can give no guarantee that the Indians will surrender, but if Mr. de Merchant is willing to take this chance, the Department will take the necessary action for Sale, at the price offered.

Your obedient servant,

S. Waite, Esq.
Indian Agent,
Andover,
N. B.

J. D. McLEAN
Assistant Deputy & Secretary-

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

Andover N.B.

Aug 2 1913

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430662

Sir,

Mr. Wilson (D) Merchant is still wanting the purchase the 50 acres of land on north side to begin Indian Reserve. He has had a talk with "Senator" Baird. Who told him that when in Ottawa he was in your Dept and in speaking of the land wanted by Mr (D) Merchant. He understood you would consider Mr (D) Merchants favorably.

Mr (D) Merchant is anxious to learn if he can buy land as he wants to erect building this season, if he cannot buy he may have to abandon the farm he now owns. If Indian consent to sale. I cannot understand why his offer should not be accept as 4.00 an acre is more than present value of rough land that has no lumber in it kindly advise at once in regard to it. & Oblige

Asst Deputy and Secretary Dept of Indian Affairs Ottawa

Your Obedient Servant

S. P. Waite
Indian Agent

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OFFICE OF THE MINISTER OF MARINE AND FISHERIES.
OF CANADA,
OTTAWA.

August 5th. 1913

Dear Sir:-

In the absence of the Hon. J.D.Hazen, I beg to transmit herewith copy of letter addressed to him by Mr. Wilson deMerchant, of Tilley, Victoria County, N.B., in regard to the proposed purchase by him of a piece of Indian land.

Encl.

Yours very truly,

M. C. Doyle

For the Private Secretary

Frank Pedley, Esq.,
Deputy Supt.General,
Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.,

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August 7, 1913.

Encl.

Dear Sir,-

With reference to Mr. Wilson De Merchant's letter of the 2nd instant, returned herewith, in which he expresses a desire to obtain from this Department fifty acres of land on the Tobique Indian Reserve, to enable him to reach a roadway which adjoins the land applied for, I beg to state that Mr. De Merchant before communicating with you had made application to the Department for this land, and our Agent, Mr. S. P. Waite, at Andover, was informed on the 5th instant, that upon Mr. De. Merchant furnishing a plan and description of the land applied for by a qualified Surveyor, the question of surrender would be submitted to the Indians as required by the Indian Act, and he was also informed that the Department could give no guarantee that the Indians would surrender but if Mr. De Merchant would furnish the plan and description asked for the Department would take the necessary

Hon. J. D. Hazen, K. C.,
Minister of Marine and Fisheries,
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action with a view of a sale to him at the price he offered, namely $4.00 an acre. I do not see that anything further can be done by this Department until Mr. De Merchant furnishes the plan and description required of him.

Sincerely yours,

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Aug 19 1913

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Rec'd Should this not go on 423,978 - 3 Lds

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Sir,—

LANDS BRANCH AUG 22 1913

I am enclosing the block of land asked for by Mr Merchant surveyed by Mr A Hoyt. Mr Hoyt reports that he finds 40 acres burnt land with no lumber in the 10 acres he saw - only a dust of Hemlock, no Spruce or Fir suitable for Logs. nor hard wood Timber — I will call Indians together when you do advise

Your Obedient Servant

S. P. Waite
Indian Agent

asst Deputy and Secretary Dept of Indian Affairs
Ottawa

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~~RETURN to the Surveyor General's Order of Survey dated~~ ..... Survey ..... in favor

of Wilson de Merchant Parish of Perth County of Victoria N.B.

IMPROVEMENTS

[Describe as in the Order of Survey]

Here describe the quality of the land, and how timbered.

Cost of Survey, including men's wages, $.....

Received, $.....

Due, $.....

Surveyed by W. B. Hoyt

Date Aug. 19. 1913

Chas. McQuade
McQuade
} Chainmen

GENERAL REMARKS

The lot of 50 acs. surveyed for Wilson de Merchant is of good agricultural value and fairly level, excepting an abrupt hill, extending partly along the Northerly line. Nearly the whole tract has been burnt over, altho' there is about 10 acres from which a fair amount of hardwood may be taken for fuel. There is no appreciable amount of merchantable lumber

BEGIN

W. B. Hoyt Depy Sur.

FIELD NOTES

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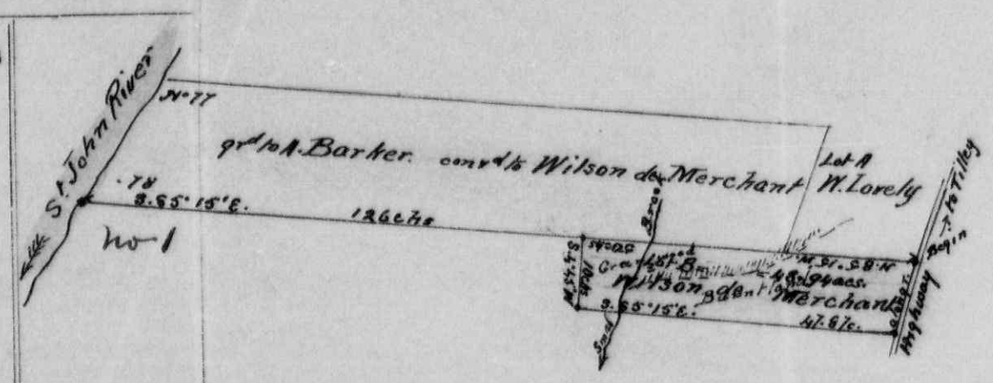

Tobique Indian Reserve
North Side Tobique River

Magnetic Meridian of the Year 1913

Scale 25 chains to an inch.

Please return all plans accompanying order of survey.
Show clearly upon what you have based your survey. Indicate old lines found and say if possible by whom run. Note streams crossed, also the timber and quality of the soil.

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Department of Indian Affairs,

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,
AUG 25 1913
SURVEYS.

Ottawa, 25th aug^t 1913

1st Surveys

Please indicate the land referred to in Field-Notes under on Office plan of Tobique in Lands Br. herewith.

2nd Lands.

N. E. Kemp

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Ottawa, Aug. 28, 1913.
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DESCRIPTION FOR SURRENDER.

Part of the Tobique Indian Reserve in the Province of New Brunswick adjoining a portion of the lands owned by Wilson de Merchant immediately North of the said reserve which part may be described as follows: Commencing at a point on the Northerly boundary of the said Indian Reserve distant one hundred and twenty-six chains measured South~~erly~~ eighty-five degrees fifteen minutes East~~erly~~ along the Northerly boundary of the said reserve from a post planted on the left bank of the St. John River, thence South~~erly~~ four degrees forty-five minutes West~~erly~~ ten chains, thence south~~erly~~ eighty-five degrees fifteen minutes East~~erly~~ parallel with the ~~Northerly~~ limit of the said Indian Reserve forty-seven chains and eighty-seven links more or less to the Westerly limit of the Highway to Tilley, thence Northerly following the said Westerly limit to the Northerly limit of the Indian Reserve, thence North~~erly~~ eighty-five degrees fifteen minutes West~~erly~~ along the Northerly limit of said Indian Reserve fifty chains more or less to the place of beginning; containing by admeasurement forty-eight acres and ninety-four hundredths of an acre more or less.

W. R. White

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(Draft)

Know all Men by these Presents

THAT WE, the undersigned Chief and Principal men of

The Tobique Band of Indians

resident on our Reserve on the Tobique River

in the Province of New Brunswick and Dominion of Canada, for and acting on behalf of the whole people of our said Band in Council assembled, Do hereby release, remise, surrender, quit claim and yield up unto OUR SOVEREIGN LORD THE KING, his Heirs and Successors forever, ALL AND SINGULAR, that certain parcel or tract of land and premises, situate, lying and being in the Tobique Indian Reserve, in the ~~County of~~ and Province of New Brunswick containing by admeasurement forty-eight acres and ninety-four hundredths of an acre be the same more or less and being composed of part of the ~~Tobique~~ Indian ~~said~~ reserve adjoining a portion of the lands owned by Wilson de Merchant immediately north of the said reserve which part may be described as follows: Commencing at a point on the northerly boundary of the said Indian reserve distant one hundred and twenty-six chains measured south eighty-five degrees fifteen minutes east along the northerly boundary of the said reserve from a post planted on the left bank of the St. John river, thence south four degrees forty-five minutes west ten chains, thence south eighty-five degrees fifteen minutes east parallel with the northerly limit of the said Indian reserve forty-seven chains and eighty-seven links more or less to the westerly limit of the highway to Tilley, thence northerly following the said westerly limit to the northerly limit of the Indian reserve, thence north eighty-five degrees fifteen minutes west along the northerly limit of said Indian reserve fifty chains more or less to the place of beginning; ~~containing by admeasurement forty-eight acres and ninety-four hundredths of an acr~~

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TO HAVE AND TO HOLD the same unto His said Majesty THE KING, his Heirs and Successors forever, in trust to sell

the same to such person or persons, and upon such terms as the Government of the Dominion of Canada may deem most conducive to our welfare and that of our people.

AND upon the further condition that all moneys received from the sale thereof, shall, after deducting the usual proportion for expenses of management, be placed to our credit and interest thereon paid to us, in the usual way.

AND WE, the said Chief and Principal men of the said

The Tobique Band of Indians do

on behalf of our people and for ourselves, hereby ratify and confirm, and promise to ratify and confirm, whatever the said Government may do, or cause to be lawfully done, in connection with the sale of the said lands and the disposition of the moneys derived therefrom.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands and affixed our seals this day of
in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and thirteen.

Signed, Sealed and Delivered,

IN THE PRESENCE OF

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Ottawa, September 2, 1913.

Sir,-

Referring to your letter of the 19th of August last and prior correspondence, in connection with land on the Tobique reserve, applied for by Mr. Wilson de Merchant, I beg to inclose form of surrender, in duplicate, which you are hereby authorized to submit to the Tobique band of Indians under and in accordance with the provisions of the Indian Act.

The band should be summoned in accordance with their new rules, notice being given each member of the meeting and the object for which it is being called, and if the surrender is assented to, you should have the date filled in and the document signed by a number of the Indians in your presence and an affidavit of execution made on the form attached by yourself and the Chief and a Principal Man before a stipendiary magistrate or a justice of the peace, and then return the documents to the Department.

You should report the number of male members of the band over twenty-one residing on or near the reserve entitled to vote under the Act; also the number of Indians present at the meeting, the number voting for the surrender and the number against.

Your obedient Servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Acting Deputy Superintendent General of Indian Affairs.

S. P. Waite, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Andover, N. B.

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Ottawa, December 23, 1913.

Sir,-

I beg to call attention to letter addressed you on the 2nd of September last, inclosing a form of surrender of land applied for by Mr. Wilson DeMerchant on the Tobique reserve, and have to request that you will favour the Department at once with a report as to what action has been taken in this matter. The Department is surprised to hear that, apparently, you have taken no action to submit this surrender to the Indians, and you will be good enough to report why you have failed to act in the matter.

Your obedient Servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

S. P. Waite, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Andover, N. B.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

Indian N.B.

Dec. 27 1913

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 423,978
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

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JAN 2 1914

Sir,—

In reply to your 23rd beg leave to report when letter was received from Dept to call meeting of Indians in question of surrender of land wanted by William De Merchant. The Chief being away at time I waited for his return. Then arranged with one of the Councillors to notify Indian of meeting which he promised to attend to but at time for meeting found he did not do it, and again a meeting failed in act of a very severe storm, and again so many of Indians being away to work was advised by Chief Councillor to await their return when they would arrange for meeting and it seems the Chief, or the Councillor have been away so much as well as Indians a favorable time as not presented itself so could have a fairly representive meeting. If you so advise I will call a meeting at once of whoever of the Indian that able to attend and report the result. I have depended on the Chief and Councillors to arrange for a meeting which they did not do.

Is it necessary to have Chief present at meeting

Your Obedient Servant

S. P. Waite
Indian Agent

Asst Deputy
and Secretary
Dept of Indian
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Ottawa, January 3, 1914.

Sir,-

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 27th ultimo giving explanations in regard to your action as to submitting of surrender to the Indians of the land applied for by Mr. Wm. DeMerchant, and in reply to say that the Department considers that you should have acted in this matter with more promptitude, and not delegated the giving of notice of the meeting to the Indians without seeing that such was done. You should give this matter personal attention, and have a meeting called as early as it is possible to secure a representative gathering of the Indians. It will be necessary to have a majority of the Indians attend the meeting to consider the question of surrender. It will not be necessary to have the Chief present at the meeting, as if surrender assented to by the Indians, affidavit of execution may be made by yourself and two of the principal men.

Your obedient Servant,

D. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

S. P. Waite, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Andover, N. B.

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Tobique Reserve

March 7th 1914

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Council held meeting at Tobique Reserve regarding Wilson DeMerchant he has trespassed on the reserve he has built a house and barn and after he built, then he wants to buy forty acres, or permit, to have his road across the reserve We the undersigned councillors and members of Tobique Indian reserve, decide not to sell even one acre of land or give any permit to build any road on the Reserve The resolution passed unanimously that the Indians are decided to remove him at once from the reserve

Joe Perley
John Alexander
Peter Francis
Frank Nicholes

James Devereau
Tom Moulton
William Ellis
Andrew Moulton
Peter Thomas

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Charles Bear
✓ William Solis
✓ Joe S Solis

Councillors John L Solis
Noel Solis

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS MAR 23 1914

Sir,— Lawrence

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Enclosed find a resolution passed by some of the members of Tobique Band. against the selling Land to Wilson De Merchant. this resolution is signed by 16 members two of this, William Solise & Joe S. Solise was not at meeting as there is some 40 voters in Band only about a third of the Band was present yet it may be they express the view of the majority. I may say this meeting was called by councillors without any notice being given me. So many of the Band have been away to work. I did not think it well to call a meeting until later when more of the men would be home and I spoken the councilor about it & he anticipated my doing by calling this meeting. If any instruction to give me regarding this matter please advise

Your Obedient Servant

S. P. Waite
Indian Agent

Asst Deputy and Secretary
Dept of Indian Affairs
Ottawa

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OTTAWA, 26th. March, 1914-

Sir,-

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 21st. Inst. in regard to the question of surrender by the Indians, of the 40 acres applied for by Mr. De Merchant, and in reply to say that it is regretted that you have failed to carry out the expressed instructions of the Department, given you in letters of the 2nd. September last, and the 3rd. January last, and that owing to your non-action in this matter, unnecessary delay has been caused in dealing with the matter. You should call a meeting, as instructed, at the earliest possible moment, giving notice to all Members of the Band, entitled to vote, and submit the question of surrender to them, in accordance with instructions given.

Your obedient servant,

D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

S. P. Waite, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
ANDOVER,
N. B.

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Persuant of Mattice Council Meeting Held at Council Hall at the Tobique Reserve March 30th 1914 Agen Waite in the chair meeting called at 2.10 pm Thomas Moulton appointed by the Band to act as a Chief Councilor Joseph Ellis as clerk of the meeting

Members Present 445067 members present

Noel Solis Coun
John Solis Coun
Thomas Moulton (Chief Coun) Protem
(Joseph Ellis Clerk)
Gabe Solis
Joe S. Solis
Nick J. Solar
Noel Francis
William Ellis
Simon Paul
Frank Tomer
William Solis
John Moulton
Peter Alixander
John Sappier
Charley Nicholas
Joe F. Solis
Peter Francis
Frank Solis
Mathias White

~~Charley Solis~~
Peter Solar
Noel Peters
Gabe Francis
Xavier Francis
Frank Francis
Peter Thomas
Noel Bear
John Alixander
Mitchell Trumbley
Andrew Moulton
James Dawson
Joseph Perley

first matter taken up was the Demurchant case on building on the Reserve on North Side of Tobique River without legal authority Noel Solis 1st got up and to the Band

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that Demurchant had no right to build on
and said that Segest ordered him to remove
Frank Francis also said he (Dermuch) should move
Indian Agent Waite and adressed the meeting
expaing the position Demurchant was in
inspector Bury also explained the same
Noel Salis said that it was useless to pile up funds
at Ottawa without geting any of it for
building repairs Agent Waite said that he saw
no reason why the Dept should refuse to aid the
Band if there was explainable for such purpose
Agt Waite asked the Council for Standing vote
thos in favor selling the land in question for
$8.00 per acre 14
against selling at above offer 13

Second Matter taken up the Matter of leasing the Tobeguis
flat which is at present bringing $25.00 per year for Hay
Noel Salis got up and said that it would be great
benifit to the Band if the mill was build on the flat
the Indians would find constant unployment -
right at home. John Salis got up and said that
the flat should not be sold nor right but leased
for no less than two hundred dollars per year
moved by Noel Salis Standing vote be taken
Seconded by John Salis

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$2.00 per year for 15 years 28
against leacing
Frank Francis 1
John Alixander 2
Charley Bear 3
Noel Peters 4
Noel Bear 5
Joe N. Solis 6

3rd Matter taken up was regarding Seed Plowing and fertilizer moved by Noel Solis
Seconded by Joe Ellis to
ask the Department of Indian Affairs
to purchas $650.00 worth of fertilizer
and 3 $300.50 of Seed and Plowing
motion Carried
general discussion on many minor
Matters and Meeting agoured 5 30 pm

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS APR 7 1914

INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

Andover NB

Apr 4 1914

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
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Lands

445067

Sir,—

I am enclosing a report of Meeting held on Tobique Reserve on 30th March it was quite a large meeting. Nearly all the members of the Band being present the question of Selling Land to Wilson De Merchant at price of $8.00 per acre was submitted to meeting. the vote stood 14 in favor of Selling to 18 against. of those who voted against Selling at 8# per acre they said they were willing to sell at $15.00 another said he was in favor of leasing to De Merchant at some price. The vote puts De Merchant in a hard place

You will also notice the Band voted in favor of leasing Flats at $200.00 per year for term of 10 years & also passed voted asking part of seed fund to extent of $150.00 be used for Fertilizers, as potatoes cannot be raised successfully without it

Asst Deputy
and Secretary
Dept of Indian
Affairs
Ottawa

Your Obedient Servant

S. P. Waite
Indian Agent

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Tobique Indian Reserve

Lawrence N.B. March 3rd 1915

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To the Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa considering it my duty
for the interest of my Band of Indians
and by the request of the council
I beg to reporte to the Department
that Mr Willson Demurchant who has
built a house on the Indian Reserve on the
North side of Tobique River unserrendered
land. and who had no ~~petition~~
permition to build on the said Reserve
has cleared some of the land and has
done considerable cuting. last visit that
inspector Brury paid to the Tobique
called a Council Meeting to deside
this land in question, where Indian
Agent was pesent. and it was desided
by the Council to vote on the Matter
and there were 18 members against selling
the land and 14 for selling now
if the Agent S. P. Waite did not report
the result of this Meeting it is injustice
to the Band. as I have every reason to
believe that the Department would

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have taken the matter up before and on this land in question there are many large green Hard wood trees standing and there was reported to Agent S.P. Waite over 100. trees cut last Spring 1914 wether Agent Waite reported this illegal cutting or not the Band would like to learn and I do hereby further beg to request the Department to advise Mr Wellwin Dimmerchant to leave the Indian lands and timber on the Reserve alone as it is against the wishes of the majority of the members for any lands on the North Side of Tobique River to be Sold to white men hoping that this Department will carfully consider this matter and prevent any injustice being done to our Band

Signed Frank X his mark Francis Chief

witness Tom Moulton

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Ottawa, March 30, 1915.

Dear Chief,-

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 3rd instant, in regard to occupation of land by Mr. Wilson De Merchant. and in reply to say that the matter is receiving attention.

Your obedient Servant,

J. D. McLean

WCD

Assistant Deputy & Secretary.

Chief Frank Francis,

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Ottawa, March 30, 1915.

Sir,-

I beg to inform you that representations have been made to the Department by Chief Frank Francis that Wilson De Merchant is cutting timber on the land occupied by him on the Tobique reserve, and I have to request that you will be good enough to look into this matter and report fully thereon to the Department, advising De Merchant at the same time that no timber should be cut by him until the question of his acquisition of the land has been adjusted.

You will also be good enough to obtain from Wilson De Merchant whatever evidence he has showing that he was given permission by the Indians to take possession of the portion of land he occupies, and upon which he has erected buildings.

Your obedient Servant,

J. D. McLean

Assistant Deputy & Secretary.

S. P. Waite Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Andover, N. B.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

Andover N.B.

April 17 1915

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Sir,–

In reply to your of March 30 in regard to Wilson De Merchant Timber on Land occupied by him on Tobique Reserve. In addition to the "Cruisers" report of no cutting I have statement of Mr. De Merchant that he has not cut any Timber nor a tree of Firewood on this land. neither Green nor dead Timber. Said the Indians cut dead trees for Fire wood and some windfalls the past winter He willing to give a sworn statement if required. He says after submitting his offer of 4.00 per acre for land he at the direction from Dept employed Mr Hoyt to make survey and report for which he paid Mr Hoyt the sum of $6.00. then he talked with Chief Lockwood and several of the Indians who they were in favor of the land being sold to him. Said he had no idea of trespassing, as he expected and was willing to pay more than the valuation of the land in order to obtain it, and now says the Indians can retain every piece of Timber or wood on the land if they Dept will allow him to pay for it a 4.00 per acre for the bare land

Your Obedient Servant

L P Waite
Agent

Asst Deputy
and Secretary
Dept of Indian
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Sir,—

Yours of March 30th to hand. In reply may say Chief Francis had said to me that he thought Wilson De Merchant had cut Timber on Reserve. I sent out two cruisers "Joe Ellis" and "Tom Moulton" and they went all round the Reserve North of Tobique and they reported no cutting by Wilson De Merchant and only found 3 hard wood trees cut any where. those were back of Tilly and not certain they were on reserve as lines between farms and Reserve not easily found in some sections. We have looked well after Lands and probaly the cutting by trespassers. nearer Nil than ever before — As for Wm. De Merchant cutting on land he wishes to acquire. may say. If I remember a right Mr. Hoyt the surveyor gave only a few pieces of green trees on the tract (only about 10 trees) in all) Mr. Wilson has 200 acres adjoining the Reserve mostly green Timber. from ~~this~~ tract he has been hauling Timber and also would to Tobique Narrows. from seeing this fire wood. the Chief has no doubt surmised it might have been cut on reserve. I have written Mr. De Merchant asking him to give me information of his right on Land.

Asst Deputy
And Secretary
Dept on Indian
Affairs
L. P. Waite

Your Obedient Servant

L. P. Waite
Agent

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Ottawa. April 21st.1915.

Sir:-

In reply to your letter of the 17th. instant reporting the statement made by Mr.Wilson DeMerchant in regard to the alleged cutting of wood on the Tobique Reserve, and that Chief Lockwood and other Indians of the Band were in favour of the land occupied by Mr.DeMerchant being sold to him for which he has offered to pay four dollars per acre, I have to request you to ascertain whether or not the majority of the male members of the Band of 21 years and over, residing on or near the Reserve are willing to accept of Mr.DeMerchant's offer, and if not, what advance on this offer would be considered satisfactory.

In view of the fact that the Indians did not complain or protest when Mr.DeMerchant took possession of the land and commenced to build upon it, the Department is of the opinion that they should dispose of the land at a fair price to him, as it would not be in their interest to allow him to

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continue occupying it without paying anything for it,and on the other hand it would not be considered fair to eject him without giving him compensation for his improvements,which after all would not be of much benefit to the Band but rather a source of contention.

Your obedient servant,
J. D. McLean

Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

S.P.Waite Esq.
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Manitowaning, Ont..

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Sir,—

I have the honor to report that Robert Andrew Williamson applies to purchase Lots 28, 29, and 30 Wilson Street, South, and that Edmund James Williamson applies to purchase Lots 29 and 30, Wilson Street, North, in the townplot of Shaftesbury.

I am well acquainted with the above lots and I would recommend that they be sold to the applicants at the upset price on the usual conditions of sale.

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APR 26 1913

Your obedient servant,

Wm McLeod

Indian Agent,

The Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, Ont..

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EX'D.

Ottawa, 7th May, 1913-

Sir,

In reply to your letter of the 23rd Ultimo, submitting an application on behalf of Mr. Robert A. Williamson, for the purchase of Lots 28, 29 & 30, South side Wilson St. and on behalf of Edmund J. Williamson for the purchase of Lots 29 & 30, on the North side Wilson St. all in the Townplot of Shaftesbury, I have to ask whether you have received any other applications for these Lots, and if so, when, and by whom the same were made.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Assistant Deputy & Secretary-

Wm. McLeod, Esq.

Indian Agent,

Manitowaning,

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424 413. Indian Office, Manitowaning,

296 - 13. May, 13th, 1913.

Sir :-

Referring to Official Letter No. 424 413 of the 7th, Inst, asking if I have any applications for Lots 28, 29 and 30, South side of Wilson St. and Lots 29 and 30 on the North side of Wilson St, in the townplot of Shaftesbury.

Mr George Guy has made an application for Lots 28 29 and 30, Wilson St. South, and offers $ 50.00 each for them. There has been several others asking about Lots in Little Current, and they were told that all Lots in Shaftesbury have been applied for.

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Your obedient servant,

Wm McLeod

Indian Agent,

The Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, Ont..

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Indian Office, Manitowaning,

May, 5th, 1913.

Sir :-

LANDS BRANCH
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Referring to my letter of the 23rd, Ultimo, applying for Lots 28, 29 and 30 Wilson St. South, Shaftesbury for Robert A. Williamson, I have the honor to state that George Guy offers $ 50.00 per lot for those three lots, or any one of them.

I would most respectfully recommend that these Lots be offered to Williamson at $ 50.00 per lot, and if he does not care for them at that price that they be sold to George Guy, at this price, on the usual terms.

Your obedient servant,

Wm McLeod

Indian Agent,

The Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, Ont..

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STATUTORY DECLARATION.

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DOMINION OF CANADA,
Dist.
County OF Manitoulin
To WIT:

In the matter of application for cancellation of Lot A Plummer Street North in the townplot of Manitowaning.

I, WE John Thomas Clarke and Robert William Neilson of the village of the Manitowaning, Carpenter and Clerk in the County of Manitoulin

Do solemnly declare that

WE are well acquainted with Lot A Plummer Street, North, in the townplot of Manitowaning.

That the said Lot is not improved, nor occupied, nor has been occupied for the last fifteen years last past.

That this Declaration is made on behalf of Charles William Hamilton.

And I make this Solemn Declaration conscientiously believing it to be true, and knowing that it is of the same force and effect as if made under oath, and by virtue of "The Canada Evidence Act."

DECLARED BEFORE ME AT Manitowaning,
in the County of Manitoulin
this 23rd, day of April 1913.

J. T. Clarke
R. W. Neilson

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IN THE MATTER OF

Application for
Cancellation
of Lot A
Plummers Pt
North

STATUTORY DECLARATION.

Manitowaning

Sale 2779

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Manitowaning, Ont.

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Sir,—

I have the honor to enclose herewith the application of C. W. Hamilton, for the cancellation of the sale of Lot A Plummer St. North, in the townplot of Manitowaning. Sale, No. 2779.

I would most respectfully recommend that the owner be given thirty days in which to make a payment failing which the sale will be libal to be cancelled.

APR 28 1913

Your obedient servant,

Indian Agent.

The Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, Ont..

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Ottawa, 3rd May, I9I3-

EXD.

Sir,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 23rd Ultimo, enclosing Statutory Declaration in connection with the proposed cancellation of the Sale of Lot A. Plummer St. North, Manitowaning, and in reply I have to inform you that you should notify the owner that he will be allowed one month in which to make a payment on the property, otherwise the sale is liable to be cancelled

At the conclusion of the time given, you should report again to the Department stating what action has been taken in the matter, and whether you would then recommend cancellation of the Sale.

WHO

E.F.M

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Assistant Secretary-

Wm. McLeod, Esq.
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning,
Ont.

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78 - 4, Indian Office, Manitowaning,

June, 9th, 1913.

Sir :-

Referring to Official Letter No. 424 914 dated May, 3rd, last, informing me that I should notify the owner of Lot A. Plmmer St. North, Manitowaning, that he would be allowed one month in which to make a payment or the sale would be libal to cancellation.

I have the honor to report having sent notice to the heirs of Thomas Flesher and there has been no attention paid to the notice. As this man is dead and his heirs have all left this part of the country I would most respectfully recommend that this sale be cancelled and the the application of Mr Chas. W. Hamilton receive the favorable consideration of the Department.

Your obedient servant,

W McCoy

Indian Agent,

The Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, Ont..

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424 914-

MEMORANDUM.

Ottawa, 13th June, 1913-

To the Deputy Minister,

Lot A. Plummer St. North, Manitowaning, was sold on the 25th June, 1879, to Charles I. L. Hanson, but now stands by Tax Deed in the name of Thomas Flesher.

I/5 Acre @ $15.00 per Lot --------$15.00
Paid at date of Sale ----------$ 6.00
Balance Principal due ----------$ 9.00
and Interest thereon @ 6 % &c.

Regular Notices were sent for June, 1889, 90, 91. 93, 94 & 95.

On the 23rd April last, Agent McLeod forwarded a Declaration by J. T. Clark & R. W. Wilson, on behalf of C. W. Hamilton, stating that this Lot is unimproved and unoccupied, and has not been occupied for the last 15 years.

E. F. M.

On the 3rd May the Agent was instructed to notify the owner that one month would be allowed, in which to make a payment on the property, failing which the sale was liable to be cancelled.

In letter of the 9th Instant, Agent McLeod now reports that he notified the heirs of Thomas Flasher, but no attention was paid to the notice, and as the owner is dead, and his heirs have all left that part of the country, the Agent recommends cancellation.

In view of the above, I would also recommend that this Sale be cancelled.

W. Sutherland

In charge of Lands & Timber Branch

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Sale 2779-

Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, 16th June, 1913.

WHEREAS Lot A. Plummer St. North, Manitowaning, was sold on the 25th June, 1879, to Charles I. L. Hanson, but now stands by Tax Deed in the name of Thomas Flesher, subject to the conditions of actual occupation, the performance of certain settlement duties, and the payment of equal annual instalments,

AND WHEREAS it has been represented and established to my satisfaction that the conditions under which the said Sale was made have been violated,

NOW THEREFORE by and in virtue of the powers and duties vested in the Superintendent General of Indian Affairs, by the Indian Act, Chap. 81, Sec. 61, Revised Statutes of Canada, 1906, I hereby CANCEL the said Sale, and resume the said land.

E. J. M.

The original of this Document has been removed for retention in the Records of the Indian Land Registry.
REG. NO. X021403 Ronald Francis
Signature
Jan. 21 1974

Deputy Superintendent General of Indian Affairs.

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Ottawa, 17th June, 1913.

E.A.D.

Sir,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 9th Instant, recommending cancellation of the Sale of Lot A. Plummer St. North, Manitowaning, and in reply have to inform you that the Sale of this Lot was cancelled on the 16th Instant, but no disposition of the property should be made without first obtaining special authority from the Department.

E.J.M.

W.A.D.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Assistant Deputy & Secretary-

Wm. McLeod, Esq.
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning,
Ont.

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Lot 29 Cockburn St. N.
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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

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Manitowaning, Ont..

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Sir,

I have the honor to report that Donald McKenzie applies to purchase Lots 32, 33, and 34, Wilson Street South and Thomas Hembruff applies for Lot 29, Cockburn street, North, in the townplot of Shaftesbury.

I would most respectfully recommend that the above Lots be sold to the applicants at the upset price and on the usual conditions of sale. I do not consider they are worth any more.

Your obedient servant,

W. McLeod

Indian Agent,

The Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, Ont..

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EXT.

Ottawa, 7th May, 1913-

Sir,

In reply to your letter of the 25th Ultimo, submitting an application on behalf of Donald McKenzie, for the purchase of Lots 32, 33 & 34, South side of Wilson St. and on behalf of Thomas Hembruff, for Lot 29, North side Cockburn St. all in the Townplot of Shaftesbury, I have to ask whether you have received any other applications for these Lots, and if so, when, and by whom the same were made.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Assistant Deputy & Secretary-

Wm. McLeod, Esq.

Indian Agent,

Manitowaning,

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Indian Office, Manitowaning,

May, 13th, 1913.

Sir :-

Referring to Official Letter 425 072 dated May 7th, asking me if I had any other applications for Lots 32, 33 and 34 South Side of Wilson St. and for Lot 29 North side of Cockburn St. in the townplot of Shaftesbury. I beg to say that there has not been any other applications for those Lots.

Your obedient servant,

Wm McLeod

Indian Agent,

The Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, Ont..

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July IOth, I9I4.

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS JUL 14 1914

Sir :-

I have the honor to report that Mr George Guy, of Little Current has made application for Lots number 30, 32, 33, 34 in the south side of Wilson Street, in the Town-plot of Shaftesbury, offering $ 50.00 per lot, and I would suggest that his offer is quite reasonable.

Your obedient servant,

W M C Lord

IIndian Agent.

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The Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, Ont..

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425,072. Ex'd.

Ottawa, July 17, 1914.

Sir,-

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 10th. instant, regarding application of Mr. George Guy for the purchase of Lots 30, 32,33 & 34, south side of Wilson Street, Shaftesbury, and in reply to say that these lots are not at present in the market.

Your obedient servant,

WAD

W. A. Orr.

In charge Lands & Timber Branch.

Wm. McLeod, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
MANITOWANING,
Ontario.

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Manitowaning, Ont..

April, 24th, 1913. 191

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No.
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

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Sir,—

I have the honor to report that John Richards applies to purchase Lots 27 and 28 Cockburn St. North, in the townplot of Shaftesbury.

I am well acquainted with those lots and I consider the upset price is all they are worth, and I would recommend that they be sold to the applicant on the usual conditions of sale.

LANDS BRANCH
APR 29 1913

Your obedient servant,

W. McLeod

Indian Agent,

The Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, Ont..

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Ret'a to N.C.M.

Ottawa, 3rd May, 1913-

Sir,

In reply to your letter of the 24th Ultimo, submitting an application on behalf of Mr. John Richards, for the purchase of Lots 27 & 28, Cockburn St. North side, Shaftesbury Townplot, I have to ask whether you have received any other applications for these Lots, and if so, when and by whom, the same were made.

Your obedient servant,

E. STEWART

Assistant Secretary-

Wm. McLeod, Esq.
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning,
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Indian Office, Manitowaning,

May, 5th, 1913.

LANDS BRANCH
MAY 9 1913

Sir :-

Replying to Official letter No. 425 074 - dated the 3rd, Inst, in regard to other applications for Lots 27 and 28 Cockburn, St. North, in the townplot of Shaftesbury, I beg to say that John Richards is the only applicant for these Lots.

Your obedient servant,

Wm McLeod

Indian Agent,

The Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, Ont..

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Indian Office, Manitowaning,

May, 5th, 1913.

Sir :-

I have the honor to report that Andrew North has applied to purchase Lot 30, Cockburn St. North, and that Ella V. McKenzie has applied to purchase Lots 31 and 32 Cockburn St. North, in the townplot of Shaftesbury.

I would most respectfully recommend that these Lots be sold to the applicants at the upset price, and on the usual terms of sale. There is not other applicants for the Lots.

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Your obedient servant,

Wm McLeod

Indian Agent,

The Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, Ont..

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Articles of Peace and Amity entered into the Twentieth day of August in the Year of our thousand Eight hundred and fifty one —

Between the Chiefs, Warriors and Young Men of the Chippawa Tribe resident at Newash and Colpoys Bay in the Indian Territory, bounded by Owen Sound and Lake Huron, and the Grand Chiefs of the Mohawk Tribe resident at Caughnawaga in Lower Canada, for and on behalf of their respective Tribes —

Whereas by an Article of Agreement entered into this day, the Chiefs, Warriors and Young Men of the Chippawa Tribe as aforesaid have agreed out of love and good will to their Indian Brethren of the Mohawk Tribe at Caughnawaga, to cede a portion of their Lands to the said Tribe, as a resting Place for the said Tribe, that the Indians may congregate, unite and live together, and assist each other, they the said Chiefs Warriors and Young Men having thus shewn their brotherly love, now require an assurance of love, good will and Peace from the said Mohawk Tribe at Caughnawaga in the event of their acceptance of and settling on the said Tract of Land.

The said Deputation of Grand Chiefs, for and on behalf of the said Mohawk Tribe at Caughnawaga, should their Chiefs, Warriors and Young Men accept of the brotherly and liberal Gift from their Brethren of the Chippawa Tribe

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Tribe aforesaid, do hereby promise and pledge themselves, that their Tribe shall yield precedence or headship to the Chippawa Tribe aforesaid, and for the peace, amity, good will and brotherly love of the said Tribe on their removal to, and settlement on the said Tract of Land, and, also, Covenant and Agree, that if any dispute shall take place between their people, on any cause whatever, that it shall be peaceably and quietly settled by the assembled Chiefs and Head Men of the respective Tribes, and that every endeavor shall be used to keep peace and quietness, and mutual good will, between all their people for ever.

In witness whereof the Chiefs present have hereunto set their hands and seals, the day and year first above written, for and on behalf of their Tribes.

Signed, sealed and delivered, having been carefully read over and explained in our presence.
(Signed) Charles Keeshick
(") Abner Elliott
(") Richard Carney

(Signed) John Jones (L.S.)
(") John Thomas Nabatic (L.S.)
(") Peter Jones Rogedinse (L.S.)
(") Martin Tegarasontie his X Mark (L.S.)
(") Tier Noronatienia his X Mark (L.S.)
(") Jason Onwanoson (L.S.)

A true Copy,
D. F. Napier

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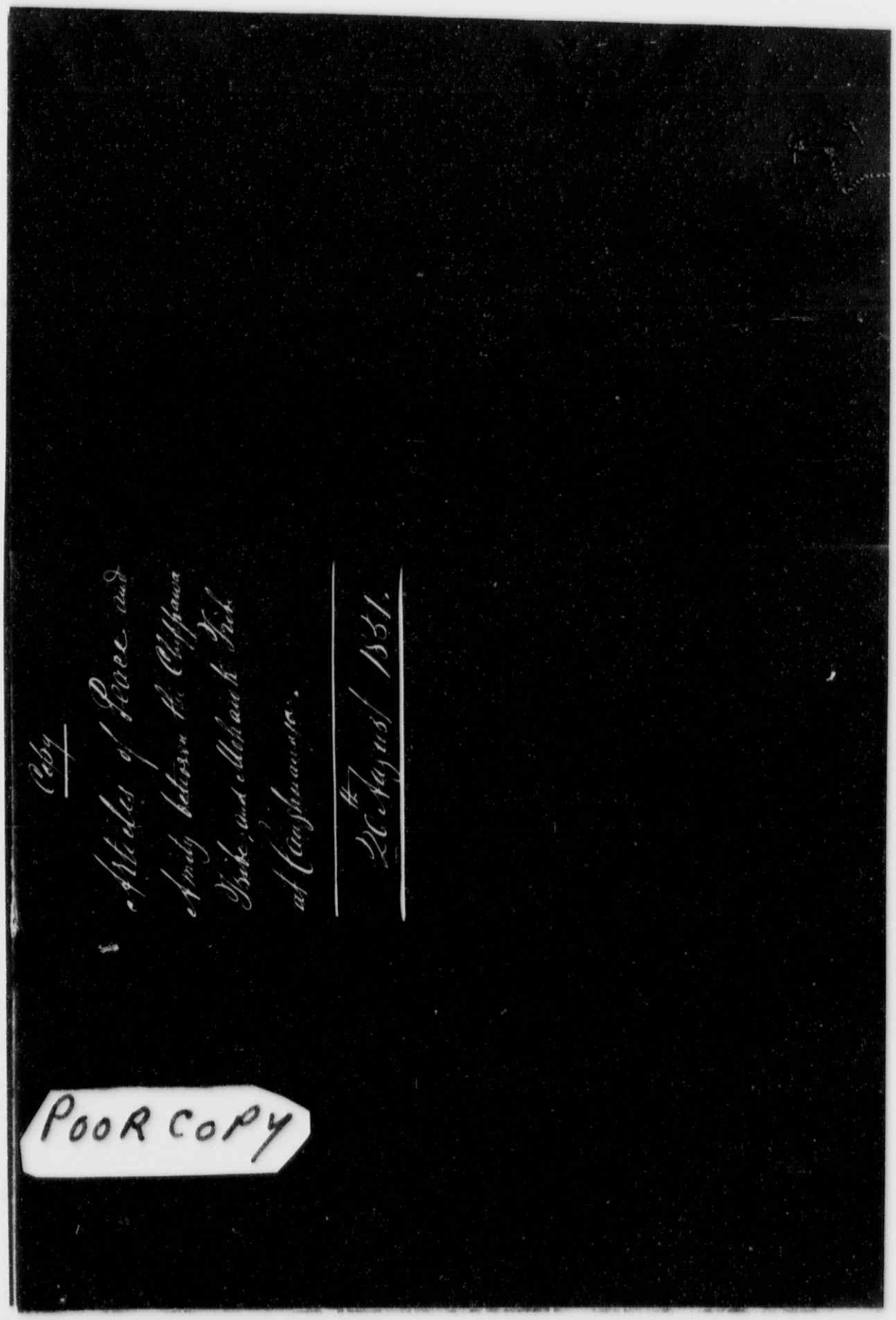

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Articles of Agreement made at Sydenham, this Twentieth day of August in the Year of our Lord One thousand Eight hundred and fifty One, Between the Chiefs, Warriors and Indians of the Chippewa Tribe resident at Newash and Colpoys Bay in the Indian Territory bounded by Owen Sound and Lake Huron of the First Part, and a Deputation of Grand Chiefs from the Mohawk Tribe resident at Caughnawaga in Lower Canada of the Second Part.

Whereas the said Deputation of Grand Chiefs were sent on a Mission from their Tribe to select a suitable location for the said Tribe to remove to A Council Meeting was held this day at Newash of the Parties aforesaid upon it was agreed by the said Parties of the first part to cede to their Brethren of the Mohawk Tribe at Caughnawaga "a Certain Tract or Portion "of Land of the said Territory, the said Tract "or Parcel of Land being bulled and "bounded" by the Tract ceded to the Credit "Indians on the South, and by the Tract "ceded to the Band of Indians under the "Charge of Chief John Jones on the "West, and Colpoys' Bay on the North "and Owen Sound on the East".

The Condition of this Cession by the said Party of the First Part is that the Brethren of the Mohawk Tribe at Caughnawaga shall remove to, and settle

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settle on and improve the said Tract or Parcel Land, said Removal to said Tract to commence if possible in the Fall of this present Year, and the whole Tribe or a Majority of said Tribe to Complete their Removal within two Years from the date of these presents.

The Deputation aforesaid will on their return to their Tribe, submit to the Chiefs Warriors and Young Men of said Tribe, what they shall have done in the premises, and if this Agreement shall be approved of by the said Chiefs Warriors and Young Men, and be sanctioned by His Excellency the Governor General, that then the said Chiefs shall notify the said parties of the first part Namely the Chiefs of Newash and Colborne Bay.

And the said parties of the first part, if the Cession of the said Tract or Parcel of Land, shall be sanctioned and Approved of by His Excellency the Governor General, will give to their Indian Brethren, the said parties of the second part, a Conveyance of the said Land under the hand and Seal of the Chief and Warriors of the said party of the first part, Confirming and Assuring to the said Mohawk Tribe a right of Inheritance in the said Parcel or Tract of Land, hereby Agreed to be Ceded, Coequal and Coextensive with the right of the said Parties of the first part to the surrounding Land, and the said parties

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of the first Part further Agree to bind themselves that no Cession shall be made of any of the said Territory, not now Ceded or Agreed to be Ceded to the Government without the Consent of their Brethren of the Mohawk Tribe from Caughnawaga

In Witness whereof the Parties to these Presents have hereunto set their hands and seals for on behalf of their respective Tribes the day and Year first above written.

Signed, sealed and delivered, having been first read over and explained in our presence.

(Signed) Charles Keeshick
(") Abner Elliott
(") Richard Carney

(Signed) John Thomas Nabatia
(") Peter Jones Kegedonne
(") John Jones
(") Martin Tejanasoulie his + mark
(") Peter Horawakeula his × mark
(") Saron Onwanoron

A true Copy,

H Clapier

This Agreement is approved and sanctioned by His Ex[illegible] the Governor General with the following Revises.

1st That the Chiefs or a majority thereof of all the Bands re[illegible] within the Reservation commonly called the Sauger [illegible]

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are consenting parties thereto.

2d That the settlement shall be made on the North instead of the South side of Kalpogs Bay unless some reason which His Excellency shall deem good and sufficient can be shown against such arrangement.

3d That the Mohawk Indians shall not be entitled as of right to more than 100 acres for each family unless

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Articles of Agreement for Cession of Land.
Chippewa Tribe
&
Mohawk Tribe
at
Caughnawaga.

20th August 1851

with the special permission of the Governor General.

4th That they shall not introduce any white person whatsoever on the Tract without leave from the Governor General being previously obtained.

5th That in all respects they shall conform themselves to the rules and regulations laid down by the Government in regard to the other Indians inhabiting that District.

Indian Dept
Quebec 18th May 1852

By Command
signed / R. Bruce
Dept Genl
Indian Affairs

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Indian Office
Montreal 15th May 1852

Sir,

In accordance with the Instructions conveyed to me in your letter of the 6th Instant, respecting the Party of Caughnawaga Indians who visited Quebec on the previous day, for the purpose of submitting to the Governor General the Petition No. 5922, I have distinctly expressed to these Indians His Excellency's disapprobation of their repeated infraction of the Rule of the Department on this subject, and stated, that as I am bound to transmit for His Excellency's information, any representations they may desire to lay before Him, if respectfully worded, the practice of making personal visits to the Seat of Government is as useless, as it is inconvenient and expensive to them, and must, except where leave has been previously granted, be discontinued.

The Grand Chiefs of the Mohawks at Caughnawaga received with much satisfaction, the intimation of His Excellency's sanction to the arrangement entered into between the Chiefs of the Chippawa Indians resident on the Saugeen Reserve and three of their Chiefs, acting in the Name and on the behalf of the Tribe, and they humbly hope, that no circumstances may occur to render it expedient to make any alteration in the location assigned to them.

Colonel
The Honorable Robert Bruce
Superintendent General I.A.

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them by the Articles of Agreement of the 20th
August last, in which the proposed Cession
is described as "A Certain Tract or Portion of
"Land of the said Territory: the said Tract, or
"Parcel of Land, being butted, and bounded by the
"Tract ceded to the Credit Indians on the South;
"and by the Tract ceded to the Band of Indians
"under the Charge of Chief John Jones on the
"West; and Colpoys Bay on the North, and Otora
"Sound on the East."—

The Chiefs accept with dutiful respect,
and will strictly adhere to, His Excellency's
Considerate Advice with regard to certain preliminaries,
such as determining the Extent of the Tract
selecting the Spot best adapted for their
Residence, and other preparatory Steps, which
Could be better performed by a Small
than a large body of those intending to Remove.

I have not failed to remind these
Indians, that they will be subject to
all the Regulations which the Government
shall Adopted, or may hereafter adopt, on the
subject of the Indians, or the General Management
of the Indians in the Upper Province.

At the Request of the Mohawk
Chiefs I transmit for His Excellency's
inspection and Approval, the Original

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"Articles of Agreement", and the "Articles of Peace and Amity," entered into at the date abovementioned, between them and Certain Chiefs, or Head Men, of the Chippewa Tribe, and I also forward Certified Copies of these documents agreeably to your directions.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obedient
Humble Servant
D C Napier

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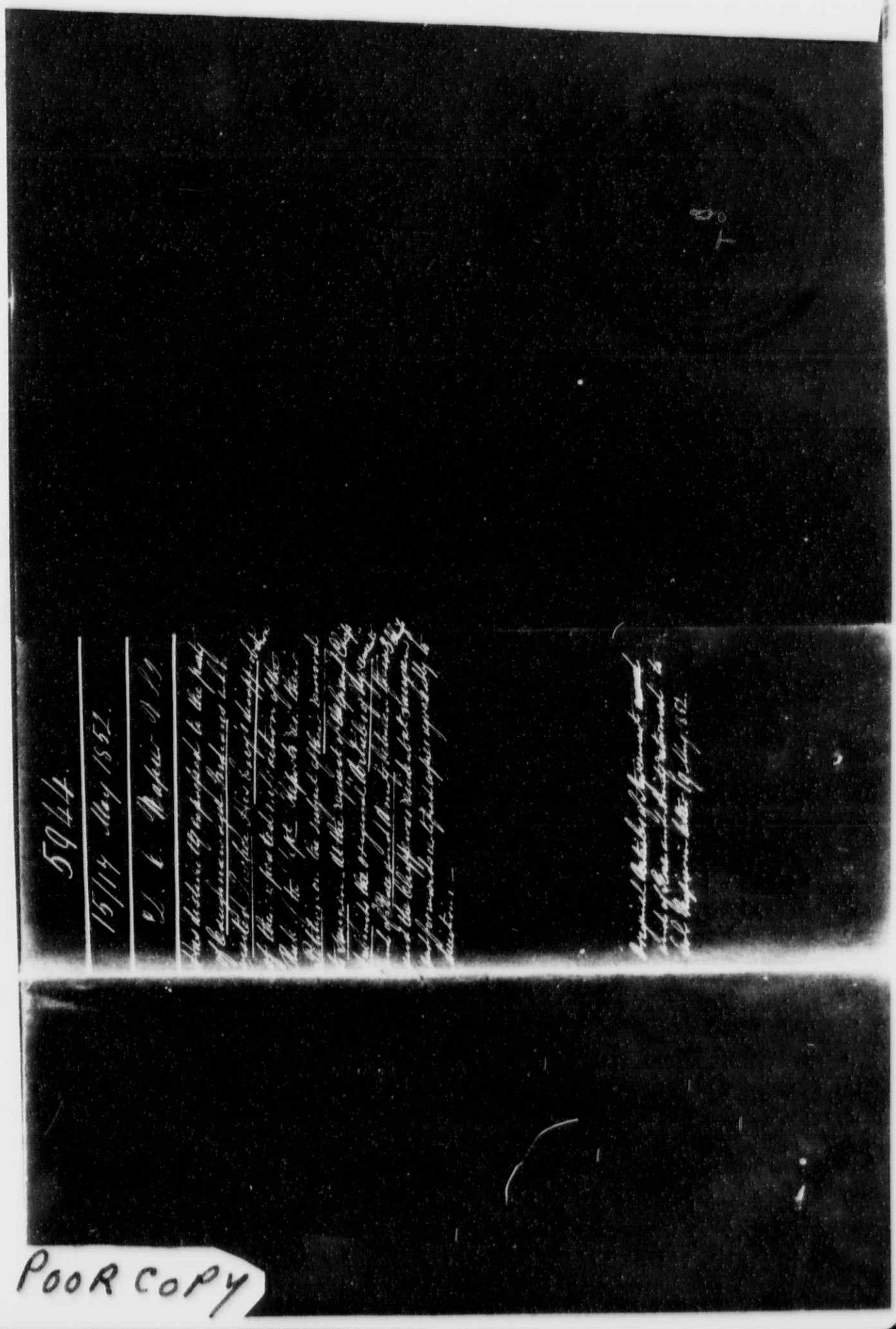

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This Agreement is
Approved and sanctioned by
Hs Excellency the Governor General
with the following provisos —

1st That ~~the~~ Chiefs or a Majority
thereof ~~of them~~ of all the Bands resident within
the Reservation commonly called the
Saugeen Reserve are consenting
parties thereto —

2d — That ~~unless some sufficient~~
~~and satisfactory~~ the Settlement shall
be made on the North instead
of the South side of Colpoys Bay
unless some ~~good and sufficient~~
reason which ~~of~~ shall deem good sufficient
can be shown against

That Distrct —
Indian Dept
Quebec 18 May 1852

By Command
signed R. Bruce
Supt Genl
Indian Affairs

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such arrangement —

3 That the Mohawk Indians shall not be entitled as of right to more than 100 acres for each family — ~~[illegible]~~ [illegible] with the special permission of the Govr. Genl.

4th That they shall not introduce any white person whatsoever on the Tract without ~~the permission~~ leave from the Governor General being previously obtained

5 That in all respects they shall conform themselves to the rules and regulations laid down by the Government in regard to the other Indians inhabiting that District —

Indian Dept
Quebec 18 May 1852

By Command
signed R. Bruce
Supt. Genl.
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Owen Sound 25th June 1852

Sir,

With reference to the Arrangement entered into between the Owen Sound Indians, and the Mohawks of Caughnawaga on the 20th August 1851. I have the honor to enclose a Statement of what transpired at a Council held on the subject at this place, by which it appears that the Saugeens did not take a part in that Arrangement and therefore declined to give their Consent to the instrument.—

I have the honor to be
Sir,
Your most Obedient
Humble Servant

W. Anderson
I.S.A.

Lt. Colonel
The Honble. R. Bruce
S. G. I. A.
&c. &c. &c.
Toronto

Father's council. We thought we had
[illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible]

Owen's Sound 26th June 185[illegible]

The Chiefs and principal men from
Saugeeng having arrived I called the
two Tribes of Owen's Sound and Saugee[illegible]
together in Council - And having read
and explained to them the arrangement
entered into on the 20th of August 1851
between the Owen's Sound Tribe and
Mohawk Chiefs from Caughnawaga
I then asked the Saugeengs if they
were consenting to the arrangement
and also I would get a paper ready for them
to sign in which they would inform
their Great Father that they approve
of the arrangement.—

John the wa quo um [illegible] Saugeeng Speaker
rose and said — When the Mohawks ca[illegible]
last year to ask for land we thought
we would talk the matter over with th[illegible]
and give them a piece of our reserve - bu[illegible]
would not have consented. neither do w[illegible]
now consent to give them any authori[illegible]
or control over our land, our money or o[illegible]
property belonging to us — We shall be
always glad to see them as our brethren
help them as far as we are able, but
did not intend to give them a paper
without writing to you for our G[illegible]
Father's consent. We thought we wo[illegible]
n[illegible]

[illegible]ions: A. We did not know that the writing

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not give a right of land to any one with-
out our Great Father's permission—as
he has always taken such great care of us.
This was our mind last year; but we
had no opportunity of telling our thoughts
therefore we the Saugeeng Indians do
not consent to sign the agreement made
by the Owen's Sound Indians last year.
Query by T. G. Anderson— Were you not
consulted by the Newash (O. S.) Indians
last year and did you not give your consent
to the agreement then entered into? —
Answer. by their Speaker— When the
Caughnawaga's came here last year, word
was sent to us to come over and meet
them in Council here— We would not
come; but sent back a message for them
to come to us— but they did not do so.—
Question by T. G. A: What are your objections
to signing the agreement now?
Answer by Chief Alexander Aba-twa-ash-
We acknowledge that our Great Father
should rule over us; but we will not
consent that the Albanians should have
any control over our property.
Q. Were you informed of this agreement
last year?
A. by Alexander. Viz— We heard of it.
Q. Why did you not then write a letter &
inform your Great Father of your objec-
tions?
A. We did not know that the writing

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was gone, and we thought our Great Father would not do any thing on the subject without sending you first to explain the matter to us.

Q. Have you any other reasons for not signing the paper (agreement)?

A. None: but those already given.—

Q. Do you consider that the Saugeeng Tribe have an equal right with the other Tribes (Owen's Sound inclusive) residing on the tract at present to the lands granted to the Mohawks?

A. We do: It belongs to all the Tribes living on it: it has never been divided in parts to each band.—

Q. Have you any objections to give the Mohawks such quantity of land and in such situation as your Great Father may see fit, provided they keep within the bounds of such gift or grant?—

A. No: we have no objection to give them land in such place as our Great Father may direct.

Q. Have you any thing more to say

A. No: we have done.

W. Anderson
S. I. A.

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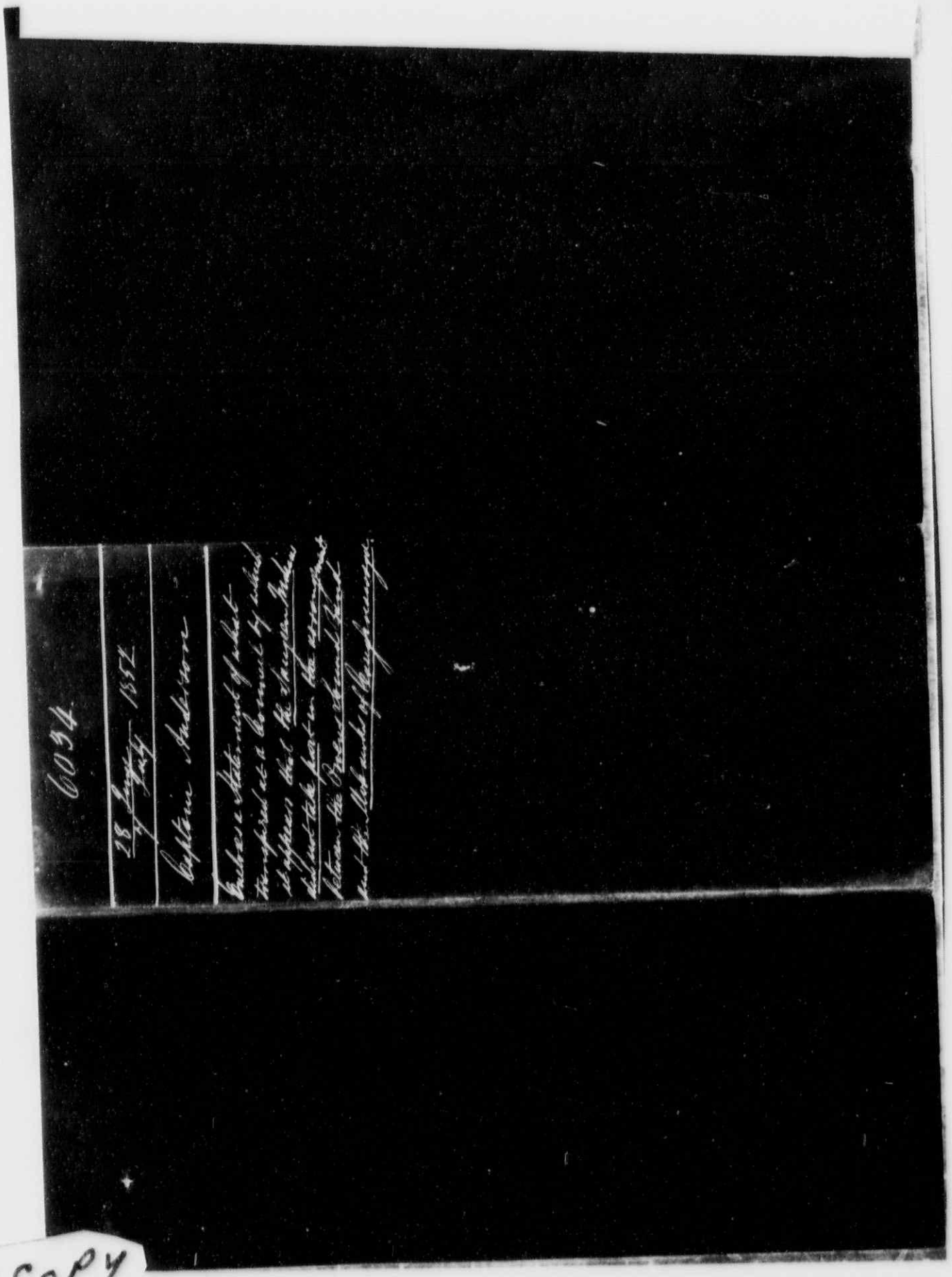

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Indian Office,
Montreal 7th May 1853

20th April 1853

Sir

In transmitting the Accompanying Petition from Certain Indians of Caughnawaga, who profess to be desirous of Removing to the Owen Sound Settlement, I beg leave to State, that the Petitioners have been informed, that they cannot be permitted to sell their Houses and Lands in the Seigniory of the Sault St Louis to White Men; but that there would be no Objection to their disposing of such Property to Other Members of the Iroquois Tribe.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obedient
Humble Servant
J. C. Napier

Lt Colonel
The Honorable Robert Bruce
Superintendent General
Indian Affairs.

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Sault St. Louis 20th Avril 1853.

A Son Excellence le Gouverneur General
A Quebec.

Mon Père en vous fait
bien nos compliment, et Mon Père je
prend la liberty de vous faire asavoir que „nous autre les
sauvages nous somme pas capable de lessé le
village, la raison pour quoi, Mon Père, ces
bien de valeur de partire dessi et de ne pas
avoir la liberty de vendre nos proprieté à
qui lon vous droiut, Mon Père si vous voulez
absolument quand parte dessi on voudrai
bien à voir la métrise de vendre notre
butin à qui le bon nous sembleras, et de
nous permettre de retirez tous nos prétention
et alors nous partiron, Mon Père ce
bien de valeur de partire dessi avec ri
nous avon pas la métrise de louez nos ter
au Blanc nes nos Maison les Chefs
son toujour à la rencontre de nous au
commen voulez vous Mon Père que nou
peuvons partire dessi avec rien à présen
Mon Père les Chefs on commencer de à
donnée un des Chemain pour crier qui c
tous nos terre à trouver la seigneurie a
le Rail Road qui nous cause bien du dom
bien vite Mon Père ou nauras pa
de terre pour nous faire vivre.

Mon Père on vous demand
à present de nous rendre la Rai
de ce que nous vous demandon aujou
et nous on vous diras combien

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de famille qui veulent partir si
nous sommes contemp de la raiponse
que vous allez nous donnée,
Mon Père on voudraient bien avoir
la liberty de vous parlez à vous même
en votre presence on pouraient vous faire
comprendre les chose plus distingement
que par lettre.

Mon Père nous somme
vos enfans pour la vie.

Ignace × Kanezatiron
Ignace × Atenharpa
Charles × Skanazati
Joseph × Taioroniote
Jacque × Shohahiio

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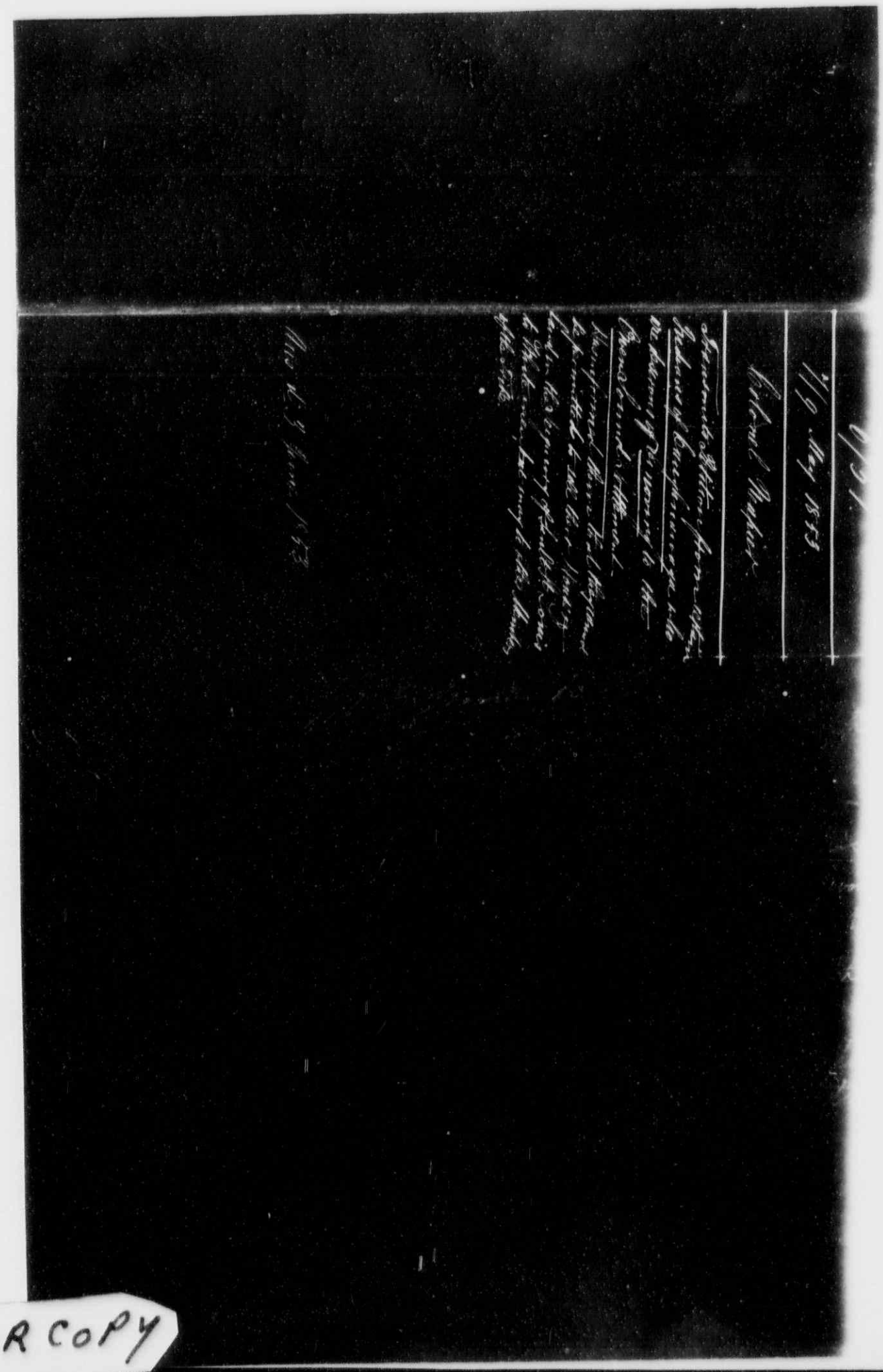

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Colonel Napier
Montreal

Indian Department
Quebec 3d June 1853.

Sir,

In reply to your letter of the 7th Ultimo and the Petition which you enclosed therein from certain Indians of Caughnawaga I am directed to state that as steps are now being taken to set apart Lands for the Indians in Lower Canada the Governor General thinks that the Petitioners would act unwisely were they to leave the Lower Province before that arrangement is completed. With respect to the sale of their lands and improvements I have to remark that property of that description within the Seigniory can only be disposed of to Indians as long as the Seigniory continues to be an Indian Reserve.

I have &c
Signed R. Bruce
Superintendent General

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Indian Office,
Montreal 12th November 1853

Sir

In reply to Your Letter of the 8th instant I transmit a Return of the Indians who removed from the Sault St Louis to the North Side of Colboys Bay in the Months of July and August 1852, under the Authority conveyed to me with Your Letter of the 19th May 1852, and I have to report that the several Provisos endorsed upon the Articles of Agreement between the Sangeen and Caughnawaga Chiefs therein referred to were fully explained to the Iroquois Chiefs and Warriors in Council, on the 25th of May 1852.

I have the honour to be
Sir
Your most Obedient
Humble Servant
L. C. Sabine

St Colonel
The Honorable Robert J. Bruce
Superintendent General
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List of the Indians of Caughnawaga Tribe who left their Village to Establish themselves Near Colpoy's Bay on Lake Huron in the Year 1852.

Name	Men	Women	Boys 9 to 15	Boys 5 to 9	Girls 9 to 14	Girls 5 to 9	
Thomas Thahaiase	2	1	1	"	1	"	Warrior Chief
Saksarie Sotoken	1	"	"	"	"	"	
Charles Tekaniatarekwen	1	1	"	"	"	"	
J. Bapt: Kaiehenrat	1	1	1	"	1	"	
Gervase Saiawennitakeren	2	3	1	"	"	"	
Jacques Teiotekane	3	1	"	"	"	"	
Thomas Tekaienwahontere	3	2	1	"	1	"	
Michel Awenrathon	1	2	1	"	"	"	
Pierre Tsiohahisin	1	1	1	"	"	"	
Ignace Tehasonterha	1	1	"	"	"	"	
Jacques Sakohiatentha	2	1	"	1	1	"	
Louis Taiorhenseré son	1	"	"	"	"	"	
Total 44 persons	19	14	6	1	4		

I Certify, that the Abovenamed Indians left Caughnawaga in the Months of July & August 1852.

Ignace Giasson
Interpreter

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12/14 November 1853.

Colonel Napier

Transmits a Return of the Indians who removed from the Sault St. Louis to the North Side of Colpoys Bay in 1852 – The several provisos were fully explained – In reply to Supt. Genl's letter of 8th Instant

Copy sent by letter to Captain Anderson 15th Decr 1853.

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Captain Anderson
S. I. 16

Indian Department
Quebec 15th Decr 1853

Sir,

In the early part of last year the Caughnawaga Indians submitted to this Department a document in which the Saugeen Indians agreed to grant to them a certain tract of land lying to the South of Colpoys Bay. As that Peninsula was originally reserved for the Indians generally and the lands at Caughnawaga are insufficient for the wants of the Tribe His Excellency did not feel disposed to prohibit the partial emigration to the Saugeen Peninsula but he gave his assent on the following terms.

1st That the Settlement should be on the North instead of the South side of Colpoys Bay –

2d That the amount of land to be granted to each family should not exceed 100 acres

3d That with respect to Presents they should be governed by the regulation now in force among the Indians in the settled Districts of Upper

Upper Canada.

4th That they should introduce no white persons on their lands without the permission of the Department

I was not aware till recently that any of these Indians had availed themselves of this privilege and no provision therefore was made with regard to their Presents last Autumn. I have now received from Colonel Napier the enclosed list of the Indians who have removed from Caughnawaga – You will be pleased to ascertain whether they have conformed to the conditions attached by the Governor General to the Grant and in such case inform them that I will submit their claim for the commutation for their Presents at the rates allowed to the other Indians in Upper Canada last year for His Excellency's consideration to be paid to them in such manner as may appear most convenient

The Provincial Government having recently set apart certain lands in Lower Canada for these Indians their further emigration to the Saugeen Reserve has been prohibited

I have &c
signed / C. Bruce
Supt Genl

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To - His Excellency William Rowan Esquire
C: B: Administrator of the Government of the
Province of Canada, and Lieutenant General
commanding Her Majesty's Forces in Canada.
&c: &c: &c:

May it please your Excellency. —

The Petition of the Odjebwa Indians residing upon the Peninsula west of Owen Sound Lake Huron, Most respectfully —

Sheweth - That pursuant to an arrangement entered into between your Petitioners and certain Chiefs of the Caughnawaga Indians made in the Fall of the year 185 Thirty six families of the said tribe of Caughnawagas came to and settled upon lands to the Northward of ~~and adjoining~~ the Village of Nawash on Owen Sound; and that they ~~have~~ built houses and otherwise improved the said lands so settled upon by them.

And that subsequent to such settlement to wit on the first day of this present month of January 1854 your Petitioners were informed by letter (bearing date 20th December 1853) received by them in Council written to the said thirty six families of Caughnawaga Indians by the Honl. the Superintendant General of Indian affairs, by which said letter, the said Superintendant informs them the said Caughnawagas that it is the wish of your Excellency's government that they should leave their said location and remove to the Northern side of Colpoys Bay in accordance with an arrangement heretofore made with the Chiefs of the said Caughnawagas, which arrangement was by ~~by~~ no means understood by the said thirtysix families before named, and that they were not aware of the wish of

your

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your Excellency's government as to a particular location until their receipt of the letter above referred to

Your petitioners would therefore pray that (as their brethren the Caughnawagas have settled upon and improved the said lands for farming purposes) they may be allowed by your Excellency to remain where they are

And that your Excellency may be pleased to grant unto each of the said thirty-six families of Caughnawaga Indians one hundred acres of land at the said place being ~~immediately~~ north of the Village of Nawash on Owen Sound.

And your Petitioners as in duty bound will ever pray

Signed by us on behalf of the Odjebwy Tribe of Indians of which we are chiefs at Nawash in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty four on the third day of the first month, January

In Council !!

Saugeeng Chiefs { Their Alexander Madwayosh
John Kaduhgegwon

Newash Chiefs { John T. Waubudick
Peter S. Kegidoonce

Colpoy's Bay Chief { Thomas Ney
Marks

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Petition
to
His Excellency
William Rowan Lyn
administrator
of the
Government of Canada
by
The Edgebrook Tribe
of
Indians
—

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Indian Office
Cobourg 28th January 1854

Sir,

I have the honor to enclose a Petition to His Excellency the Administrator of the Government from the Owen Sound and Saugeen Indians and Mr Kushicks letter which [illegible] it—

I have the honor to be
Sir,
Your Most Obedient
Humble Servant
T. G. Anderson
S. I. A.

Lt. Colonel
The Hon'ble R. Bruce
S. G. I. A.
&c. &c. &c.
Quebec

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Owen's Sound 10th January 1853

Sir

I am desired by the Chiefs of Saugeeng, Nawash and Colpoy's Bay to send you this Petition to be forwarded by you immediately to Head Quarters— & soon as you receive an answer to it please to send it up to the Chiefs

I am,
Sir
your Obdt Servt
Charles Neshick

J G Anderson Esqr
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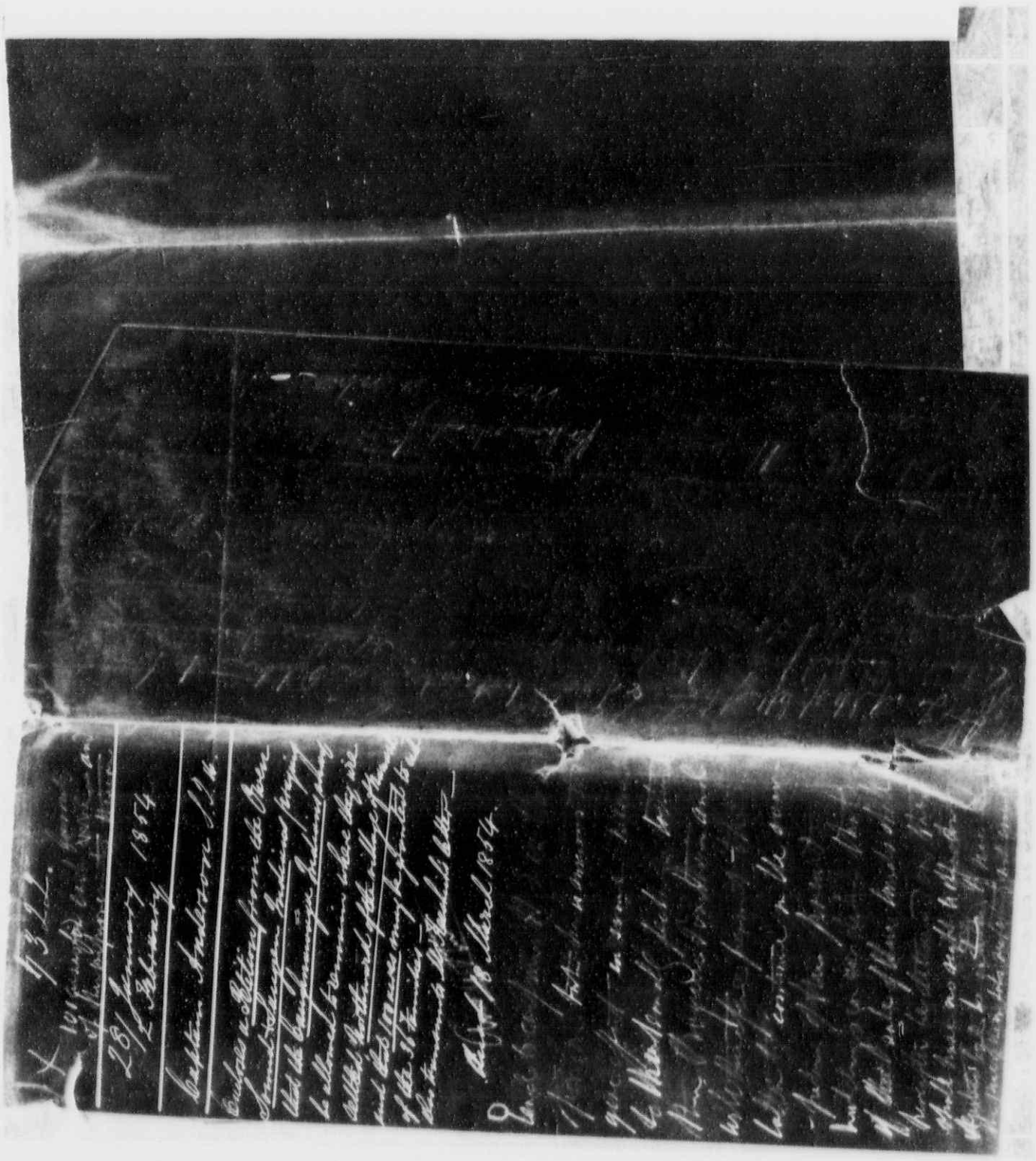

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Captain Anderson

Indian Department
Quebec 15th March 1854

Sir,

7322 In reply to your letter of the 28th Ult. last enclosing a Petition to His Excellency the Administrator of the Government from the Saugeen & Owen Sound Indians I am directed to state that the Iroquois Indians of Caughnawaga were distinctly informed both verbally and in writing that the Govt. Genl. would only consent to their settling on the Saugeen Reserve on condition that they should locate themselves to the North of Colpoys Bay. This was done in order to protect the interests of the Indians occupying the Reserve as it seemed extremely probable that it would be for their advantage to sell the Southern portion of it as land in that vicinity increased in value. Circumstances tend to confirm His Excellency in that opinion but he is anxious to give effect in some measure to their kindly feelings towards their Iroquois Brethren and will therefore permit the latter to continue in the occupation of their present buildings on condition that if the sale of these lands shall hereafter be determined on they shall have no right to offer any objection but be entitled to receive the price of their Lots respectively not exceeding 100 acres for each family and of the improvements thereon.

I have &c
signed / R. Bruce
Supt. Genl.

P.S. This permission only to extend to the families already located

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Ours Sovrne 26th July 1855

Dear

Please let us know as soon as you can conveniently what the government is disposed to do in regard to the arrangement entered into by us & you relative to a portion of our land in this section of country as we are very deserous of knowing what the issue is likely to be, in order to know how to make other arrangements. Please let us know at the same time how much it is likely to be for each person,

I oblige your Hble servts
on behalf of the Band
Dsean Kaiahenrat
Chief

Sighagay Jr

P.S.
When you write please write in our own language

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Caughnawaga Settlement
Owen Sound Peninsula 26th July 1855

Dear Sir

In accordance with your request when you were up here lately we send you herewith a list of families, individuals composing our band at this place

Names	men	Wives	Wom.	Children		Total
Atonwa the haia se	1	~~Wife~~	1		4	6
Atonwa te Ka ion wa hon te re	1	"	1		6	8
Tsia wis saia wen ni ta ke ron	1	"	1		1	3
Tsian ka ia hen rah	1	"	1		6	8
Hon wa ri Kon wa Kwi ta	[illegible]	"	1		3	4
Sakotten the tha	1	"	1		5	7
Nishe sakote ri i otha	1	"	1		5	7
Sa ro te Ka ni a ta re Kwe	1	"	1		2	4
Sose o ra Kwa Ken	1	"	1		2	4
Saksa ri e ota to Ken	1	"	1		0	2
Sawd te wen ni to Ken	1	"	1		1	3
Hen i as ne Ka ra Kwa sa	1	"	1		1	3
men	11	Women	12	Children	36	59

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EXTRACT FROM REPORT OF PENNEFATHER, TALFOURD AND WORTHINGTON ON THE CHIPPEWAS OF NEWASH.

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The numbers of this band are 238. The births and deaths during the year 1856, as given by their Missionary, were respectively 9 and 33. The band is however recruited from time to time by stray members of different tribes; while considered therefore as Chippewas, they reckon among their strength a few Pottawatamies, Ottawas and Iroquois. There are too some individuals adopted from other tribes. The Iroquois who are found here, are some families who have intermarried with the Pottawatamies, and are now incorporated with the Chippewas. They originally formed a portion of a party who came from the Sault St. Louis in Lower Canada, whence they were induced to emigrate some years ago, in consequence of difficulties arising there, and were located in the Saugeen territory by the Earl of Elgin. Finding themselves however from their position there deprived of the services of a Clergyman of their own persuasion, and from other causes, the majority of them returned last year to Caughnawaga and St. Regis, leaving a few of their number as above stated.

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No. 331.

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS that we the undersigned Chiefs and Warriors of the Caughnawaga Band of Indians now residing on that piece or parcel of land described and marked on Messrs. Dennis and Boulton's map of the Saugeen Indian Peninsula as the "Reserve of the Caughnawaga Indians a copy of which is hereunto annexed. In consideration of the sum of Six Hundred and seventy two pounds and two shillings of lawful money of Canada to us in hand paid by the Indian Department of the said Province, the receipt whereof we do hereby acknowledge. Have by these presents sold assigned transferred and set over unto the said Indian Department the said "Reserve of the Caughnawaga Indians--Saving and excepting and always reserving out of the same Three hundred acres of land for the benefit of three families of the said Band of Indians (intending residents on the same) to be chosen decided upon and appointed by the said Indian Department.

To have and to hold the same unto the said Department upon the trusts and for like purposes of other lands held by the said Department for the benefit of the Indians.

In Witness Whereof we have hereunto set our hands and seals at the town of Sydenham in the County of Grey this Fourth day of September in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty six.

In Presence of	Atonwa x Tehaiase	(L.S)
Isaac May	Atonwa x Tekaisnwaontere	"
M. Anderson,	Thawis x Saiagonnitakeren	"
Certified to have been	Wishe x Sakstishottha	"
executed in my presence	Sak x Sakshenthetha	"
T.G.Anderson.	John x Kaiahendat	"
S.I.A.	Roron x Tharontawakon	"
	Sara x Thekaniatarekon	"
	Sose x Letonha	"
	Sagatus x Tegennitoken	"
	Hennias x Karkwasa	"
	Saksarie x Otsetokon	"
	Sose x Orakwaken	"

Toronto 6th September, 1856.

Sir,-

I have the honour to report to you that in obedience to your instructions of the 2nd Instant I proceeded to Owen Sound and have now to Enclose a quit claim from the Caughnawaga

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Indians, signed by thirteen of the Heads of families, releasing to the Department all their right and title to that part of the Saugeen Peninsula which had been reserved for their use and benefit. Excepting Three hundred Acres from which Three families decline removing, such Three hundred Acres to be allotted to them in such part as the Department may see fit.

They are desirous thatthe amount of £672.2/ Cy. should be sent to Mr. Alex McNabb for distribution among them with as little delay as possible so that they may be enabled to remove at once.

I have the honour to be Sir,
Your most obedient humble servant

T. G. Anderson,
S.I.A.

R.T.Pennefather, Esq.,
Supt. Genl. Toronto. C.W.

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Agreement of 9th Feby 1857

No-79.

To all to whom these presents shall come.-

Be it known that whereas Peter Jones Kegedonce, George A. Tabegwun, John Thomas Wabatick, John Snake, Abner Ellito, John Johnson and Charles Keeshick, on the part of the Chippewa Indians residing at Nawash, Owen Sound; and Baptist Beauvin, a Mohawk Indian, residing on the Caughnawaga Tract, on the north shore of Owen Sound, on the part of the three Caughnawaga families who remain locatedon said tract, were appointed by their respective people at a full Council to proceed as a deputation to Toronto, for the purpose of treating with their Father the Governor General for a surrender of the reserve which they respectively occupy.

And whereas the contemplated treaty between the Crown and the said Nawash Indiansfor the surrender of the aforesaid reserve has been this day made and executed, it is deemed by all the parties named desirable that the said Caughnawaga families should also surrender and yield up to the Crown the lands which they occupy in the aforesaid Caughnawaga settlement, and remove to Cape Croker with the Nawash Band, and it is therefore agreed upon by all the contracting parties that the said three Caughnawaga families consisting of fifteen persons, including men, women, and children, shall and hereby do yield up the said three lots, to wit: thirteen, seventeen, and eighteen, to the Crown, for the purpose of being sold in common with other surrendered land, for the benefit of the Chippewa Indians of Nawash, and will remove therefrom when required by the Governor General to do so, and the members of the Nawash Tribe do hereby admit the said Caughnawaga Indians to a full share and participation in all revenues and privileges enjoyed or to be enjoyed by the said Nawash Band.

It is further agreed that the heads of the said three Caughnawaga families, viz: Baptiste Beauvin, Louis Beauvin and Michel Montour shall be entitled to receive out

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of the first payment by the purchasers of said land the appraised value of their respective buildings and other improvements, also the further sum of ten pounds per head to each member of their respective families, and on removing to Cape Croker they will be located on twenty-five acre lots in like manner as is agreed upon by the treaty already named. Provided always, that this agreement shall not be held as binding unless the majority of the Nawash Band concur therein, which concurrence or dissent from it is required to be expressed before Richard Carney, Esquire, within one month from this date.

In Testimony Whereof, the parties hereunto affix their hands and seals, at Toronto, this ninth day of February, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven.

L.S.

Read, explained through the interpreters. Signed, sealed and delivered in presence of us:
W. R. Bartlett,
Michael Turnor,
S. Y. Chesley.

)Peter Jones Kegedonce(totem),
)George A. Tabagwun,(Totem) "
)John T. Wabatick (totem) "
)John Snake (totem) "
)Abner Elliot, "
)John x Johnson, "
Charles Keeshick, "
BAptist x Beauvin, "

Approved,
R. T. Pennefather,
Supt. Genl.

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"in the Surrender made the 9th July 1857."
No 82. — This Surrender made provision for a payment of £10 to each Chippewa — and the Agreement bearing the same date, was evidently intended to confer a like advantage on each Iroquois — . — Upon reading over the Surrender, it appears no provision is made for allotting more than one location of 25 Acres to each Chippewa family: and taking the two documents together, I do not see that the Iroquois have a valid claim to any larger quantity of land than 25 Acres for each of the three families, unless the Chippewas themselves see fit to extend the Agreement, and bestow upon them an additional quantity.

With regard to a participation in the Annuities & other Rivers a Mr is found in the Correspondence to the under date 5 May 1858.

[illegible] to

[illegible] in

month of April, such proportion

of

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to which the name of Superintendent
Pennefather is affixed; instructing
Capt Anderson Supt Bentlett's predecessor
"to let the Cangahnawaga Indians share,
"alike with the Nawash Band, both in
"the Annuity and Interest money";
And in a Pay list received from Mr
Bentlett, dated 30 Sept 1859 the
following appears, as intended payments

Michael Motoure a (Montoro)	$ 82-17
Baptiste Beauvin	36 52
Louis Beauvin	36, 52

And to it is attached a Mr; in which
Mr Bentlett states that he was unable
to pay them, as they have left the Band.
It is desirable to call attention to
the portion of the Agreement dated 9 July
1857 which relates to them, becoming
resident at Cape Cooker & which is in these
words - "And on removing to Cape Cooker
"they will be totalled in twenty five
"Ave Lots" &c. Contingent accordingly
upon their removing to the Cape Cooker,
Reserve; was to be their participation
in
month of April, such proportion
of

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in the Reserves of the Chippewas
of Nawash, [illegible] thereby left Nawash
to form an Indian Settlement at
Cape Croker.
It will be perceived that the Visiting
Superintendent had placed them on
the Pay-list which he had prepared,
and that it was their absence
from the Settlement alone which
prevented their sharing with the
Chippewas their monies. —
It is in view of the whole case
proposed, to instruct Supt Bartlett
to ascertain whether the three Indian
families in question, now reside
upon the Reserve, or any of them.
And that in the event of any
of the fifteen members of those
families, for whom the Agreement
alluded to made provision, be
resident there. That he allot to
them on his visit in the coming
month of April, such proportion
of

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of the Annuity and Interest moneys for their respective Shares, as the past Autumn & the coming Spring payments would amount to.

Indian Office
Ottawa 8 Feb 1872

A. J. Spragge
D.S.I.A.

Approved
Joseph Howe
Feb. 12. 1872

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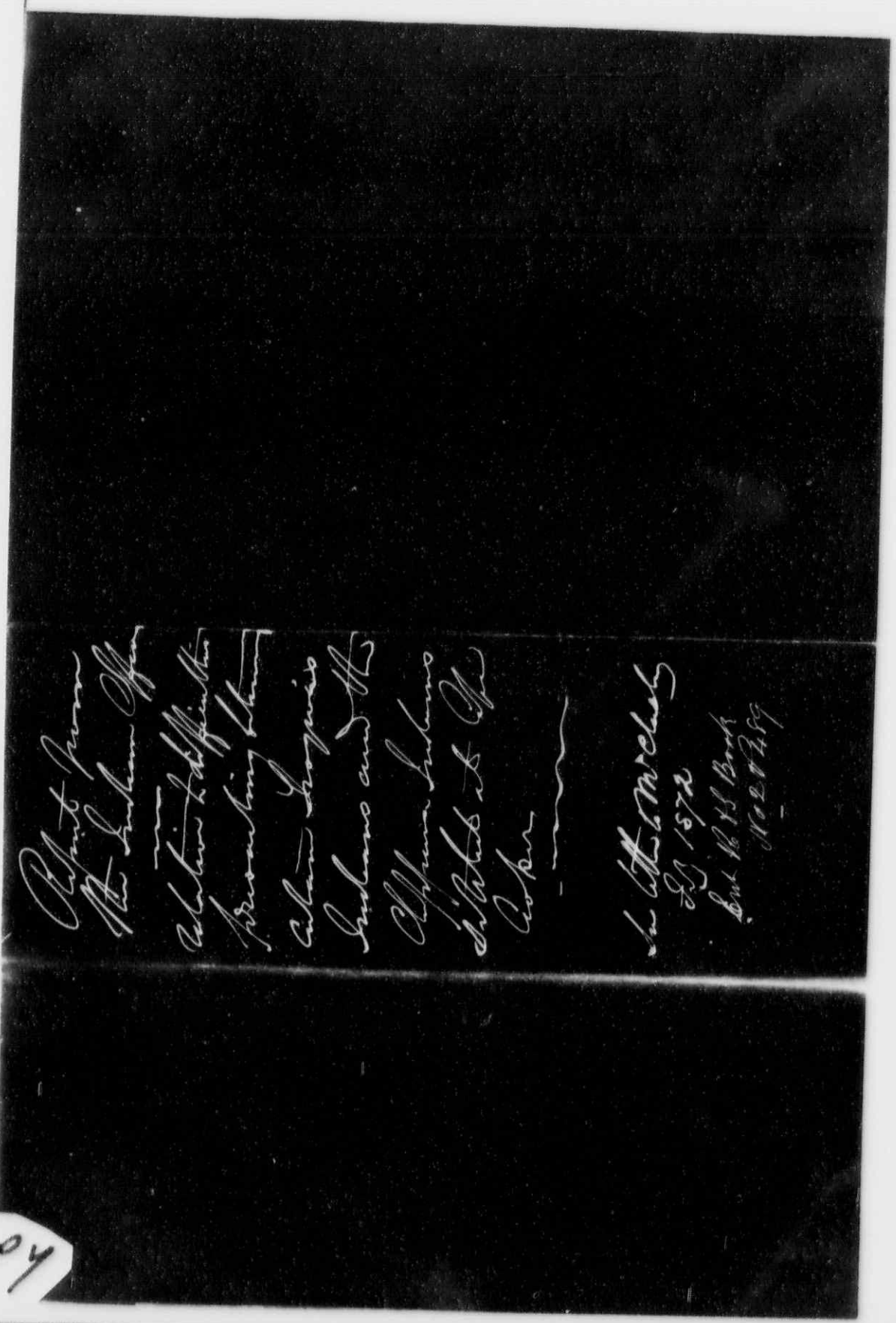

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Men — relative to the contentions between certain Iroquois families formerly of Canglenawaga, who emigrated to the Saugeen Peninsula and who were allowed by the Chippewa Indians of Nawash, who owned the tract, to occupy certain Lots.

It appears that the influence of the Indian Department, was a number of years since employed to induce the Chippewas to receive the Iroquois among them; the latter had neither invested funds nor lands intended to be consisted into Money, to throw into the Common Purse, and thus acquire a right to stand upon an equal footing with the Chippewas who were proprietors of a large and valuable tract, just then surveyed, and opened for sale. — The Chippewas were likewise

that each of the three Iroquois families should, in lieu of Lots No 13 17 & 18 in

[illegible]

in the Amenty Moiries — that they were given to understand, that the [illegible]

for $5060, to pay the Nawash Band the balance of $40 each; as was stipulated

in

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likewise in the right of Annuities, amounting to $2932 62/100 p. Annum. —

From this it will be perceived, that the benefits were all on the one side, and there is nothing surprising in the fact, that the Chippewas have denounced the Agreement, which I will now describe.

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in the Conglomerate Range
in the Township of Keppel, on which
they had been allowed to settle,
receive a location of 25 Acres on the
Chippewas Reserve at Cape Croker and
that they should be paid the
appraised value of their buildings
& other improvements in the said Lots;
and that to each of the fifteen
persons, of which the three families
consisted, a payment of ten pounds
p^r head should be made. — The
Agreement further specifies that
"the Newash Tribe do hereby admit the
"said Conglomerate Indians to a
"full share & participation in all
"Revenues and privileges enjoyed
"or to be enjoyed by the said Newash
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Memorandum:

Relative to the contentions between certain Iroquois families formerly of Caughnawaga who emigrated to the Saugeen Peninsula and who were allowed by the Chippewa Indians of Nawash, who owned the tract, to occupy certain lots. It appears that the influence of the Indian Department, was a number of years since employed to induce the Chipoewas to receive the Iroquois among them; the latter had neither invested funds nor lands intended to be converted into money, to throw into the common purse, and thus acquire a right to stand upon an equal footing with the Chippewas, who were proprietors of a large and valuable tract, just then surveyed, and open for sale. The Chippewas were likewisein the receipt of annuities, amounting to $2932.62 per annum. From this it will be perceived, that the benefits were all on the one side and there is nothing surprising in the fact, that the Chippewas have denounced the Agreement, which I will now describe.

Under date of 19th February, 1857; certain of the Chippewas represented by Peter Jones Kegedonce, and six others, and the three Iroquois families, the heads of which were Baptiste Beauvin, Louis Beauvin and Michel Montour, represented by the first named party, concluded an arrangement, subject to be confirmed, or disallowed by a majority of the band within one month from its date.- Its ratification was shown, as required to have taken place by letter from Richard Carney, Esq., of 6th March, 1857. By this agreement the Chippewas consented that each of the three Iroquois families should, in lieu, of lots Nos. 13, 17 & 18 in t the Caughnawaga range in the Township of Keppel, on which they had been allowed to settle, receive a location of 25 acres on the Chippewas Reserve at Cape Croker and that they should be paid the appraised

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value of their buildings and other improvements in the said lots and that to each of the fifteen persons, of which the three families consisted, a payment of ten pounds per head should be made. The agreement further specifies that "the Nawash tribe do hereby admit the said Caughnawaga to a full share and participation in all revenues and privileges enjoyed or to be enjoyed by the said Nawash Band"

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No. 82,-- This surrender made provision for a payment

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of ten pounds to each Chippewa,-- and the agreement bearing the same date was evidently intended to confer a like advantage on each Iroquois.-- Upon reading over the surrender it appears no provision is made for allotting more than one location of 25 acres to each Chippewa family; and taking the two documents together I do not see that the Iroquois have a valid claim to any larger quantity of land than 25 acres for each of the three families, unless the Chippewas themselves see fit to extend the agreement, and bestow upon them an additional quantity.

With regard to a participation in the Annuities and other Revenues a Memorandum is found in the correspondence books under date 5th May, 1858, to which the name of Superintendent Pennefather is affixed, instructing Capt. Anderson, Superintendent Bartlett's predecessor, "to let the Caughnawaga Indians share alike with the Nawash band both in the Annuity and Interest money". And in a pay list received from Mr. Bartlett dated 30th September, 1859, the following appears as intended payments:

Michael Montour or (Montoure)	$82.17
Baptiste Beauvin	36.52
Louis Beauvin	36.52.

And to it is attached a Memo in which Mr. Bartlett states that he was unable to pay them as they have left the band.

It is desirable to call attention to the portion of the agreement, dated 9th February, 1857, which relates to their becoming resident at Cape Croker, and which is in these words "And on removing to Cape Croker they will be located on 25 acre lots" &c. Contingent accordingly upon their removal to the Cape Croker reserve was to be their participation in the Revenues of the Chippewas of Nawash, who themselves left Nawash to form an Indian settlement at Cape Croker.

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It will be persumed that the Visiting Superintendent had placed them on the pay list which he had prepared, and that it was their absence from the settlement alone which prevented their sharing with the Chippewas their monies.--

It is in view of the whole case proposed to instruct Superintendent Bartlett to ascertain whether the three Iroquois families in question now reside upon the reserve or any of them. And that in the event of any of the fifteen members of these families for which the agreement alluded to made provision, be resident there, that he allot to them on his visit in the coming month of April, such proportion of the Annuity and Interest monies for their respective shares as the past Autumn and the coming spring payments would amount to.

Indian Office,
Ottawa, 8 Feb., 1872.)

Wm. Spragge,
D. S. I. A.

Approved,
Joseph Howe,
Feb. 12, 1872.

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My dear Sir,

In reply to your note of the 12th Inst.

The Beauvins and Michael Monture left the Six Nation Reserve for Cape Crocker (near Owens Sound) in 1863 or 4, and are supposed to be still there.

They were improperly placed on the Census list of the Six Nations in 1861, but shortly afterwards, erased by the Council and refused a share of Monies.

One of the women married one Latham, but she has since died.

Yours
Sincerely
J. P. Gilkison

Mr Spragge

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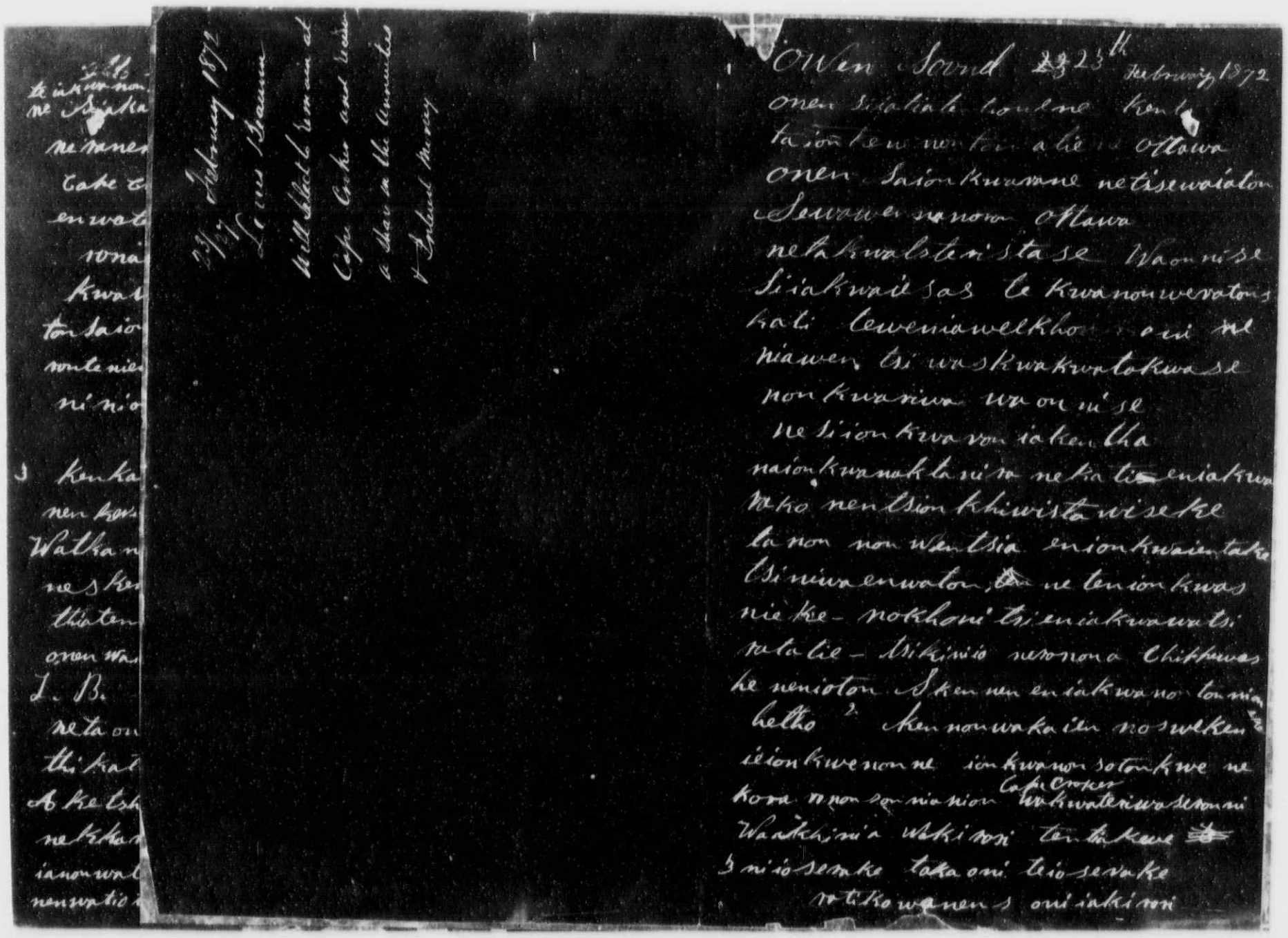

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Translation

Owen Sound 23rd Feb 1872

Having given sufficient delay, a deputation was about to start from here for Ottawa, when the letter arrived from the grand Main River, the deputation our officers.

After a two days suspense we have at last the pleasure to offer you our heartfelt thanks for your kind answer to our Petition, and tell you that you would attend to its prayer and again we offer you a thousand thanks for gladdening our hearts by the promise of settling a matter which has caused us so much trouble and anxiety.

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in your letter sent us through Mr Chubby one
paper to remain permanently at Cape Croker
on condition of receiving as your proportion
a share of the Annuities and Interest money
in Common with the Chippewas, and
we hope that eventually our Brethren the
Chippewas will consent to allow us such
privileges and enjoyments as upon all just grounds
upon us.

With regard to our having gone to the
Grand River we would desire you to
understand that when we went away we
had houses at Cape Croker which the Department
supplied which houses we left to our Chippewa
neighbours telling them that we would return in
two or three years and we left the Chiefs the
same

same thing. We returned accordingly in 1862

We did not like on our return to have any
trouble about the houses and therefore gave way
to them who occupied them as we desired to
Continue the friendship which existed between
us Separated for a time. This is with the
Knowledge of the head Chief of the Chippewas as well as many
others. They then again threw upon their
hands to us, and unanimously Some Chiefs &
also wrote down our names on a list pre-
pared for the distribution of the Annuity money

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Ottawa 28th February 1872

Sir

Herewith I have the honor to enclose a letter received yesterday from Louis Beaurin the principal Indian of the Caughnawaga Band residing at Cape Croker, in reply to your communication addressed to me for the information of the said Band: by which you will perceive that they wish to remain at Cape Croker.

I shall feel much pleasure in conveying to them (in the Indian language) any further communication which you may

Wm. I. Howe
Supt. Genl. I.A.

12th Feb'72

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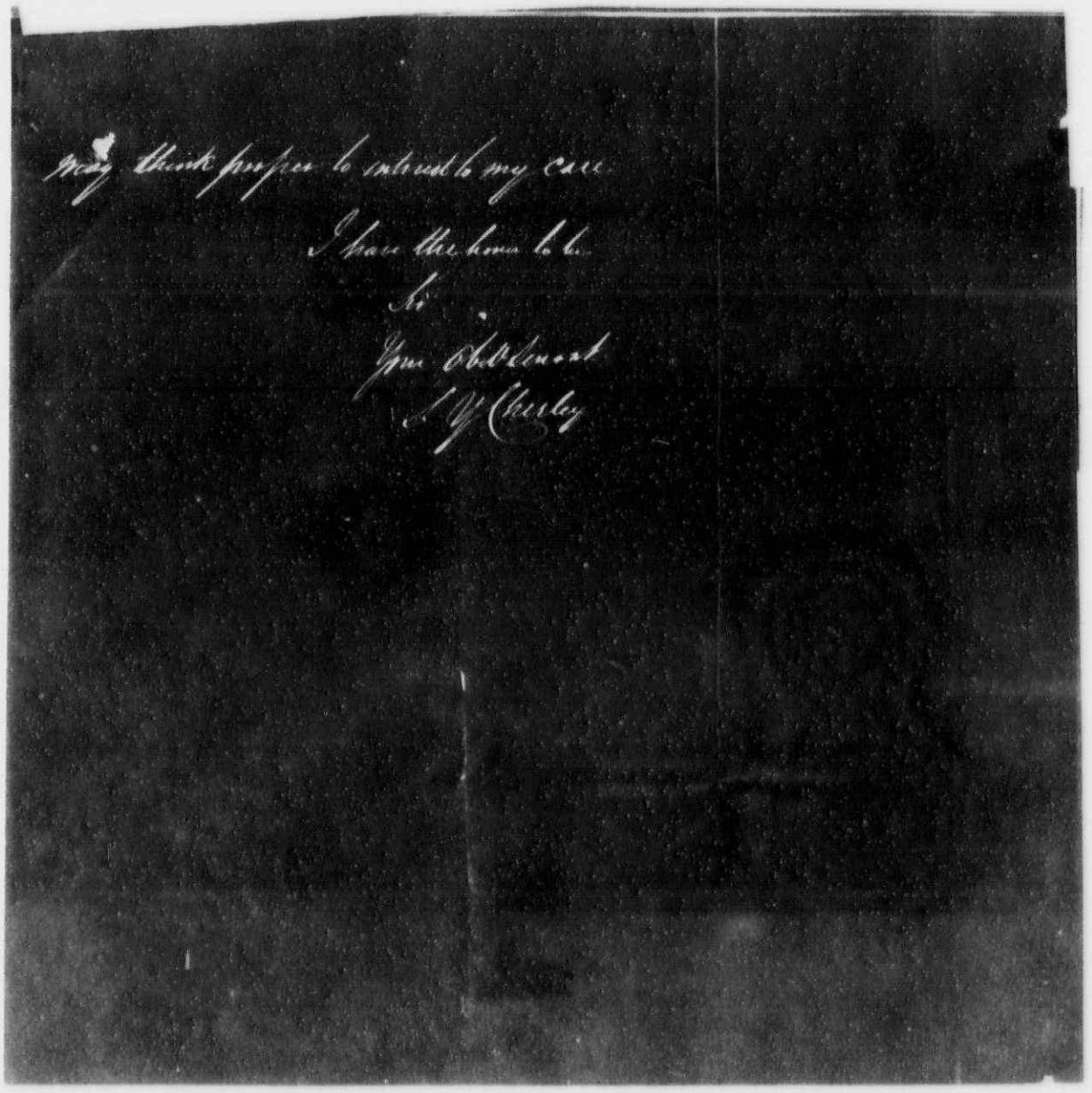

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Canghnawaga Indians
of Cape Croker
Ont

Feby 28 1872
March 1
thro' S.Y. Chesley Esqre

State their desire to
remain at Cape Croker
& share in distribution
money of the Mr Bartlett Fund

See letter to Mr Bartlett
March 2/72
S.W. P972

Send Sup Bartlett [illegible] info [illegible]
& Guidance Copies [illegible]
to Mr Chesley [illegible]
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Owen Sound
June 18. 1872

To
Mr W R Bartlett
& S I A. Toronto

Sir

Having learned that the Cape Croker Indians are not willing to readmit us three families into their Band, but that they are willing to pay us for the improvements we have made on our lots at the Cape Croker Reserve - we hereby respectively agree to accept the Offer - and pray the Indian Department to appoint one Valuator, who will act with a Valuator whom we may appoint - and we agree to abide by the decision of the

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We urge the Department not to make any delay in this matter but to have the valuation and the payment forthwith completed.

We should be glad if the Department would, in addition to our improvement money, assist us with money to enable us to return to our homes

(Signed) Louis Bouvie for himself & his Mother's family - the late Baptiste

Baptiste Bouvin.

(Signed) his Michel + Montour mark

Witness

Signed Geo. P. Creighton.

Jr W. R. Bartlett

D. S. I. A.

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Witness - having been first read & explained
Geo. P. Creighton

W. R. Bartlett
V.S. Ia

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Cape Coocher
June 15th 1872

W R Bartlett Esq
Toronto

Sir

I beg to forward You a Protest of the Indians here against the Contemplated admission of Mohawks & the Government. Which please Send to Head Quarters With Remarks Conformity the Statements therein made.

I at the Same time take the opportunity to inform You, that the Mohawks on hearing that the Chippawas were opposing their adoption, they were very angry and abused

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abused some members of the Band by using very violent language and went as far as to say that they would rouse their friends at Caughnawaga to arms & make a descent on the Chippawas and annihilate them. they rally around Peter J Regidence and at his house made demonstrations of indignation very much to their discredit, thus Band very properly taking no notice of them after 3 or 4 days preparations they left for Owen Sound, having sold a few things they had here.

Louis Beauvais told me before 3 or four Cape Indians that the last letter you received from the Department which made allusions to the enquiry of their Constantly being here, is a forgery got up by yourself to prevent them getting their rights

I merely put these things down to let you know what kind of people they are. and what trouble they will make here. in making charges without proofs— They feel more civilized than the Cape Indians and look down upon them—

I am
Sir
Your Obed Servant
Fred Ramsden

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To the
Honble Jos. Howe
S. I. G. I. A
Ottawa

Cape Crocker June 13th 1872

Sir

It having been intimated to us by our local Sup^t Mr Bartlett that the Indian Department at Ottawa Contemplate readmitting into the Cape Croker Band against our Consent three families of mohawk Indians who several years ago left this Band and went to reside at Grand River.

We the Cape Crocker Indians having Called a Council for the express purpose of Considering and pro-testing against it have decided by a majority of 60 to 6 to utter this our Strong and Solemn Protest against such a measure.

Those Indians were once from a motive of Charity admitted into the Band on Condition that they would become permenant residents, but they treated gift with Contempt, having sold their improvements & Chattels went in search of better terms and better land amongst their own nation below.

When they left this Band they did so voluntarily and took up farms at the Grand River, which we believe after a short time they abandoned, they then Came here and wanted to make a new arrangement, which this Band declined to entertain [illegible] did not resist their Cultivating the land, they have never resided here, but have lived in Owen Sound and other places, merely Came here for a few days in the Spring to put in a Crop then went away and [illegible] in the fall to gather up what happened not to be destroyed and Carried it away.

We deny that they have any right [illegible] they having put nothing into the funds of the [illegible] and must again Send this Protest to

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Father the Superintendent General who we trust will protect us in our rights and not admit into our Community against our wishes. Indians of a defferent language and grasping despositions, who will be to us an everlasting source of descontent and disatisfaction

We have also by the foregoing majority decided to pay for the improvements they have made on our reserve. and we beg the Department will aid us in this matter and appoint proper persons to value the work of those families, as it is our our wish that a Speedy Settlement is effected

We are
Sir
Your Most Obed^t Servants

Chief Geo A Tabegwin
Chief. William McGregor
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Indian Office.
Toronto June 25th 1872

Sir,

Refering to the letters of the Hon. the Secretary of State of the 2nd March & 18th of April last - I have the honor to report that, under the instructions conveyed in the latter Communication, requiring the date of the return to Cape Croker of the three Caughnawaga families of Mohawk Indians - namely - Baptiste Bovie - Louis Bovie his son, and Michell Montour - I made enquiry of the Indians on that Reserve, who replied that they had never resided there - They had lived on Owen Sound and Brooke the greater part of the time since they left the Grand River

Wm Spragge Esq
Dep. Sup. Ind. Affairs
Ottawa

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River - and had been assessed and had voted as residents.

A Merchant & Magistrate named Creighton of Owen Sound verified this statement as regarded the Bovies who had voted for him when a Candidate for Member of the Corporation of that Town - I was also told that the Bovies had lived in Saraparaxa two Years on farms.

The Indians further informed me that these Caughnawagas merely visited Cape Croker for a few days in the spring to do a little planting - went away and returned in the fall to gather up and take away what was left.

The following appear to be the Improvements

Louis Bovie has from 5 to 10 acres - cleared & partly cultivated - a small log house - with Bark Roof.

Baptiste Bovie - (now deceased) about the same Quantity cleared & partly cultivated Board Shanty.

Michel

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Michel Mentour - has a small Log house - Bark roof - and from 8 to 10 acres cleared & partly cultivated - Most of this clearance was made by the fire going through it.

On obtaining the foregoing information in regard to improvements and residence of these Indians, I stated the views of the Department and lead to the Cape Croker Indians the letter first alluded to from the Honble Mr Howe -

After the Annuity had been distributed, a Council was called to consider the matter which was fully attended - The Indians appeared very angry at the Department for proposing to readmit the Canghnawagas against the almost unanimous decision of the Cape Croker Indians - Their Council lasted till midnight - and on the following day the Interpreter

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June 14/72

Samorandiere addressed me a letter enclosing a Protest from the Principal Chiefs and Councillors on behalf of the Band, addressed to the Honble Mr Howe against the readmission of the Canghna=wagas into the Cape Croker Community. These documents I enclose herein.

I did not remain in the Council longer than to read the letters, as the proceedings were conducted in the Ojibway language.

At this Council - a vote was taken of 60 to 6 against their proposed readmission - and by the same vote, it was agreed to pay the Canghnawagas for their improvements.

The latter Indians were present at the Council.

I proceeded from Cape Croker to Saugeen - and on my return to Owen Sound the Canghnawagas came to me and said they had

agreed

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agreed to accept the Offer of payment for their improvements

I told them they should put their acceptance in writing, which they did, and signed a paper, herewith enclosed. Expressing themselves willing to abide by the decision of Valuators

18 June 1874

They wish the Department to name one person -- a farmer. and they will Choose another.

On receiving from You the authority to do so. I will select a Valuator who is acquainted with the clearing of land. to go with the other person whom the Indians may select to look at the improvements -.

I am glad there is a prospect of this matter being now permanently settled - for as it is, there never would have been peace if the proposed readmission had taken place.

I &c

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The Cape Croker Indians say nothing about paying money to take the Caughnawagas home. I think it most likely they will remain about Rock Island when they can always get work.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your obedient Servant

W. R. Bartlett
I. S.

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Dear Mr Ashley
Bartlett

Acquy wt and inform Supt Bartlett
that upon the value of the imports
made by the 3 Conghanawaga families
upon the Cape Cod Reserve being
ascertained payment will be made for the
same by Offl Cheque and request
him to take the requisite steps to
complete the proposed arrangements

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The five Canghnawaga families settled at Cape Cockard which include two, beyond those with whom the Chippewas of Nawash agreed to receive & allow to occupy a part of their Reserve may be paid for their improvements by separate Official Cheques assigning to each the amounts specified by Supt Bartlett as those which have been ascertained by Arbitration to be due respectively to them — Mr Bartlett must take particular care that the money is paid only upon their yielding up possession. The expenses incurred namely $56 25/100 to be paid to the different parties. The whole payments to be defined for Stock Mines.

Albert Bruce July 27 1872 H S

Cape Crocker July 23rd
1872

W. R. Bartlett Esqr
Toronto

Sir

On account of the wide difference of the Estimate of the Valuators of the Mohawks improvements it was necessary to Call a third person to decide the Case. as there was probability of no decision being arrived at if that arrangement had not been made — Mr Alex McNab having acted as that third party that his Services Should be paid at the rate of the other Valuators — The Assistance of Mr McNab in the Settlement of the matter has been most valuable. he being Surveyor the extent of the lot forthwith arrived at —

I am
Sir
Your Obed Servant
F Lamorandière

It is the particular wish of the Band that Special receipts Should be sent by the Department to Clear the Cape Crocker Indians from further Connection with the Mohawks Indians

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Cape Crocker July 23rd 1872

Indian Department Cape Crocker Band

To Geo P Creighton Dr

To paid	Wm Johnstone	Valuator	2 days	$ 10.00
"	John Pearson	do	do	10.00
"	Alex McNab	do	do	10.00
"	Provisions for do			1.25
"	E Dunn for Steam passage to & fr cc			10.00
				$ 40.25
Add	J W Creighton			$ 10 —
				50,25

This may be paid

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I hereby certify that the above charges are reasonable & Correct — The attendance of G.P. Creighton being necessary to assist the arbitrators in the valuation of the improvements of the Mohawks. that his services should be remunerated —

Fred R Lamorandière

Interpreter, Cape Crocker Indians

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We the undersigned Arbitrators, hereby certify that the following is a true statement of our decision made this day between the Cape Crocker Band of Indians and Mohawks at Cape Crocker, ~~the~~ viz

See W. B. [illegible] [illegible]

M. Montour	$168.00 / 135.00	Tot 45. Con 4. W. / Do 46 Do Do W. / Do 45 Do 5 Wrist 60.00 / Do 46 Do 5 W. 50.00		$413.00
Widow Bovin		Tot 44. Con.n 4 $115 / Do 44 Do 5 $105		175.00
Lewis Bovin	$105	Tot 41. 2 Con.n W.		150.00
		Total		$738.00

Cape Crocker
July 23. 1872.

Wm Johnstone
John Pearson
Arnold

Arbitrators.

Correct
P. Lamorandière Interp.r
William McGregor Chief

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We John Pearson Wm Johnston & Alexr McNabb do swear that we will well and truly try the matters referred to us by the parties, and a true and impartial award make in the premises according to the evidence. So help me God.

Sworn before me at Cape Croker this 22. day of July 1872.

Geo P Creighton J.P.

Wm Johnston
John Pearson
A McNab

We the undersigned parties, in behalf of the Cape Croker Band of Indians and the Caughnawaya Indians at Cape Croker, bind and oblige ourselves to abide by the decision of the Arbitrators.

Signed

July 22. 1872.

William McGregor — Chief
Fred R Lamorandière — Interp
Wm Angis — Councillor
Louis Beauvin

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Owen Sound
July 24. 1872.

W R Bartlett Esq

Dear Sir,

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I think that all parties seem satisfied with the different amounts.

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The Indians here want you to insert in the different receipts - "in full of all improvements

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Yours truly
Geo. P. Creighton

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Indian Office.
Toronto July 26th 1872.

Sir,

In compliance with the instructions contained in Your letter of the 27th ultimo, I have now the honor to report, that I at once made arrangements for having the Improvements made by the Caughnawaga Indians in the Cape Croker Reserve - valued.

I had secured the services of George O. Creighton Esq., a Magistrate of Owen Sound, to appoint an Arbitrator on behalf of the Department, to act with the Arbitrator named by the Indians. Mr Creighton deemed it right to go himself (I think very properly) - and to take a third party Mr Archy McNab - a surveyor - who defined the lots and acted as an Arbitrator as well -

Wm Spragge Esq
Dep Sup Indn Affrs
Ottawa

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I quite approve of what Mr Creighton has done in the matter and hope it will be satisfactory to the Department.

I respectfully submit that Mr Creighton should be paid the same as the Arbitrators for his services.. namely $10.

There are two other Mohawk families, besides the 3 first named namely L. Claire & I. Jacobs, who had each made improvements on lots at Cape Croker - they are either friends or relations of the Bouvie family, who brought them to the Reserve. I did not include these Indians in my instructions to Mr Creighton, but it appears that the Cape Croker Indians wish these two families to be paid for their improvements also, and

So

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so get rid of all the Mohawks from the Reserve.

The arbitrators Accordingly valued their improvements also - I think the Cape Croker Indians have done right in their wish to pay them -

The Indians ask that a separate receipt be taken from each Indian family stating that this payment is to be in full of all improvements made now or hereafter on their respective lots on the Cape Croker Reserve.

Mr Creighton July 24. 1872
affidavit of arbitrators
award of do $738:00
acct of Expenses -

I enclose all the papers & letters having reference to the Matter - as well as the account of Expenses attending the Arbitration, which amounts to ——— $40.25

and I would add - to pay Mr Creighton's services ——— 10.00

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A check for this Amount may be made in favor of G. P. Creighton for

Expenses

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for Michel Montour - to pay his

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In Mr Creighton's letter to me, the Caughnawagas refer to the passage Money they asked for. I think the Cape Croker Band would be unwilling to give them money for that purpose. and I consider they have been liberal in paying the whole of the Arbitration Expenses.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your obedient Servant
W. R. Bartlett

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OFFICE of the SECRETARY of STATE,
FOR THE PROVINCES.
1872

Wm Bartlett
June 25/26 U.S. & Comr
Toronto

Replies as to Caughnawaga Indians' Land Claims at Capefroker
3 papers inclosed

See Memo by Dy Supt of June 26 for Elph
Issued June 27

See fur letter from Mr Bartlett of July 26/27 with Valuators Award for Improvements
See Memo by D.S. of July 27
Certifs 363 - $738.00
4 51.25/100

Cheques sent Augt 2?
See letter from W. Bartlett of Aug 22/23 acks
Chs tendering Surrender of Feb

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Cape Croker August 12 1872

This is to Certify that I this day give possession to Peter Wahbezee of Lot 46 Con 5 West formerly occupied by me with improvements thereon —

his
John X Jacobs
Mark

Received the above mentioned Lot & improvements fully yielded up to me —

his
Peter X Wahbezee
Mark

Thos R Langrandiere

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Cape Crocker Augt 12/72

I hereby give full & Entire possession of Lot 46 Con 4 West with house & improvements thereon to Thos Nadgiwon of this place by handing Key of House.

his
Louis X Clerc
Mark

I Certify that I this day receive possession of the above Mentioned Lot & improvements freely Yielded up to me in presence of Witness

witness
Fred R Lamorander

his
Thomas X Nadgiwon
Mark

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Cape Crocker Augt 12/72

This is to Certify that I give free possession to Peter J Regidence of Lots 45 Con 4 Lot 45 Con 5 west with Houses & other improvements

Michel his X mark Montour pr son

Received the above mentioned Lots & also the improvements thereon freely yielded up to me

Peter J X Regidence Jones
Chief

Fred R Lamorandiere

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Cape Crocker Augt 12/72

This is to certify that I fully & free give entire possession of Lot 44 Con 5 West together with all Improvements made thereon to Fred Lamorandière

his
Thomas X Williams
Mark for Widow Bow

Received the above mentioned Lot & improvements now freely yielded up to me

Fred R Lamorandière

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Cape Crocker
Augt 12 1872

This is to certify that I freely give to William Waukay free & full Possession of Lot 44 Con 4 West with improvements made thereon.—

Thomas his X Williams
mark for Widow Bovid—

Received the above mentioned Lot & improvements now fully yielded up to me

Wm X Waukay

Fred R Lamorandiere

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Cape Crocker
Augt 12/72

I hereby give free & entire possession of Lot 41 Con. 2 West & House & Improvements made thereon to Frank Nadjiwon

Tor Louis his Bovais
Thomas X Williams
mark

By my Consent
Louis Bovis

Received the above Immbond Lot & its improvements on Condition that the Key of House is delivered to Geo P Creighton Esq to be given to me

Frank his X Nadgewon
mark

Fred R Lamorandiere

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S 1678.

Indian Office.
Toronto August 22. 1872.

Sir,

On receipt of your letter of the 2nd Instant, enclosing Official Cheques to pay the Caughnawaga Improvements on Cape Croker Reserve - I transmitted them to Mr G. P. Creighton of Owen Sound - the gentleman who has throughout attended to this matter, and I now have the honor to enclose herein the seven duplicate receipts signed by the respective parties for the sums paid to them - together with a surrender of the lots, to some

Per Schedule annexed

Wm Spragge Esqr
Dep. Supt Indn Affairs
&c &c
Ottawa

Member

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Member of the Cape Crosser
Band of Indians - witnessed by
F. Lamorandière - their
interpreter.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your obedient Servant
W. R. Bartlett
V. S.

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Schedule of Receipts - in reference to Improvement Money paid to certain Caughnawaga Indians - at Cape Crocker -

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G. P. Creighton - Arbitrn Expr —		10.00
do to pay Valuators &c —		41.25
Michel Montour -	Improvements	228.00
Louis Claire —	do —	135.00
John Jacobs —	do —	50.00
Widow Bouvie —	do —	175.00
Louis Bouvie —	do —	150.00

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Cape Croker, Sept. 22nd. 1910.

To Nawash Band.

Dear Sirs:

We the undersigned are members of Caughnawaga Reserve, Que. and desire to return to this Reserve to which we formally belonged and enjoy all the prevelleges we then enjoyed when we were here, for we drew interest money for 6 or 7 years as we were full members here.

We were members here when you were in Owens Sound. we lived and farmed here till we left which was about 42 years ago.

Caughnawaga Reserve is only 6 miles sq. and there are between 4 + 5000 people living in it. You will readily see it is very crowded. Having known this place and lived in it, we love the people here, we desire to stay in an Indian Reserve because we love and are loyal to our Indian Race.

We therefore humbly pray you people that you may accept us and become full members of this Reserve again and enjoy all the previlleges as you people here.

Yours Very Sincerely

Thos. A. Morris.

(Mrs) Annie Morris.

Angus Morris

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Mitchel Morris
Frank Morris
Mary Morris
Maggie Morris
Peter Morris
Tom Morris
John Morris
John Bauvis
Mary Bauvis
Daniel Bauvis
Christine Bauvis
(Mrs) Mary Morris.

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Motion. No. 6. 371322

Moved and Seconded by Stephen Elliott + Chas Jones that we give our Indian Agent Mr. E. E. Parke authority to corresponde with the Department of Indian Affairs regarding the Caughnawaga Indians at Quebec. and give full report to this council at next meeting.

Carried

Geo. R. Jones.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

WIARTON, Ont.

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No.
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
OCT 3 - 1910
OCT 5 1910

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Sir,—

Referring to ~~your letter of~~ Motion in Council No. 6

The department will possibly know something about-these Indians and the reserve they are now on. And also their claim if any upon the Cape Croker reserve. I am enclosing their petition sent-to the Nawash band.

Your obedient servant
P E E Parke

The Secty
Dept of Indian affairs
Ottawa.

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EXD.

Ottawa, 10th October, 1910

Sir:-

I am in receipt of your letter of the 3rd instant, with which you forwarded a communication dated the 22nd ultimo and signed by 11 persons by the name of Morris, and four persons of the name of Bauvies, who state that they at one time belonged to the Chippewa Band at Cape Croker, and who ask to be restored into membership with that Band; and in reply I have to inform you that the Department has examined the Cape Croker pay-lists from 1864 to 1870 and has found no trace therin of the names of the persons mentioned. Under the circumstances, the Department's advice to the Council of the Band is to refuse to accept these persons into membership with the said Band.

Your obedient servant,

Secretary.

C.E.E.Parke Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Wiarton, Ont.

Mrs Morris & ne Beauvais -

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to anchor in Lake St. Peter.

INDIANS COMING INTO PROPERTY AFTER 60 YEARS

Caughnawaga Tribes Owners of Sydenham Tract NoW Worth Thousands

RIGHTFUL CLAIMANTS SOUGHT BY DEP'T

Refusal of Ancestors to Sell May Make Several Families Wealthy

A nice little plum has been ripening on the government tree for a good many years, and lo, none but the poor Indian must pluck it.

Be it known that Caughnawaga Indian Reserve is of comparatively modern date, and the region to-[illegible] lishment the tribes now quartered there lived on a reserve at Sydenham, County of Grey. As far back at 1856 the Province of Ontario, looking upon the land and finding it good, purchased all rights from the Indians with the exception of one fine tract of three hundred acres, for which negotiations could not be closed. This was owned and occupied by three different families and their heirs are still the owners of the property, which has become very valuable.

Through the Indian department at Ottawa information as to the descendants of the original owners has now been sought and departmental agents are at Caughnawaga endeavoring to trace the lineage of the rightful claimants.

The prospect of sharing in the division of some of the white man's money has caused no little excitement at the Reserve, although it is likely the money will be split 'into' many 'different portions if the deal goes through.

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the feast at sundown to-day services were held in the city synagogues this morning, and in spite of what Dr. Lightstone said were largely attended. It is estimated that 40,000 Hebrews will take part in the celebration in Montreal

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April 28th 1913

Caughnawaga

Mrs Annie Morris

Encloses a clipping from Montreal Herald giving an account of her claims to lands in Up Sarawak. She trusts that something will be done. She has spend lot of money in connection with this claim.

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Thos. A. Cook

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Caughnawaga
P. Inc.

June 7 = 1913.

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JUN 10 1913

Mr Chas. Cooke.

Dear Sir
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Saugeenawaga

June 4th/13

J. D. McLean, Secy
Dept of Indian Affairs
Ottawa

ACCOUNTANTS JUN 14 1913 FRANCO

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS JUN 6 1913

Sir, 27247

I beg to request the Department, as the only available source, for information regarding certain portions of land in the county of Grey near the town of Owen Sound Ontario, which according to indefinite information are the possessions of the descendants of of certain deceased, who were members of our band.

Said land being given them by the Ojibway Indians some years ago.

As I am one of the direct descendants of one, Thomas Deer, Tehaiase, who was-

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given a portion of said land
in said county of Grey. I
would be glad should the
Department favor me with
such information
Awaiting the Department's
reply in the near future
I am.

Yours Respectfully
Peter Williams

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425,602.

Ottawa, June 19, 1913.

EXD.

Sir,-

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 4th instant, in regard to claim ~~regarding~~ respecting certain portions of land in the County of Grey, near the town of Owen Sound, and in connection therewith to say that this matter was fully gone into in 1872, and the Caughnawaga Indians were paid in full for their improvements on the lands in question, the value of such improvements having been fixed by an independent valuator, and relinquishments of the lands from the different Indians were obtained and are on file in the Department.

Your obedient Servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Mr. Peter Williams,
Caughnawaga. Que.

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Caughnawaga July 23rd /13

Henry C. Ross
Dept of Indian Affairs
Ottawa

Sir

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See letter under

EXL

Could you give me information regarding lands in the county of Grey near Owen Sound which was known as Caughnawaga lands.
I understand that according to a certain survey (Dennis and another). some 300 and some - what acres had been put aside for certain three families who had migrated to Owen Sound some 60 years ago.
In 1872 all who had improved their land were paid in full for improvements but these three families were not paid anything

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A notice was recently printed in one of the Montreal dailies notifying these parties if living, and if not, their descendants, that this land is still in their possession and they had better wake up. Awaiting a reply in the near future. I am.

Yours Sincerely
Peter Williams

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19. Mitchel Montour 13

192 Louis x Bauris 17

39 277. John Grand Father of Bauris 18.

Baptist

Mrs A. Morris

-Box 52-

Caughnawaga

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Department of Indian Affairs.

Ottawa, 12th Sept. 1913

Mrs A. Morris of Caughnawaga Box 52
Called at the Dept. today in
regard to claim to impts on
lands in Sarawak Pty -
Mitchel Montour for lot 13. Con 3
Louis Bauvis " " 17. " "
John Bauvis " " 18 " "
She is to send papers for
consideration of Dept.

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The Secretary
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

Sir

I beg to enclose a True Copy of the original Treaty or agreement between the Hawash Band and the three Caughnawaga families passed Feb 9-1857

Soliciting your prompt consideration to this matter, and if anything else be requisite of us in support of our claim be kind enough to notify us immediately for which attention I beg to offer my most sincere thanks

Yours respectfully
Mrs Annie Moore
Box 52

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Ottawa. September 23, 1913.

Madam,-

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 18th instant, inclosing a copy of the agreement between the Nawash Band and Caughnawaga Indians, dated the 9th of February, 1857, and in reply to say that the original of this document is of record in the Department. In connection with the claim made by the Bovies and Montour, as to compensation for improvements on lands in Sarawak, I beg to say that the matter has been fully looked into and the Department considers that these parties have been fully compensated for any claim in regard to improvements on the Sarawak lands. I may say that some years ago Louis Bovie for himself and his mother's family, the late Baptiste Bovie, and Michel Montour, signed an agreement to accept the improvement money for lands on the Cape Croker reserve and give up any further claim against the Cape Croker Indians upon payment for said improvements. In accordance with this arrangement, these parties were compensated in full for their improvements and ceased, therefore, to have any claim against the Cape Croker Indians.

I may say that the Department is satisfied that the conditions of this agreement were fully carried out, and that the parties in question have no claim whatever under

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Box 52,
Caughnawaga, Que.

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under the said agreement against the Cape Croker Band.

Your obedient Servant.

T. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

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HARRY G. TUCKER
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OWEN SOUND, CANADA. March 29th, 1915.

The Hon.,
The Deputy of the Superintendant General
of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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Sir,-

I have been instructed by a member of the Caughnawaugna tribe of Indians to enquire from you if it is not a fact that at one time in the Township of Keppel on the Shore of the Owen Sound Bay there was a Reserve set aside for this band of Indians, and if such is the case, when, if there was a Reserve, was it sold, and if sold what disposition was made of the money received.

I am advised by the same person that the band to which he belongs has not been paid for this Reserve.

Any information you can give me will be received with thanks.

I have the honor to remain,

Your obedient servant,

H. G. Tucker

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Ottawa, April 19, 1915.

Sir,-

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 29th ultimo, in regard to inquiry by a member of the Caughnawaga tribe of Indians as to a reserve set aside for their band in the township of Keppel. In reply I would say that many years ago the land which the Caughnawaga Indians were allowed to occupy was surrendered to the Crown to be sold, and full compensation was made the individual members of the Caughnawaga band for their improvements on the land. The lands in the township were sold and the moneys placed to the credit of the Indian fund.

Your obedient Servant,

J. D. McLean

Assistant Deputy & Secretary.

H. G. Tucker, Esq.,
Barrister, etc.,
Owen Sound, Ont.

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Send to Mrs Annie Morris
P.O. Box 52
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Copy agreement of Indians re Sarawak lands about a year ago - all papers sent in by her - ~~402523~~ ?

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Ottawa, May 3, 1915.

Madam,-

In regard to your inquiries some time ago for return of copy of agreement with the Indians re Sarawak lands, I beg to say that the file of papers in this matter which were mislaid have been found, and I am now returning you the document forwarded to the Department under cover of your letter of the 18th of September, 1913.

Your obedient Servant,

W. A. Orr,

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In Charge Lands & Timber Branch.

Miss Annie Morris,
Box 52,
Caughnawaga,
Que.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
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Ottawa, 1st October 1915

Memorandum.

Mrs Annie Morris and Mrs James Diabbout of Caughnawaga called at the Dept. to-day and laid a claim on behalf of the descendants of the late Louis Beauvais, John Beauvais and Michel Montour, to arrears of annuities as members of the Cape Croker band during the years of 1869 and 1872. Mrs Morris states that after the surrender of the Saranac lands, her father, the late Louis Beauvais, and his father, John Beauvais and an Michel Montour, was adopted as member of the Cape Croker band & removed to Cape Croker with the rest of the Indians. Chiefswomen of Nanash, from Saranac, and participated in the annuity payments for 3 years. During the summer of 1860, these 3 Caughnawaga families, Beauvais & Montour, went to Six Nation Res and remained there for 3 years, while at Six Nations they received their share of annuity moneys as members of the Chiefswomen of Nanash. On their return to Cape Croker Supt. Bartlett refused for some unknown reason to pay these 3 families. They continued to reside on the reserve until 1872 when they returned to

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to Canghnanaga and were paid for the improvements made by them on their respective improvements. About 5 years after leaving Cape Croker a certain lawyer, in Owen Sound, whose name she (Mrs Morris) cannot remember, succeeded almost in securing the arrears of money paid over to Beauvais, but was not carried out owing to dispute having arisen between Beauvais & Montour as to their respective shares.

She states that shortly after these 3 families returned from Six Nations when they were refused their annuities by Supt Bartlett, Louis Beauvais, came to the Dept and was there & then assured that their names were to continue to remain on the pay lists of the Chippewas of Nawash. She believes that there must be a record in the Dept advising Supt Bartlett of this decision.

When Mrs Morris was informed of the agreement on file regarding her father's relinquishments of all claims against the Cape Croker band when he received payment for his improvements in 1872 stated that that did not cover arrears of annuity; but related only to land and residence.

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The following are the descendants of the three families:-

1 - John Beauvais. Died about 1870 & buried at Cape Croker.

Mrs " " Died about 1892

Children { Mrs Mary Williams. Died at Owen Sound.

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2 - Louis Beauvais. Died about 1901 at Cunghuawaga

Mrs Louis " Living at Cunghuawaga

Children { Charlotte " married Angus Montour & died in 1902

Annie " married Tom Morris still living.

Louis " Living

Ellen " married John Patton ~~[illegible]~~ Living

3 - Mitchel Montour. Died about 1893

Mrs " " Died " 1895

1 - John " Living

2 - Mary Ann " married Angus Barnes. Died over 40 years ago

3 - Mary " married John Daillebout. Living.

4 - Angus " Living

5 - Maggie " married Tom. Rice Died. 1894

6 - Cecile " married Tom Phillips Died 1890

7 - Theresa " married James Daillebout Living.

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8 William Montour, Living

9 Aggie " married John Blue. Living

10. Joseph " Living.

11 - Annie " married Mitchel Deer. Died 1874

The foregoing names of persons are those who were living at Cape Croker during the period between the years of 1860 & 1872.

Mrs. Annie Morris asks that she be advised as to the decision of the Dept. in this matter. Her address is P.O. Box 52. Caughnawaga.

Chas. H. Cooke

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Ottawa 4th October,1915.

Madam,

I beg to say that the claim made by you as a descendant of the late Louis Beauvais against the Cape Croker Band,for arrears of interest money can not be entertained,as Beauvais and other Indians signed an agreement in 1872 to accept improvement money in satisfaction of their claim against the band. Louis Beauvais and the other Indians received payment,which payment cancelled their claim,and consequently you are not entitled as Beauvais'descendant to receive any further payment.

Your obedient servant.

J. D. McLean

Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

Mrs Annie Morris,
P.O. Box 52
Caughnawaga,P.Q.

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Secretary Department Indian Affairs

Ottawa Ont.

Sir/

Mrs. Thomas Morris (nee Beauvais) of Caughnawaga, Quebec, has asked me to take up with your Department on behalf of herself and the descendants of certain Indians, described as " Caughnawaga Indians", in an Agreement made in I857;their claim to obtain a share of the annuities and arrears of the same, or interest moneys,of the Cape Croker Indians, and for other relief,which I cannot just now set out here, for lack of definite information, but which from the communication before me, they stremuously assert.

The matter would seem to be based on the position of the Indians known as the " Caughnawaga Indians", in the Agreement or Treaty of 9th. February, I857. This statement of mine may be modified as the result of the documents I am going to ask you to furnish me, but broadly, I think this would seem to be correct. Anyway, at present, I have only to advise, and not contend. The Department may understand.

I have before me two letters from your Department (Sept. 23rd. I9I3, 425,603, and Oct. 4th. I9I5 245,602);also what is said to be a copy of an Agreement made February 9th. I857, between the Nawash and Caughnawaga Indians, in Mr. Chesley's presence. Also, some correspondence in I9I3, between the Cape Croker Indians and Mrs. Morris regarding the matter, from which it would appear the Croker people acknowledged the claim of Mrs. Morris et al.

I note the Department takes the position these people have no claim in the premises, but on the information before me, feel unable to come to any independent conclusion. It would seem the Department takes the view that an agreement entered into some years ago by Louis Beauvais has disposed of any claim these people might have in connection with the matter. I know nothing about this, but would thank the Department would it favour me with a copy of this Agreement, apparently made in the year I872 (245,602) with the names of the parties signing the same.

Possibly, this would enable me to fully advise my client, though I may have to ask further information.

I trust the Department will consider this a reasonable request.

Respectfully

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Ottawa, November 24th., 1915.

Sir,-

I beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 17th instant, in regard to the case of Mrs. Thomas Morris (née Beauvais) and others of the Caughnawaga Band, and in reply I beg to transmit herewith for your information copy of the original agreement between the Nawash Band and the Caughnawaga Band, upon which this woman bases her claim for compensation for improvements on land in Sarawak. I also enclose copy of a letter which the Department addressed to her in this matter on the 23rd September, 1913, from which you will see that the Department looked very carefully into the matter and considers that the parties interested have been fully compensated for any claim which they have had for improvements on the said lands.

H.M.A.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

A. G. Chisholm Esq.,
Barrister &c.,
London, Ont.

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London, Ont. May 18th. 1916

Secretary Department of Indian Affairs

Ottawa

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Sir/

I duly received your communication of November 24th. 1915, file 425,602, regarding the claim of Mrs. Thomas Morris (nee Beauvais) and others of the Caughnawaga Indians, enclosing me copy of the original agreement between the Nawash Band and the Caughnawaga Indians, on which you state these people base their claim" for compensation for improvements on lands in Sarawak": also copy of a letter which the Department addressed Mrs. Morris on this matter under date of 23rd. September, 1913, and you state the Department has looked very carefully into the matter and considers the parties interested have been fully compensated for any claim which they have had for improvements on the said lands.

Possibly my letter to you of November 17th. 1915 on the subject of these peoples' claim did not make the matter as clear as it should be made, though I mentioned to you there, I might have to modify the statements made as the result of the documents I proposed to ask you to furnish me.

I made no claim in my letter for " compensation for improvements". If you will look further at it, you will see claimants desire to " obtain a share of the annuities and arrears of the same, or interest moneys of the Cape Croker Indians, and for other relief".

This phase of the subject would seem to have been considered when the Department wrote my client on October 4th. 1915 245,602) that Mrs. Morris was a descendant of the late Louis Beauvais, and as he and other Indians signed an agreement in 1872 to accept improvement money in satisfaction of their claim against the Band and received payment this cancelled their claim and consequently Mrs. Morris as Bauvin's descendant, was not entitled to any further payment.

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Louis Beauvais was the father of Mrs. Morris,and signed the agreement of 1872,apparently " for himself,his late Mother's family,the late Baptiste". He says nothing about signing for his own family. Whether he had any family of his own at this time,how old they were,and his right to sign away their interets,remains still to be ascertained.

The whole matter involves the consideration of a number of old agreements bearing on the subject running back over a period of over sixty years; a consideration of the position of the claimants or their ancestors at that time;and, a careful investigation into the results of the documents in question as subsequently affecting or altering the relations of the claimants or their ancestors,with your Department or the Cape Croker Indians. I regret the lack of material in my possession to properly from this point of view,bring the contention of my clients before your Department.

The difficulty of satisfactorily dealing with the case is accentuated by the informal nature of the alleged agreement of June 15th. 1872,under which these people are said to have given up their right to share in the annuity or interest moneys of the Cape Croker Band,and which apparently was prepared by the local Indian Agent for the time being. It may be noted this document is absolutely silent on the subject of annuity or interest money. What was the position then, before or after these changed circumstances, I am unable to state.

Having in mind the foregoing,and taking advantage of the fragmentary material before me, doubtless to be supplemented from the files of the Department, it would appear that in 1857, the then administration of Indian Affairs was convinced it would be in the interests of the Indians concerned, to obtain a surrender from them of a large tract of land,comprising some 10,000 acres, and that negotiations for this purpose were accordingly instituted between the Province of Canada,and the Indians recognized as occupying the territory involved.

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Reference may be here made to the following documents,-

Surrender of the Saugeen Peninsula, No. 72,dated Oct. I3th. I854. See Indian Treaties &c. Vol. I P.,I95.

Agreement, Feby. 9th. I857. No. 79. P. 208 do.

Surrender, Feby. 9th. I857. No. 82. P. 2I3 do.

The first above mentioned (No. 72) surrendered to the Crown the Saugeen Peninsula and the Owen Sound Indian Reserve,with certain reservations,which need not be ~~stated~~ noted except,-

"2nd. We reserve for the benefit of the Owen Sound Indians all that tract bounded &c. &c. x x x x x x extending to the Southern limit of the Caughnawaga settlement x x x x x x all which reserves we hereby retain to ourselves and our children in perpetuity,and it is agreed that the interest of the principal sum arising out of the sale of our lands be regularly paid to them so long as there are Indians left to represent our Tribe without diminution, at half yearly periods".

This agreement, with minor changes, was ratified by the Governor General in Council, on February 3rd. I855.

It will be noted, the lands affected ran to, but did not include the Caughnawaga settlement.

The next two documents to be dealt with are, Nos. 79 and 82 above referred to, and require examination.

Their dates are concurrent (February 9th. I857) and there was a reason for the fact of the two instruments.

No. 82 recites,-

" Whereas we and our people x x x x x forseeing the great benefits that we and our posterity are likely to derive from the Surrender of a large portion of our Reserve x x x in the year, I854, we have after mature consideration,in several full Councils held at our village of Newash,arrived at the conclusion that it will be to our advantage, to place at the disposal of our Father the Governor General, the land upon which we now reside, commonly known as the Newash or Owen Sound Reserve, in order that he may cause the same to be sold for our benefit. Be it therefore known that we x x x x x on behalf of our said Tribe do hereby surrender x x x x all and singular that certain parce

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or tract of land x x x x x known as the Newash Reserve and containing about 10,000 acres of land,be the same more or less,which tract of land is butted and bounded and otherwise known as follows,viz. x x x x on the North west by the Head Line Road between the 17th. and 18th. Concessions of the Township of Keppel and the Southerly boundary of the lands lately occupied by the Caughnawaga Indians x x x x x to have and to hold the said lands x xx to the intent and purpose that Her said Majesty x x x x may sell and dispose of the same for the sole use and benefit and behoof of us,the aforesaid Newash Band of Indians and our posterity forever,subject however x x x also to the following conditions,-

1st. That as soon as the above named reserve shall be sold and we are required to remove from it, there shall be assigned to each Indian family,constituted as such before the year 1860, a lot of 25 acres,surveyed for the purpose,in our reserve at Cape Croker x x x x .

2nd. That the sum of One thousand pounds, shall be advanced from the proceeds of the first sale of the aforesaid tract, for the erection of frame dwelling houses at Cape Croker, of dimensions similar to those we now occupy at Newash, to be built under the direction of the Indian Department,and that afterwards from three to five houses shall be erected annually at said place until each individual having a right to a house shall be supplied,the expense of these last to be borne from our annuity or interest funds.

3rd. That each individual of the Tribe now participating in our annuity, shall receive Ten pounds from the proceeds of the first instalment paid on the land to be sold x x ."

This Surrender was accepted in its entirety, by His Excellency the Governor General in Council, on February 18th. 1857.

On the same 9th. February, 1857, there was executed a

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document from which I make extracts as follows,-

" Be it known that whereas Peter Jones Kegedonce x x x x on the part of the Chippewa Indians residing at Nawash, Owen Sound; and Baptist Beauvin, a Mohawk Indian residing on the Caughnawaga Tract on the North shore of Owen Sound, on the part of the three Caughnawaga families who remain located on said Tract, were appointed by their respective people at a full Council to proceed as a deputation to Toronto, for the purpose of treating with their father the Governor General for a Surrender of the Reserve which they respectively occupy. And whereas the contemplated treaty between the Crown and the said Nawash Indians for the surrender of the aforesaid Reserve has been this day made and executed, it is deemed by all the parties named desirable that the said Caughnawaga families should also surrender and yield up to the Crown the lands which they occupy in the aforesaid Caughnawaga settlement, and remove to Cape Croker with the Nawash Band, and it is therefore agreed upon by all the contracting parties that the said three Caughnawaga families consisting of fifteen persons, including men, women and children, shall and do hereby yield up the said three lots, to wit, I3, I7 and I8 to the Crown, for the purpose of being sold in common with other surrendered land, for the benefit of the Chippewa Indians of Nawash, and will remove therefrom when required by the Governor General to do so, and the members of the Nawash Band do hereby admit the said Caughnawaga Indians to a full share and participation in all revenues and privileges enjoyed or to be enjoyed by the said Nawash Band".

It is further agreed that the heads of the three Caughnawaga families, viz. Baptist Beauvin, Louis Beauvin and Michel Montour, shall be entitled to receive out of the first payment by the purchasers of said land, the appraised value of their respective buildings and other improvements, also the sum of Ten pounds per head to each member of their respective families, and on removing to Cape Croker they will be located on 25 acre lots, in like manner as is agreed upon by the Treaty already named. Provided always that this Agree-

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ment shall not be held as binding unless the majority of the Nawash Band concur therein,which concurrence, or dissent from it, is required to be expressed before Richard Carney Esq. within one month from this date.

From a perusal of these documents, certain salient facts stand out.

I/ The Crown wished a surrender of the lands.

2/ The Caughnawaga families were in possession of a portion of the tract,and the Crown recognized this as well as the Indians,and wished to procure a surrender as well, of the Caughnawaga lands. The Treaty was only " contemplated", and not entered into, till the Agreement with the Caughnawagas was completed.

3/ Till the supplementary agreement of February 9th. I857,no attempt was made to deal with the Caughnawaga lands.

4/ Each Chippewa family was to receive 25 acres on the Croker Reserve, have a dwelling house erected, and each individual was to receive Ten pounds from the first instalment of purchase money paid. The Caughnawaga families were to receive exactly similar treatment,except that they were to " receive out of the first payment by the purchasers of said land the appraised value of their buildings and other improvements",referring undoubtedly to those abandoned on the lands surrendered.

5/ All, after the date of the Surrender were to share equally " in all revenues and privileges enjoyed or to be enjoyed by the said Nawash Band". The houses of the Caughnawagas on the Croker Reserve, were as were the houses of the other Indians, paid for out of " our annuity or interest funds".

6/ The Caughnawagas gave up their lands and removed to Croker, in consequence of the supplementary Agreement, and the notification they received under it, to so remove.

7/ There is no evidence, one way or the other that I have,of approval or dissent, by the Nawash Band, of the Agreement No. 79, but it was approved of by Mr. Pennefather, Superintendent General, and acted on for years.

For fifteen years, subsequently to I857, the above condition of affairs would seem to have prevailed. The Beauvais family merged with the Nawash Band,dwelled there, occupied lands there of which they were the recognized owners,and shared in the annual or semi-annual,distributions of annuity and interest moneys.

Then the letter of June I5th. I872, which as I have pointed out is extremely vague in its terms,and is absolutely silent with regard to annuity and interest money, was drawn up by the Indian Agent, and signed by Louis Beauvais, for himself his Mother's family,the late Baptist;by Baptist Beauvin and Michel Montour;whereby these

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parties agreed " to accept the improvement money and give up any further claims upon the Cape Croker Indians".

The circumstances attending the execution of this document are not before me,but it would seem an extraordinary thing if these people under the circumstances above referred to should for the sake of the few dollars obtainable for their improvements, give up all their rights present or future, as members of the Croker Band. If, transferring to another Band, they might have asked for a transfer of their share of the Capital. This Capital was derived as equally,from the sale of the Caughnawaga lands, as from the Chippewa lands. The consideration would be so grossly inadequate that it much strengthens the contention of the claimants, that there was no intention of giving up more than their improvements,when the alleged release was signed.

Then, what legal right had the parties to the letter of 1872, to sign away the rights of claimants? I know of no method by which they could sacrifice the shares of minor children for instance,born as members of the Band,and entitled to share equally in its property, except in the usual manner, now provided for by the Indian Act,which simply puts into,Statute form the immemorial custom of dealing by the Crown, with an Indian Band surrendering its rights. I would reserve the right to deal further with this phase of the matter, should any argument be needed in support of the statement,but it seems to me elemental. When these children came of age,should the Department still adhere to the view that the document of 1872 deprived the signatories, or their descendants, of further right to share in the annuity or interest moneys of the Band, I say the minor children who did not sign it,and could not bind themselves, should have been requested by the Indian Department to execute a proper release.

My instructions are that the people known in this connection as " the Caughnawaga Indians", or their descendants, have never abandoned or ceased to press their claim to share in the funds of the Chippewas at Cape Croker.

From letters before me from the Croker Indians, it would seem these latter are quite willing, that the Caughnawaga Indians, should so share.

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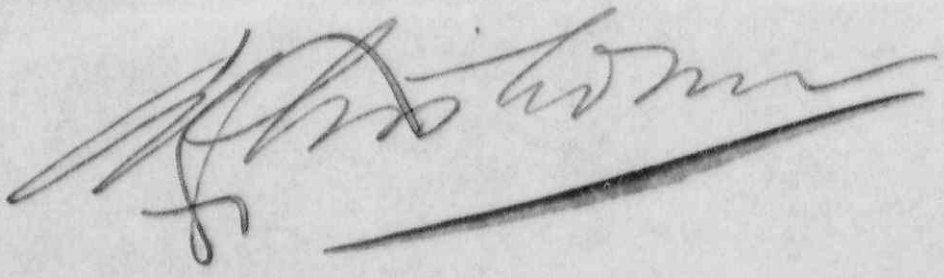
As to what measure of relief, if any, the Caughnawagas should obtain, I am in no position to state. I do not in any way insist they have made out an indubitable claim for any relief. I do urge their claim requires the most careful further examination and investigation.

Whether the Croker Indians had any portion of the funds payable under the Robinson Treaty of 1850,or whether the " Caughnawaga Indians are, on account of their residence and local occupation in 1850, entitled as such to share in any particular fund, I cannot say.

I would ask the Indian Department to direct that a careful investigation be made into the whole facts regarding the case,and that the claimants be afforded an oppoftunity of being represented by Counsel at such, should the same be held,as they may be advised.

Respectfully



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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
AUG 8 1916

London, Canada, Aug. 7th. 1916

Secretary Department Indian Affairs

Ottawa

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Sir/

Referring to my letter to the Department of May 18th. last in the case of Mrs. Thomas Morris (425,602) I would be pleased to be informed by you what action the Department proposes to take in the matter.

Respectfully

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re Claim of Mrs. Thomas Merris, on behalf of Caughnawaga Indians formerly settled at Sarawak Township.

. Extract from report of R. T. Pennefather, Supt. General Indian Affairs to H. E. Sir E. T. Head, Governor General &c. dated at Indian Department, Toronto, 24th. Nov. /56. See Appendix No. I to same dated 20th. Nov. /56.

" The Caughnawag tract, situated very advantageously on the Owen Sound Bay, the surrender of which was only obtained from the Indians during the progress of the late sale, though samll is reported to be good land. Instructions had been forwarded to me, by direction of H. E. the Governor General, to offer the same at the first sale, but having got through all the land, and closed the auction two days before these instructions reached me, and the people having nearly all dispersed and left for their homes, many of whom had been waiting for this land, I felt that I could not in justice to the Department, and without causing much dissatisfaction, carry out that order. This tract will therefore remain to be offered at another sale".

sd. W. R. Bartlett
Agent for sale

In the report of Mr. Pennefather, to H. E. dated 28th. December, 1857, he attaches the reoprt of Mr. Bartlett, Agent for sale, dated 19th. December, 1857, on the last sales of the lands referred to, from which it appears,- Of the Caughnawaga tract- 1599 acres were sold for $8,398.70, which apparently embraced the whole Caughnawaga tract, as no lands are returned therein as being unsold.

By return No. 5 to this same report of Mr. Bartlett, the whole of this money is shown to have gone to the Nawash Band.

I cannot find any trace in the material I have before me, as to what disposition was made of further instalments paid on account of the Caughnawaga tract.

London, August 26th. /16.

From an incomplete unsigned statement, apparently a report of a visit paid the Indian Department some years after this, when the Caughnawagas apparently were seeking some indemnification or relief on account of their losse f these lands, it would appear that Baptist Beauvais only originally received $115.00 compensation, Tom. Williams $75.00, Louis Beauvais $130.00. The amount received by Michael Monteur (if any) is not stated.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
AUG 1916

London, Canada, August 29th. 1916

Secretary Department Indian Affairs

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Sir/

With further reference to my letter to you of August 7th. in the case of Mrs. Thomas Merris (425,602) as I have received no reply, I presume the matter is still under consideration by the Department. Since writing this letter I have come across the information of which I have made a note on the enclosed slip. I fancy it has a good deal of bearing on the question of wether the Caughnawaga families ever received adequate compensation from the Nawash Band, when they surrendered their tract in Sarawak.

Respectfully

A. G. Chisholm

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Montreal, January 9th 1917

D.C.Scott, Esq.,
Deputy Minister of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa,

(Personal)

My dear Scott:-

An old Indian named Montour, of Caughnawaga, tells me a lawyer has been collecting, and is continuing to collect, money from the descendants of three Indian families, (one of whom is named Montour, and is this man's father,) about their share in about $8400 now in the funds of the Nawash Band, and which was the price of a tract of land sold in 1857, and on which the three families were then settled, and which they subsequently left. ~~therefrom.~~ This lawyer appears to have had the matter in hand for a long time, and wants all the descendants to send him sums of money for his expenses and searches, and already has had $25.00 cash and wants $25.00 more from the single Indian in question.

It seems to me that I would rather know more about the matter directly from the Department before advising Montour whether to contribute more money or not. Perhaps you or one of your staff might be able to throw light upon the situation, and I hope it is not troubling you too much to at least send

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D.C.Scott.Esq.....2.

you these particulars.. I know that anything affecting the Indian is very much at your own heart.

With kind regards,

Faithfully yours.

W D Lighthall

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January 13, 1917.

Dear Mr. Lighthall,-

I have your note of the 9th of January. I think the lawyer whom you mention as having been interested in collecting money from some Caughnawaga Indians is Mr. A. G. Chisholm, of London, Ont. Mr. Chisholm makes a specialty of Indian claims and some of them are pretty far fetched; I think this one may be placed in that category.

In Lord Elgin's time he arranged that a few Caughnawaga Indian families should go to what is known as the Saugeen tract, which is now in the County of Bruce. The Indians stayed there for some time and were associated with an Indian band known as the Chippewas of Newash, but gradually they wandered back to Caughnawaga, and those who were the last vestige of the little settlement disappeared in 1872 when the few families of Indians were paid for their improvements on the land.

Mr. Chisholm is endeavouring to establish that

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these Caughnawaga Indians have some claim on the funds and lands of the Chippewas of Newash. We will not do the Chippewas of Newash the injustice of indulging Mr. Chisholm in any of these fancies, and I think it would be an absolute waste of money for any Caughnawaga Indian to pay him anything. Of course, this will interfere with Mr. Chisholm's livelihood, a portion of which is extracted from the ignorance or credulity of Indians, but I do not know that we ought to give much weight to that point.

Wishing you the Compliments of the Season, I remain,

Yours sincerely,

Duncan Campbell Scott

Deputy Superintendent General.

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Ottawa, January 20th. 1917.

Sir,

With reference to your letter of August 7th. and correspondence relating to a supposed claim of some Caughnawaga Indians upon the funds or lands of the Cape Croker Band, I have to inform you that the matter will not be considered by this Department, as it cannot be held that these Indians have any valid claim, and you need not, therefore, pursue the matter further.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean

Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

A. G. Chisholm, Esq.,
Barrister, Solicitor, etc.,
London, Ont.

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London, Canada, Jany. 22nd. 1917.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
JAN 1917

J. D. McLean Esq.

Assistant Deputy and Secretary Indian Department

Ottawa Ont.

Sir/ 425602

I have your communication of the 20th. instant, numbered above, in which you state with reference to my letter of the 7th. August last and correspondence relating to a supposed claim of some Caughnawaga Indians upon the funds or lands of the Cape Croker Band:the matter will not be considered by your Department, as it cannot be held these Indians have any valid claim, and that I need not therefore, pursue the matter further.

In reply I have to state that the above deliverance may be oracular, but it is scarcely convincing, and certainly not satisfactory to either myself or my clients.

Under a Surrender made to the Crown on behalf of the three Caughnawaga families interested, dated the 9th. February, 1857,and accepted by the Government, certain lands known as the " Caughnawaga tract", were surrendered for the purpose of sale, - " of being sold in common with other surrendered land for the benefit of the Chippewa Indians of Nawash", and the Caughnawags were to " remove therefrom when required by the Governor General to do so, and the members of the Nawash Tribe do hereby admit the said Caughnawaga Indians to a full share and participation in all revenues and privileges enjoyed or to be enjoyed by the said Nawash Band". ---- "Provided always, that this agreement shall not be held as binding unless the majority of the Nawash Band concur therein".

Under this Surrender the Caughnawaga tract was sold for the sum of $8,398.70(see report of 19th. December,1857) and by Return No. 5 attached to Mr. Pennefather's report of 28th. December,1857, the whole of this sum is shown to have been placed to the credit of the Nawash Band, who still enjoy the money.

The Nawash Band never consented to receive the Caughnawagas as members, and after some fifteen years jangling about the matter during which the Caughnawagas only received three payments of interest, they left the Nawash settlement and went to Caughnawaga receiving $310.00 for some improvements they had at Nawash, and although they have continually asserted their claims since, have never received one cent benefit from their moneys still remaining with the Nawash Band.

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The Caughnawaga families have never released their claims for these moneys. If they have not received the principal, they certainly should have participated in the distributions of interest all these years. They have got neither principal or interest, and the Croker Indians have got their money and have enjoyed the same since 1857.

There can be no question about the correctness of the above facts and therefore the claim of these people for relief, I submit most respectfully, cannot be dismissed in the casual way you treat the ~~xxxx~~ same in your letter which I have just received. I shall therefore have to press the Department to furnish me with some convincing answer to these allegations, or else enable the claimants to prove their case at some investigation held for the purpose.

Respectfully yours

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Ottawa, January 24, 1917.

Sir,-

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 22nd instant regarding the supposed claim of some Caughnawaga Indians upon the funds or lands of the Cape Croker Band, and to say that it is not thought necessary to add anything to my letter to you of the 20th instant in which you were informed that the claim would not be considered by this Department as it could not be held that these Indians had any valid claim.

Your obedient servant,

J. D McLean

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

A.G.Chisholm, Esq.,
Barrister, Solicitor, etc.,
London, Ont.

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London, Canada, Jany. 30th. 1917

Secretary Department Indian Affairs 491180
Ottawa Ont.

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
JAN 1917

Sir/

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 24th. instant (425602) again refusing to give any reason why the claims of certain Caughnawaga Indians for relief against the Cape Croker Indians, will not receive any consideration from your Department.

These people reside in the Constituency of Laprairie, represented by Mr. Roch Lanctot M. P. to whom I have forwarded copies of late correspondence between the Department and myself on this subject. Whether Mr. Lanctot may evoke any reason from your Department why it refuses to consider this claim, or whether he will try to, I cannot say. I only regret that what seems to me like a reasonable claim, reasonably presented to your Department, should from it meet such a meagre response.

Respectfully yours

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Feb 21/17.

INDIAN DEPARTMENT 492101

Hon. D.C. Scott.
Deputy Supt General.
Indian affairs.
Ottawa.

Hon. Sir,

I am informed by my people at St Regis, Cornwall, that your department are anxious to know who the heirs are of a track of land on the reserve near Newfoundland, a reservation of Indians near this place - knowing to be a goes by the name of Cape Crooker. My parents Charles Barnes and Mrs Charles Barnes was one of the three families occupied land on this reserve. The other family was John Barnes & wife. The other family was (A-wat-sat-ah.) Indian name All of these families left that reserve some fifty years ago and came & resided at Grand River Reservation, Six Nations. If it is true that the Department wishes to find out who are the heirs of this land kindly let me know in the matter, and I will by gin you further information.

Yours truly, Mrs Margaret Johnson Barnes

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February 23, 1917.

Dear Madam,-

I have your communication of the 21st instant, inquiring if the Department wishes information in regard to the heirs of a tract of land at Cape Croker, and in reply to say that no request for information in this matter has been made by the Department.

Yours very truly,

Duncan C. Scott

Deputy Superintendent General.

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Caledonia. Ont.
Mar 23rd 1914.

Duncan C. Scott Esq.
Depy Supt Genl.
Ottawa,

Dear Sir:-

by request
of Mrs Lucretia Martin
being one of the daughters
of the late Chas Barnes or
Baron. a French Canadian
who married a Mohawk
women.. named Talbot
originally resided at
Cornwall or St Regis
The family - a large family.
moved here - on this reserve
and stayed a short time
and then moved to Cape-
Croker. in Bruce County
and the Chippawas of
that place. Gave 100
acres to Chas Barnes &
100 to one of his

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sons named John Barnes.
said John. is still living
& being the oldest of the
family. The Barnes family
again left Cape Croker &
came back to this Reserve
on or about 52 years
ago. but were never put
on the Nations list. to
draw annuities.
now it appears that one
of the daughters of the
late Chas Barnes - named
Charlotte Benedict - was
in Ottawa about two years
ago. in reference to the
lands in question - She
was then advised that
payments had all been
made - to the holders of
lands in Cape Croker - Bruce
County. Excepting the Barnes
family. If these are facts
will you kindly let me
know by return mail. as
the family would like to be
paid for their share.
Yours truly.
Chief. W. D. Loft.

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Ottawa, March 26, 1917.

Dear Chief,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 23rd instant, in regard to claim of Indians who formerly lived on the Six Nations reserve, and moved to Cape Croker, and in reply to say that this matter was fully investigated by the Department some little time ago, and it was decided that the claim could not be considered by the Department, as it could not be held that these Indians had any valid claim.

Your obedient Servant,

J. D. McLean

Assistant Deputy & Secretary.

Chief W. D. Loft,
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London, Canada, May 18th. 1917

James Morris Esq. M. P.
House of Commons
Ottawa Ont.

Dear Mr. Morris/

I have not heard from you since writing you on the 23rd. April regarding the Caughnawaga matter. Sorry to bother you again about it, but I suppose you must pay the penalty of being a Member of Parliament.

Faithfully yours

A. Chisholm

Could you not get Mr. Patenaude to recommend this investigation? I would not press the matter so insistently, but that after thirty years/experience of such cases, I am quite convinced these people are suffering under a great injustice.

A.C.

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London, Canada, April 23rd. 1917

James Morris Esq. M. P.
House of Commons
Ottawa Ont.

Dear Mr. Morris/

I hope some of these days you will be able to get in touch with Dr. Roche and have him order an investigation into the claim of Mrs. Thomas Morris and other heirs, of Caughnawaga against the Cape Croker Indians.

As I explained, we are willing to submit the matter to any independent perty appointed by the Minister for the purpose. I have I think explained the whole matter to you before. The short fact is that the lands of these Caughnawaga Indians were sold and the proceeds $8,398.70, were paid into the credit of the Croker Indians. The Caughnawaga people drew three payments of interest, from the Croker funds, and have got nothing since and the Croker people still have the money.

The Caughnawaga people never released their claim to the fund, and they now ask that the matter be properly investigated before some independent officer appointed for the purpose, and that the Indian Department furnish funds to conduct the investigation and enable them to employ counsel to represent them. It seems to me there is nothing unfair about that.

Faithfully yours A. G. Chisholm

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May 29th 1917

Hon. Dr. W. J. Roche,
Minister of the Interior,
House of Commons.

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Dear Sir,

I herewith enclose a communication from A.G. Chisholm of London, Ont. that explains itself. Will you kindly advise me if anything can be done along this line.

Mr Chisholm has addressed this communication to me on account of the Caughnawaga reservation adjoining my county, and, in fact, was at one time attached to the county of Chateauguay.

I know nothing about this matter more than what Mr Chisholm has told me, but what he asks does not seem to be a very difficult matter, and if it could be done I would be much obliged.

Yours truly,

Jas. Morris M.P.

Enclosure

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11th June, 1917.

Dear Sir,

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 29th ultimo, addressed to the Honourable Dr. W.J.Roche, Superintendent General of Indian Affairs, enclosing a letter from A. G.Chisholm, Esq., Barrister of London, Ontario, with respect to a claim of Mrs. Thomas Morris and others of Caughnawaga against the Cape Croker Indians, in which he asks that an investigation be granted to determine the rights of these applicants, and that the Department furnish funds for the costs in the matter.

In reply I beg to say that the Department cannot accede to Mr. Chisholm's request as it is quite clear that his clients have no valid claim and Mr. Chisholm has already been advised to this effect.

a.s.w.

Yours truly,

Sgd Duncan C Scott

James Morris, Esq., M.P.,
House of Commons,
Ottawa.

Deputy Superintendent General.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS CANADA

OFFICE OF THE DEPUTY SUPERINTENDENT GENERAL

OTTAWA 9th June, 1917.

Dear Sir,

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 29th ultimo, addressed to the Honourable Dr. W.J.Roche, Superintendent General of Indian Affairs, enclosing a letter from A.G.Chisholm, Esq., Barrister of London, Ont., with respect to a claim of Mrs. Thomas Morris and others of Caughnawaga against the Cape Croker Indians, in which he asks that an investigation be granted to determine the rights of these applicants.

In reply I beg to say that so far as the records of the Department show there does not appear to be any foundation for this claim. There is some correspondence on file from the Cape Croker Indians dated in 1872 protesting against the application of these Caughnawaga families for readmission to the Cape Croker band. There appears to be no record of these Indians ever having been paid annuities as

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members of the Cape Croker band. If they ever were members, which is not admitted, they at this time in making application for admission, admitted they were not then members, and as a matter of fact they never subsequently became members, and further than this these Indians communicated with the Department at this time stating that as the Cape Croker Indians were unwilling to readmit them but were willing to pay them for their improvements, they agreed to accept this offer and to give up any further claims upon the Cape Croker Indians. They were accordingly paid for their improvements as ascertained by competent valuators. No further claims were ever made by these Indians so far as the Department is aware. Their children or grandchildren the present claimants are evidently labouring under a delusion in making this claim and the Department in view of the circumstances above set forth cannot entertain it.

Yours truly,

Deputy Superintendent General.

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5th September, 1917.

Mr. Mitchell,

With reference to the matter of the claim of Mrs. Thomas Morris, of Caughnawaga, as referred to in Mr. Gallagher's letter to you of the 27th ultimo, I beg to say that this claim has been carefully looked into and that it is quite clear from the documents, and correspondence on file that Mrs. Morris's relatives, through whom she claims, were compensated, in consideration for which they gave up any further claim upon the Cape Croker Indians, and Mrs.Morris's solicitor has already been so advised.

Duncan C. Scott

Deputy Superintendent General.

ASW.

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London, Canada, Oct. 11th. 1917

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Duncan C. Scott Esq.
Deputy Superintendent General Indian Affairs
Ottawa Ont.

Dear Mr. Scott/

When a new Minister comes in, I purpose claiming his attention to the case of Mrs. Morris and the Caughnawaga Mohawks for relief against the Cape Croker Band.

Prior to doing so though, I wish to point out to you the facts before me, and I might say they seem to be undisputed, show that the lands of these people in Sarawak after a separate surrender made by them, were sold for the sum of $8,398.70 and these moneys paid into the funds of the Nawash Band where they still remain.

The claim of the Department is that by payment of $310.00 in 1872, all the right of the fifteen people constituting the Caughnawaga Indians of Sarawak in 1857 and their descendants, all their claims for improvements on the surrendered lands as well as on their new locations at Cape Croker, all their rights (fixed by the terms of the surrender and by agreement of the Nawash Band) to share in the distribution of interest moneys among the Nawash Band then or afterward, were fully released and surrendered.

This appears to be the position you take, and it would

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seem so unconscionable (if you will forgive the word) that before proceeding any further I thought best to draw it to your attention.

I would be pleased to have your comments.

Faithfully yours

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425602.

October 18th, 1917.

Dear Mr. Chisholm -

I have your letter of October 11th with reference to the alleged claim of the Caughnawaga Indians against the Chippewas of Nawash.

I note that you propose drawing the attention of the Superintendent General, who is now the Hon. Arthur Meighen, to this case.

Yours very truly,

Deputy Superintendent General.

A. G. Chisholm, Esq.,
Barrister, Solicitor, etc.,
London, Ont.

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Memorandum regarding the Migration of Caughnawaga Indians to Colpoys Bay and Cape Croker and the claim of Mrs. Morris (nee Beauvais).

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Agreement of 21st August, 1851. — The Chippewas of Nawash and Colpoys Bay granted a tract of land to the Caughnawaga Indians, subject to the approval of the Governor General, on the condition that the whole or the majority of their band remove to the land thus granted to them and settle on and improve the same.

18th May, 1852 — The Governor General approved of this agreement on the following conditions:-

(1) That all or a majority of all the bands resident within the reservation at Saugeen are consenting parties to the agreement.

(2) Settlement to be made on the north instead of the south of Colpoys Bay.

(3) Mohawks not to have more than 100 acres for each family.

(4) Not to introduce any whites.

(5) And to comply with the rules of the Government regarding Indians in that district.

26th June, 1852. — The Saugeen band refused to consent to this agreement.

15th Dec. 1852. — Further emigration was prohibited by the Government owing to the Provincial Government's furnishing the required lands for Indians in lower Canada.

Petition by Chiefs of Saugeen, Nawash and Colpoys Bay of 3rd January, 1854 — The Chippewa Indians petitioned the Governor General that the 36 Mohawk families who had settled on and improved land south of Colpoys Bay be permitted to remain there instead of

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moving to the north of the Bay as they had been directed to do; and that they be given 100 acres of land for each family.

18th March 1854. — This petition was granted on the condition that they would not object to the sale of the land provided they were paid for their improvements.

Pennefather's Report of 1857. — Most of the Mohawks returned to Caughnawaga in 1856.

Agreement 9th Feb. 1857. — By agreement of 9th February, 1857, the three remaining Mohawk families of B. Beauvais, L. Beauvis and M. Montour were to remove to Cape Croker and in lieu of lots 13, 17 and 18, Caughnawaga Range, Keppel, held by them each family was to receive 25 acres of land at Cape Croker, and the value of their improvements on the lots they were relinquishing, in addition to which each of the 15 persons, composing the three families, was to receive £10. This they were paid also the value of their improvements which amounted to $448.00.

In 1859 these Mohawks were to have shared in the Interest distribution (their names were on the pay lists) but they had left the reserve and were residing with the six Nations, until 1863 or 4. Their names were on the Six Nations census list in 1861 (see Gilkison's letter of 17th February, 1872).

Spragge's rep't of 8 Feb. 1872. — Mr. Spragge in his report of 8th February, 1872, states in part as follows:-

"It is desirable to call attention to that portion of the agreement dated 9th February, 1857, which relates to their becoming resident at Cape Croker and which is in these words 'And On removing to Cape Croker they will be located on 25 acre lots' &c.

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Contingent accordingly upon their removing to the Cape Croker Reserve was to be their participation in the Revenues of the Chippewas of Nawash, who themselves left Nawash."

13th February, 1872. In February 1872 the Cape Croker Indians protested against the readmission of the Caughnawaga Indians, who they stated had never resided on the reserve for more than a few days at a time.

18th June, 1872. Seeing that they were refused readmission by the Chippewas Montour and the two Beauvais signed an agreement to "give up any further claim upon the Cape Croker Indians" upon the payment to them of the value of their improvements.

23rd July, 1872. The valuation of the improvements by three arbitrators was as follows:-

M. Montour	$228.00
Widow B. Beauvais	175.00
L. Beauvais	150.00
L. Claire	135,00
J. Jacobs	50.00

For these sums cheques were issued and receipts obtained.

G. B. Matheson,

Ottawa, 14th June, 1917.

Registrar.

Ottawa, 29th September, 1954

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January 14th, 1918.

Dear Mr. DeLisle -

Referring to your conversation with my Secretary, I am enclosing herewith a copy of the memorandum which he showed you concerning the claim of certain Cape Croker Indians of the Cape Croker Band, as well as a copy of the letter dated June 18th, 1872, signed by Louis Bouvie and Michel Montour in which, upon certain conditions which were afterwards carried out, they relinquished all claim upon this band. Kindly note that this information is for your own use and that of those interested only.

Encl.

Yours very truly,

Deputy Superintendent General.

P. J. DeLisle, Esqr.,
Caughnawaga, Que.

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Caughnawaga Que
Feb 14th 1918

Dear Sirs

I beg of you to to have regards to a personal affair which is located on the reserve of our Brethern the Chippawa assigned to us the Mohawks of Caughnawaga, on the Bay of Owen Sound

I have not asked ~~before~~, I was young and strong but now I am old and feeble, for which reason I think it proper to recieve the money for my labour of three Summer's land clearing

In 1851 my grand Parents my Brother and my self paid our way with our own money to the said reserve by means of stage which was then the only way of traveling

And in the year of 1854 one Mr Henderson a delegate of the Government informed us that we were not on the assigned portion of the Reserve. It happened then that both Grand Parents were sick so we sold all our stock and what was planted on the cleared land of about ten acres with which we paid our way back to this reserve, not waiting to recieve the pay for our labour.

I am

Jose Katsaratiron

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APRIL 19TH, 1918.

Lawrence

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS APR 28 1918

RESOLUTION NO. 5. Sose Kataratiron Bay of Owen Sound.

Whereas the accompanying letter was submitted to the Council and whereas it appears that the claim merits the consideration of an investigation and report by the Department of Indian Affairs, the Council therefore transmits same for adjustment,

Carried.

Approved
J. M. Brosseau
I. A.

Memo -
This is a claim for clearing some land which occured sixty seven years ago and I do not think it is a case which calls for investigation.

A. S. Williams

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425-602 Cape Croker
Oct 7th 1918

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OCT 18 1918
RECORDS

Dear Sir. 614883
I have been informed
That the Mohawk indians
That used to live on the Cape
Croker reserve some fifty years
ago. have a claim
and that they have engaged
a lawyer Mr Chisholm of London
I would ask that a copy of
the agreement between the
Mohawk indians and the
Cape Croker indians be forward
-ed to me.

Your Obedient Servent
David Sims.

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Ottawa, October 21, 1918.

Sir,-

In reply to your letter, undated, asking for a copy of an agreement between the Cape Croker Indians and the Mohawk Indians, in regard to the occupation of land on the reserve by the latter Indians, I have to say that the Department does not recognize this claim and does not consider it to be necessary to supply you with a copy of the document referred to by you.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean,

for Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

A.S.

Mr. David Sims,

Cape Croker, Ont.

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Caughnawaga
425-602
Inc.

Secretary Department of Indian affairs
Ottawa Ont.

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
APR 20 1920
RECORDS

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Dear Sir
I am directed by Jos. Beauvais "Sose Kataratiron" to present a claim for recompense of labor and improvement made on land in the Bay of Owen Sound in 1854.

It appears that on or about the year 1850 there was assigned to the "Mohawks" of Caughnawaga a portion of land on the Chippawa Reserve in the bay of Owen Sound, and that, the petitioner Jos. Beauvais together with his grand-father and mother and one brother migrated to Owen Sound and took up land on the Chippawa reserve.

After three years labor of clearing and cultivating there holdings, a Mr. Henderson from the Government came and informed them that they were not on the assigned portion of the reserve.

And as the grand father and mother of the petitioner was sick and very feeble they hastely sold what stock they had and the growing crops of about 10 acres which had been cleared, I seems that others of this band who migrated on or about the same time was recompensed for there improvements

in view of my petitioners age and health I would beg to have his claim considered, thanking you in advance for an early reply I beg to remain

Resp't. John Simpson
for Jos. Beauvais

April 19th 1920

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...20 1920

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Ottawa , April 20, 1920.

Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 19th instant, in regard to claim by Mr. Joseph Beauvais for compensation for improvements on land at Owen Sound. In reply I beg to say that an agreement was entered into by the Beauvais family many years ago to accept the improvement money for lands on the Cape Croker reserve and give up any further claims thereto, and in accordance with such agreement, the parties were compensated in full for their improvements.

Your obedient Servant,

W.A.

W. A Orr,

In Charge Lands & Timber Branch.

John Simpson, Esq.,
Caughnawaga,
Que.

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Bissaillon P.O.
Adirondack Jct. Ont.
July 4th 1921.

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LANDS BRANCH
JUL 6 1921

Dear Sir.

Now, I want to get paid for the work I did long ago; as I am now very old and need support. I was not in existence one year when my mother died. She was the only child my grand-father had; so he brought up my elder brother and me. My late brother Wise Kanonsase and I became orphans when my father died, then I was four years old. For this cause of misfortune we left Owen Sound, but our land is there yet.

We had a log house covered with boards. A log stable, with bark ruffing, A pig pen and a poultry loft, a Wood shed, A maple-sugar shanty-house, Aninel graying pasture surrounded by fence. Two oxen, Two milk cows, Five head of cattle, seven pigs.

We sold these live stock, for the use of moving away, and it is that which landed us back here. Now I want to get paid for the work of clearing and ploughing land, that we, my grand-father Sakokowa and etc. did fix at that time and have that far, put the land, in ready condition for use. Therefore I want to get paid; because when my grand-father got old and was disabled I supported him to his very last. The following are the names those who were living with us along the ri Owen Sound.

side please

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9 Arakwaken
10 Satere
11 Tekanatarekwen
12 Tsian
13 Tasonterha
15 Awenrathon
16 Tiokwanoron
17 Sakoteriiotha
18 Tarontha wakon
19 Kanatakatsion
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21 Oroniokewaton

1852

Yours truly

Chief. Sose Kentaratiron.

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Ottawa, July 7, 1921.

Sir,-

In reply to your letter of the 4th instant, in regard to claim for compensation for improvements on land at Owen Sound, I beg to say that an agreement was entered into by your predecessors many years ago to accept the improvement moneys for land on the Cape Croker Reserve and give up any further claims thereto, and that in accordance with such agreement, the parties were fully compensated for their improvements.

Your obedient Servant,

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W. A. Orr

W. A. Orr.
In Charge Lands & Timber Branch.

Chief Sose Kentoratiron,
Bisaillon,
Adirondack Junction,
Que.

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Barristers, &c.

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CABLE ADDRESS, MACLENNANS
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Cornwall, Ont. Sept. 15th 1921 19

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17 1921
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The Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

Dear Sirs:

A client of mine an Indian of the St. Regis Reserve has asked me to procure from you a copy of a receipt for money paid by the Government to a number of Caughnawaga Indians who were located on Caprico Point near Owen Sound Ontario on the Reserve of the Chippawa Indians . It would seem from what my client says that this Reserve was the Reserve of the Chippawa Indians, and they let a number of Caughnawaga Indians into possession and they afterwards wanted to sell it but owing to the possession of the Caughnawaga Indians they could not sell it and the Government took up the matter and paid the Caughnawaha Indians a certain amount to release their possession. My client says that his father and two others did not receive their share and that this fact was set out in the receipts for the money paid . He said this took pkace about fifty years ago. Have you got any trace of this and could you supply me with a copy of one of the receipts. My client says he saw one of these receipts in the possession of one of the Caughnawaga Indians having been sent there some three years ago and was returned to the Department. My client only wants to get one of the receipts. Yours truly

C.H. Cline
Per

MM.

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September 21, 1921.

Dear Sir,-

I have to acknowledge your letter of the 15th instant, with respect to Caughnawaga Indians who are located on Caprico Point, Ont. This is a matter that has been thoroughly investigated by the Department, and it has been found that all claims were fully satisfied.

It is not considered that any purpose would be served by reopening the question in any way, and it is not, therefore, regarded as desirable to give your client any papers in connection therewith.

Yours very truly,

J. D. McLean,
Acting Deputy Superintendent General.

C. H. Cline, Esq.,
Messrs. Maclennan & Cline,
Barristers, &c.,
Cornwall, Ont.

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INDIAN OFFICE

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
JUN 17 1925
RECORDS

At St-Constant,

June 15th 1925

Sir:-

I am requested by Joseph Kentaratiron-Beauvais, 86 years old and a member of the Caughnawaga Indian Reserve, to submit the following facts to your consideration and to ask whether a favourable attention could be hoped from the Department.

During the year of Our Lord 1852, he, Joseph-Kentaratiron-Beauvais, when a boy of 13 years of age and his grand'father Big Jacco departed with 21 other Indians from Caughnawaga for a long journey through the Province of Ontario until they had reached Owen Sound, on the Georgian Bay, where they have settled on a certain portion of land,which they were informed at that time, was supposed to be a part of their Indian Reserve. After three years of hardship, during which they have cleared several acres of land and built different buildings thereon, they have then been informed by the Department of Indian Affairs that their supposed to be Indian Reserve was not for their use. They have decided to return to Caughnawaga and it appears that 18 out of the 21 Indians have received a substancial indemnity from the Department, while Big Jacco and his grand-son who is the present petitioner have never received anything. He prays the Department to look into this affair which he thinks is still on record.

LANDS BRANCH
JUN 17 1925

Your obedient servant,

Indian Agent,

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
OTTAWA.

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425,602.

Ottawa, July 3. 1925.

Sir,-

I have your letter of the 15th ultimo, in regard to claim of Mr. Joseph Beauvais for compensation for improvements on land at Owen Sound. In reply I beg to say that an agreement was entered into by the Beauvais family many years ago, to accept the improvement money for lands on the Cape Croker Reserve, and to give up any further claims thereto, and in accordance with such agreement the parties were compensated in full for their improvements.

Your obedient Servant,

D. J. O'Connor.
Acting In Charge Lands & Timber Branch.

Lorenzo Letourneau, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
St. Constant, Que.

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Caughnawaga. July 22nd 1936

Mr Jos. Brisebois
Indian Agent.

Sir.

May I be permitted to request that you approach the Dept. Indian Affairs, relative to some land the Dominion Government had given to a member of our Band.
This Indian, Ennias Kanatakenhiate (Angus Montour) was employed for close on to thirty years as surveyors assistant by that Dept. of the Federal Government; was pensioned until his death.
He was granted a portion of land, together with all buildings at the release, probably in the year 1878 to 1879 situated at Hat Portage, now Kenora. papers being drawn up by the government officials at that time giving this property to this Indian.
The surviving heirs of this Angus Montour desire to know; and pray that the Dept. Indian Affairs approach the surveying Dept. of the Federal Government; and see if that papers of grant are kept there.
Those papers of grant were made and signed during the premiership of Sir John Macdonald of 1878.
Said Angus Montour, Ennias Kanatakenhiate died in 1881. Thanking you in advance.

Peter Williams

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Enos Kanatakenhiate
(Angus Montour)

born 1825
died 1881 - May the 6th

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA

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OFFICE OF
INDIAN AGENT

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
JUL 24 1936
RECORDS

Caughnawaga, July 22, 1936.

Dear Sir:-

You will find herewith a letter remitted me by Mr. Peter Williams of this Reserve, in which he is requesting me to submit you the claim of the children of the late Angus Montour (Ennias Kanatakenhiate) with regard to certain portion of land located in the West, which the heirs claim was given to their father about fifty eight years ago.

Would you kindly let me know if there is any foundation to this claim. The late Angus Montour was born in 1825 and died in 1881.

Yours truly,

Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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EX'D.

Ottawa, August 31st, 1936.

Sir,-

I acknowledge receipt of your letter of July 22nd, with enclosure written by Peter Williams of the Caughnawaga Reserve, with reference to a claim of the children of the late Angus Montour. In reply I have to inform you that we have made a very careful search of the file and are unable to locate any reference to an Angus Montour as a surveyor's assistant.

I might add that the correspondence relating to Indian lands in the Kenora district has no reference to lands claimed by Ennias Kanatakenhiate.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. C. Caldwell,
Director, Lands and Timber Branch.

Frs. Brisebois, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Caughnawaga, Que.

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EXTRACT.
ORIGINAL ON
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Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, March 28, 1913.

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Memorandum:-
Mr. Pedley,-

Acting on instructions I left Ott
Monday the I7th instant, for St. Regis, going by
Hogansburg.

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Mr. Taillon told me that he wished the Department would let him have a telephone, as in case of sickness he has no readier means of communicating with the Doctor than by mail or driving to Hogansburg to phone him.

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(Sd) Martin Benson

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Ottawa 14th May, 1913.

Sir,

I beg to say that Mr Benson of this Department,who recently visited your Agency,has reported that you asked to be supplied with a telephone. The Department desires to ascertain from you the cost of the installation and rental of a telephone for your office. When this information is received the Department will consider your request,and advise you of a decision in the matter.

Your obedient servant.

D. McLean

Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

F.E. Taillon,Esqr.,

Indian Agent,

St Regis, P,Q'

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MOUNTAIN HOME TELEPHONE COMPANY

Malone, N. Y., March 12th, 1915.

Mr. F. E. Taillon,

St. Regis, P. Q.

Sir:-

In reply to your letter of the 23rd ult. inquiring for information in regard to building a telephone line to the Custom House would say that our Company will build two and one-half miles of line (the distance to your Custom house) at a cost of Three hundred Seventy-five Dollars ($375.)

If you desire any further information kindly let me hear from you.

Yours very truly,

MOUNTAIN HOME TELEPHONE COMPANY

Geo Cackams

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MOUNTAIN HOME TELEPHONE COMPANY

INDIAN AFFAIRS

Malone, N. Y., August 30,1915.

Francis E. Taillion, Custom Officer,

St. Regis, N. Y.

Dear Sir;-

As per the conversation our Mr. Rielly and I had with you in regard to installing a telephone at your place of business would advise that it will be impossible for us to do this less than three hundred ($300) dollars.

If I Can be of any further assistance to you kindly let me know.

Yours very truly,

Geo Cochrin.
L. Mgr.

C/G

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

St Regis, Que.
Sept 20 - 1915.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN
SEP 23 1915

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No.
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

Sir,-

Referring to File # 425677 and letter of July 24th 1913. I herewith hand you two letters received from the Telephone Co.

The distance from Hogansbury to St Regis is approximately two miles, and in as much as this section is wholly inhabited by Indians, that in all probability there would be but the one telephone on this division, the Co do not seem to desire to come here unless the Dept pays the cost of line which they give as $300.00 ready to place in telephone.

There would be a rental of $24.00 per annum, for the use of telephone.

There are many good sound reasons that could be advanced as to why St Regis should be connected with civilization but I will leave the matter entirely with you, as I know you will give it careful consideration.

Your obedient servt
F. E. Taillon
agent

J. D. McLean, Sec.
Attorney Genl

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Ottawa, Sept. 29, 1915.

Sir,-

In reply to your letter of the 20th instant, with enclosure, relative to your desire to have a telephone installed in your office, I beg to say that the Department will not undertake to put in posts for a telephone line at a cost of $300.00 as there are no funds available wherewith to meet such expenditure.

Your obedient servant,

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

F. E. Taillon, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
St. Regis, P. Q.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
MAY 19 1922
RECORDS

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
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TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

St. Regis, Que. May 17. 1922.

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Re file #425677.

Sir,—

Ever since May 1914 the question of installing a telephone at the Agency has been before the Department but for some reason the matter has never been carried to completion, may I respectfully ask that the matter be given favorable consideration, there is no need of my advancing the many reasond that could be given to prove the necessity of a telephone and eepeci-ally for a reservation that is so completly isolated as this one.

I have noted that many of the other reservations are not only equiped with telephones but telegraph in-struments as well.

Trusting that you will give the matter an early and favorable consideration.

J.D.McLean, Sec.,
Ottawa, Ont.

ACCOUNTANTS
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Your obedient servant,
Francis E Taillon
Agent.

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425677

Ottawa, May 23, 1922.

Sir,-

I am in receipt of your letter of the 17th instant in which you make request to have a telephone installed in your office, and in reply I have to inform you that you should make report regarding the cost of installation and the annual rental, and the Department will then give consideration to the matter.

Your obedient servat,

W. D. McLEAN

A.F.MacKenzie
Acting Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

F.E.Taillon, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
St. Regis, P.Q.

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NORTHERN NEW YORK TELEPHONE CORPORATION

PLATTSBURGH, N. Y.

EXECUTIVE OFFICES

November 20, 1923.

Mr. F. E. Taillon,
St. Regis, Que.

Dear Sir:-

With reference to your letter of the 12th inst. relative to proposed installation of telephone service at your office and in connection with our Fort Covington, N.Y. Exchange:

We are prepared to furnish you our standard rural line business service if you will furnish and erect suitable pole line from our pole line at Hogansburg, N.Y. to your office, as stated in my letter of November 18th, 1922, a distance of 2.1 miles.

The poles of this line would be spaced not less than 35 to a mile and we would specify first-class northern cedar poles of top diameter not less than 6 inches - 22 ft. in length and properly proportioned to meet fully our specifications.

Poles would be set to a depth of 4½ ft; line to be located and properly guyed according to our specifications.

We estimate the cost of such a line at approximately $650., and in this estimate we have considered the cost of poles delivered at Hogansburg or St. Regis, Que. at $4.00 each and labor at approximately $4.00 per pole.

It is possible that you can purchase suitable poles and perform the labor at lower figures.

We would expect the Canadian Government to bear the entire expense of the maintenance of this pole line and make replacements from time to time, as necessary, as we might specify. We would bear the entire maintenance of the wire and telephone instrument.

After the work of erecting this line is completed, we would at our expense erect on brackets one pair #12 BB iron wire from Hogansburg to St. Regis and connect this circuit at Hogansburg with one of our rural lines.

For this service we would charge the Canadian Government $78.00 annually and bill monthly in advance.

If this proposal is acceptable to you, we will enter into a contract with the Canadian Government on the basis outlined herein.

Very truly yours,

BHB-B

H. McConville-General Comm'l. Supt.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
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RECORDS

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No.....
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

St. Regis, Que.

December 3rd, 1923.

Re file #425677

Sir,—

Herewith you will find letter from the Telephone Co stating under what terms they will install a telephone here which I beg you to place in the Estimates for the coming session of Parliment.

You are well aware that their is neither telephone or telegraph service with the reservation and that this service is a necessity, therefore, under the circumstances, it is no more than proper that the reserve should be connected with the outside world.

This line is controlled by the Bell Co and gives service all over the country connecting with the Canadian lines as well.

As far as a wholly Canadian line is concerned this is out of the question as a cable would have to be laid from Cornwall, Ont and this would be too expensive.

Hoping this matter will receive the attention it deserves.

J.D.McLean, Sec.,
Ottawa, Ont.

Your obedient servant,
F. E. Taillon
Agent.

There is no chance of getting this in next year and it will have to stand for another year when we may be able to provide for it

ACCOUNTANTS
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December 10th, 1923.

Sir,-

In reply to your letter of the 3rd instant I have to inform you that it will not be possible to make provision in the Estimates which will be presented to Parliament at next Session for the installation of a telephone at the St. Regis Indian Agency Office. Expenditure in the direction indicated will have to stand over for at least another year.

Your obedient servant,

(J.D. McLean),
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

F.E. Taillon, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
St. Regis, Que.

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September 29th, 1927.

Dear Mr. Hunter:-

The Indian Agent at St. Regis, Quebec, who also acts as Postmaster, has his office and residence in a public building. The Customs Officer is also in the same building.

There is neither telephonic or telegraphic communication available at this point, and as we have a great deal of trouble there with the liquor traffic amongst Indians, it being close to the border, it is most important that the Agent should be able at all times to communicate with the Police also the Medical Attendant and Hospitals in cases of illness. I am desirous, therefore, of having a telephone installed. The nearest telephone line is at Hogansburg, New York, two (2) miles distant, and in 1923 the late Indian Agent, Mr. F. E. Taillon, took the question of the cost of bringing this line to St. Regis up with the Northern New York Telephone Corporation at Plattsburg, New York, and for your information I enclose a copy of their letter. I may say that no action followed.

I write to ask you if your Department will not build this line or in some other way establish a telephone for the use of the Indian Agent and other officials by providing for the cost in the next Estimates, if there are no funds available at present.

Yours very truly,

Deputy Superintendent General.

J. B. Hunter, Esq.,
Deputy Minister,
Department of Public Works,
Ottawa, Ontario.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA

Ottawa, February 6th. 1930.

MEMORANDUM:

Dr. Scott.

The necessity for telephone communication at St. Regis Indian Office has been brought to the attention of the Department several times in recent years.

I agree
E.L.

It would not appear necessary to detail the various reasons why a phone is needed, but it may be permissible to emphasize the great need of direct communication with our medical officer and the hospitals at Cornwall. Lack of this has led us into many expensive difficulties in the past.

In 1927 you wrote the Public Works Department asking if they would construct the 2.1 miles necessary to connect with a line at Hogansburg, N.Y. The Deputy Minister of Public Works replied saying that the matter had been referred to the Telegraph Branch for report.

The question seems to have been dropped at this stage. Would it be possible to insert an amount in our Supplementary Estimates to meet this very necessary expenditure.

Inspector.

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February 6th. 1930.

Dear Mr. Hunter,

I beg to refer to my letter of September 29th. 1927 and your reply thereto of October 1st. of that year, in regard to the establishment of telephone communication between St. Regis, Que., and Hogansburg, N.Y. for the accommodation of the Government officials and other white people and the Indians in the St. Regis agency. There is extreme necessity for some means of communication particularly with the town of Cornwall, in which are located the hospital to which Indian patients from this reserve are sent, and the medical officer.

I should be glad if you would let me have the result of the consideration of the project by your telegraph branch.

Yours very truly,

J. B. Hunter, Esq.,
Deputy Minister
of Public Works,
Ottawa.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA

Ottawa, February 7th. 1930.

MEMORANDUM:

Mr. Paget.

With reference to the correspondence below regarding the installation of telephone communcation between St. Regis and Hogansburg, N.Y., I doubt if the Public Works Department will assume the financial obligation involved in erecting this line. The Deputy suggests that an item of say $700.00 be placed in the supplementary estimates 1930-31 for consideration.

H. J. Bury

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FEB 7 1930

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DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS
CANADA

OFFICE OF THE DEPUTY MINISTER
OTTAWA

February 24th, 1930.

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Dear Sir:

Your letter of February 6th re telephone communication between St. Regis, P.Q., and Hogansburg, N.Y., for the accommodation of Government officials and other white people and Indians in the St. Regis Agency received and submitted to the Telegraph Branch of this Department for report.

The General Superintendent calls the attention of the Department that to give the service required by you would mean the building of a telephone line by the Canadian Government in United States territory, which, of course, is never done and as an alternative suggests that your Department apply to the Northern New York Telephone Corporation of Plattsburgh for service, in the usual way.

As you are probably aware, the Department of Public Works only builds telegraph and telephone lines in Canada to isolated districts where commercial companies would not find it profitable to operate, but not in such localities as your request covers.

Yours truly,

J. B. Hunter,
Deputy Minister.

Mr. Duncan C. Scott,
Deputy Superintendent General,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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Feb 28.

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
FEB 28 1[illegible]
RECORD

Mr. Scott —

I anticipated this. We have an item in supplementary estimates of I. Chuck, $700.00 for consideration

A.D.M.

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Ottawa, March 5th. 1930.

Sirs,-

Some years ago the late Mr. F.E. Taillon, then our Indian Agent at St. Regis, Que., had some correspondence with your firm in regard to the extension of your telephone service from Hogansburg, N.Y. to our Indian office at St. Regis.

At that time your company was agreeable to put in a service provided we met the cost of the line from Hogansburg which you estimated at $650.00.

Would you be good enough to advise us if you are still in a position to carry out this arrangement.

Your obedient servant,

A.F.MacKenzie.
Acting Assistant Deputy & Secretary.

Northern New York Telephone Corporation,
Plattsburgh,
N.Y.

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NORTHERN NEW YORK TELEPHONE CORPORATION

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
MAY 17 1930
RECORDS

Plattsburgh, N. Y.
May 14, 1930.

Mr. A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy & Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Canada.

Dear Sir:

With further reference to your inquiry regarding telephone service at your Indian office at St. Regis, Quebec (reference no. 425677):

It has been determined that the estimated cost of a pole line from our existing facilities at Hogansburg, New York, to your office at St. Regis, Quebec, would be $795. The increase over the figure of $650. given you several years ago is due to the increase in cost of materials and labor. If service were to be furnished in accordance with your inquiry it would be necessary for you to pay the actual cost of the pole line and also to agree to replace it, when in the judgment of the telephone company, this should become necessary.

The rental charges for telephone service would be $78. a year. If, however, a second subscriber could be obtained at St. Regis, the annual rental would be reduced to $58.80 each and, if three or more subscribers were secured, the annual rental would be reduced to $30. each.

We shall await your further advice in this matter.

Very truly yours,

H. McConville

H. McConville,
Genl. Comml. Supt.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA

Ottawa, May 19th. 1930.

MEMORANDUM:

Mr. Paget.

Will there be funds available for this telephone line? It is very badly needed and the longer we put off construction the more it is going to cost.

See memo turned out.

No - It was disallowed in S.E.

Inspector.

Funds can be found in Main Est.

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CANADA

June 19, 1930.

Sir,-

Replying to your letter of the 14th ultimo, with regard to the cost of extending your telephone line from Hogansburg to the office of the Indian Agent at St. Regis, also the yearly charges, I beg to say that it will not be possible for this Department to expend any money for the installation of a telephone line outside Canada, but I should like to know, as an alternative, if your company would consent to include the cost of construction in the service charges, in order that the total cost of the extension might be spread over a period of three consecutive years.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie.
Acting, Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

H. McConville, Esq.,
Genl. Comml. Supt.,
Northern New York Telephone Corp.,
Plattsburgh, N.Y.

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JUN 26 1930
RECORDS

NORTHERN NEW YORK TELEPHONE CORPORATION

Plattsburgh, N. Y.
June 24, 1930.

Mr. A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy & Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Canada.

ACCOUNTANTS
JUL 2 1930

Dear Sir:

Replying to your letter of June 19th, relative to the matter of extending telephone facilities from Hogansburg, New York, to St. Regis, Quebec, we are agreeable to your proposal to spread the construction charge over a period of three consecutive years and include the construction charge with the service charges, provided you will contract for a minimum of three years service.

Under this arrangement the construction charge of $795. would be divided in three equal payments of $265., which together with the annual service charges of $78. would make a total charge of $343. a year, payable in advance. In addition to the foregoing, there would be a service connection charge of $3. which I neglected to mention in my previous letter and which would apply to the first year's service only.

Very truly yours,

H. McConville

H. McConville,
Genl. Comml. Supt.

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Department of Indian Affairs

Ottawa, July 7th 1930

Mr Chéné
Yes.
A.F.M.

Acting Secretary

Will you please refer to your memo. of the 7 of February last and other correspondence hereunder and advise if the necessary authorisation may now be given for the installation of this telephone line. etc.

Chéné
DEPARTMENTAL ENGINEER.

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425677

July 14, 1930.

Sir,-

Replying to your letter of the 28th ultimo with regard to the conditions to which your company would agree to extend the telephone line from Hogansburg to the Office of the Indian Agent at St. Regis, I beg to say that you may arrange for the construction of the above mentioned line as early as possible, with the understanding that the charge can be divided into three equal yearly payments of $265.00, together with the annual service charge of $78.00. I should like to be furnished with a copy of a contract outlining these conditions of payment duly signed. One copy will be returned to your office after it has been executed by an officer of this Department.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie.
Acting, Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

H. McConville, Esq.,
General Comml. Supt.
Plattsburgh, N.Y.

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NORTHERN NEW YORK TELEPHONE CORPORATION

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
AUG 2 1930
RECORDS

Plattsburgh, N. Y.
July 31, 1930.

Mr. A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy & Secretary
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Canada.

Dear Sir:

In accordance with your letter of July 14th, file 425677, I am enclosing application form in duplicate for telephone service to be furnished at the office of your Indian Agent at St. Regis, Quebec, together with supplemental contract in duplicate, covering the construction of the pole line and the arrangement for paying the construction cost in three equal yearly payments of $265.

When these papers have been signed, will you please return one copy of each to me and I will arrange for the construction of the line and installation of the telephone at the earliest opportunity?

You will receive two separate bills, one for the service charges amounting to $78., plus $3.00 service connection charge, and the other for one-third of the construction cost. In this connection will you please furnish the following information:

1. Name and address to which bills should be mailed.
2. Name and address to be listed in the directory.

Very truly yours,

H. McConville

H. McConville,
Genl. Comml. Supt.

Encl.

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CANADA

425677

August 12, 1930.

Sir,-

Referring to your letter of the 31st ultimo enclosing application form for the construction of a telephone line and service to the Indian Agent's office at St. Regis, Que. I beg to return herewith copies of the contract duly signed by the Deputy Superintendent General of Indian Affairs in connection with the above mentioned installation.

As the above referred to telephone service is urgently needed I would ask you to see that the line is constructed with the least possible delay. The accounts for both the construction of the pole line and the services charged should be sent to Indian Agent McGibbon, for his certification and payment will be made direct to your office at Plattsburgh, as soon as I am advised that the telephone is in operation.

The name and address which should be listed in the Telephone Directory should be as follows,-

W. A. MacGibbon, Indian Agent, St. Regis, Que.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie.
Acting, Assistant Deputy & Secretary.

H. McConville, Esq.,
General Comml. Supt.
Northern New York Telephone Coperation,
Plattsburgh, N.Y.

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NORTHERN NEW YORK TELEPHONE CORPORATION

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
AUG 15 1930
RECORDS

Plattsburgh, N. Y.
August 13, 1930.

Mr. A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy and Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Canada.

Dear Sir:

This will acknowledge your letter of August 12th, File #425677, with which you enclosed signed application for telephone service at the office of your Indian Agent at St. Regis, Que. and supplemental contract covering construction of the line. The work will be commenced and installation made as soon as possible.

Very truly yours,

H. McConville,
Genl. Comml. Supt.

ACCOUNTANTS
AUG 14 1930
BRANCH

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NORTHERN NEW YORK TELEPHONE CORPORATION

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
AUG 29 1930
RECORDS

Plattsburgh, N. Y.
August 27, 1930.

Mr. A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy & Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Canada:

Dear Sir:

An accounting technicality has arisen in connection with billing for construction of the telephone line between Hogansburg, N. Y. and St. Regis, Que. As a result of this, we propose to bill the construction charge of $265. per year for the first three years as a part of the rental charge, making a total of $343. a year for the first three years (plus an initial service connection charge of $3.). After the third year the $265. charge will be eliminated. This does not affect the amount which you will pay and will be done solely for the purpose of meeting the accounting technicalities which have arisen.

I trust that this arrangement will be acceptable to you and would appreciate your advising me to this effect.

Very truly yours,

H. McConville

H. McConville,
Genl. Comml. Supt.

Placed in Estimates
1931-32
1/3 Construction charge $343.00
Annual telephone private
charge — — 78.00

Construction charge
to be provided for
3 years from this
date Aug. 1930.

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FORM A-3 (6-30)

To Northern New York Telephone Corporation, Dr.

FIRST BILL — PAYABLE AT MALONE, N.Y. — DEC 1 - 1930

BILLS ARE DUE WHEN RENDERED AND PAYMENT IS REQUESTED BY THE 15TH OF THE MONTH.

39F21 DUNCAN C. SCOTT
FC DEPTY. SUPT. GEN.
AN OF INDIAN AFFAIRS.
OTTAWA, CAN.

DATE OF CONNECTION	INITIAL CHARGE: ONE MONTH'S SERVICE	INITIAL CHARGE: SERVICE CONNECTION CHARGE	LESS ADVANCE PAYMENT	
11/18/30	12. 343 00	3 50		
EXCHANGE SERVICE FROM				
TOLL SERVICE, PER STATEMENT HEREWITH				

NET INITIAL CHARGE 343 00

TOTAL 343 00

Recommended for Payment,
TO
Departmental Engineer.

39F21 DUNCAN C. SCOTT
FC DEPTY. SUPT. GEN.
AN OF INDIAN AFFAIRS.
OTTAWA, CAN.

WHEN REMITTING BY MAIL, SEND THIS WITH YOUR CHECK AND RETAIN BILL. CHECK WILL SERVE AS A RECEIPT.

NORTHERN NEW YORK TELEPHONE CORPORATION

343 00

DEC 1 1930

FIRST BILL

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NORTHERN NEW YORK TELEPHONE CORPORATION

ACCOUNTANTS

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NOV 28 1930
RECORDS

Plattsburgh, N. Y.
November 26, 1930.

A. F. MacKenzie, Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Canada.

Dear Sir:

The installation of telephone service at your Indian Office at St. Regis, Que., was completed on November 18, 1930. The telephone number is Fort Covington 39-F-21.

Our bill for $343. is enclosed. This includes exchange rental charge of $78. for one year and the first annual construction charge installment of $265. It will be appreciated if this bill may be passed for prompt payment. Charges for toll messages will be billed monthly in arrears. All bills for this service are payable at the business office of the Northern New York Telephone Corporation at Malone, New York.

Very truly yours,

H. McConville

H. McConville,
Genl. Comml. Supt.

Encl.

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425677

Dec. 3, 1930.

Sir,-

I wish to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 26th ultimo, together with an account amounting to $343.00 due by this Department for the extension of a telephone line to the Indian Agent's office at St. Regis, in accordance with agreement between your Company and the Department dated August 12th, last.

Before payment of this account can be made it will be necessary for you to send copies in duplicate to the Indian Agent, Mr. W. A. MacGibbon, of St. Regis, in order that he may certify to the account, and state that the work has been properly carried out and that the telephone service is operating to his satisfaction.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie.
SECRETARY.

H. McConville, Esq.,
General Comml. Supt.,
Plattsburgh, N.Y.

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NORTHERN NEW YORK TELEPHONE CORPORATION

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
DEC 6 1930
RECORDS

Plattsburgh, N. Y.
December 4, 1930.

ACCOUNTANTS
DEC 10 1930
BRANCH

A. F. MacKenzie, Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Canada.

Dear Sir:

In accordance with your request of December 3rd, I am sending two copies of the telephone bill for service at St. Regis, Que. to your Indian Agent, Mr. W. A. MacGibbon, for his certification.

Will you please advise if you wish subsequent bills rendered in duplicate and mailed to Mr. MacGibbon?

In this connection you will be interested to know that arrangements have just been made to relieve the congestion on this line by erecting an additional circuit from Fort Covington to Hogansburg. Your Indian office will be transferred to the new circuit and the number will be 35-F-21 instead of 39-F-21. It is expected to complete this change by the first of the year.

Very truly yours,

H. McConville

H. McConville,
Genl. Comml. Supt.

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Ottawa, 11th December, 1930.

Sir,-

I beg to say that recently a letter was received at the Department from the Northern New York Telephone Corporation, enclosing an account of $343.00 in connection with the installation of telephone service at the St. Regis Indian Office, P.Q. The Department replied to the letter stating that the account should be submitted in duplicate to your office. It is understood from a report of the 4th December, that this has been done. Kindly deal with the account, without delay. When it reaches the Department certified (if correct) and attached to voucher forms the matter of payment will be considered.

The Department has informed the Superintendent of the Company that all accounts of telephone service at the Agency should be submitted through your office.

Your obedient servant.

A.F.MacKenzie.
Secretary.

W.A. McGibbon, Esqr.,
Indian Agent,
St. Regis, P.Q.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA

OFFICE OF
INDIAN AGENT

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
DEC 15 1930
RECORDS

St. Regis, Que.
December, 11th. 1930.

Sir.-

I am in receipt from The Northern New York Telephone,Co. bills in duplicate, in connection with the telephone recently installed at St. Regis agency, and which bills I am enclosing.

The telephone is in good working order, and giving good satisfaction.

Your obedient servant.
W. A. MacGibbon
Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

ACCOUNTANT'S BRANCH
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With Enclosure.

Ottawa, 18th December, 1930.

Sir,-

Referring to your letter of the 11th instant, with enclosure, I return the account of $346.00 which you submitted from the Northern New York Telephone Corporation. If it is correct it should be certified by you, with a view to payment by the Department. Kindly attend to the matter without delay. I may remark that the Company sent an account direct to the Department on the 26th November made out for $343.00.

Your obedient servant.

A.F. MacKenzie.
Secretary.

W.A. MacGibbon Esqr.,
Indian Agent,
St. Regis, P.Q.

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FORM A-3 (6-30)

To Northern New York Telephone Corporation, Dr.

FIRST [illegible] PAYABLE AT MALONE DEC 1 1930

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[illegible] PAYMENT [illegible] REQUESTED BY
THE 15TH OF [illegible] HE MONTH.

39F21 DUNCAN C. SCOTT
FC DEPTY. SUPT. GEN.
AN OF INDIAN AFFAIRS.
OTTAWA, CAN.

DATE OF CONNECTION	INITIAL CHARGE 1/2 MONTH'S SERVICE	SERVICE CONNECTION CHARGE	LESS ADVANCE PAYMENT	
11-18-30	3 43 00	3 00		—

NET INITIAL CHARGE 3 46 00

EXCHANGE SERVICE FROM TO

TOLL SERVICE, PER STATEMENT HEREWITH

TOTAL 3 46 00

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No. of Account 1048

Due Note

INDIAN TRUST FUND

St. Regis, Que.
Dec. 22nd. 1930;

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Northern New York Telephone Corp.
Malone, N. Y.

DATE			AMOUNT	
1930		Authorized by Dept. letter No. 425677 dated Dec. 18th. 1930.		
		To installing telephone at St. Regis Agency,		
		twelve months service from Oct. 18th. 1930	343	00
		Service connection charges.	3	00

Payment recommended
J. Delicini

Sent 7-1-31.

4491

346 00

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

EXAMINED and found correct.
J. W. Shore

W. S. McGibbon
Agent.

FORM No. 109

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DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
DEC 26 1930
RECORDS

Office of the St. Regis, Que. Indian Agency,

December, 22nd. 1930

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 1048,

amounting to $346.00 in favour

of Northern New York Telephone Corporatio,
Malone, N. Y.
for Installing telephone, St. Regis.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 425677 dated December, 18th. 1930.

Your obedient servant,

W. M. Gibbon

Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

Form No. 101

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Form C-506 [2-28]

☞ THIS DUPLICATE TO BE RETAINED BY THE SUBSCRIBER AFTER ACCEPTANCE

SUPPLEMENTAL CONTRACT

[SPECIAL WORK]

The **Subscriber** requests the NORTHERN NEW YORK TELEPHONE CORPORATION subject to his contract with said Corporation, dated August , 1930 to construct a telephone pole line from the end of its facilities near Hogansburg, New York, to the subscriber's Indian Office at St. Regis, Quebec, a distance of approximately two miles, for which the subscriber agrees to pay the sum of $795. in three equal yearly payments of $265. commencing when the line has been completed. The subscriber also agrees to pay the cost of replacing this pole line when this becomes necessary.

[redacted]

Witness J. S. Wheeler (Subs'r) Duncan C. Scott

RECOMMENDED FOR ACCEPTANCE

Deputy Superintendent General of Indian Affairs.

August 12, 1930.

Accepted by NORTHERN NEW YORK TELEPHONE CORPORATION

Connected

By H. McConville

CONTRACT AGENT

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425820

Department of Indian Affairs.

1913

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Manitowaning

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Lot 34. Vaughnuet St. South
Lots 33+34 Cockburn " North
Lot 35 " " "
Town plot of Shaftesbury

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
MAY 10 1913

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Indian Office, Manitowaning,

May, 7th, 1913.

Sir :-

I have the honor to report that John R. Black applies to purchase Lot 34 Vankoughnet St. South, that J. H. Beaudin applies to purchase Lots 33 and 34 Cockburn St. North and that Jabez Bryant applies to purchase Lot 35, Cockburn St. North all in the townplot of Shaftesbury.

I would most respectfully recommend that the above Lots be sold to the applicants, at the upset price, and on the usual terms of sale. There has been no other applications for the lots.

INDIAN BRANCH
MAY 10 1913

Your obedient servant,

Wm M Ford

Indian Agent,

The Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, Ont.

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No. 425956

Department of Indian Affairs.

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Saugeen

David Root selling his house at French Bay to Luke Kenogmon.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No.
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

Chippawa Hill
Saugeen Agency May 6th 1913

Sir,—

425956

Motion No 8
Moved by Andrew Nitchie and 2nd by John Mashkawa. That the request of David Root be granted That he vacate his own dwelling House at French Bay and to live with his own son Elijah Root at Elijahs own location and also That the said David Root be authorized to sell his own house That the Indian agent and Chief J. S. Mandowesub go to French Bay to Value the said house The house to be sold to Luke Kewaquom
certified correct

Carried

I would recommend that this request be granted as David Root is a very old man and is blind and has to have some one to look after him

Secretary Dept of Indian Affairs
Ottawa

I have the honor to be Sir
your Obedient Servant
T. A. Stout
Agent

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425,956.

T.X.H

Ottawa, May 12, 1913.

Sir,-

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 6th instant, in regard to Resolution No. 8. of the Chippewa Council, providing for the sale by David Root of his dwelling house and removal to his son's location, and in reply to say that the resolution meets with approval, provided the house is sold to a member of the band.

Your obedient Servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

T. A. Stout, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Chippewa Hill.
Ont.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

Chippawa Hill

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 425,956 May 12th 1913
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

Saugeen Agency May 20th 1913

426347

Sir,

I have the honor to say in reply to yours of the 12th inst re sale of David Root- Band no 110 House and stables to Luke Kewaquom Band no 56 the amount that Luke Kewaquom agrees to pay is $300.00 The same to be paid by 15 installments of 20.00 each distribution of interest money the first payment to be September 30th 1913 and $20.00 each payday till the full amount is paid

I would recommend that The Dept- authorize the payment of this money as David Root- is blind and this money will be quite a help to him and his wife

Secretary Dept-
of Indian affairs
Ottawa

I have the honor to be Sir
your Obedient Servant
T. A. Stout
Agent

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Ottawa, 28th May, 1913.

Sir,-

In reply to your letter of the 20th instant, I beg to say that the Department approves of the proposed sale of a house and stables belonging to David Root, Band No. 110, to Luke Kewoquom Band No. 56. It is observed that the purchase price is $300.00 and that the purchaser proposes to make payment from his interest moneys as the same fall due, $20.00 to be paid at each distribution, until the full amount of the purchase money is received by Root. When the money is paid it should be forwarded to the Department in order that a cheque may issue in Root's favor. A note with regard to the transaction should be placed in the pay-list book. This letter should be quoted as authority.

Your obedient servant,

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

T. A. Stout, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Chippawa Hill, Ont.

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DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
MAY 22 1920
RECORDS

Chippewa Hill

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 425,956
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER May 28th 1913

Saugeen Agency May 20th 1920

ACCOUNTANT'S
MAY 25 1920
BRANCH
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Sir,—

I have the honor to request the Dept to forward to D. Root $20.00 amount collected from Luke Kewaquom for improvements purchased from D. Root

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I have the honor to be, sir
your obedient servant
T. A. Scott
Agent

Secretary Dept
of Indian affairs
Ottawa
ont

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RECOMMENDED FOR PAYMENT
[illegible] Assistant.
APPROVED,

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DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
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RECORDS

Chippawa Hill
Saugeen Agency Dec 10 1920

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 425,956
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER May 28th 1913

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Sir,—

I have the honor to request the Dept to forward to D. Root the sum of $20.00 being payment retained from Luke Kewaquom for improvements purchased from D. Root

A/C 6
Pay D. Root 20.00
6553
Sent Dec 23/20

ACCOUNTANTS
DEC 14 1920
BRANCH

I have the honor to be, sir
your obedient servant
T. A. Stout
Agent

Secretary Dept
of Indian Affairs
Ottawa
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Six Nation.

Claim of Six Nations against State of New York for Lands sold in 1788.

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Major G. J. Smith
Dear Supt.

For some years a portion of the Six Nations have been interesting themselves into a claim for an annuity of five hundred dollars for lands sold in the year 1788 or 9. It's now proposed to have a meeting of the Canadian & American Six Nations some time next month at the Tonawanda Reservation to make some move to get a settlement of this claim. and in order that our people do not expend good money for nothing. I write to ask you if you have any information to offer on the subject.
I may say they have an old copy of the surrender. also representations made by the St. Regis Indians who also claimed the lands which were ceded by the Six Nations.

The only information I have is Vol. II of "Buffalo and the Senacas" by Wm. Ketchum. It appears that in 1787 there were several land speculators organized. the first mentioned being the New York Genesee Co. with Jno. Livingston & Dr. Caleb Benton as principals who obtained a 999 year Lease from the Indians which the Legislature refused to sanction on the grounds that it was a private purchase. which was against the law. After the failure of Livingston. Oliver Phelps & Nathaniel Gorham principals of another land Co. proposed to purchase these lands which was also refused by the Legislature. After these two failures all the land jobbers united their interests with Phelps & Gorham as representives of all the associates whose proposals were to purchase all the lands ceded by N.Y. to Mass. which was acceded to. but as they hadnt considered the Canadian land jobbers of which Jos. Brant & Col. Jno. Butler were principals who were

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persuading the Indians not to treat with Livingston or N.Y. Genesee Co. Chelps then proceeded to Niagara to confer with Butler. Brant and Samuel Street of the Niagara Genesee Co. to procure the attendance of the Indians at Buffalo Creek. all interests being now united a Meeting was held July 4-1788 at which all the various interests were represented viz:- Rev. Samuel Kirkland as agent of Mass. & Elisha Lee of Boston assistant. Messrs Butler. Brant ~~Ezekiel Gilbert~~ Samuel Street of the Niagara Genesee Co. Messrs Livingston. Benton & Ezekiel Gilbert of the N.Y. Genesee Co. with the Chiefs of the Indians. The Interpreters were Jas. Dean. Jos. Smith Wm Johnson and Rev. S. Kirkland. After a settlement was made regarding the boundary. they agreed that the price be fixed by Col. Butler, Jos. Brant and Elisha Lee as referees. who fixed the sum at five thousand dollars in hand and five hundred dollars annually forever.

Should you have no information in regard to this matter. will you be good enough to make enquires to the Department so that our people may not be deceived.

Thanking you in advance

I remain your obedient servant

Chief Deskaheh

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
MAY 13 1913

ACCOUNTANT'S
BRANCH

Indian Office, Brantford,
May 14th., 1913.

Sir,-

I beg to enclose a letter received from Chief David Jamieson in reference to a claim which he thinks the Six Nations have against the State of New York in regard to lands sold in 1788. As some of our Indians are contemplating spending some money to make further enquiries I beg to request that the Department furnish me with any information they may have in reference to this matter.

I am

sir

Your obedient servant,

Supt-

The Secretary-

Dept. of Indian Affairs-

Ottawa-

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Ottawa, June 25th, 1913.

Sir:-

In reply to your letter of May 14th, I have to inform you that the Department cannot obtain any information as regards the subject matter of Chief Deskaheh's letter. It would be well for you to caution the Indians not to spend any money in investigating this alleged claim.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

Gordon J. Smith, Esqr.,
Indian Superintendent,
Brantford,
Ont.

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184 Mowat St
Stratford Ont
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MAR 16 1922
RECORDS

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Dear Sir —
On the 8 of
March I was Informed
by the paper that
there was a Large
amount of Money in
trust for benfit of
the Six Nation Indians
My folks came to
Canada 1 year before
the battle of (1 1 2) hundred
twelve and settled on
the Grand River when
the treaty was made
with six nation and
they settled on the
Grand River My Grand
father was a Doctor

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his name was Dan
Harris he had six
Children Rody Harris,
married John Roberson
Carlind Harris married
John Roads on Grand
River Ann Harris
married James Hesson
John Harris on grand
river hes dead there all
dead but us to Grand
children of the Old heads
I am 71 year old my sister
shes 85 & been ill will
perlactic stroke for
some time Kindly
let me know if ther
going to divide that

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Money up with six
nations
Your Truly
Mr James Hisson
184 Mowat St
Stratford
Ontario
answer

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APR 3 1925
RECORDS

SIX NATIONS INDIANS WANT HALF OF STATE

Make Big Claim in Statement Just Issued in Council Session

(Associated Press Despatch.)

Syracuse, N.Y., March 29.—Joshua Jones, head Chief of the Six Nations Indians, and Andrew Gibson, Chairman of the Onondaga Council, in a statement just issued announce that no official meeting of Indians will be held at Onondaga reservation Wednesday. A meeting was announced by the head of a movement to raise money for the purpose of pressing a claim against New York State for possession of more than half the lands in New York State.

The statement of the Onondagas, which was drafted by nine Chiefs, follows, in part:

"We, the Onondagas, cannot find any source by which there is power to call the Mohawk Indians from Canada back into the Six Nations in this so-called land claim. The Mohawks removed to Canada after the American revolution, and settled upon lands given to them by the British Government, where their descendants still live.

"They claimed to carry with them the title to their former possessions in New York. Whatever title they had was sold to the State by a treaty made at Albany, March 29, 1797, between agents on the part of the State of New York and two deputies from the Mohawks, one of whom was Captain Joseph Brant, and under the authority of a Commissioner appointed by the United States."

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QUEBEC DISTRICT.

31 D 1050-D-2. Montreal, March 31st, 1931.

Mtl. Ref. 31 M 1050-6.

Re - Conditions amongst Indians, Oka, Que..

Acting on instructions received, on the afternoon of 30th inst., accompanied by Const. Furlong with Police car, I proceeded to Oka, Que., Indian Reserve re above.

We first interviewed Mr. Harbour, Indian Agent, who told us that he had been informed that Mrs. Kellogg had arrived at Oka on Sunday 29th inst., and was at the time holding a meeting on the Reserve, similar to the one she had held four or five years ago, for the purpose of raising funds to put in a claim in favour of the Indians and would very likely again extract money from the Indians.

Mr. Harbour stated he had notified the Department of Indian Affairs at Ottawa, by telephone, and had been instructed to communicate with the R.C.M.P.

Chief Noe Corenthe, who had reported the matter to the Indian Agent, and who was present, told us that the meeting was taking place in a vacant house on the Reserve, and offered to guide us to the house. When we arrived there, we found the house empty and the neighbours told us that only a few people had attended the meeting and that Michel Cole, one of the Chiefs, was holding the meeting in his own house.

We proceeded to Cole's house and found about fifty people present. On a table was some kind of minute book, also two $1.00 American bills and about 50¢ in silver. The woman of the house was looking after the book, but nothing was entered in same during our presence; there was no sign of Mrs. Kellogg and Michel Cole said she was not in his house.

During our presence, nothing was said in either English or French, a man named Samuel Nicolas spoke in Indian and met with a little applause.

We were told by Simon Simon, an Indian who claims to be the Head Life Chief, that he, Simon, was holding the meeting, which called for voluntary subscribers for the purpose of raising funds to enable the Indians to send a representative to Ottawa, to interview the Minister of Indian Affairs regarding the Indian Treaty.

No money was handed in whilst we were there; all persons present were sober and no offense to warrant taking action was committed whilst we were present.

On our return to the Indian Agency, we were informed by the elected chief, Noe Corinthe, that Samuel Nicolas, who had address the people, had spoken regarding the Indian treaty, claiming the Department did not keep it. He also told us that the voluntary subscription had not succeeded, as money was too scarce at present and that it was suggested that money be borrowed instead, but they

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did not know where to borrow same.

Mr. Harbour said he would notify this office should any other developments arise.

During this patrol, I did not see Mrs. Kellogg. Mr. Harbour, the Indian Agent, advised me that he had not seen her.

Apparently she had left the Reservation before my arrival.

H. Delvallet CORPL.,

(I. Delvallet,)
Reg.No. 7976.

The Commissioner,
R.C.M. Police,
Ottawa, Ont.

Forwarded for your information.

On 30th inst., Mr. Harbour telephoned and requested that a patrol be sent to Oka re above matter.

Our Headquarters were telephoned and confirmed that the Department of Indian Affairs desired us to cover the anticipated meeting to be held by Mrs. Kellogg (telephone conversation, Corpl. Mann and S/Sergt. Wright, confirmed by D. of C.I's. Memorandum of 30th ulto.)

This case is shown on Form 125B as "Concluded".

J.W. Phillips INSP.,

Montreal,
1-4-31.

(J.W. Phillips,)
COMMANDING QUEBEC DISTRICT.

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APR 9 1931
RECORDS

CORRESPONDENCE TO BE
ADDRESSED:-
THE COMMISSIONER,
R. C. M. POLICE,
OTTAWA.

File

Royal Canadian Mounted Police.

Office of the Commissioner.

Ref. No. 31 D 1050-D-2

Ottawa, 7th Apr. 1931.

Your File No.

Sir:

Re: Conditions amongst Indians,
Oka, P.Q.

I enclose herewith, for your information copy of report received from the Officer Commanding our Quebec District, dated the 31st March, and such enclosures or attachments, if any, as are mentioned therein.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,

Cortlandt Starnes,
Commissioner.

The Deputy Superintendent General,
Department of Indians Affairs,
Ottawa.

Enc.

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Department of Indian Affairs.

1913

June

Walpole Island

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Sundry accts. June 9th. 1913

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No. of Account Chippawa of Walpole Island

INDIAN TRUST FUND. 428175

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To J. S. Saint

DATE.			AMOUNT.	
1913		Authorized by Dept. Letter No. ..... dated		
April	9th	To Coffin for Peter whites Child	$9	50
"	21	" " " Mrs David Nah dee	9	50
"	22	" " " Chas Fisher	9	50
May	21	" " " Mrs Jas Kickanosway	9	50
June	12	" " " Eland Johnson	9	50
"	13	" " " Mathue Thomas	9	50
"	13	" " " Jobe Sands child	9	50
			$66	50

a/c 9

1803

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

J. M. Dougall
Indian Agent.

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No. of Account Chippewa

INDIAN TRUST FUND 428175 Walpole Island

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Jas Kickanosway

DATE.			AMOUNT.	
1913		Authorized by Dept. Letter No. ..... dated		
April	1st	To Rent of Parish Hall for General Council Called by Inspector McGibbon	$1	25
May	2	To Rent of Parish Hall Interest Payment	1	25
			$2	50

a/c 9

1802

I Hereby Certify that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

J Bm Dougall
Inspector Agent.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND.

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Shaw & Husband

DATE.			AMOUNT.	
1913		Authorized by ~~Dept. Letter No.~~ Council dated		
April	4th	To 2 Cable Sheaves for lower ferry	$3	00
"	19	" 1 B. S. P. Varnish 10 1 B Stove Polish 10 for No 1 School		20
"	"	" 1 Space for Grave Digir	1	25
			$4	45

a/c 9

1801

I Hereby Certify that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

J. McDougall
Indian Agent.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND.

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To David Johnson

DATE.			AMOUNT.	
1913		Authorized by Dept. Letter No. ..... dated		
April	10th	To diging Grave for Peter whites child	$1	00
"	22	" " " " David Nahdus (wife)	1	00
"	23	" " " " Chas Fisher	1	00
May	22	" " " " Mrs Jas Kickanosway	1	00
June	13	" " " " Eland Johnson	1	00
"	14	" " " " Mathue Thomas	1	00
"	14	" " " " Jobe Sands child	1	00
			$7	00

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at 9

1800

I Hereby Certify that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

J B M Dougall
Indian Agent.

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No. of Account Chippawa of Walpole Island

INDIAN TRUST FUND.

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Geo Shogonash

DATE.			AMOUNT.	
1913		Authorized by Dept. Letter No. 97739-1a dated 28th Mar 1913		
Mar	29	To Drawing 1000 ft plank for culverts from Wallaceburg	$3	00

a/c 9

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I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

J. McDougall
Indian Agent.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS JUN 24 1913

Walpole Island June 20th 1913

Required by the Chippawa Council of Walpole Island the sum of $83.45 to pay accts for June quarter 1913 as follows

COUNTANTS JUN 25 1913 BRANCH

J. S. Saint
7 Coffins @ $9.50 1803 $66.50

David Johnson
Diging 7 Graves @ $1.00 1800 7.00

Shaw & Husband
Hardware 1801 4.45

Geo Shogonash
drawing plank 1799 3.00

James Kickanosway
Rent of Parish Hall 1802 2.50

$83.45

Mood by Peter Willis Sec by Jos Nahdee that the above accts be paid out of the funds of the band Mott carried

D. W. Osahgee
Secretary

J. Bin Dougall
Indian Agent

Pay 1800

Chas. Lewis. July 4/13

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Carnarvon Township

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Re Lots 7, 8. Con 4.

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COPY.

Mindemoya, Feb. 8th. 1913.

W. R. Smyth, Esq., M.P.,
Ottawa, Ont.

Dear Sir,

I have been requested by Andrew Tracy of Spring Bay to write you to see whether it would be possible for you to get the following information, his farm is composed of Lots 7 & 8, Con 4, township of Carnarvon, Manitoulin Island. There is a dispute between him and John Blackie who lives across the road the same numbered lots on the 5th. Con. What he would like to know is what is the bearing of the said fourth Concession east from the 5 side road to the lake shore of Mindemoya or in other words how many degrees does the said fourth concession north or south from due east from said five side road.

Yours truly,

W. Vincer.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS CANADA

OFFICE OF THE DEPUTY SUPERINTENDENT GENERAL.
OTTAWA. June 26, 1913.

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS, JUN 2 1913 SURVEYS.

428417

The Surveys Branch,-

Incl. I inclose herewith letter from Mr. Vincer, of Mindemoya, to Mr. W. R. Smyth, M.P., with reference to Lots 7 & 8, Concession 4, Carnarvon township, Manitoulin island. Will you please let me have a memo. giving full information with regard to this.

D. S. G. I. A.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS CANADA

Memorandum

For the Deputy Superintendent General

Ottawa, July 2, 1913.

With reference to Mr.Vincer's letter hereunder, I beg to say that the road between the fourth and fifth Concessions of the Township of Carnarvon runs due east from Lot 5,and the side line along Lots 5 runs due south. A blue print of the Township of Carnarvon,which is now prepared might be sent Mr.Vincer.

W.R.Wilson

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July 7th. 1913.

EXT.

Dear Mr. Smyth,

With reference to letter of the 8th. February last to you from Mr. W. Vincer, of Mindemoya, which is herewith returned, I beg leave to say that the road between the fourth and fifth Concessions of the township of Carnarvon runs due east from Lot 5, and the side line along Lot 5 runs due south. I herewith enclose a plan of the township of Carnarvon.

Yours very truly,

Deputy Superintendent General.

W. R. Smyth, Esq., M.P.,
House of Commons,
Ottawa, Ont.

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Resolution of the Pottawattemie Council, at Bussiness meeting held at Pottawattemie Council House on the 18th day June 1913.

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Acct

Moved by Jno. Williams + seconded by Sam White.

That the Council do grant the sum of Twenty five dollars ($25.00) out of the funds of the Band to pay the following Accts

To J. T. Saint.

Coffin for Amos Thomas Grandchild.	$9.50
" " Chas Soney	$9.50
	$19.00
To David Day. digging 2 graves	2.00
Jno. Williams Path Master	2.00
Levi White " "	2.00
	$25.00

And that a requisition be made for the Amount payable in June Quarter. 1913

Walpole Island
June 18th 1913
Geo. Isaac
Sec

Chief Geo. Isaac
Samuel White
John Williams

Recommended for Payment
Approved
D. S. O. A.

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Jw. 11/7/13

Crs. Sent. July 16/13

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INDIAN TRUST FUND.

The Department of Indian Affairs. 429578

To John Williams

DATE.		AMOUNT.	
1913	Authorized by Dept. Letter No. ..... dated		
June 18th	To Services as Pathmaster —	$2	00

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I Hereby Certify that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

J. McDougall
Indian Agent.

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No. of Account Pottawatomie of Walpole Island

INDIAN TRUST FUND.

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Levi White 429578

DATE.			AMOUNT.	
1913		Authorized by Dept. Letter No. ..... dated		
June	18th	To Services as Path Master	$2	00

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I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

J. Bruce Dougall
Indian Agent.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND.

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To David Day

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DATE.			AMOUNT.	
1913		Authorized by Dept. Letter No. ..... dated		
April	1st	To diging grave for Amos Thomas Grand child	$1	00
June	13	" " " " Mathue Thomas	1	00
			$2	00

Jos

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I Hereby Certify that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

J. B. McDougall
Agent.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND.

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To J. S. Saint — 429578

DATE.			AMOUNT.	
1913		Authorized by Dept. Letter No. ..... dated		
Mar	31st	To coffin for Amos Thomas Grand child	$9	50
June	12	" " " Mathue Thomas	9	50
			$19	00

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I Hereby Certify that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

J. B. McDougall
Indian Agent.

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No. 429785

Department of Indian Affairs.

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Sig Watson

Sale of land by Mrs Geo P. Hill
to Lydia Johnson.

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Ohsweken Council House,

June 3rd. 1913.

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The General Council of the Six Nations opened in due form by Chief David John one of the Fire Keepers.

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Refused to reconsider Conveyance.

The council refused to reconsider the conveyance of one acre to Sydia Johnson, by Mrs. George P . Hill.

I hereby certify that the above is a true copy from my minute book.

Josiah Hill,

Secy. S. N. C.

Read and approved,

Deputy Speaker S. N. C.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
JUL 16 1913

Indian Office, Brantford,

June 24th, 1913.

Sir,- Potts 429785

I beg to enclose the minutes of Council held on the 3rd. & 4th inst. and to report thereon as follows:-

LANDS BRANCH
JUL 16 1913

\# \# \#

No. 4

Sometime ago Mrs. George P. Hill sold one acre of land to Lydia Johnson and she now desires to have it reconveyed to her but as it was a bona fide sale the Council refused. I beg to recommend your approval of this decision.

\# \# \#

Your obedient servant,

Gordon J. Smith,

Supt.

The Secretary,

Dept. of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa.

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EX'D.

Ottawa, July 17. 1913.

Sir,-

In reply to the portion of your letter of the 24th ultimo, dealing with resolution No. 4 of the Six Nations Council, as toconveyance of one acre to Lydia Johnson by Mrs. George B. Hill, I beg to say that the action of the Council in this matter meets with approval.

Your obedient Servant,

J. D. McLEAN

WAD

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Gordon J. Smith, Esq.,
Indian Superintendent,
Brantford, Ont.

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Gore Bay

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Lots 23 & 24 South Side Blake St
Town plot of Shaftesbury

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McKessock & McKessock,
Barristers, Solicitors,
Notaries, Etc.
R. R. McKessock, K.C. J. P. McKessock, L.L.B.

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Sudbury, Ont. July 26/13.

Indian Lands Department,
Parliament Buildings,
Toronto, Ont.

LANDS BRANCH JUL 29 1913

S. 3112 3113

Dear Sirs:-

We have received an inquiry from J. Ramesbottan of Little Current regarding lots 23, and 24 south side of Blake Street on the Plan of Little Current.

It appears that in 1882 G. and D. Garbutt purchased these lots from your Department, and paid $10.00 leaving a balance of $15.00 to be paid on each lot. Mr. Ramesbottan received an assignment from the Garbutts of these lots and paid a considerable amount of money for them. The assignment was subsequently lost and a new one was prepared which was burnt. He has paid all the taxes and has been in possession of the property for over twenty years. He has made application to the Garbutts for a new assignment and they refuse to give it to him, and are scheming to do him out of this property.

Kindly let us know if there is any caution, lis pendens or caveat that can be filed against their disposing of these lands, and if you would not give him a patent on payment of the balance due on the ground that he had barred all the other claimants right by the Statute of limitations. Yours truly, McKessock & McKessock

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Ex'd

Ottawa, August 1, 1913.

Gentlemen,-

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 26th ultimo, in regard to lots 23 and 24, south of Blake street, townplot of Shaftesbury, and in reply to say that, in view of representations made upon your submitting evidence by statutory declaration of the facts as set out in your letter, the Department would be disposed to consider the question of cancellation of the old sale and the re-entry of sale in Mr. Ramesbottan's name upon payment of the arrears against the land and interest.

Your obedient Servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Messrs. McKessock & Miller,
Barristers, etc.,
Sudbury, Ont.

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IN THE MATTER OF LOTS 23 and 24 SOUTH OF BLAKE STREET TOWN PLOT OF SHAFTESBURY, IN THE DISTRICT OF MANATOULIN. TO WIT:

I, J~~ohn~~ Ramesbottam of the Town of Little Current in the District of Manatoulin, Laborer, do solemnly declare:

I. I am the owner of Lots 23 and 24 on South of Blake street, Town plot of Shaftesbury, in the District of Manatoulin.

2. That I purchased the said Lot 23 from George Garbutt, and said Lot 24 from Dorothy Garbutt in 1882 and have been in continuous possession of the said lots since that time and am now in possession thereof.

3. At the time I purchased the said Lots the above parties executed the proper assignments to me which were prepared by Thomas Simms and which were in my possession until 1891 when they were taken from me without my knowledge while I was sick.

4. New assignments were prepared by Thomas Simms and executed by the said George and Dorethy Garbutt and witnessed by Robert McMinn, 1903, and were later destroyed by a fire which consumed the premises of the said Simms where they were kept.

5. At the time the said Lots were purchased I was working for a Mr. Potter andthe purchase price amounting to $260.00 was paid by him to the assignor and deducted from my wages, and the said Potter has no claim whatever to the said lot.

6. I have paid arrears of taxes amounting to $61.00.

7. I have made application to the said George and Dorethy Garbutt who are now living in Killar, Saskatchewan, to give me a new assignment of the lots andfor that purpose have sent the papers to them to be executed but they refused to do so.

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8. I am informed and believe that the said George and Dorethy Garbutt did not make any claim to the said lots and that the said Potter is trying to arrange with them to assign the property to him and do me out of my interest in the said lots.

AND I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing it to be true and knowing that it is of the same force and effect as if made under oath and by virtue of the Canada Evidence Act, 1906.

DECLARED before me at the Town (
of Little Current in the)
District of Manatoulin this (John Kanidz Pattan
.....day of August, 1913.)

W. H. Price

A. Com. etc.

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Re Lots 23 and 24
South of Blake street
Shaftesbury,

Afft. of J. Ramesbottam.

McKEESOCK & MILLER

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Mc. Kessock & Mc. Kessock,
Barristers, Solicitors,
Notaries, Etc.
R. R. Mc. Kessock, K.C. J. S. Mc. Kessock, L.L.B.

Sudbury, Ont. Aug. 12/13

Department of Indian Affairs,
Parliament Buildings,
Toronto, Ont.

Dear Sir: - Re Jas. Ramesbottam.

Following the instructions in your letter of August 1st. in regard to lots 23 and 24 south of Blake Street, Town plot of Shaftesbury, we beg to hand you herewith Statutory declaration setting out the facts connected with this property, and would ask you to kindly considerthe question of cancellation of the old sale, and the reentry of sale in Mr. Ramesbottam's name, and let us know the balance due to your Department to make purchase complete.

Yours truly,

M/B.

McKessock & Miller

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EX'L.

Ottawa, 15th August, 1913-

Gentlemen,

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 12th Instant, enclosing Declaration in regard to Lots 23 & 24, South of Blake St. Shaftesbury, and in reply to say that the local Agent is being written in the matter, and you will be advised later.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Assistant Deputy & Secretary-

Messrs. McKessock & Miller,
Barristers &c.
Sudbury,
Ont.

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EX'L

Ottawa, 15th August, 1873-

Sir,

I beg to inform you that an application has been made to the Department, by Messrs. McKessock & Miller, Barristers, Sudbury, on behalf of Mr. James Ramesbottam, for cancellation of Sales of Lots 23 & 24, South of Blake St. Shaftesbury, and re-Sales of Lots to him for the balance of Principal and Interest due thereon.

I enclose copy of a Declaration filed on behalf of applicant, and have to ask you to be good enough to report thereon, advising as to whether these Lots are occupied and improved, and if so, by whom, and the nature and extent of improvements, and under what authority occupant holds possession.

WAD

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Assistant Deputy & Secretary-

Wm. McLeod, Esq.
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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430 387. Indian Office, Manitowaning, Ont..

August, 22nd, 1913.

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Sir :-

Referring to Official Letter No. 430 387, dated the 15th, Inst, in regard to Lots 23 and 24 Blake St. South in the townplot of Shaftesbury.

I have the honor to report having visited these Lots on the 19th, Inst, and find the Lots all cleared and fenced and used as a garden. There is a house on Lot 24, 18 X 22 ft. Frame, These improvements were done when Mr Ramesbottom claims to have purchased the Lots. He claims to have had quiet possession since 1891 and has paid all taxes, and done all road work since that date. He claims possession by Assignments from George and Dorethy Garbutt in 1891 which were stolen, and again in 1903 which were burned in Sims store. I also spoke to Mr T. C. Sims and he rembers having the Assignments which he says were destroyed when his store was burned.

LANDS AUG 27 1913

Your obedient servant,

Wm McLeod

Indian Agent,

The Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, Ont..

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EXD.

Ottawa, August 27. 1913.

Sir,-

In reply to your letter of the 22nd instant, with further reference to lots 23 and 24, on the south side of Blake street, Shaftesbury, I may say that your letter does not state whether Mr. Ramsbotton is in actual occupation of the property, nor do you state by whom the house on lot 24 was erected or other improvements made. In addition to this information you should obtain from Mr. Ramsbotton the tax receipts, or other evidence to show that he has, as stated, paid all taxes etc., since 1891, the time he claims to have had possession of the property, and forward same to the Department.

Your obedient Servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Wm. McLeod, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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McKessock & McKessock,
Barristers, Solicitors,
Notaries, Etc.
R. R. McKessock, K.C. J. S. McKessock, L.L.B.

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS SEP 4 1913

Sudbury, Ont Sept.2/13

Department of Indian Affairs, 432319
Parliament Buildings,
Toronto, Ont.

Sales 3112 3113 JFK

Dear Sir:- Re lots 23 and 24, Blake str. South, Town plot Shaftesbury.

Would you be good enough to let us know the amount required to pay the Department in full for these lots.

We asked for this information in our letter of August 12th.

Yours truly,

McKessock & McKessock

M/B.

LANDS BRANCH SEP 5 1913

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430 387-

Ottawa, 6th September, 1913-

Gentlemen,

In reply to your letter of the 2nd Instant, with further reference to Lots 23 & 24, on the South side Blake St. Shaftesbury Townplot, I beg to inform you that the unpaid balance against these Lots is $30.00, together with Interest thereon @ 6 % from the 29th August, 1882, until the same is paid.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Assistant Deputy & Secretary-

Messrs. McKessock & McKessock,
Barristers &c.
Sudbury,
Ont.

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Sudbury, Ont. Sept. 11/13

Secretary Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Can.

Dear Sir: Re No. 430387.

We enclose herewith a Bank draft for $85.80 being the balance due on Lots 23 and 24 South side Blake Street, Shaftesbury Town plot.

We would ask you to be good enough to accept this money on behalf of John Ramesbottam, and have a patent prepared in his name.

You have before you the document showing that he has occupied this land for over 20 years, so that except as to the Crown all other claims will be barred by the Statute of Limitations.

We would like to have this done as soon as possible as we understand the other parties are taking active steps to do this man out of his legal rights.

Yours truly,

McKessock & Miller

M/B.
Encl.

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LANDS BRANCH
SEP 17 1913

DUPLICATE, FOR DEPARTMENT.

No. 4358

Bank of Montreal,

$ 85.80 Extra Sale H Ottawa, Oct. 13th 1913.

RECEIVED from ~~McKessock & McKessock~~

on account Indian Funds

the sum of ~~Eighty five~~ 80/100 *Dollars, which amount will appear at the RECEIVER GENERAL'S credit with this Bank.*

Signed in Triplicate,

Ent'd.

Pro. Manager.

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ORIGINAL, FOR THE DEPOSITOR.

No. 4358

Bank of Montreal,

$ 85.80 *Ottawa,* Sept. 13th 1913.

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on account Indian Funds

the sum of Eighty five 80/100 *Dollars,*
which amount will appear at the RECEIVER GENERAL'S credit with this Bank.

Signed in Triplicate,

Pro. Manager.

Ent'd.

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Notaries, Etc.
R. R. McKessock, K.C. J. S. McKessock, L.L.B

Sudbury, Ont.

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
SEP 20 1913

Sept. 20/13

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, Can.

433628

Dear Sirs: Re Lots 23 and 24 south side Blake st.

We beg to, acknowledge your receipt for the balance of the purchase money for this property. You did not state whether or not you had allotted the property to him.

We would like to know if you have done this and when he can expect a patent.

Yours truly,

M/B.

McKessock & McKessock

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J. J. Williams

REAL ESTATE DEALER

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HAIL AND LIVE STOCK INSURANCE
FIRE AND LIFE INSURANCE

COLLECTIONS MADE
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ISSUER OF MARRIAGE LICENSES
COMMISSIONER FOR OATHS

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KELLIHER, SASK. Sept. 18th 1913.

Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Canada.

Dear Sir:-

I beg to advise you that George Garbutt and Dorothy Garbutt, of Kelliher, Sask. are both now ready to pay you up in full for Lots 23 & 24, on S.S.Street, Townplot of Shaftesbury, Ontario. George Garbutt applied for lot 23, and Dorothy Garbutt applied for lot 24, on or about the 29th of Aug. 1882. Kindly forward me a statement by return mail, showing the amount required to pay up in full for these lots, in order to secure Transfers from you for said lots.

Yours truly.

J. J. Williams

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430,387.

Ottawa, September 23, 1913.

EX'D.

Sir.-

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 18th instant in regard to lots 23 and 24 on the south side of Blake street in the townplot of Shaftesbury, Ont., and in reply to say that evidence has been furnished the Department showing that George Garbut disposed of these lands in 1882, the sale having been made to John Ramesbottam, and it would not appear, therefore, that they have any further interest in these lots.

Your obedient Servant,

J. D. McLean

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

J. J. Williams, Esq.,
Kelliher,
Sask.

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430,387.

Ottawa, September 23. 1913.

EXD.

Gentlemen.-

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 20th instant, in regard to lots 23 and 24, south side of Blake street, Shaftesbury, and in reply to say that the question of title to this property is still under consideration, and you will be advised later in connection therewith.

I may say that the money forwarded by you will be held pending settlement of question of title to the lots.

Your obedient Servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst Deputy and Secretary.

Messrs. McKessock & Miller,
Barristers, etc.,
Sudbury, Ont.

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In the matter of lots 23.24 South side of Blake Street in the Town of Little Current District of Manitoulin, Said lots were assessed to various persons as "Lands" from 1891 to 1902 up to and including that year, the taxes had been returned unpaid by the Collector, And taxes had accumulated to the sum of $61.41, In 1903 the lots were assessed to Arthur Rameshottom, the Collector returned the roll for that year with all taxes paid. The lots have been assessed to Arthur and John Rameshottom from that year to the present and all taxes have been paid

Dated this 13th day of September 1913

Certified as taken from the rolls and Treasurers returns of the Town of Little Current so far as available

D. McGilvery
Town Clerk

Rec'd
Oct. 17/13

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Indian Office, Manitowaning, Ont..

October, 16th, 1913.

Sir :-

Referring to official letter No. 430,387, dated the 27th, of August, last, I have the honor to report that Mr. Ramesbottom does not himself live in the house on Lots 23 or 24 Blake St. S. Shaftesbury, as he has another house and Lot in the town. He keeps the house on Lots 23 or 24 Blake St. for rent. Mr Ramesbottom claims when he bought the Lots from Garbutts that there was just the frame of the house, he finished it, and built the kitchen and chimmneys, fenced the Lots, and done all other improvements. I am enclosing herewith a statement from the town clerk, inwhich he says that Ramesbottom paid all arrears of taxes in 1903, and has been paying the taxes ever since. The Arthur Ramesbottom mentioned in the statement is a son of John's.

Your obedient servant,

W W Ross

Indian Agent,

The Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, Ont..

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MEMORANDUM.

Sales
3112
3113

Ottawa, 21st October, 1913-

To the Deputy Minister,

I beg to report that Lots 23 & 24, on the South side of Blake St. Shaftesbury, were sold on the 29th August, 1882, to George Garbutt and Dorothy Garbutt, respectively, and stand on the books of the Department, as follows:-

I Acre @ $50.00 per Acre ---------$50.00

Paid at date of Sale ----------$20.00

Balance Principal due --$30.00

and Interest thereon @ 6 % from date of sale to time of payment.

Five regular Notices were sent calling for payment of the arrears against the Lots.

On the 12th August last, Messrs. McKessock & Miller furnished a Statutory Declaration by John Ramsbottom, a labouring man, of Little Current, stating that he had purchased these Lots from the Garbutts in 1882, and has been in continuous possession thereof, since that time. He further states that proper Assignments were prepared by Mr. Thos. Sims, and executed by the Garbutts. These were in his possession until 1891, when they were taken without his knowledge, while he was sick, that new Assignments were prepared by the said Thos, Sims, and executed by the Garbutts in 1893, but were later destroyed by fire in Mr. Sims' premizes, where the Assignments had been kept, that he paid $260.00 for the

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Lots, and $61.00 arrears of taxes. Messrs. McKessock & Miller ask in their letter that, under the circumstances, the old Sales be cancelled, and a re-entry made of a Sale in the name of John Ramsbottom, but the local Agent, Mr. Wm. McLeod, was written on the 5th August last, and a copy of Declaration enclosed, and he requested to furnish a report thereon. Messrs. McKessock & Miller have remitted with their letter of the 11th Ultimo, the balance of purchase money and Interest thereon against the Lots, amounting to $85.80.

On the 18th Ultimo, Mr. J. J. Williams, a real estate dealer, of Kelliher, Sask. wrote the Department that George and Dorothy Garbutt, of that place were ready to pay in full for the Lots, and asked for a statement shewing the amount required to secure the Deed. In reply he was informed on the 23rd Ultimo, that evidence had been furnished the Department shewing that the Garbutts had disposed of the Lots in 1882 to John Ramsbottom, and that it would not appear that they had any furhter interest in them.

Mr. Agent McLeod reports in his letter of the 16th Instant, that Mr. Ramsbottom does not live in the house on the Lots (which is 16 feet by 22, frame), as he has another house in town, but keeps the house on the disputed house, to rent. He adds that Mr. Ramsbottom claims that when he bought the property from the Garbutts, only the frame of the house was up. This he finished, adding a kitchen and chimney, also made a fence round the Lots, together with other improvements. In addition to his report, Mr. Agent McLeod enclosed a certified statement

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by the Town Clerk, shewing that the Lots had been assessed to various persons from 1891 to 1902, when the arrears of taxes amounted to $61.41, that in 1903 the Lots were assessed to Arthur Ramsbotham, and all arrears of taxes paid,, and that the Lots have since been assessed to Arthur & John Ramsbottom, with all taxes paid by them. The Agent adds that Arthur Ramsbottom is the son of John Ramsbottom.

In view of the facts, that the Garbutts only paid the first instalment, since they bought the property in 1882, although frequently notified of the arrears, that it is shewn by Declaration that they sold the property in 1882, to John Ramsbottom, who paid therefor $260.00, in addition to $61.41 taxes, that Ramsbotton has been assessed for the property for so many years, and has recently remitted the balance and Interest, I would respectfully recommend that the Sales now on the books in the Garbutt's names, be cancelled, and a new Sale entered, as requested, and Patent issue in the name of John Ramsbottom, for the balance against the Lots, viz:- $85.80, which has been paid.

A. E. Kemp

acting In charge of Lands & Timbered -

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Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, 29th October, 1913-

WHEREAS the lands standing in the names of the undermentioned parties were sold to them subject to the conditions of actual occupation, the performance of certain settlement duties, and the payment of equal annual instalments,

AND WHEREAS it has been represented and established to my satisfaction that the conditions under which the said Sales were made have been violated,

NOW THEREFORE by and in virtue of the powers and duties vested in the Superintendent General of Indian Affairs by the Indian Act, Chap. 81, Section 61, Revised Statutes of Canada, 1906, I hereby CANCEL the said Sales, and direct that a new Sale covering these Lots be entered in the name of John Ramsbottom, for the balance standing against the same, viz: $85.80, which has been paid.

E.S.M.

Sale No.	Date of Sale.	Lot.	Street.	Town.	Name of Owner
✓ 3112	29 Aug. 1882.	23	S. side Blake.	Shaftesbury.	George Garbutt
✓ 3113	do.	24	do.	do.	Dorothy Garbutt.

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3rd Ruled off S. Bk.

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A.R.K.

Deputy Superintendent General
of Indian Affairs-

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Brian Shannon
Signature

Jan 21 1974

Reg # X021404

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EX'D.

Ottawa, November 4, 1913

Gentlemen,-

With reference to your letter of the 11th September last, remitting $85.80 as balance on lots 23 and 24, south side of Blake street, Shaftesbury, and asking that patent issue therefor to John Ramsbottam, I beg to inform you that the sales which stood in the names of George and Dorothy Garbutt were cancelled on the 29th ultimo, and the local agent, Mr. Wm. McLeod, of Manitowaning, has been instructed to return a new sale for these lots in the name of John Ramsbottam, with a view to the issue of patent to him, as requested.

Your obedient Servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst Deputy & Secy.

~~Deputy Superintendent General~~

of ~~Indian~~ Affairs.

Messrs. McKessock & Miller,

Barristers, etc.,

Sudbury, Ont.

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Ottawa, 4th November, 1913-

Sir,

In reply to your letter of the 16th Ultimo, with further reference to Lots 23 & 24, South side of Blake St. in the Townplot of Shaftesbury, I have to inform you that the Sales, 3112 & 3113, of these Lots, in the names of George Garbutt and Dorothy Garbutt, respectively, were cancelled on the 29th Ultimo. You will, therefore, be good enough to forward to the Department a special Land Return for the month of October, shewing a new Sale, which should also be entered in the books of your Office, for these Lots, in the name of John Ramsbottom, and for the sum of $85.80, which has been duly paid by him.
You should also forward a corresponding Requisition for Patent, on the usual form No. 105, giving full information as to name in full, place of residence and occupation of Mr. Ramsbottom.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Assistant Deputy & Secretary-

Wm. McLeod, Esq.
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning,
Ont.

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KESSOCK, K.C.
DISTRICT CROWN ATTORNEY
CLERK OF THE PEACE

PHONE 233

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G. M. MILLER

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
NOV 8 1913

McKESSOCK & MILLER
BARRISTERS, SOLICITORS,
NOTARIES, ETC.

ROOMS 11-12 BAIKIE-GILL BLOCK
SUDBURY, ONT.

November 6th, 1913.

Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, Canada.

436636

See Land Ret. Oct. 1913. Sale 4276

Re John Ramsbottam.
No. ~~430,387~~

Dear Sir:-

We beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter of November 4th and note that a new sale for these lots is being made to John Ramsbottam.

We would ask you to kindly forward the patent to us when it is issued.

Yours truly,

McKESSOCK & MILLER.

Per G. M. Miller

M.JT.

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Department of Indian Affairs.

Aug. 1913

Six Nation

Part Lot 5. 8 Rge. Onondaga

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Martin W. McEwen
Barrister, Solicitor, Notary Public, etc.

Office: 43 Market Street,
Telephone 386

Brantford,
Canada

August 13th, 1913.

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
AUG 20 1913

LANDS BRANCH
AUG 20 1913

Supt. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

431459

Dear Sir:-

I have been requested by Mr. Alexander General and William General to write you with reference to a division of part of Lot Number Five, in the River Range, in the Township of Oneida, in the County of Haldimand which affects their interest.

The part of Lot in question, which consists of some sixty acres, was originally owned by father and mother, of John Curley and Mary Curley, and was divided between them equally. About fifteen years ago William General purchased from John Curley five acres which he has ever since been in possession of, and which quit claim was confirmed by the Six Nation Council on February 7th, 1905, and John Curley also sold to Alexander General the South part of the North half of this Lot, containing twenty-five acres which quit claim was confirmed by the Council on May 2nd, 1905, and Alexander General also purchased from Mary Curley seven acres of the same Lot which quit claim was confirmed by the Council on February 7th, 1905. It seems that later, Mary Curley, gave to her daughter Julia Fishcarrier, aquit clai~ of the portion of this Lot, which previously purchased by Alexander General and William General, and would take a portion of their lands, this latter quit claim was confirmed by the Council on August 5th, 1913, and Alexander General informs me that although he and his brother were present at the Council, inorder to give evidence

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in the matter, they were not allowed to do so, and that the decision was given without their being heard. They wish to stringly protest against any division of this Lot which would interfere with their rights, and they claim that if the Julia Fishcarrier deed is allowed to stand it would give some of their land to her.

I wish you would please be good enough to give this matter your attention, and have the deed to Julia Fishcarrier so amended that it will not interfere with the lands of Alexander General and William General, and if it cannot be arranged otherwise to have the Superintendent here investigate the matter, by hearing necessary witnesses.

Yours truly,

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
AUG 20 1913

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Indian Office, Brantford,
August 8th, 1913.

Sir,-

I beg to enclose the minutes of Council held on the 5th & 6th inst. and to report thereon as follows:-

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No. 11.

A quit claim was confirmed.

LANDS BRANCH
SEP 3 1913

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Signed,

Your obedient servant,

Gordon J. Smith,

Supt.

The Secretary,

Dpet. of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa.

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Ohsweken Council House,

August 5th, 1913.

The General Council of the Six Nations opened in due form by Chief David John one of the Fire Keepers.

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Quit Claim confirmed.

The Council confirmed the Quit Claim of Mary Curley to Mrs. Julia Fishcarrier,
(No. of acres to be determined later)

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I hereby certify that the above is a true copy from my minute book.

Signed,

Josiah Hill,

Sec'y S.N.C.

Read and approved,

J.S.Johnson,

Deputy Speaker, S.N.C.

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431,459.

Ottawa, September 3, 1913

Sir,-

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 13th ultimo, in regard to division of part of lot 5, River range, Oneida, and in reply to say that this matter should be brought before the local Superintendent, Mr. Gordon J. Smith, at Brantford, for his report thereon to the Department.

Your obedient Servant,

D. McLean

Asst. Deputy and Secretary

Martin W. McEwen, Esq.,
Barrister, etc.,
43 Market street,
Brantford, Ont.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS NOV 19 1913

Indian Office, Brantford,

November 18th.,1913.

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Sir,-

William and Alexander General have had a dispute over part of the Curley estate with Julia Fishcarrier in regard to which Mr. M. W, McEwen barrister of this city has written to the Department and to me. Mr. McEwen claims that the Generals are not getting as much as they are entitled out of River Range No. 5, Ondida. The first locatees according to the land register are Henry Johnson 50 acres, Mary Curley 20 acres and John Curley 30 acres which leaves about 8 acres not located. Mary Curley subsequently sold to Alex. General 7 acres and to Julia Fishcarrier 26 acres , this last deed being confirmed by the Council on October 16th last. John Curley sold to Alex. General 25 acres . According to these sales it appears as if John Curley still had 5 acres and that Mary Curley disposed of 6 acres more than she was entitled to, I am informed that Alex. General is now satisfied and has purchased from Julia Fishcarrier her land but William General claims to be entitled to 5 or 6 acres out of lot No. 5 but the register does not give him any in this lot but in lots 6 he is

The Secretary-

Dept. of Indian Affairs-

Ottawa.

memo Lands
Invoked act on
Supt. Smith's recommendation
A.S.W.

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is registered for 4 acres. I have had correspondence and interviews with both these parties but cannot effect a settlemtn and if William General ~~ix~~ still insists upon an investigation, I beg to recommend that I be authorized to hold one.

I am

Sir

Your obedient servant,

Supt.

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Ottawa, November 21, 1913.

Sir,-

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 18th instant, in regard to dispute between William and Alexander General with Julia Fishcarrier over part of the Curley estate, and in reply to say that if a settlement cannot be arrived at, and if William General insists upon an investigation, the same may be held by you in the usual way.

Your obedient Servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Gordon J. Smith, Esq.,
Indian Superintendent,
Brantford, Ont.

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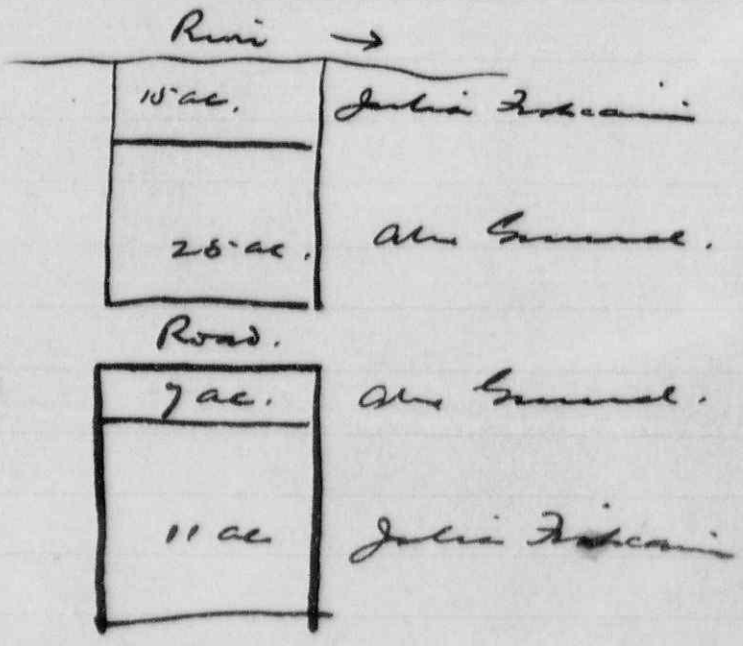
Lot 5 Oneida R.R. 108 ac.

	Hy. Johnson.	S ½	50 ac.	
	Mary Curly.	N pt.	20	x 7 = 13
	John Curly.	S pt. of N ½	30	x 25 = 5
Mary Curly	Alex Gunnel	N pt.	7	"
John Curly	Alex Gunnel.	S pt. N ½	25	"
Mary Curly.	Julia Fisticaine		26 ac.	
Julia Fisticaine.	Alex Gunnel.	S pt.	11	"
Julia Fisticaine	Robt Fisticaine	N pt.	15 ½	



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Indian Office,

Brantford, Oct. 13th.1914.

In the matter of Lot 5 River Range, Oneida Township.

BETWEEN

William General, Appellant.

and

Julia Fishcarrier, Respondent.

COUNSEL:

Mr. W. M. McEwen, for appellant.

Mr. W. M. Charlton for respondent.

E V I D E N C E

William General, sworn, examined by MR. McEWEN:

I claim five acres, part of lot 5 River Range. Township Oneida, in the County of Haldimand. John Curley's father was the original owner of this land; he divided the land between the brother and sister, Mary Curley; it was divided by the chiefs. I got the five acres from John Curley. I gave $40.00 for it; George Longboat was there when I paid him. That was about 15 years ago. I used the land after that and nobody troubled me. I had possession all the time until last summer. I have been occupying it for the last 15 years. I planted corn and potatoes on the land. My purchase from Curley came before the Council. John Curley brought it up before the Council. He was going to sell to Abe General and when they asked him how much land was in it, he said he didn't know, so the Council decided to send surveyors there.

MR. CHARLTON: I object to that. I ask that that be struck out.

MR. McEWEN: What did Curley come to the Council for in regard to the matter ?

MR. CHARLTON: I object to that question. ~~That is~~

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That is only to be permitted on condition that it is corroborated.

THE SUPERINTENDENT: I think that ought to go in. Witness! He asked the Council to approve the sale of this five acres to me, and they did so. I was present; we were all there. I was to get the northeast part of the lot; it has been located/ by the Locating Line Committee. It is the northeast corner of the lot that I claim. The whole of lot 5 was originally owned by John Curley. There are 60 acres in the lot altogether. That is on both sides of the road. The surveyors found 60 acres in the lot.

Cross-examined by MR. CHARLTON:

I have only a copy of the decision of the Council. It was in October that John Curley appeared before the Council, but I cannot say what year.

(Mr. McEwen puts in Minute of Six Nations Council held in Ohsweken Council House, December 1904, with reference to Lot #5)

I bought this land from John Curley 15 years ago; George Longboat was present when I bought it. I paid $40. for it. I paid him right there and then, but I did not get any receipt for the money. I never take receipts from amongst the Indians, but I do when dealing with the whites. I have never fenced the five acres off. I bought a piece of lot 6 too; there is a fence running between lots 5 and 6. I could not say how long that fence has been up, but as near as I can tell, about twenty years. I own four acres in Lot 6, adjoining this land in dispute. I have not cultivated that four acres myself but have rented it to white people, but I could not say how for long. I always worked the northeast part of lot 5. Sometimes I rent it when I can't work it myself. I rented it to Alec.Bill. He gave me a third share. He cropped it first, but I could not say the year, but about 15 years ago. Joe Thomas never worked it. During the last 14 years I have drawn the rents and profits from this land. Joe Greenway did not rent the land

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for the past five years. Joe Thomas lives right beside me, and owns the adjoining property. A year ago this last summer Greenway rented the property; he planted potatoes and corn. He has not been using it for the last five years, only one year. He did not get the rent or the share of the crop this year, and don't know who got it. I got it in 1913 from Joe Greenway. I cultivated the land myself in 1911. I cultivated and planted it since I came into possession until 1911.

Julia Fishcarrier is my half-sister. I never saw that Quit Claim before. I knew it was approved by the Council in May 1913. I protested at the time, before the Council, and they said Julia owned it. The Council entertained my protest and decided that her mother should make another Quit Claim. Afterwards she brought in the Quit Claim and they passed it. I claim this Quit Claim is not correct. The land was measured up; the only time I remember the land being measured up was when my mother and brother made the division. That measurement went on record. The Council confirmed the Quit Claim from Mary Curley to Julia Fishcarrier.

Quit Claim Curley to Fishcarrier, dated 16th October 1913, Exhibit 1

This land has been willed since, to another party; I did not raise any objection to Julia Fishcarrier, because the part she willed is not in dispute. I do not know that the part in dispute has been sold.

Quit Claim, Julia Fishcarrier to Robert Fishcarrier, dated February 3rd, 1914, Exhibit 2.

Read and approved February 13th, by the Six Nations Council.

I knew there was a lease made by Mrs. Fishcarrier to Greenway off this land, because I saw him there working, and I objected. The chiefs had divided the land between John and Mary Curley; I was present at the Council meeting when this decision was made. Mary got the south side of the road. She got land on both sides of the road. I bought the five acres

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in dispute for $40.00. Of this land the Council gave Mary Curley 18 acres on the south side of the road and 12 cares on t the north side of the road, 30 acres altogether. She had more but five acres had to be deducted to give to me, so that left her 17 on one side. I say that because I was at the Council meeting when it was done; it was about ten years ago this fall. Mary Curley had more than 14 acres on the north side of the river. I claimed the five acres after the Quit Claim had been confirmed by Council. This is not the same piece of land that John Curley wanted to sell to Alex. General. I was to get the north east part of this lot. The Chiefs located me. I never heard of the Minute of December 8th, 1904 being set aside. Joe Green and Henry Burnham were the Locating Committee. The Council employs them to do that work. The surveyors made it 60 acres by measuring from another road; they measured from the Beaver Road till they came to the 50 acres owned by Henry Jackson, and then they continued to the river 60 acres. I could not say whether that Minute of Council was confirmed by the Department at Ottawa. I was guardian over my mother for about one year. I was not to have the land ~~on the~~ without the condition that I cared for her.

Minutes of May 14th, 1913, Exhibit 3

It was only in 1913 that Joe Greenway was a tenant of this land. He was not there in 1911-12, nor in 1910.

Record upon books as to the title, record of the Land Register of lot #~~5~~-- #5 River Range, Township of Oneida.

To MR. McEWEN: This Quit Claim between Mary Curley and Julia Fishcarrier was before the Council twice. The first time was a year from last spring. They would not decide it then because they found that part of it was my land. I protested, and the Council accepted that. The number of acres was however not corrected, and they afterwards passed it as it stood. No new Quit Claim was prepared, so far as I know. The only reason the Council did not approve of the

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Quit Claim the first time was because it included my land. It was said that the Quit Claim was for 28 acres, The Council didn't mention 26 acres at all. I know the south part , 11 acres, that was sold to Alexander General.

To MR. McEWEN: According to the division in 1908 by the Council I got 5 acres along the river bank, and Mary Curley got 12½ acres. This was decided at the Council meeting of December 8th, 1904. That is my whole claim, that I bought from Curley according to that decision.

MR. CHARLTON: At that time the 12½ acres was measured. It was measured by Jos Green and Henry Burnham. At that time there was a line struck between that land and the 25 acres that Alexander General has.

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George Longboat, sworn, examined by MR. McEWEN: I know this property in dispute. I knew the former owner, John Curley. I was present when there was a transaction between William General and John Curley, in regard to this lot. It was about 15 years ago. William General bought the land from John Curley and paid $40.00 cash; I saw it myself . It was paid at his house, John Curley's house. I don't remember anyone else being present. I do not know anything further about it. I was never at the Council when it was brought up; I was never called in as a witness.

Cross-examined by MR. CHARLTON:

The land is not in the County of Brant, but in Haldimand. I could not tell you the year it took place, but it was about 15 years ago. I was working on the wheat, but sometimes I work on that in August, and sometimes in September. John Curley lived in Oneida at that time. It was not on this identical land that the bargain was made. John Curley's lot was next to this. He sold lot 5, but he lived on lot 6. There is a division line fence between

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lots 5 and 6. I do not know that the five acres were ever fenced off. William General paid the money for the land, and he never gave a cow for it. The money was in bills. I have talked the matter over with General to-day, and I also had dinner with him. I know that he paid $40.00 for the land, myself.

Jacob General, affirmed, examined by MR. Mc EWEN:

I am not a chief. I know a little about this deal between William General and John Curley. I know the five acres that William General claims. He is my brother. A white man by the name of Joe Greenway has been working this land of recent years, for the last two summers. William General himself worked it before, for about 13 years. Greenway was on it in 1913 and 1914. I was not present when my brother bought this land. I attended the Council once when this matter was brought up.

Cross-examined by MR. CHARLTON:

I am a brother of Mrs. Fishcarrier's. I know when the Quit Claim was passed by the Council. I do not know that Joe Greenway has been renting the land since the passing of the Quit Claim . This 5 acres was never fenced off. My mother, Mary Curley, died a year ago last June. I live on lot 5 at the present time. My mother used the land up to the time of her death, with the exception of the disputed spot. She did not use this 5 acres during her life time. I was present when the Quit Claim was made by Mary Curley. No one every made any complaint to Mary Curley about this 5 acres, before her death. Mary Curley and William General could only tell the land they owned by the size of the cultivation. Mary Curley was more than 70 years of age when she died, she was somewhere about 76. She was sick about four months before she died. She had consumption. She died in June, the 20th. The Quit Claim was made May 8th, 1913 and she signed it the same day. She was pretty sick the day she signed it,

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and could hardly ~~signxit~~ sit up. I know Thomas; he lives on Lot 4.

D E F E N C E.

Julia Fishcarrier, sworn, examined by MR. CHARLOON:

Mary Curley was my mother, and William General is my brother. My mother died over a year ago, in June. I remember when my mother became the owner of lot 5, or part of lot 5 River Range Oneida Township. She got it by heirship from ~~her~~ father. The chiefs gave it to John and Mary Curley. I was never at the Council meeting, but so far as I know she got it by heirship. I never heard my mother day that William General had bought this land from her. I claim by virtue of this Quit Claim. My mother made the Quit Claim, and I carried it to the Council for their approval. Sometimes William would cultivate it, and then someone else would do it.., I could not tell how many years before my mother's death William General worked it. Since the Quit Claim was approved William General has not received any rents nor any profits from the land. The five acres are not fenced off. I have had the rents from the land since the Quit Claim was approved. I could not tell you how many years William General occupied this land. I knew of a dispute over the land when the Quit Claim was first read in Council. I was also at the meeting when the Quit Claim was confirmed. William General was present, all my bothers were present. They did not all give evidence ~~evidence~~ before the Council , just presented the Quit Claim, and they were all heard. Then the Council confirmed the Quit Claim. When the division was made between Alec General and I, the two acres was in his favor and that is why they made the claim for 26 acres instead of 28. This is the part that Alexander General got (shows). I have 15½ acres up here (described) and the remainder I disposed of to Alexander General. By Exhibit #2 I sold 15½ acres to Robert Fishcarrier; I understood that I had that much left. The Council confirmed it. There is no fence dividing the

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5 acres parcel from me. Since I conveyed the land to my hasband he runs it. I could not say how many years William General worked this piece of land. It was customary for the rest of the family to use this part sometimes. William General always used that piece of land, and sometimes he rented it. I meant to say that different members of the family used different parts of my mother's land, and that William General used this part. Since my uncle died William General has been the owner of the northwest part of Lot 6. The line fence has always been up between those two parcels. The north end of the land was not really measured, but my mother guessed it to be about 17 acres; she didn't know exactly how much, but she said she thought so many acres. I do not know Alexander Bill. He is my half-brother on my father's side. He used to work it some ti time ago, but I could not say how many years. The only time I remember Alexander Bill working it, was when it was broken up; he broke up the land. I could not tell you how long he worked it. My mother got the third of the rent from Alexander Bill. William General used to give my mother a third of the crop, but I don't know how many years he gave her a share; I didn't notice at the time. I know that my mother got a share of the crop from William General. I sold this land to Robert Fishcarrier on the 3rd of February 1914, but I am the legal owner. The Council confirmed it. William General never came to me and complained about the matter.

Cross-examined by MR. McEWEN:

My mother used to live with my grandfather; he made no will or any deed to my mother. My mother had a brother, John Curley. I knew there was a dispute between them as to the division of the estate; I just heard ~~that~~ when it was settled by the Council in 1904; that was the only division I ever knew of. That decision was acted upon by my mother and my uncle. I could not say that William General had cultivated this 5 acres parcel for 14 years, because he was away for a number of years. When my mother made this Quit Claim I bound myself to take care of her. I could not say how old my mother was then.

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She was dying ~~this summer~~, but she lived five weeks after; she lived 7 weeks after. The Council would not confirm the Quit Claim until I had carried out the agreement to care for my mother. I never heard that the Council would not confirm it because my mother was trying to include that piece of land. They said that when I fulfilled the agreement, they would confirm it. Robert Fishcarrier, to whom I afterwards deeded the land, is my husband. I could not tell you how long William General has claimed this land. I have been married two years. I never saw William General give my mother any money for this land, but I know she got a share of the crop, though I never was present, when my mother received anything. I have been away from home quite a long time.

To MR. CHARLTON: I heard about certain duties being imposed upon William General by the Council in reference to the keeping of my mother, but that is all. I carried out the agreement, and the Council afterwards approved the Quit Claim. I never heard that my grandfather made any will . As a matter of fact I suppose my mother and my Uncle John inherited the land. The dispute between my mother and Uncle John was over the sale of some land to Alex General by my mother. The Council did not know if my uncle owned the part, but at last they confirmed the sale. My mother got the land back towards the river and my ~~mother~~ uncle got below the river road.

To MR. McEWEN: I was not at the Council when the division of the land was made, I only heard about it.

To MR. CHARLTON: Q--Did you make a mistake when you told Mr. McEwen that during the last 15 years no one collected anything from it except William General ? AQQI thought I was asked whether I saw William General paying money over to my mother. I never left my home altogether, sometimes I go back. I live three concessions over from it at the present time. I have already stated that William General claims he got the proceeds from this 5 acres for the 13 years prior to the time of the Quit Claim. He was always cross about it, and

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got the land by force. The division of the land was made for certain members of the family of certain parts.

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George Thomas, sworn, examined by MR. CHARLTON:

I live in the Township of Oneida. I own the adjoining farm, and have lived there about 40 years. Mary Curley was the only owner I remember. A fence has been there that long too; I know that personally. I move that fence for her when the water comes in the spring. Sometimes William General worked the five acres in dispute.

I have been there during the last 15 years, and I know that the old lady, Mrs. Curley, her daughter, and sometimes Pet Peter General worked this land. They all have land in the flats, sometimes I plowed in there myself. I know different members of the family used this part in here, the five acres. The fence between lots 5 and 6 has always been up. Mrs. Curley has been dead over a year now. I have not worked that particular spot for the last 15 years, but she hired me to plough in there during the last 15 years. She paid me. I also helped to bring in her crops.

Cross-examined by MR. McEWEN:

I say that Julia worked this 5 acres sometimes. William did not work it all the time because he was away for about eight years, up to Oneida. He was living up there and just came back a few years ago; he got married up there. Julia and her mother had to do with this lot before the last two years. I guess it was just this summer that Julia and her husband did the cultivating. About four years ago Julia used to get part of the crops. I say that different people had crops in there.

To MR. CHARLTON: During the past 15 years different members of the family have cropped it. During four or five years of that time William General was up on the Oneida Reserve.

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Robert Fishcarrier, sworn, examined by MR. CHARLTON:

I am the husband of Julia ~~Murray~~ Fishcarrier, and bought this land from my wife on February 3rd. 1914. for which I paid $125.00. I have been going with my present wife for the past five years, and during that time I have not heard of any dispute. I am a member of the Council, and I did not hear anything there about it. Different people worked this land for the three years prior to the Quit Claim; Alexander Bill, Sary Hutt and Joe Silversmith worked it; I and my wife worked on that lot 4 years ago and put in the crop. We gave one-third to Mary Curley. There is no doubt about that. I asked William General once at the Council how he came to own this piece, and he didn't say anything; he did not tell me he bought it from his mother. He told me he had bought it from John Curley but that the Council refused to approve it between John Curley and William General. He never made any claim to me in regard to the five acres.

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Cross-examined by MR. McEWEN:

I did not know until he was served that he made any claim to the 5 acres. I did not know that he claimed it. I was in the Council in 1910 and know most of what goes on.

Q--Did you ever hear this (reads) ? A--Yes, but here is about 20 acres just cleared. Mary Curley was the mother of Alex. General.

To MR. CHARLTON: William General was trying to claim this part of the lot; we ~~have~~ had a crop in there about four years ago.

To MR. McEWEN: Four years ago William did not have any crop in there at all. Joe Silversmith had a crop across the River, and we had one in here. He had a piece of the five acres.

William General, recalled, to MR. McEWEN:

I was away once, but I came back about 20 years ago.

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I have been residing in Oneida continually for the past 20 years. The statement that I have been away within the last four or five years is incorrect. Fishcarrier did not have any crop in there within the last 13 years. I rented it to Joe Silversmith. There has been no one on that land within the last 14 years, with the exception of the last two, except those to whom I rented it.

I have never been married. I was up on the Oneida reserve looking for work; I stayed there 20 years; I could not say when I went there, but I was quite young. I returned about 20 years ago. I mean to say I went there about 40 years ago, and came back 20 years ago. I am 56 years of age now. I could not tell the year , but I came back in the spring, about 20 years ago. I was about 18 years of age when I went there. I have been here during the past 15 years. When my mother had a home I stayed with her in Oneida Township, but about 10 years ago I went away from there, and bought a another place with a house on it. This other place is in Oneida too. It is about 1½ miles from the land in question. I have sold that place since, and bought another, which is nearer Caledonia. I bought it from David Lickers, about 5 years ago. I sold the Licker place, and bought another place from John Isaac, and that is where I am living now. I did not buy this place from John Isaac, but I am living with John Isaac.

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Certified correct.

May Buskard,

Stenographer.

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WILLIAM GENERAL

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Indian Office, Brantford,
December 30th., 1914.

Sir,-

I beg to enclose copy of evidence taken before me on 13th October last in an investigation between William General and Julia Fishcarrier regarding the ownership of a 5 acre lot situated in the North East corner of Lot 5, River Range, in the Township of Oneida.

Mr. M. W. McEwen appeared for the appelant General and Mr. W.M.Charlton for the respondent Fish-Carrier.

The parties to this dispute are brother and sister and the land originally belonged to their grandfather Curley. Upon his death it was divided between his son John Curley and his daughter Mary Curley. The whole of Lot 5 contains 108 acres and the first entries in the Land Register show that Henry Johnson is located on the S½ 50 acres, Mary Curley on the W. Part 20 acres and John Curley on the S. part of the W.½ 30 acres leaving about 8 acres unlocated, or probably the area of the above locations was only approximate.

The Secretary-

Dept. of Indian Affairs-

Ottawa.

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In December 1904 John and Mary had a dispute as to their respective locations and the council decided inter alia that William General the appellant was the lawful owner of the N.E. corner of Lot 5, containing 5 acres more or less (Copy of minutes enclosed)

Nothing more is heard of this until long after John Curley's death and when Mary Curley is on her death bed. Then Julia Fishcarrier in May 1913 produces a Quit Claim Deed in Council from Mary Curley conveying to her for ~~$100.00~~ $1.00 consideration 26 acres of this lot.

The Council changed the acreage to 26 acres but refused to confirm the Deed until after Mary Curley's death, and upon proof that Julia Fishcarrier had taken proper care of Mary Curley her mother. (Copy of Minute enclosed). The mother died the next month. By reason of this death bed conveyance I do not place any value on the Quit Claim (Exhibit 1) as an evidence of title in Mary Curley as against William General. This Quit Claim (Exhibit 1) was passed by the council on the 16th October 1913, and a few months afterwards Julia conveyed 11 acres to Alex. General and 15½ acres to her husband Robert Fishcarrier the latter including the 5 acres claimed by William General. Both conveyances were approved by the Council.

I fail to find in the evidence anything to contradict William General's claim that he bought

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bought this 5 acres from his uncle John Curley, remained in undisturbed possession of it for 15 years, and has worked or rented it all that time.

The matter has been before the Council on only two occasions, the first time in 1904 when all parties interested and who knew all the facts were present viz. John Curley, Mary Curley and William General, the second time in May 1913 when only William General was present. John Curley being long since deceased and Mary Curley on her death bed and very probably not in a condition to give an accurate description of the land she ~~prepared~~ proposed conveying to her daughter.

For the reasons above stated I beg to recommend that that part of the Council's decision of 8th Dec. 1904 relating to William General's 5 acre lot be confirmed and that he be located to the North East corner of Lot No. 5, River Range in the Township of Oneida containing 5 acres more or less.

I beg to request that the two Quit Claims Deeds enclosed be returned to me with your decision.

I am

Sir

Your obedient Servant,

Supt.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS CANADA.

Ottawa, 18th January, 1915.

Memorandum:

Mr. Scott,

I concur in the report of Superintendent Smith and recommend that the decision of the Indian Council of the 8th December, 1904, be confirmed and that William General be located for five acres of the North East corner of Lot 5, River Range, in the township of Oneida.

A. S. Williams

Approved

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Ottawa, January 19, 1915.

Sir,-

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 30th ultimo, inclosing evidence taken in an investigation between William General and Julia Fishcarrier, regarding the ownership of a five acre lot situate in the northeast corner of lot 5, River Range, Oneida.

In reply I would say that the Department considers that the decision of the Indian Council of the 8th of December, 1904, should be confirmed, and that William General be recognized as the owner of five acres of the northeast corner of lot 5, River range, Oneida.

As requested, I am returning the two quit claim deeds forwarded with the evidence submitted.

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Your obedient Servant,

J. D. McLean

Assistant Deputy & Secretary.

Gordon J. Smith, Esq.,
Indian Superintendent,
Brantford, Ont.

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Department of Indian Affairs.

1913

Aug.

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Six Nations

Adoption of whites & others as Honorary members of the Band.

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DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
AUG 20 1913

Indian Office, Brantford,
August 8th, 1913.

Sir,-

431501

I beg to enclose the minutes of Council held on the 5th & 6th inst. and to report thereon as follows:-

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No. 6.

Miss Augusta Gilkison a daughter of the late Superintendent Gilkison was adopted in the Bear clan of the Cayuga tribe and she also presented a portrait of her late father to the Council.

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Signed,
Your obedient servant,
Gordon J. Smith,
Supt.

The Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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Cheweken Council House,

August 5th, 1913.

The General Council of the Six Nations opened in due form by Chief David John one of the Fire Keepers.

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Miss Gilkison adopted into the Six Nations.

Miss Gilkison a daughter of the late Supt. of the Six Nations J. T. Gilkison was brought before the Chiefs by Mrs. Lydia General for adoption into the Bear Clan of the Cayuga Tribe of the Six Nations, Chief Thomas Smoke announcing that hereafter Miss Gilkison will be known as Gai-whi-sas, which means a researcher, or Ka-rih-wi-saks, in the Mohawk language.

Miss Gilkison thanked the chiefs.

Miss Gilkison after thanking the Chiefs for the Indian name given to her presented the Council with a portrait of her late father, and referring to the coincident that she had been given an Indian name just fifty years after the opening of this Council House at which her late father attended, Chief Isaac Hill being the first Fire Keeper to open the proceedings in this Chamber in October 6, 1863.

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I hereby certify that the above is a true copy from my minute book.

Signed,

Josiah Hill,

Sec'y S.N.C.

Read and apprpved,

J.C.K.Johnson,

Deputy Speaker, S.N.C.

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No. 431577

Department of Indian Affairs.

Aug. 1913

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Tyendinaga

Quit Claim Deed covering part 40½ Sault Range Lot 18. Con 1. Tyendinaga

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

Deseronto, Ontario

Aug 15th 1913.

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
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TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

431577

Sir,—

at the last regular meeting of the Mohawk Council held on the 6th inst., the following resolution was passed.

"Moved by Chief Albert Maracle, and seconded by Chief Walter Brant that this Council confirms the Quit Claim Deed, between Cornelius Barnhart Sr. and James Nicholas Barnhart, the land being part of the west half of the south range of Lot 18 in the First Concession, being the west 20 acres of the said Lot."

Carried.

Your obedient servant
Thos Donnelly

J.D. McLean Esq
Asst Deputy & Secretary

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431 577-

OTTAWA, 2nd September, 1913-

Sir-

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 15th Ultimo, enclosing Quit Claim Deed from Cornelius Barnhart to James Nicholas Barnhart, covering part of Lot 18, Con 1, Tyendinaga Indian Reserve, and in reply to say that same is herewith returned, to be kept of record in your Office.

In view of the fact that the Indians of the Tyendinaga Reserve do not hold their lands under Location Tickets, issued by the Department, there is no means of keeping a record of transfers made, and, therefore, you should make a note of all such in the Land Register in your office. If, in any case, the land transferred is under Lease, you will be good enough to advise the Department thereof, giving the number of the Lease under which same is held, in order that an entry may be made in the Lease Books here.

Your obedient servant

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy & Secretary-

Thomas Donnelly, Esq.,

Indian Agent,

DESERONTO, Ontario,-

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Quit Claim Deed covering Back
lo ½ Lot 36. Con A. Tyendinaga

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

Deseronto, Ontario

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
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43157 Aug 15th 1913

Sir,—

At the last regular meeting of the Mohawk Council held on the 6th inst., the following resolution was passed.

"Moved by Chief Walter Brant, and seconded by Chief John A Loft, that the Quit Claim Deed between Cornelius Maracle Sr and Albert Maracle be confirmed, the land being part of the west half of Lot 36. containing 28 acres, more or less and being all that portion of said Lot in Concession A south of the base line and up to the York Road."

Carried.

Your obedient servant.
Thos Donnelly
Indian Agent

J.D. McLean Esq
Asst Deputy & Secretary

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431 579-

OTTAWA, 2nd September, 1913-

Sir-

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 15th Instant, enclosing Quit Claim Deed from Cornelius Maracle, Sr., to Albert Maracle, covering part of Lot 36, Con A, Tyendinaga Indian Reserve, and in reply to say that same is herewith returned, as the Indians do not hold their lands under Location Tickets issued by the Department, there is no means of placing such transfers on record.

You will, therefore, retain the documents in your office, noting same in the Land Register, and in the event of any transfer being for land held under Lease, be good enough to advise the Department, giving, at the same time, the number of the lease under which it is held.

Your obedient servant

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy & Secretary-

Thomas Donnelly, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
DESERONTO,
Ontario.-

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No. 431933

Department of Indian Affairs.

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Wiarton

Lot 10. Con 1. W.B.R. Albemarle.

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AUG 27 1913

INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

Wiarton

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Dear Sir,—

I have an offer for lot no 10, 1steon W B R Albamarle
For $ 75.00 Cash I seeby sales book that lot stands Cancelled
Kindly let me know if I am right

I Have The Honor To Be
Your Obedient Servant
J. E. Sutherby
Indian Lands Agent

LANDS BRANCH
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LANDS BRANCH
AUG 27 1913

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Ottawa, I9th September, I9I3-

Sir,

Sale
In reply to your letter of the 23rd Ultimo, stating that you have an offer of $75.00 Cash, for Lot I0, Con. I. W.B.R. Albemarle, I have to inform you that as the Sale of this Lot was cancelled some time ago, you may sell the Lot to the applicant, at the price named, subject to the usual conditions as to occupation and improvement of the Lot.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Assistant Deputy & Secretary-

J. E. Sutherby, Esq.
Indian Lands Agent,
Wiarton,
Ont.

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432,931	CAUGHNAWAGA AGENCY - TRANSFER OF LAND ON THE CAUGHNAWAGA RESERVE FROM SAWATIS KATSIENAIENTON TO JAMES ROSS	1913
433,414	WALPOLE ISLAND AGENCY - CHIPPEWA AND POTAWATOMI OF WALPOLE ISLAND SUNDRY ACCOUNTS FOR THE SEPTEMBER QUARTER OF 1913	1913
434,478	NEW BRUNSWICK - NORTHEASTERN DIVISION - PROPOSED INDIAN RESERVE AT PLUMSWEEP IN KINGS COUNTY	1913
435,245	RAMA AGENCY - APPLICATION OF THE TRUSTEES OF SCHOOL SECTION NO. 1, CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF RAMA, TO PURCHASE THREE QUARTERS OF AN ACRE OF FRONT RANGE, LOT 7, FOR SCHOOL PURPOSES (QUIT CLAIM DEED)	1913-1927

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No.

Department of Indian Affairs.

1913

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Manitowaning

Lots 1 & 2 Plummer St. South
" 1 & 2 Meredith " North
Townplot of Manitowaning

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
AUG 28 1913

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Indian Office, Manitowaning, Ont..

August, 26th, 1913.

Sir :-

LANDS BRANCH
AUG 30 1913

I have the honor to report that Mrs Isabella Clarke holds an Assignment from Duncan Cowan for Lots 1 and 2 Plummer St. South, and 1 and 2 Meredith St. North, in the townplot of Manitowaning, Sales 2098, 2194, (2099, and 2195.)

She paid Cowan $ 100.00 for the four Lots and understood from him that the Lots were paid for in full in the Office

She now asks that the Interest be remitted to her, or that the sales be cancelled and the Lots resold to her at the principal now against them.

I would most respectfully recommend that the sale of the Lots be cancelled and resold to Mrs Clarke at $ 9.00 each as this with the amount she has already paid Cowan are really more than the Lots are worth. They are rough, stoney, and shallow and there is no improvements on them except a fence, and she uses the Lots as a cow pasture. This woman is a widow and she does not want to loose the Lots, and she is not able to pay the arrears which is against them.

Your obedient servant,

W M Cook

Indian Agent,

The Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, Ont..

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Department of Indian Affairs.

Ottawa, 2nd Sept - 1913

Memo

Sale 2098

Lot 1, S. Sd - Plummer St.
Manitowaning was sold 12th July 1878 to Clara W. Reynolds but now stands by assignment in the name of Duncan Cowan

60/100 acre @ $25.00 P. a.	$15.00
Paid at date of sale	6.00
Bal. - - - -	$9.00

& Int. @ 6% from date of sale.

Sale 2194

Lot 2, S. Sd - Plummer St.
Manitowaning was sold 15th Augt. 1878 to Clara W. Reynolds but now stands by assigt. in the name of Duncan Cowan

60/100 acre @ $15.00 for the Lot	$15.00
Paid at date of sale —	6.00
Bal. —	$9.00

& Int. @ 6% from date of sale -

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Sale 2099

Lot 1, N. S. Meredith Sh, Manitowaning was sold 12th July 1878 to Clara W. Reynolds but now stands by assignment in the name of Duncan Cowan.

60/100 acre @ $12 per A. $15 00
Paid at date of sale - 6 00
Bal - $9 00
& Int. @ 6% from date of sale -

Sale 2195

Lot 2, N. S. Meredith Sh, Manitowaning was sold 15th Aug., 1878 to Clara W. Reynolds but now stands by assignment in the name of Duncan Cowan

60/100 acre @ $15 00 for the Lot - $15 00
Paid at date of sale 6 00
Bal. - $ 9 00
& Int. @ 6% from date of sale -

N. E. Kemp

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EXD.

Ottawa, September 3, 1913.

Sir,-

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 26th ultimo, No. 130-3, in regard to lots 1 and 2, Plummer Street, south, and in reply to say that the Department is not disposed to cancel the sale of these lots and re-sell to Mrs. Clarke, and it will be necessary for her to pay up the arrears of purchase money and interest due under the sale.

Your obedient Servant,

D. McLEAY

Asst Deputy and Secretary.

W. McLeod, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning, Ont.

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78-4, Indian Office, Manitowaning,
April 30th, 1917.

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
MAY 4
1917

Sir:-

With reference to Lots I and 2 Plummer Street, South, and Lots I and 2 Meredith Street, North, in the townplot of Manitowaning, which stands on the books of this office in the name of Mr. Duncan Cowan, and the late Mrs Isabella Clarke held assignments for these four lots from Mr. Cowan, but she did not have them recorded, I have the honor to report that the heirs of the late Mrs Clarke informed me that it is not their intention to pay up the unpaid balance of principal and interest thereon against these lots, and that it is their wishes to have the Department cancel the sales, and re-sell them.

Under the circumstances I would most respectfully recommend that the sales be cancelled and authorize me to re-sell the lots to the first applicant at the valuation placed thereon by the Land Inspector, Mr. George Shaw, as the lots are growing up in noxious weeds, and there are several people in the village who would cultivate them.

Your obedient servant,

D. J. Lewis
Indian Agent.

MAY 9 1917

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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File No. 432,I22-

Lands and Timber Branch

Ottawa, 19th May, 1917- 191

Memo.

Deputy Minister,

Sales 2098 & 2099- Lots I, Plummer St. South, and I, Meredith St. North, Manitowaning, were sold on the I2th July, I878, to Clara W. Reynolds, who assigned to Duncan Cowan, in whose name they stand.

I 2/I0 Acres @ $25.00 per Acre,----$30.00

Paid at date of Sale,----------$I2.00

Balance Principal due,--------$I8.00

and Interest thereon @ 6 % from date of Sale, until paid.

Regular Notices were sent for July, I889,90,9I,93 & 94.

E. J. M.

Sales 2I94 & 2I95- Lots 2, Plummer St. South, and 2, Meredith St. North, Manitowaning, were sold on the I5th August, I878, to Clara W. Reynolds, who assigned to Duncan Cowan, in whose name they stand.

I 2/I0 Acres @ $I5.00 per Lot,-----$30.00

Paid at date of Sale,----------$I2.00

Balance Principal due,--------$I8.00

and Interest thereon @ 6 % from date of Sale, until paid.

Approved DCL

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Regular Notices were sent for August, I889,90,9I,93 & 94,

In letter of the 30th Ultimo, Agent Lewis reports that the late Mrs. Isabella Clarke held Assignments covering the above mentioned Lots, from Mr. Duncan Cowan, but they had never been recorded, and her heirs now state that it is not their intention to pay the arrears of Principal and Interest against the properties, and that they wish to have the Department cancel the Sales, and re-sell the Lots.

T. L. M.

The Agent recommends cancellation of the Sales, and in view of the above, I would also recommend that they be cancelled, and the lands resumed by the Department.

Officer in Charge-

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Sale 432,122-

Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, 28th May, 1917-

WHEREAS the Lots standing in the names of the undermentioned person, were sold to him subject to the conditions of actual occupation, the performance of certain settlement duties, and the payment of equal annual instalments,

AND WHEREAS it has been represented and established to my satisfaction that the conditions under which the said Sales were made, have been violated,

E. F. H.

NOW THEREFORE by and in virtue of the powers and duties vested in the Superintendent General of Indian Affairs by the Indian Act, Chapter 81, Section 61, Revised Statutes of Canada, 1906, I hereby CANCEL the said Sales and resume the said lands.

Sale No.	Date of Sale.	Lot.	Street.	Town.	Owner.
2098	12 July, 1878.	I	Plummer, South.	Manitowaning.	Duncan Cowan.
2099	do.	I	Meredith, North.	do.	do.
2194	15 Aug. 1878.	2	Plummer, South.	do.	do.
2195	do.	2	Meredith, North.	do.	do.

VDD

1. Ent. in Cancellation Register
2. Ruled off Sales Book
3. Ruled off Plan

E. F. H.

Duncan C. Scott

Deputy Superintendent General
of Indian Affairs-

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432,I22-

Ottawa,3Ist May,I9I7-

Sir,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 30th Ultimo,recommending cancellation of the Sales of Lots I & 2,Plummer St.S. and Lots I & 2,Meredith St.N. in the Townplot of Manitowaning,and in reply have to inform you that the Sales of these Lots were cancelled on the 28th Instant,and the lands resumed by the Department.

Your obedient servant,

W. A. Orr.

In charge Lands & Timber Branch.

R.J.Lewis,Esq.
Indian Agent,
Manitowaning,
Ont.

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DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
MAY 1923
RECORDS

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Indian Office, Manitowaning,
May 18th, 1923.

Sir:-

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Referring to Official Letter No. 432,122 of May the 31st,1917,reporting that the Sales of Lots I & 2, Plummer St.S. and Lots I & 2,Meredith St.N. in the Townplot of Manitowaning were cancelled and the land resumed by the Department, I have the honour to report that I have had several enquires from different persons if these Lots were for sale, and if so what price the Department would ask for them.

Sales
2098
2099
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As these Lots had been cultivated for a number of years,previous to the time the Sales were cancelled,but now they are lying in a commons and are producing a crop of noxious weeds each year which is causing a number of the citizens to complain, therefore,I would most respectfully recommend that I be authorized to make a sale of the Lots to the person offering the highest price for them.

LANDS BRANCH
MAY 21 1923

Your obedient servant,

Lots were previously sold at $25 an acre.

Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

Sales-
2098- Lot 1- Plummer St. S. - valuation $15 pr Lot
2099- " 1 Meredith St N. - " $15 " "
2194- " 2 Plummer St S. - " 15 " "
2195- " 2 Meredith St N. - " 15 " "

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Ottawa, June 1st, 1933.

Sir:-

Replying to your inquiry of the 16th ultimo, number 78-5, with reference to Lots 1 and 2, Plummer Street, South, and 1 and 2, Meredith Street, North, in the Townplot of Manitowaning, I beg to advise that the valuation of these lots, of record in the Department, is fifteen ($15.00) dollars a lot.

You are hereby authorized to dispose of them at the best price obtainable over the above valuation.

Sale 4528

Your obedient servant,

J. C. Caldwell
In Charge Land & Timber Branch.

R. J. Lewis, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
MANITOWANING,
Ont.

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Cannibalism, destitution &c. among the Indians.

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Boxgrove Vicarage.
Chichester.
August 5,1913.

The Lord Stamfordham.

My Lord,

It is with pain that I address you about the North America Indians of Moosonee.

I have been working among them for ten years or more as a missionary, and I see their need now of a friend in the person of the King.

The Indians always look to him as their Defender of the Faith, and outside the Church, he seems to be their only friend.

They have left it with me by some means to reach King George V.

The St. George's Society gave me a reduced ticket to England with this hope.

I followed the King to Goodwood, near where I am now. But I could not come near him. I was advised by the Dean of Windsor to make the need known to you in writing trusting you will submit the letter to King George.

The Indian is a loyal subject, and remembers the kindness of King George IV in his negotiations with them for their land in Canada, and his honourable proceedings in placing their money out at interest. They have enjoyed this since that time, about 12 dollars a head yearly.

The Queen Victoria sent them a set of Holy Communion Vessels for their Church on the Muncey Reserve The Prince of Wales (K.Ed.VII) or Great Mogul as they call

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call him, gave the c iefs in different parts, medals. King Edward VII also e ucated one (Indian) in England. They have now sent me asking the King's protection, and not alms.

The Hudson Bay Company of England and Scotland bring supplies from these countries to the reserves where they have a post, and it is providential to the poor Indians. But they have now shot their game so fast, with the young (for the native has no law for the preservation of game) that there is not now sufficient for the purchase of supplies to them and their families through the long cold winters of my country. In consequence they have no skins to give in payment, and there are no supplies to be obtained, such as pork and flour.

When they go into the bush to build their wigwams, which they must do to keep warm, there is not enough food for the winter so thay have been known to starve to death. In a whole family, perhaps only <u>one</u> comes out alive in the Spring. It is awful, and I think one of the signs of the times of the awful day approaching. The Indian is ashamed to beg, so dies!

In one case that I met, a man's child died, one year old, starved because the mother was not nourished with food to supply the child. The Indian father a fine young man whom I knew, was starving and thought of eating the dead infant. He said No, I cannot eat my child, so he broke a hole in the ice and buried it. Then the mother died.

The father looked up and said "God sees me starving too", so he cut a piece out of her side and out of one arm. He eat it cooked. Thus he lived, and came out of the bush in the spring.

Another Indian woman lost her son, 10 years old,

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old, she was starving, and she eat him.

Another very pleasant and pretty squaw lost her husband in the camp, and eat all of him, hanging up the bones in her wigwam.

My blood has run cold so often with these horrors of British North America, that I doubt sometimes if there is any left, but we still hope, as we have prayed for nearly a century, that there will be found feeling in the Royal blood of the Guelph House.

If King George could make some law which the Indian could understand, to protect the young of the game, as is done in England, (it would be beneficial)

Then if the King would insist upon the Hudson Bay Company giving double the price it now gives - three or four times as much would not hurt them - it would be good. Beavers, seals and bears grow more and more scarce.

For ermine skin they give a dime, which is a penny less than a York shilling. By the time it reaches England and is dressed, it sells for five dollars, while the Indian starves for the low price given him.

The English and Scotch have dealt uprightly but not beneficially with the natives. They came to make money out of the furs of Canada and they have done so.

Now being enormously rich I would ask the King to tell them to give a tenth to the Lord by the reduction of the price of supplies and by the increase in the price paid for the skins. Then the Indian could live without need and the fear of starvation.

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I am willing to certify to these statements before anyone that you should require.

The Indians of whom I speak are the old Treaty Indians of King George IV in the second and third generation, in the region of Moosonee between Lake Superior and Hudson Bay. They are a wise gentle, faithful race.

The Church of England has baptized and worked amongst them. They are not all heathen, but now (their condition) has become a National subject.

My christian name is Magdalene. I have been a sister of the Church of England for 17 years under the sanction of the Archbishop of Ontario.

I am sixty years of age, born and brought up in Canada, and Colony of Great Britain. I am of German descent.

I am sorry to trouble you with so long a letter, but I do trust the extreme need will make the information worthy of the King's notice.

The Indian has not yet learnt to kill and eat man, but human flesh leaves a craving and I fear he will do so.

I am etc.

(Signed) MAGDALENE

Mother Superior of Nazareth.

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L **DEPARTMENT OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS.**

THE SECRETARY OF STATE

FOR THE COLONIES

TO THE GOVERNOR GENERAL.

No. 638. 20th August, 1913.

Correspondence with the Mother Superior of Nazareth with respect to the position of the Indians of Moosonee, Ontario.

Referred to the Honourable

The Superintendent General of Indian Affairs.

By Command

J. Pope

Under-Secretary of State for External Affairs.

OTTAWA, 6th September, 1913.

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27888/1913. Downing Street.

9 August, 1913.

Madam,

I am directed by Mr Secretary Harcourt to inform you that your letter of the 5th of August calling attention to the position of the Indians of Moosonee has been referred, by His Majesty's command to the Governor-General of Canada for the consideration of the Dominion Government, which under the British North America Act, is entrusted with the care of the Indians in the Dominion.

2. Mr Harcourt feels assured that the Canadian Government will take any necessary steps in the interest of the Indians.

I am,

Madam,

Your obedient servant,

(Signed) HENRY LAMBERT,
for the Under Secretary of State.

THE MOTHER SUPERIOR OF NAZARETH.

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DOWNING STREET.

20 August, 1913.

Sir,

I have the honour to transmit to Your Excellency for the consideration of your Ministers, the accompanying copy of correspondence with the Mother Superior of Nazareth calling attention to the position of the Indians of Moosonee.

Mother Superior of Nazareth. 5 Aug.
C.O. 19 August '13.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient,

humble servant,

(Signed) L. HARCOURT.

THE OFFICER ADMINISTERING
THE GOVERNMENT OF
CANADA.

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Asst. re Letter under

Ottawa, September 12, 1913.

Sir,

I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your reference of the 6th instant of copy of dispatch No.638 from the Secretary of State for the Colonies, which enclosed correspondence with the Mother Superior of Nazareth calling attention to the position of the Indians of Moosonee.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Sir Joseph Pope, K.C.M.G., C.V.O., I.S.O.,
Under - Secretary of State for External Affairs,
Ottawa.

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London,
The Hostel Home,
St.James Terrace
September 10th, 1913.

The Under Secretary of State.

Dear Sir,

I was very happy to receive your letter about the Indians of N. America. I did not answer immediately because I intended calling to see you on such an important question. I forgot it while in the City, having other things to do, but shall be pleased to see you at my address which is on Harrow Road, running off Edgware Road.

The subjects of attention, to whom I referred, that came under my notice personally, happened some years ago, still their woe has not diminished but rather increased.

They have all that the government and King or Crown provide, but it is not those, it is missionary knowledge in spite of it all. God calls our attention to man eating each other in hunger. Kindly remember I am not asking alms of England for I can see that she is bled so to speak , but I am asking protection in game laws, that King George The Fifth understands as a sporting man. Also the reduction of prices in Hudson Bay trade. The valuable skins of Indians are growing more scarce each year, as the Native shoots the young to eat. In civilization,

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articles go "up" in price, when scarce and I ask the same justice to Indians. The Hudson Bay Company is the one to handle on the subject and they do not hear of the Native need, they are business men neither does the Canadian Government.

I should like the Indian taught to communicate with their King, not Government. That is the trouble and the Missionaries cross and death, but tell them I said it - born in Canada and know whereof I speak. In one case on the Muncey Reserve, which is civilised (there is a difference) the uncivilized is suffering and has suffered to the extremity of eating human flesh - but not the civil -)

The Canadian Government built a bridge over a river that the Indians had forded since they were on the reserve, and charged a percentage to each Indian's treaty money, the interest thereby was reduced from $6.00 to three dollars, when the winter is approaching and he is often dependent on this sum, small as it is to us.

There is not the slightest use approaching the Indian through the Government, you might just as well take a club and hit him; for there are papists and infidels as there are in all Governments that are jealous even of this treaty sum that England's King (George the Fourth) put at interest for them as Christ advised and it has been a great success in the N.A. Indian and they need not even look at it for it is the "King's business", but if you will tell Prince Arthur to "get a move on him" as we say in Canada and may God have mercy on him if he do not, as the

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severe winters are approaching in the Artic regions where the hunger is so keen that you could eat wood.

The Canadian Government is rich, money in the Bank. We want handling but are not asking the deceit of the Lion.

I am willing to stand by anything I have said before any King, Court or Chancery for if you could hear the Indians moan and moan and moan about these honorable attachments, you also would "get a move on you", although you have been attentive, but just ask the King to walk over the snow to the Treaty and wild Indians of N. America, a British subject.

I am, &c.,
In the love of God
(Sd.) MAGDALENE

Mother Superior of Nazareth.

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Downing Street,

31723/1913. 16 September, 1913.

Madam,

I am directed by Mr Secretary Harcourt to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 10th of September regadding the Indians of Moosonee.

Mr Harcourt can only repeat that he feels assured that the Canadian Government will take any necessary steps in the interest of the Indians.

I am,

Madam,

Your obedient Servant,

(Sd) H W Just

THE MOTHER SUPERIOR

OF NAZARETH.

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DEPARTMENT OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS.

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THE SECRETARY OF STATE

FOR THE COLONIES

TO THE GOVERNOR GENERAL.

No. 703. 16th September, 1913.

Indians of Moosonee.

Letters from the Mother

Superior of Nazareth.

Referred to the Honourable
The Superintendent General
of Indian Affairs.

By Command

J. Pope

Under-Secretary of State for External Affairs.

OTTAWA, 27th September, 1913.

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Ottawa, September 30, 1913.

Sir,-

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your reference No. 703, of the 16th instant, transmitting copy of a dispatch from the Secretary of State for the Colonies, to the Governor General, with a communication received from the Mother Superior of Nazareth relating to the Indians of Moosonee.

In reply I have to say that the Mother Superior is being informed that provision has been made by the Department for affording relief to destitute Indians in the district mentioned.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Sir Joseph Pope, K.C.M.G., C.V.O., I.S.O.,
Under Secretary of State for External Affairs,
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ALSO TO THE DATE OF THIS LETTER.

PLEASE WRITE ON ONLY ONE SUBJECT IN EACH LETTER.

ADDRESS REPLY TO THE SECRETARY DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS, OTTAWA.

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS CANADA.

Ottawa, 30th September, 1913.

Madam,

In reply to your letters of the 5th August and 10th September, addressed to the Under Secretary of State for the Colonies, calling attention to the condition of the Indians of Moosonee, and which has been referred to this Department, I have to say that provisions has been made whereby relief is extended to any Indians in the district mentioned who are in need of assistance.,It may be added that the lists received by the Department of Indians who have been given relief supplies would indicate that full advantage is taken by them of the arrangement made in this matter in their behalf.

Your obedient servant,

F. M. Leans

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

The Mother Superior of Nazareth,
The Hastel Home,
St. James Terrace,
London,
Eng.

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Colonial Office,
Downing Street,
6th November,1913.

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Sir

In my despatches Nos.638 of the 20th August and No.703 of the 16th September, I forwarded certain letters from Sister Magdalene, calling attention to matters affecting the Indians of Moosonee. The King and Queen saw Sister Magdalene on the 26th October, when she repeated what she stated in her letters. His Majesty has expressed the hope that the question of alleged cannibalism among the Indians may be thoroughly investigated, and I have,therefore, to request that Your Royal Highness will call the special attention of your Ministers to the matter, and obtain a report in reply to my despatches which I can submit to His Majesty.

I have the honour to be,
Your Royal Highness's
obedient humble servant.
(SD) L.HARCOURT.

Field Marshal
H.R.H. The Duke of Connaught and Strathearn,K.G.,
etc

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Ottawa, 19th November, 1913.

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Sir,

I have the honour to enclose copy of a despatch 6th November to His Royal Highness from the Secretary of State for the Colonies, asking for a report in regard to certain statements made to their Majesties the King and Queen by Sister Magdalene in regard to matters affecting the Indians of Moosonee, and I am to inform you that His Royal Highness has particularly desired that he may be enabled to furnish this report at an early date.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

R. H. Walker

Acting Under-Secretary of State
for External Affairs.

The Deputy Superintendent General of Indian Affairs,

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS CANADA.

Ottawa, November 20th, 1913.

MEMORANDUM -

Mr. Scott -

On the 20th June, last, there were ordered from the Hudson's Bay Company in Montreal the following supplies to be shipped to their post at Great Whale Lake for use of the Esquimos:-

400 bags Flour,

5 bbls. Pork,

5 cwt Soap,

They were also asked if they could supply 300 deerskin suits or 1,200 hairy parchments; to this they replied that it would be extremely doubtful but they would endeavour to have the Captain of their vessel secure these en route.

F. H. Paget

Accountant.

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Wosowonaby	632.82
New Post	203.44
New Brunswick	56.01
Severn Post	152.45
Weenusk	86.74
Little Equan	84.50
English River	173.46
Barriere	125.55
Long Lake	45.43
Lake Savant	191.87
Grassy Narrows	18.75
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Abitibi	27.40	265.87
Albany	402.59	1108.60
~~Cat Lake~~	291.37	243.07
Attawapiskat	396.75	2623.04
East Main	245.96	343.82
Flying Post	82.05	198.83
Fort Chimo	531.72	.....
Fort George	679.13	2093.46
Fort Hope	793.28	817.62
Great Whale River	347.75	1559.39
Martens Falls	50.83	230.93
Mattagami	17.44	141.58
Moose Factory	269.31	1130.48
Osnaburg	979.53	1800.48
Ruperts House	948.51	2473.49
~~Trout Lake~~	353.79	80.80
	6,417.41	15,110.56

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS CANADA.

Ottawa, November 27th, 1913.

MEMORANDUM -

Mr. Scott -

I have given you the payments made to the Hudson's Bay Company and Revillon Bros. for relief issued to Indians at different points since the publication of the 1911-12 Report up to the present time, and I have included other points at which relief was issued and paid for, which do not appear in the 1911-12 Reports.

The supplies covered by these accounts were issued during the years 1912 and 1913.

F.H. Paget
Accountant.

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December 3, 1913.

Sir,-

I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 19th instant, inclosing copy of a despatch from the Secretary of State for the Colonies, asking for a report in regard to statements made to their Majesties the King and Queen by Sister Magdalene in regard to matters affecting the Indians of Moosonee.

The statements made by Sister Magdalene are to the effect that Indians of the diocese of Moosonee, which is comprised within the district lying between Lake Superior and Hudson Bay, have been guilty of cannibalism owing to their destitute condition, and that these Indians have not received that attention from the Government of Canada which their case demands.

I beg to present the following facts in reply to these statements : -

Dcl

W. H. Walker, Esq.,
Acting Under Secretary of State
for External Affairs,
Ottawa.

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Cannibalism is abhorrent to the Indians, as it is associated by them with a form of homicidal insanity. The myths which have survived to the present day speak of a tribe of cannibals which was believed by the Chippewas and Ottawas to inhabit an island in the Hudson Bay. This tribe was called Wendigo and this term is now used to describe an insane person who has a tendency to commit murder and to devour the flesh of his victim. The Indians say that a Wendigo is possessed of superhuman strength and cunning, and that the only thing that saves those whom he desires to kill is that warning is usually given beforehand of his coming. When an Indian shows signs of having become a Wendigo, songs and incantations are used by the Medicine Men to effect a cure, but, when this does not have the desired result, the Indians feel justified, with a view to self-preservation, in taking the life of the Wendigo in accordance with their tribal customs.

The most recent cases of Wendigo which have come to the knowledge of the Department occurred in the year 1899, one of them at Cat Lake, north of Lac Seul, in the Province of Ontario, and the other at Bald Hills, some seventy-five miles west of Slave Lake.

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In the first instance an Indian named Choos-e-naun was tried for the murder of another Indian named Unbahsh who was turning Wendigo. The accused was convicted of manslaughter and sentenced to four months in the common jail. Two Indians, Pay-i-u and Nepi-so-sus, were indicted in October, 1899, for the murder of Koostoos. At the trial, Rev. Father Grandin gave evidence for the defence to the effect that the Indians were fully convinced that Koostoos had become possessed with an evil spirit which would lead him to kill and eat their children. As a result of the trial Nepi-so-sus was convicted and sentenced to two months' imprisonment, while Pay-i-so-sus was acquitted.

Cases of this kind occur but seldom and the Missionaries and officers of the Crown interested in the Evangelization of the Indians and charged with the preservation of peace and the administration of justice have impressed on the Indians that they must not take upon themselves the duty which devolves upon the law officers of the Crown, and that they must hand over such insane persons to be incarcerated in asylums and properly cared for.

The only other circumstances under which cannibalism might be practised are those which arise from starvation among hunting Indians, who, by reason of their

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remoteness from the source of supplies, are compelled to subsist on the produce of the hunt, the failure of which renders starvation almost inevitable.

It is necessary to a proper understanding of the circumstances surrounding the life of the Indians in the diocese of Moosonee to state that, after the line of the Canadian Pacific Railway is left there is no settlement northwards; the place-names marked on the map, such as Osnaburg, Fort Hope, Martens Falls, English River, Long Lake, New Post, Abitibi, Flying Post, New Brunswick House, Fort Albany, Moose Factory, Rupert House, East Main, Fort George, Great Whale River, Attawapiskat, Mattagami, are posts of the fur-traders. At these posts there are only a few buildings, consisting of a residence for the Factor and clerks of the Company, and the warehouses for supplies and mission headquarters. The total white population at each of these places would not average more than 15 to 25 persons. To these posts in the early spring the Indians come to trade their furs and they leave again in the latter part of the month of August for their hunting grounds. With them they carry their small supplies of flour, their dogs, domestic utensils, blankets and clothing. Each Indian has his hunting district, which he has inherited from his forebears, and, in leaving the post to travel a distance

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sometimes of a hundred miles or more, he faces the problem of his subsistence in the wilderness without the hope of any outside aid. If the natural food supply of the country, which is fish, rabbits and, in some instances, larger game, is plentiful, the Indian families live in what is, to them, affluence and will return to the post in the spring well nourished and with a good supply of furs, but if, as sometimes occurs, the food supply fails, if the rabbit disappears, or, owing to the severity of the weather, it is difficult to fish through the ice, starvation ensues. At the end of such a winter the Indians become so exhausted that it is with difficulty they reach the distant post, and, in extreme cases, they die on the way. It is only under the latter circumstances that cannibalism might ensue and that the Indians in the extremity of their hunger and very likely, subject to delirium, might subsist on the bodies of those who had perished. Such cases should be classed with like happenings among castaways at sea and persons marooned on desert islands or separated by disasters of various kinds from all hope of relief. No official report of such occurrences with authenticated details have ever been received by the Department and rumours only have reached headquarters. The Missionaries and Factors of the fur companies would be quick to represent these facts to the

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Department if the occurrences had taken place. One instance to which the attention of the Department has been drawn by the Missionary for the locality occurred on the east coast of Hudson Bay among the Eskimos who trade at Great Whale River.

I may now deal with the arrangements which it has been possible for the Department to make throughout this vast territory to prevent suffering and starvation among the Indians. The only Agent of this Department situate permanently in the diocese of Moosonee is the Agent at Chapleau, on the line of the C. P. R. As the whole country north of this line of railway is unsettled and entirely given up to fur trading and mining, it has not been thought necessary to establish permanent Indian agencies throughout that territory. But three boarding schools for Indian children with accommodation for 90 children are maintained at Chapleau, Albany and Moose Factory and hospitals with trained nurses and medical and surgical supplies are in operation at Albany and Moose Factory.

The whole of that part of the diocese in the Province of Ontario comes within the district covered by Treaty No. 9. This Treaty imposes certain obligations on the Government in the way of the payment of annuities, the creation of reserves, etc., which have been

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faithfully carried out since the signing of the Treaty in 1905 & '06. An Inspector makes an annual visit to the Posts to pay the annuity and is accompanied by a qualified physician whose duty it is to administer to the physical wants of the aborigines. These officers spend two of the summer months in this way, and they have the power to relieve any cases of suffering which they may discover. During their absence, during the greater portion of the year, the district is left to the Missionaries and the fur-traders, representatives of such well known companies as the Hudson's Bay Company and Messrs. Revillon Freres, who occupy the Posts. They outfit the Indians on their way to the hunting ground. They also have standing orders from this Department that supplies are to be issued to relieve the destitute, and they have instructions that no evitable suffering shall go unrelieved. The statement here inserted will show the value of supplies distributed at points mentioned during the fiscal years 1911-12 and 1912-13, which closed 31st of March, 1913 : -

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	1911-12		1912-13
Abitibi	27.40	.....	265.87
Fort Albany	402.59	.....	1108.60
Attawapiskat	396.75	.....	2623.04
East Main	245.96	.....	343.82
Flying Post	82.05	.....	198.83
Fort George	679.13	.....	2093.46
Fort Hope	793.28	.....	817.62
Great Whale River	347.75	.....	1559.39
Martens Falls	50.83	.....	230.03
Mattagami	17.44	.....	141.58
Moose Factory	269.31	.....	1130.48
Osnaburg	979.53	.....	1800.48
Ruperts House	948.51	.....	2473.49
English River		.....	173.46
Long Lake	78.97	.....	45.43
New Post	20.49	.....	203.44
New Brunswick House	32.23	.....	56.01
	5372.22		15265.03

It is unfortunately practically impossible to relieve the cases of destitution which I have called extreme which may occur owing to the failure of the natural food supply of the country. If the Indians are able to send word to the Posts that they are in dire need it has occasionally been possible for the Factors to send relief, but when starvation exists in the deep woods far from the Posts, it is impossible to give the relief which humanity demands and which all the forces of the Government would be extended to supply.

In the cases of starvation and consequent rumours of cannibalism among the Eskimos referred to above, which reached me early last summer, most prompt

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measures were taken to provide relief. The Hudson's Bay Company was directed to forward from Montreal 400 bags flour, 5 bbls. pork, 5 cwt. soap to Great Whale River. These supplies were sent forward in the Steamer Nascopie which left Montreal in July. We also ordered the Company to supply if possible 300 deerskin suits and 1200 hairy parchments; as part of the suffering among the Eskimos had been caused by the change in the migratory route of the reindeer, the skins of which are used by the Eskimos to make clothing. Sealskins, dog skins and skins of ducks are not a good substitute for reindeer skins in that severe climate. A greater quantity of pork was not sent as walrus blubber is more highly esteemed by the Eskimos. The 5 cwt. of soap was to be used to prevent cutaneous diseases. These supplies, which were ordered in June, were delivered, it is hoped, at Great Whale River in September and will be available for the unfortunate Eskimos during this winter.

Incl. In elucidation of this report I attach hereto a map showing the Diocese of Moosonee and a series of photographs illustrating the fur-trading posts and the Indians of the district mentioned.

Yours sincerely,

Duncan C. Scott

Deputy Superintendent General.

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1. Group of Indian canoe-men, Moose Factory.
2. Hudson Bay Company's Post, Moose Factory.
3. " " " " Long Lake.
4. Blind Indian Chief addressing his Band, Osnaburg.
5. Indians returning from the hunt.
6. Group of Indian children, Flying Post.
7. Indian mother and child, Long Lake.
8. Indian child, Mattagami.
9. Hudson Bay Post, Osnaburg.
10. Group of Indian women and children, showing warehouse and stockade, Osnaburg.
11. Old Indian woman weaving net.
12. Two Indian women, mother and daughter, Long Lake.
13. Two old Indians, Martens Falls.
14. Indian family and pets, Fort Hope.
15. Group of Indian girls, Long Lake.
16. Old Indian and his grandchild, Mattagami.
17. Indian women, four generations, Abitibi.
18. Indian family en route to hunting grounds, Osnaburg.
19. Group of Indians, Fort Hope.
20. Cree Indian, Albany River, with unfinished canoe.
21. Indian summer camp, Albany River.
22. Indian girl, Helen Sky, Flying Post.
23. Hudson Bay Post, Martens Falls.

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No. 30

DOWNING STREET,
14 January, 1914.

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Sir,

I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your Royal Highness's despatch No.716 of the 10th of December, transmitting a report from the Deputy Superintendent General of Indian Affairs in regard to the Indians of Moosonee.

2. I have laid your despatch before His Majesty who has read with much interest the account given of the conditions under which the Indians live and who has no doubt that all possible steps have been and will be taken by your Government to diminish as far as possible the hardships and privations to which the Indians in these remote regions are exposed.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your Royal Highness's most obedient,
humble servant,

(Signed) L. HARCOURT.

GOVERNOR GENERAL
HIS ROYAL HIGHNESS
THE DUKE OF CONNAUGHT AND OF STRATHEARN, K.G., K.T., K.P.,
G.C.B., G.C.S.I., G.C.M.G., C.C.I.E., G.C.V.O.
&c., &c., &c.

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DEPARTMENT OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS.

THE SECRETARY OF STATE

FOR THE COLONIES

TO THE GOVERNOR GENERAL.

No. 30 14th January, 1914.

Condition of the

Indians of Moosonee.

Referred to the Honourable

The Superintendent General
of Indian Affairs

By Command

J. Pope

Under-Secretary of State for External Affairs.

OTTAWA, 29th January, 1914.

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Department of Indian Affairs.

Aug. 1913

Caughnawaga

Sale of land by John Patriciaienton
to James Kanbutatonra Ross.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
SEP 12 1913

Ottawa, 11 Sept 1913

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Mr J.W. Jocks left this transfer of land on the Caughnawaga Res. from Deerfort to James Ross. He wishes the same who dealt with in the same manner as in the case of Peter Cross See Dept letter to Agent Letourneau of the 29 Jany 1913 File

J.D.M. Lean

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432,931.

Ottawa, September 15, 1913.

Sir,-

I beg to inclose a transfer filed with the Department by Mr. J. W. Jocks, from Sawatis Katsienaienton to James Ross, of land on the Caughnawaga reserve, and as approval of same could only be given by issue of location ticket as provided for by the Indian Act, the document is forwarded to you to remain of record in your office as evidence of title.

Your obedient Servant,

D. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Lorenzo Letourneau, Esq.,
Asst. Indian Agent,
St. Constant, Que.

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Department of Indian Affairs.

Sept. 1913

Walpole Island.

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Sunday P.M. Sept 2. 1913.

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Walpole Island Sept 16th 1913

Required by the Chippawa council the sum of $68.23 to pay the following accts for Sept Quarter 1913

J. S. Saint	4 Coffins	$38.00
David Johnson	diging 5 Graves	5.00
Shaw & Husband	Hardware	6.95
James Elgin	Relief	3.00
H. W. Waddell	Hardware	1.03
Jas Ansell	drawing lumber & nails	3.00
Empire Paper Products Co	Plank	11.25
		$68.23

Moved by Jos Nahdee sec by Peter Willis that the above accts be paid Mott carried

D W Osahgee Sec

Chas Jacobs Chief

Recommended for Payment as per Vouchers
Approved 24/1
D. S. C. A.

Cks. Sent - Sept. 24/13

19/9/13

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No. of Account Chippawa of Walpole Island

433414

INDIAN TRUST FUND.

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To J S Saint — O/C 9

DATE.			AMOUNT.	
1913		Authorized by ~~Dept. Letter~~ Council No. ..... dated		
July	10th	To Coffin for Jos Peters (Child)	$9	50
Aug	18	" 2 Coffins for James Peters Children	19	00
"	28	" Coffin for James Peters Child	9	50
			$38	00

Jos

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I Hereby Certify that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

J B McDougall
Indian Agent.

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No. of Account Chippewa Walpole Island

INDIAN TRUST FUND.

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To David Johnson

DATE.			AMOUNT.	
1913		Council Authorized by ~~Dept.~~ Letter No. ..... dated		
July	11th	To digging Grave for Jos Peters child	1	00 ✓
Aug	19	" " 2 " " James Peters Children	2	00 ✓
"	29	" " Grave " James Peters child	1	00 ✓
July	19	" " " " Samuel Knapp	1	00 ✓
			$5	00 ✓

3005 ✓

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

J B McDougall
Indian Agent.

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No. of Account Shipp & Pollard

Walpole Island

INDIAN TRUST FUND.

The Department of Indian Affairs.

To Shaw & Husband 433414

DATE.			AMOUNT.	
		97759-1a		
1913		Authorized by Dept. Letter No. 186387 dated 18th July 1913		
July	12th	To 12 lb Nails for No 2 Bridge		48
"	25	" 6/4 lb Rope 1.38 3 cleats 15 3 Pulleys 24 for flags	$ 1	77
Aug	8	" 10 lb Oakum for High Banks ferry	1	00
"	21	" 1 Kegg Spike for Bridges	3	00
Sept	9	" 2 Brooms for No 2 school		70
			$6	95

pd

a/c 9 = 5.22

a/c 31 = 1.73

3006/

I Hereby Certify that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

John C. Duncall
Indian Agent.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND.

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Jas Elgin 433414

DATE.			AMOUNT.	
1913		Authorized by ~~Dept. Letter~~ Council No. ..... dated		
Sept	15th	To Relief to Wm Shogonash		
		" 50 lb Flour 150 5 lb Pork 75 1 lb Tea 30		
		" 6 lb sugar 30 1 can syrup 15	$3	00

3007

I Hereby Certify that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

J Wm Dougall
Indian Agent.

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No. of Account Chip & Pottawatt
Walpole Island

INDIAN TRUST FUND.

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To H W Waddell 433414

DATE.			AMOUNT.	
1913		Authorized by ~~Dept. Letter No.~~ council dated		
July	28th	To Nails for High Banks ferry	$1	03

JWS

a/c 9 = 78
a/c 31 = 25

3008

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

J B McDougall
Indian Agent.

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No. of Account Chief & Council Walpole I. Island

INDIAN TRUST FUND.

The Department of Indian Affairs.

To Jos Ansell

DATE.			AMOUNT.	
		council		
1913		Authorized by ~~Dept. Letter No.~~ dated		
July	12th	To drawing plans for High Banks ferry	$2	00
"	"	" Nails for High Banks ferry	1	00
			$3	00

a/c 9 = 2,25
a/c 31 = 1,75

3009

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

J Ansell
Indian Agent.

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No. of Account Chip & Pott of Walpole Island

INDIAN TRUST FUND.

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Empire Paper Products Co

DATE.			AMOUNT.	
		Authorized by Dept. Letter No. 109411 dated 13th June 1913		
June	12	To 14 pieces Clock 2×12×14 @$26.00	$10	19
		" 4 " 1×8×14 $28.00	1	06
			$11	25

JMS

a/c 9 = 8.44
" 31 = 2.81

3010

I Hereby Certify that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

J. B. McDougall
Indian Agent.

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No. 434418

Department of Indian Affairs.

Oct 1913

New Brunswick - West -

Proposed Indian reserve at Plumweesees.

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DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,
OCT 7 1913
SURVEYS.

Susan M.B. Oct 4/13

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Mr Frank Pedley.
Manager of Indian Affairs.
Ottawa.

We hereby submit to you for your consideration the following names hereunto affixed for providing us with a small Indian reserve which may be had within easy reach of Church & school public, we need it very much in order to get our rights regarding medical attendance and other such privileges such as the white has. And which we are not getting at present time. We have in all about 15 to 20 families always in this neighbourhood regularly and at certain season the number greatly exceeds this sometimes we have probably 35 or 40 families to be attended to.

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John Louis
Michael Sord.
Mike Doell.
Edward Paul.
Jas Paul.
John Williams
Richard Williams
Richard Neil
John Doell.
Jas Doell.
Neil Doell
Neil Joe.
Hubert Christmas
Annie Johnson
Michael Barcan.
John Maloney
Denny Augustine.

all heads of Families

We want a Reserve Somewhere handy about Plumpuddings.

John Louis

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1 Mr. Minister
2 Secty.

Ottawa, Oct. 15, 1913.

Sir,

I beg to inform you that a petition has been received signed by John Lewis, Michael Sock, Mike Sock, Edward Paul, James Paul, John Williams and eleven others, all stated to be heads of Indian families, to the effect that they be granted a reserve some where near Plumweseep in Kings County. The letter is signed by John Lewis and written from Sussex in Kings County.

Lewis states that there are from fifteen to twenty families always in the neighbourhood of Sussex and at certain seasons this number may amount to thirty or forty families. They desire especially to have a reserve within reach of church and public school and also convenient for medical attendance. I have to request you to be good enough to make a special visit to the locality at any convenient time for the purpose of inquiring fully into the matter and to report thereon the facts and also your views ~~[illegible]~~.

S.B.
Sgd Del

Please be careful to ascertain whether these Indians or any of them have already been provided with land in some other part of the Province or should rightfully be incorporated with some other band.

Your obedient servant,

Sgd S. Stewart

Assistant ~~Deputy and~~ Secretary.

R. A. Irving, Esq.,

Indian Agent,

Buctouche, N.B.

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Sussex N.B. Nov. 11th 1913

Mr R. A. Ironie
Indian Agent
Richibucto N.B.

Dear Sir.

A great many of our Indians here have been long desiring to have a reservation which would be handy to town for Marketing their Baskets as well as to be handy to Church & Schools. I have a place of some 200 acres & over about half Mile from Station 3½ miles from C Church and 2 schools one ½ mile the other ¼ mile distant water supply good, and nicely situated I would sell the whole farm or any part if desired at the rate of $20.00 per acre - If this offer meets with your approval I would be very glad if you would recommend it - and hoping to hear from you regarding it. I Remain

Yours Very truly

Wilsey Hirshite M.D.

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NEW BRUNSWICK.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS NOV 24 1913

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS, NOV 25 1913 SURVEYS.

Northeastern Division,

Buctouche, November 21,1913.

#434,478.

Sir;-

I have the honour to report, that in compliance with your instructions in your communication of the above number, I did visit Plumsweep in the County of Kings, for the purpose of enquiring into the matter of granting a reserve to the Indians of that place and vicinity.

I found in Plumsweep, 1 Indian family, by the name of Michael Sock, living in a small shanty near the railway track. I also ascertained that there were 3 Indian families living near Norton Station; 3 Indian families living near Penobsquis Station; and, 3 Indian families living near Dunsinane Station, all along the Intercolonial Railway. Some of these Indians belong to the Burnt Church Indian Band, Northumberland County, N.B. some to the Big Cove Indian Band, Kent County, N.B. while others are from the Province of Nova Scotia, and as far as I could learn, have not already been provided with land in some other part of the Province.

The distance from Plumsweep, where the present Indian family is now located, to a white school is about one half mile; and, two and one half miles distance from the Roman Catholic Church, at which Church they worship

Geo. N. Fowler Esq. Sup. Kennebec N.B.

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(worship) and also about the same distance from a Medical Doctor.

Plumsweep Station is about 3 miles from the town of Sussex; Apohaqui about 5 miles from Sussex, further west; Norton about 11 miles from Sussex still further west; Penobqquis about 4 miles from Plumsweep easterly, and Dunsinane about 4 miles easterly from Penobsquis, all along the Intercolonail Railway.

These Indians do no farming but live principally by making baskets, axe handles and other Indian wares. They seem anxious to have a reservation of their own and in all probability it would be better to have a suitable place in which they could all reside and do a little farming instead of being scattered as they now are.

Since visiting Plumsweep, I received the enclosed letter which will read for itself.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

L. A. Lewis

Indian Superintendent.

The Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa.

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Ottawa, Nov. 29, 1913.

File 434,478.

Memorandum for the Deputy Superintendent General:-

With reference to the petition of a number of Indians near Plumweesat,N.B., of the 4th ultimo and succeeding correspondence, I beg to state that the purchase of a small tract of land for an Indian Reserve in that locality might be an inducement to the Indians to settle upon it and thus advoid trespassing on private lands.

Geo. W. Fowler, Esq., is the member of the House of Commons for the riding. Perhaps he would be pleased to advise in this matter and especially as to where the reserve should be situated and its area, etc. He might be informed of the offer of Dr. W. H. White.

E. Bray

Chief Surveyor.

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Ottawa, 2nd December, 1913.

Sir,

Having reference to my letter to you of the 15th October last, and to your reply of the 21st ultimo, I have to say that after giving the matter careful consideration, the conclusion has been arrived at that it would not be advisable to purchase a reserve for the Indians now living at various points along the line of the Intercolonial Railway in the county of Kings. From the nature of the employment of these Indians, it is doubtful whether they would settle down and continue to reside on a reserve near Plumsweep if one were secured for them there. It would appear also that nearly all of the Indians who are now asking for a reserve have already had lands set apart for them, and it is the desire of the Department that an effort be made by you to have them locate thereon. The Department will await with interest the result of your efforts in this direction.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

R.A.Irving, Esq.,
Indian Superintendent,
Buctouche,
N.B.

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Ottawa, 2nd December, 1913.

Sirs,-

With reference to your petition of the 4th October last, asking on behalf of yourselves and others that a reserve be set apart for you somwhere near Plumsweep in Kings County, I have to say that after careful consideration the Department has arrived at the conclusion that it cannot accede to your request.

It would appear that the nature of your employment has led you to leave the reserves set apart for you and to locate at different points along the line of the Intercolonial Railway, and from your petition it is evident that the residence of a number of the Indians for whom you ask the reserve is not of a permanent nature. As you are aware also you can at any time locate on the reserves which you have left.

Your obedient servant,

[illegible]

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

John Lewis, Michael Sock, & others,

Sussex,

N. B.

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R. H. WALKS, B.A.
INSPECTOR OF PUBLIC SCHOOLS
FOR SOUTH ONTARIO

COUNTY OF ONTARIO

DEPT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
OCT 15 1913

L. Walks

Brooklin, Ont. October 11th 1913.

Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa,

435245

OCT 13 1913

Dear Sirs,

I wish to make enquiry re Indian Reserves.

(1) The grounds of Public School Section No. 11 Township of Rama, adjoin the Indian Reserve. The present grounds are not the legal size.

Is it possible to secure an addition from the Reserve? If so, on what terms, and by what procedure?

(2) The site of Public School Section No. 3, Township of Rama, is a poor one. The Trustees are to erect a new building. There is a very desirable site just across the road, on the Reserve.

Is it possible to secure an acre or more of this Reserve?

I am,
Yours truly,
R. H. Walks

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Ottawa, October 16, 1913.

Sir,-

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 11th instant, in regard to desire of the school authorities to secure additional land at Rama, and in reply to say that, under the provisions of the Indian Act, disposition of any portion of an Indian reserve can only be made after surrender by the Indians in accordance with the provisions of the Indian Act, and then the lands sold for the best price obtainable.

If you will advise the Department as to the lot on which the land you desire is situate, and give a description thereof sufficient for identification of the property, the question of submitting a surrender of the land to the Indians will be given due consideration.

Your obedient Servant,

S. STEWART

Assistant Secretary.

R. H. Walks, Esq., B.A.
Inspector of Public Schools,
Brooklin, Ont.

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Ottawa, March 4, 1926.

Dear Mr. McGibbon,-

I have received your letter of the 26th ultimo, inclosing one addressed to you by Mr. Henry Heavener, Trustee of School Section No. 1, Rama, in which application is made to purchase a piece of land in the Indian Reserve at that place for school purposes.

We are writing Mr. Heavener direct in the matter, but I may say that, as far back as 1913, the Inspector of Public School was advised of the proper procedure to take in order to obtain additional land within the reserve. A copy of this letter is inclosed.

Inclosure.

Yours faithfully,

P. McGibbon, Esq., M.P.,
House of Commons,
O t t a w a.

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Ottawa, March 4, 1926.

Sir,-

Mr. McGibbon, M.P., has brought to the attention of the Department your letter of the 24th ultimo, with reference to the acquisition of a portion of the Rama Reserve for school purposes.

Inclosure.

I inclose copy of a letter which was sent by the Department to Mr. R. H. Walks, B.A., Inspector of Public Schools, in 1913, indicating the procedure necessary to follow in this matter. If you will take action as suggested in the last paragraph of this letter, and forward such a description to the Department, we will have the matter brought to the attention of the Band at once for consideration.

Your obedient Servant,

J. D. McLean.
Assistant Deputy & Secretary.

Henry Heavener, Esq.,
R. R. No. 2,
Atherley, Ont.

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INDIAN OFFICE

At Longford Mills

April 10th 1926

Resolution passed in Council.

Moved by Councillor F W Benson seconded by Councillor A J Williams that 3/4 of an acre of lot No 35 Indian Sub. Division located to Richard Shelling be sold to the Trustees of School Section No 1. Corporation of Township of Rama for the sum of $75.00. said 3/4 of acres to be measured as follows. not more than 20 feet West of present School property and North as far as required to complete the 3/4 of an acre. Cost of Surveying land purchased to be done at expense of purchasers. all fences to be erected and maintained at expense of purchasers. full amount of purchase price to be paid on delivery of Deed of Land

Trustees.

Thomas Boyd. Peter Gilchrist and Henry Heavener. Treasurer. D. C. McKinnon.

H Anderson Agent

Alder York Chief

John Simcoe Secretary

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RECORDS

LANDS BRANCH
APR 19 1926

At Longford Mills

April 15th 1926

Sir

At the Council meeting of the Rama Indian Council held on the 10th inst a deputation consisting of Thomas Boyd and Henry Heavener, Trustees of School Section No 1 Township of Rama waited on the Council regarding the purchase of 3/4 of an acre of land for additional school purposes. pointing out that the additional piece of land is required according to School regulations. The property at the present consisting of 1/4 of an acre. and that not being sufficient to enable them to receive the full Government grant.

As you are aware. School Section No 1 Township is located on lot No 35 Indian Sub. Division located to Richard Stelling a member of Rama Reserve. He also was at the Council Meeting and agreed to accept the price offered of $150 for the 3/4 of an acre in accordance with the enclosed resolution. and with the understanding that the full purchase price be paid to him or at least 90%.

I would recommend that sale has your approval. As soon as I have your advice that the sale has your approval. I will

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(2)

At Longford Mills

April 15th 1926.

notify the School Trustees. In order that they will arrange to have the land surveyed setting forth the metes and bounds to be recorded in the Deed.

Full amount of the purchase price to be paid on delivery of Deed of Land

Yours truly

A.S. Anderson Agent

Rama Indian Reserve

To the Secretary

Department of Indian Affairs

Ottawa

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Ottawa, April 20, 1926.

Sir,-

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 15th instant, inclosing copy of resolution passed by the Council of the band, recommending sale of three-quarters of an acre of Lot No. 35, Indian subdivision, and located to Richard Shilling, to the Trustees of School Section No. 1, Corporation of the township of Rama, for the sum of $75.

The Department approves of this proposed sale, and the School authorities should be advised to have a survey made of the parcel which they desire to purchase, and to forward to the Department a tracing on linen, together with a proper description of the parcel in question. Surrender forms will then be prepared for submission to the band in the regular way, and if a release is granted, transfer will be made without delay.

The band interest in this property may reasonably be considered as ten per cent of the sale price, and you will, therefore, have to decide whether this ten per cent should be deducted from the $75.00 stated to be the purchase price agreed upon, or an extra amount to be paid by the School authorities. This phase of the matter is left with you for adjustment.

Your obedient Servant,

J. D. McLean.
Assistant Deputy & Secretary.

A. S. Anderson, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Longford Mills, Ont.

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All and singular part of Front Range lot number Seven ,in the township of Rama, in the County of Ontario , particularly described as follows;- Commencing at the south-east angle of said Front Range lot, thence N. I9°59'E. astronomically for a distance of Three hundred and thirty-four feet along the easterly limit of said lot to a point; thence S.77° 39'W. One hundred and forty- nine feet and three tenth of a foot to a post ; thence S.### I9°59'W. Three hundred and fifty- eight feet and four tenths of a foot to a post planted in the southerly limit of said lot ; thence N.72° 58'E. One hundred and fifty-seven feet and six tenths of a foot to the place of beginning; excepting and reserving thereout the present School lot containing One quarter acre of land, parcel herein containing Three quarter# acres of land (## 0.75ac.)

Cavana & Watson

Ontario Land Surveyors.

Orillia, I8th. May, I926.

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CAVANA & WATSON
LAND SURVEYORS AND ENGINEERS
ORILLIA, ONTARIO

Lands

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
MAY 20 1926
RECORDS BRANCH

LANDS BRANCH
MAY 21 1926

Orillia, I8th. May, I926.

Department of Indian Affairs,
Dominion of Canada,
Ottawa.

In pursuance of Instructions ,written from your Department,bearing date 20th. April , I926 written to Mr A.S.Anderson, Agent , Rama Indian Reserve ,requesting a survey, of property required for School purposes, a tracing on linen and a description ,survey has now been made and we enclose herewith Two tracings & a description of the parcel desired .

Yours truly,
Cavana & Watson O.L.S.

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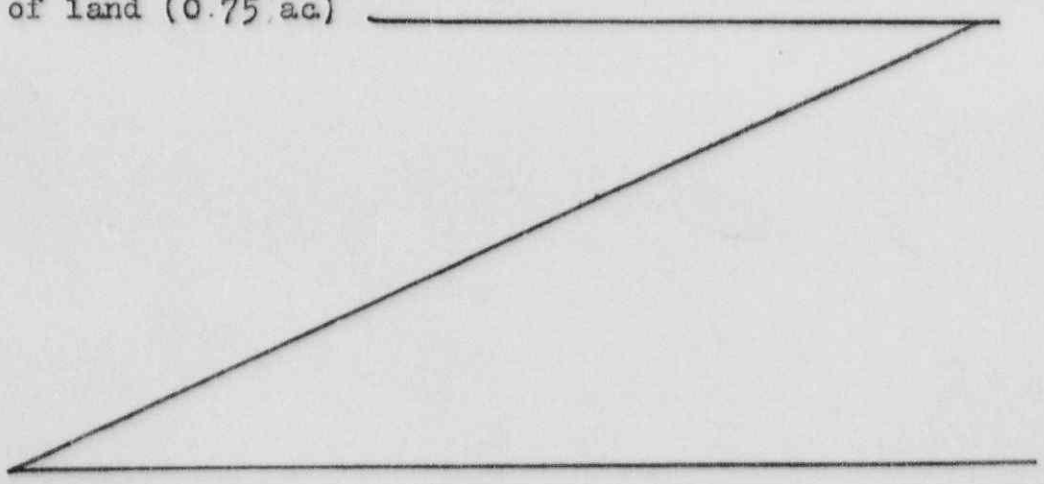
Know all Men by these Presents

THAT WE, the undersigned Chief and Principal men of

The Rama Band of Indians

resident on our Reserve in the township of Rama

in the Province of Ontario and Dominion of Canada, for and acting on behalf of the whole people of our said Band in Council assembled, Do hereby release, remise, surrender, quit claim and yield up unto OUR SOVEREIGN LORD THE KING, his Heirs and Successors forever, ALL AND SINGULAR, that certain parcel or tract of land and premises, situate, lying and being in the Rama Indian Reserve in the County of Ontario and Province of Ontario containing by admeasurement three-quarters of an acre be the same more or less and being composed of All and Singular part of Front Range lot number Seven, in the township of Rama, in the County of Ontario, particularly described as follows:- Commencing at the southeast angle of said Front Range lot, thence north nineteen degrees fifty-nine minutes east astronomically for a distance of three hundred and thirty-four feet along the easterly limit of said lot to a point; thence south seventy-seven degrees thirty-nine minutes west one hundred and forty-nine feet and three-tenths of a foot to a post; thence south nineteen degrees fifty-nine minutes west three hundred and fifty-eight feet and four-tenths of a foot to a post planted in the southerly limit of said lot; thence north seventy-two degrees fifty-eight minutes east one hundred and fifty-seven feet and six-tenths of a foot to the place of beginning; excepting and reserving thereout the present School lot containing one quarter acre of land, parcel herein containing three-quarter acres of land (0.75 ac.)



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TO HAVE AND TO HOLD the same unto His said Majesty THE KING, his Heirs and Successors forever, in trust to sell the same for school purposes

~~the same~~ to such person or persons, and upon such terms as the Government of the Dominion of Canada may deem most conducive to our Welfare and that of our people

AND upon the further condition that all moneys received from the sale thereof, shall, after deducting ~~the usual proportion for expenses of management~~, be the amount payable to the Indian locatee, be placed to our credit and interest thereon paid to us, in the usual way.

AND WE, the said Chief and Principal men of the said

Rama Band of Indians do

on behalf of our people and for ourselves, hereby ratify and confirm, and promise to ratify and confirm, whatever the said Government may do, or cause to be lawfully done, in connection with the sale of the said land and the disposition of the moneys derived therefrom.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands and affixed our seals this day of in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six.

Signed, Sealed and Delivered,
IN THE PRESENCE OF

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May 31, 1926.

Sir,-

Further in connection with the application of the Trustees of School Section No. 1, Corporation of the township of Rama, to purchase three-quarters of an acre of Front Range Lot No. 7, for school purposes, I inclose herewith the necessary surrender documents, in duplicate, for submission to the members of the band at a meeting to be called for the purpose of considering a sale of this parcel for the purpose mentioned. It is understood that should the release of this three-quarters of an acre be approved by the band, nine-tenths of the purchase price will be paid to the Indian locatee, and one-tenth credited to the funds of the band.

Inclosures.

You are hereby authorized to call a meeting of the Band for this purpose at the earliest convenient date, and submit the matter for consideration.

Copy of Instructions to Agents is also inclosed for your guidance in taking surrender, , the provisions of which you will be good enough to closely follow, especially with regard to furnishing a voters' list showing the number of voting members present at the meeting, the number voting for the surrender and the number against.

Your obedient Servant,

Duncan C. Scott

Deputy Superintendent General.

A. S. Anderson, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Longford Mills, Ont.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE

.....Longford Mills.....

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No.....
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

.....June 5,.....1926

Resolution passed
in Council

Sir,—

Moved by Councillor J. B. Stinson seconded by Councillor F. W. Benson that the transfer and sale of three-quarters of an acre of land situated on lot No. 35 Indian Sub. Division Rama Reserve for the sum of One Hundred Dollars ($100), described and according to plan prepared by Cavana & Watson, O.L.S., Orillia, to the Trustees of School Section No. 1, Corporation of the Township of Rama, be approved.

J. D. Anderson Agent

Alder Yank Chief

John Simcoe Secretary

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No.....
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

.....Longford Mills.....

.....June 5,.....19 26

Resolution passed
in Council

Sir,—

Moved by Councillor J. B. Stinson, seconded by Councillor F. W. Benson, that a General Meeting of Rama Band be held on Friday, June 18th, at 8 o'clock, in Rama Indian Council Hall, for the purpose of taking a vote and completing surrender of three-quarters of anacre of land in the Rama Indian Reserve for School purposes.

Agent

Chief

Secretary

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DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
JUN 15 1926
RECORDS

Longford Mills

June 11th 1926

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 23
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
OTTAWA BRANCH
JUN 15 1926

reference L. 435.245

Sir,—

I beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter of 31st ult regarding sale of 3/4 of an acre of lot 10 35 Indian Sub Division Rama Reserve. with enclosures as stated Owing to the fact that the description of the land as set forth in the surrender did not agree with that passed by Rama Indian Council according to resolution enclosed with my letter of April 15th last. it was therefore necessary to have the amended description approved of by the Rama Indian Council. Which was done at a meeting held on the 5th inst. a copy of the resolution being enclosed herewith. You will also note that the price to be paid is $100.00 for the 3/4 of acre in place of $75.00 for first parcel mentioned

The alteration was made on account of the part first mentioned be a little low and the water would lie on it. The locatee Richard Stelling was agreeable to the change being made

A general meeting of the Rama Band has been called for Friday June 18th for purpose of completing the surrender. A copy of

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE

Longford Mills

(2) June 11th 1914

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No.....
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

reference No 435. 245

Sir,—

Resolution calling the meeting as passed by the Rama Indian Council is enclosed herewith

I will have the surrender completed and returned to you in due course

Yours truly
A. S. Anderson, Agent
Rama Indian Reserve

Duncan C. Scott Esq
Deputy Superintendent General
Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa
Ont.

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(Original)

Know all Men by these Presents

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The Rama Band of Indians

resident on our Reserve in the township of Rama

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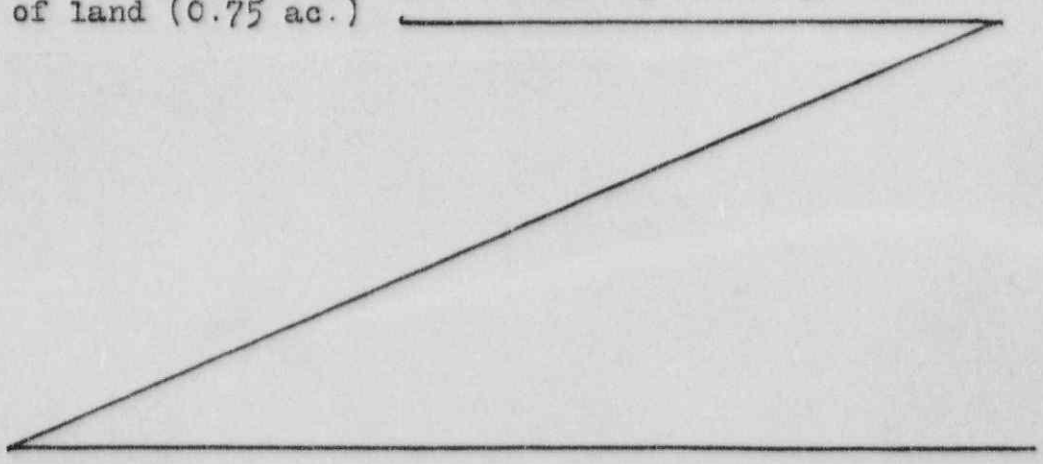

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AND WE, the said Chief and Principal men of the said

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on behalf of our people and for ourselves, hereby ratify and confirm, and promise to ratify and confirm, whatever the said Government may do, or cause to be lawfully done, in connection with the sale of the said land and the disposition of the moneys derived therefrom.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands and affixed our seals this day of in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six.

Signed, Sealed and Delivered,
IN THE PRESENCE OF

Alder York

Alfred Williams

G Williams

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Dominion of Canada

Province of Ontario

County of Ontario

To Wit:

PERSONALLY APPEARED BEFORE ME,

Alexander Smith Anderson
(Name of Agent)

of the municipality of Rama

in the Province of Ontario

and Chief Peter York Alfred Williams Gilbert Williams
(Names of Indians)

Chiefs of the Rama Band of Indians

And the said A. S. Anderson
(Name of Agent)

for himself saith:—

That the annexed release or surrender was assented to by a majority of the male members of the said band of Indians of the full age of twenty-one years entitled to vote, all of whom were present at the meeting or council.

That such assent was given at the meeting or council of the said Band summoned for that purpose and according to its rules or the rules of the Department.

That the terms of the said surrender were interpreted to the Indians by an interpreter qualified to interpret from the English language to the language of the Indians.

That he was present at such meeting or council and heard such assent given.

That he was duly authorized to attend such council or meeting by the Deputy Superintendent General of Indian Affairs.

That no Indian was present or voted at said council or meeting who was not a member of the band or interested in the land mentioned in the said release or surrender.

And the said Chief Peter York
Alfred Williams and Gilbert Williams
(Names of Indians)

say:—

That the annexed release or surrender was assented to by them and a majority of the male members of the said band of Indians of the full age of twenty-one years.

That such assent was given at a meeting or council of the said band of Indians summoned for that purpose as hereinbefore stated, and held in the presence of the said

A. S. Anderson
(Name of Agent)

That no Indian was present or voted at such council or meeting who was not a habitual resident on the reserve of the said band of Indians and interested in the land mentioned in the said release or surrender.

That the terms of the said surrender were interpreted to the Indians by an interpreter qualified to interpret from the English language to the language of the Indians.

That they are Chief Peter York, Alfred Williams, Gilbert Williams
(Chiefs or Principal Men)

of the said band of Indians and entitled to vote at the said meeting or council.

Sworn before me by the deponents
at the Township of Rama
in the County of Ontario
this 18 day of June
A.D. 1916

D. C. McKinnon
Justice of the Peace

A. S. Anderson
Peter York
Alfred Williams
G. Williams

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Dated 1926.

THE RAMA BAND
OF INDIANS

-to-

THE KING.

S U R R E N D E R

-of-

Three-quarters of an acre
in the Rama Indian Reserve,
for school purposes.

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(Duplicate)

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TO HAVE AND TO HOLD the same unto His said Majesty THE KING, his Heirs and Successors forever, in trust to sell the same for school purposes

~~the same~~ to such person or persons, and upon such terms as the Government of the Dominion of Canada may deem most conducive to our Welfare and that of our people

AND upon the further condition that all moneys received from the sale thereof, shall, after deducting ~~the usual proportion for expenses of management,~~ be the amount payable to the Indian locatee, be placed to our credit and interest thereon paid to us, in the usual way.

AND WE, the said Chief and Principal men of the said Rama Band of Indians do on behalf of our people and for ourselves, hereby ratify and confirm, and promise to ratify and confirm, whatever the said Government may do, or cause to be lawfully done, in connection with the sale of the said land and the disposition of the moneys derived therefrom.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands and affixed our seals this Eighteenth day of June.
in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six.

Signed, Sealed and Delivered,
IN THE PRESENCE OF

Peter York

Alfred Williams

G Williams

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Dominion of Canada

Province of Ontario

County of Ontario

To Wit:

PERSONALLY APPEARED BEFORE ME,

Alexander Smith Anderson
(Name of Agent)

of the Municipality of Rama

in the Province of Ontario

and Chief Peter York, Alfred Williams, Gilbert Williams
(Names of Indians)

Chiefs of the Rama Band of Indians

And the said A. S. Anderson
(Name of Agent)

for himself saith:—

That the annexed release or surrender was assented to by a majority of the male members of the said band of Indians of the full age of twenty-one years entitled to vote, all of whom were present at the meeting or council.

That such assent was given at the meeting or council of the said Band summoned for that purpose and according to its rules or the rules of the Department.

That the terms of the said surrender were interpreted to the Indians by an interpreter qualified to interpret from the English language to the language of the Indians.

That he was present at such meeting or council and heard such assent given.

That he was duly authorized to attend such council or meeting by the Deputy Superintendent General of Indian Affairs.

That no Indian was present or voted at said council or meeting who was not a member of the band or interested in the land mentioned in the said release or surrender.

And the said Chief Peter York, Alfred Williams, Gilbert Williams
(Names of Indians)

say:—

That the annexed release or surrender was assented to by them and a majority of the male members of the said band of Indians of the full age of twenty-one years.

That such assent was given at a meeting or council of the said band of Indians summoned for that purpose as hereinbefore stated, and held in the presence of the said A. S. Anderson
(Name of Agent)

That no Indian was present or voted at such council or meeting who was not a habitual resident on the reserve of the said band of Indians and interested in the land mentioned in the said release or surrender.

That the terms of the said surrender were interpreted to the Indians by an interpreter qualified to interpret from the English language to the language of the Indians.

That they are Chief Peter York, Alfred Williams, Gilbert Williams
(Chiefs or Principal Men)

of the said band of Indians and entitled to vote at the said meeting or council.

Sworn before me by the deponents
at the Township of Rama
in the County of Ontario
this 18 day of June
A.D. 1924

A. S. Anderson

Peter York
Alfred Williams
G Williams

D. C. McKinnon
Justice of the Peace

Form No. 66

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Dated 1926.

THE RAMA BAND
OF INDIANS

-to-

THE KING.

S U R R E N D E R

-of-

Three-quarters of an acre
in the Rama Indian Reserve,
for school purposes.

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DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
JUN 23 1926
RECORDS

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IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No.
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

Longford Mills

June 19th 1926

Reference No. 435.245

SCHOOLS BRANCH
JUN 24 1926

Sir,—

In further reference to your letter of 31st ult regarding surrender of 3/4 ad Acre of lot No 35 Indian Sub. Division for School purposes.

I now beg to enclose herewith surrender forms in duplicate duly completed. also certified copy of minutes of meeting. showing 22 members of Band attended the meeting and all voted in favor of the surrender.

As pointed out on previous occasions members of the Band will not turn out and vote. but in view of the fact that all who did turn out and vote made it unanimous I would therefore recommend that the enclosed surrender has your approval

Trusting the enclosed forms will be found in order

Kindly advise if Deed of Land will be forwarded to me to be handed over upon payment of purchase price or do you require money to be first forwarded to Ottawa

Yours truly
A. S. Anderson Agent
Rama Indian Reserve

Duncan C. Scott. Esq
Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa ON

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Minutes of a Special General Meeting of the Rama Band in Council being Members of the Chippewa Tribe inhabiting Reserve of Rama, Ontario held at Council Hall at Rama on the 18th day of June 1926 pursuant to notice thereof duly given for the purpose of considering a proposal through A. S. Anderson the duly appointed Agent for Rama Indian Reserve for a surrender of all the right title and interest of the said Band in a certain piece of land situated on the Rama Indian Reserve and being 3/4 of an acre of lot No 1 of Indian Sub Division No 35. and more fully described in the surrender submitted to the Council Meeting

Present A. S. Anderson, Agent in the chair
Chief Elder York
William Shilling, Wellington Beaver,
Victor York, J. B. Stinson, Alfred Williams,
Joseph Stinson, Richard Shilling, James Shilling
Thos Williams, Ben Simon, Wilfred Beaver
Wm Martell, James York, Silas Shilling
Gilbert Williams, Alex Simon, John Shilling,
Stephen Douglas, Merven Shilling, John York,
Levi Williams,

The Agent having read the surrender it was
Moved by
J. B. Stinson
and Seconded by
William Shilling

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and resolved that this Band do surrender to His Majesty the King all its rights title and interest in the land mentioned in the surrender just read and that:-

Chief Alder York
Alfred Williams and
Gilbert Williams

be and they are hereby appointed and authorized on behalf of the Band to sign the surrender of said land as set forth in the surrender

The members of the said Band voting in favor of this surrender numbered twenty two.

I hereby certify that the above are a true and correct copy of the minutes of the Special General Meeting of Rama Band held in Rama Indian Council Hall. June 11th 1921

A J Anderson Agent
Rama Indian Reserve

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435,245.

Ottawa, June 25, 1926.

Sir,-

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 19th instant, returning completed surrender papers in connection with the release of a three-quarter acre portion of Lot 35, Rama Reserve, for school purposes.

You state that 22 members of the Band attended the meeting held for this purpose and voted in favour of the surrender. You should have attached to each copy of the surrender a list of these twenty-two members, indicating the manner in which they voted, together with a statement as to the total number of voting members of the Band. If twenty-two members does not constitute a majority of the voting strength of this band, the Department will not be able to accept this surrender as a proper and legal release of this parcel for the purpose of sale. Your further report in the matter is requested.

Your obedient Servant,

J. D. McLean.
Assistant Deputy & Secretary.

A. S. Anderson, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Longford Mills, Ont.

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Names of Members of Rama Band Rama Indian Reserve showing how vote was recorded at Special General Meeting of Rama Band held in Rama Indian Council Hall on June 18th 1936 for purpose of considering surrender of 3/4 and acre of lot No 7 Indian Sub Division Rama Reserve No 35.

Band No	Name		For	Against
107	York Chief	Adler	x	
57	Stinson	J.B.	x	
96	Shilling	Wm	x	
171	Benson	Wilfred	x	
44	Shilling	James	x	
101	York	James	x	
67	Williams	Thomas	x	
138	Martell	Wm	x	
120	Stinson	Joseph	x	
125	Simcoe	Bud	x	
30	Benson	Wellington	x	
154	York	Victor	x	
169	Shilling	Silas	x	
90	Williams	Alfred	x	
66	Williams	Gilbert	x	
98	Shilling	Richard	x	
131	Simcoe	Alex	x	
44	Shilling	John	x	
155	Douglas	Stephen	x	
145	Shilling	Mervin	x	
101	York	John	x	
90	Williams	Levi	x	

[illegible] Agent
Rama Indian Reserve

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Names of Member of Rama Band Rama Indian Reserve, showing how vote was recorded at Special General Meeting of Rama Band held in Rama Indian Council Hall on June 18th 1926 for purpose of considering surrender of 3/4 ac. acre of lot No 7. Indian Sub/Division Rama Reserve. No 35.

Band No	Name		For	Against	
107	York (Chief)	Peter	x		
54	Stinson	J.B.	x		
96	Shilling	Wm	x		
171	Bernard	Wilfred	x		
44	Shilling	James	x		
101	York	James	x		
67	Williams	Thomas	x		
138	Martell	Wm	x		
170	Stinson	Joseph	x		
175	Simon	Ben	x		
30	Bernard	Wellington	x		
184	York	Victor	x		
169	Shilling	Silas	x		
90	Williams	Alfred	x		
66	Williams	Ernest	x		
98	Shilling	Richard	x		
131	Simon	Amy	x		
44	Shilling	John	x		
158	Douglas	Stephen	x		
145	Shilling	Mervin	x		
101	York	John	x		
90	Williams	Levi	x		

D. McLennan Agent
Rama Indian Reserve

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No.....
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

Longford Mills

July 5 1921

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
JUL 8 1926
RECORDS

Re: Reference No. 435.245

Sir,

I beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter of 25th ult. re the matter of Reference of 3/4 ac acre of lot No 35. and as requested I enclose herewith list of those who voted, numbering 22. The total number of voters being male member of Rama Band 21 years of age and over total 79.

Yours truly
Geo. S. Anderson Agent
Rama Indian Reserve

To the Secretary
Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa
Ont

INDIAN BRANCH
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435,245.

Ottawa, July 20, 1926.

Sir,-

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 5th instant, and in reply to advise that in view of the fact that a majority of the voting strength of the Rama Band did not register their approval of the surrender submitted to them on the 18th ultimo, it will not be possible to proceed further with the matter.

If at some convenient time in the near future you consider a sufficient number of the Band would turn out for the purpose, the matter should again be brought to their attention. If you will advise the Department in advance, the papers will be returned for the purpose.

Your obedient Servant,

J. D. McLean.
Assistant Deputy & Secretary.

A. S. Anderson, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Longford Mills, Ont.

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Longford Mills

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TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

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July 27 1926

LANDS BRANCH
JUL 27 1926

reference No 435.745.

Sir,—

I beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter of 20th inst regarding vote on Surrender of 3/4 acres of land for School purposes and note that a further vote is necessary. Have you not a document that can be signed by any voters who were not at the meeting and are in favor of the surrender.

It is a very difficult matter to have a majority of the voters turn out at any meeting when a vote is being taked and record their vote.

Yours truly
A. Anderson Agent
Rama Indian Reserve

To the Secretary
Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa
Ont

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Ottawa, July 29, 1926.

Sir,-

In reply to your letter of the 22nd instant, I have to advise that there are no documents or forms provided for the purpose of recording the votes of individual members of the band for surrender purposes, other than those furnished you recently. In any case, the Indian Act provides that surrender must be considered at a special meeting of the band called for the purpose.

If it is not possible to secure the attendance at a duly advertised meeting, of a majority of the voting strength of the band, then it would seem that the proposed purchase of a small parcel of land for school purposes must remain in abeyance indefinitely.

Your obedient Servant,

J. D. McLean.
Assistant Deputy & Secretary.

A. S. Anderson, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Longford Mills, Ont.

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No.....
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

Longford Mill
Aug 21st 1926

LANDS BRANCH
AUG 25

reference No 435.245.

Sir,—

I beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter of 29th ult regarding surrender of 3/4 acre of land for School purpose. A general meeting of Rama Band has been called for September 9th 1926 for taking a further vote. Kindly forward necessary papers for completion.

Yours truly
A. S. Anderson
Agent
Rama Indian Reserve

To the
Secretary
Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa
ont.

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File 435,245.

September 3, 1926.

Sir,-

With reference to your letter of the 21st ultimo, I am inclosing new forms of surrender in connection with the proposed sale of three-quarters of an acre of land for school purposes, which you are hereby authorized to submit to the Indians in accordance with the provisions of the Indian Act.

Inclosures. I am also inclosing copy of Instructions to Agents, and would call your attention particularly to the requirement for furnishing a list of all the voting members of the band, showing those present at the meeting, the number voting for the surrender and the number against.

Your obedient Servant,

J. D. McLean.
Acting Deputy Superintendent General.

A. S. Anderson, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Longford Mills, Ont.

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List of Voters. Voting on surrender of 3/4 Acre of land situated on Lot No 35 Indian Sub. Division Meeting held in Rama Indian Council Hall Rama Reserve Sept 9th 1926

Band No	Name	Band No	Name
57	J B Stinson	74	S. Yellowhead
171	Wilfred Benson	158	S. Douglas
149	C Fawn	120	Joe Stinson
121	Frank Joe	78	Joe Yellowhead
101	Jas York	169	Silas Shilling
149	P Fawn	87	Sam Snake
73	E Yellowhead	102	Alder York
160	R Stinson	83	Ed York
90	Alf Williams	107	Lorne Ingersoll
138	Wm Martell	132	F. W. Benson.
125	Ben Simcoe		
17	Wm Ingersoll		Total 42
96	Wm Shilling		
30	Wellington Benson		
34	Hughie Nanegurahkung		
43	Enoch Shilling		
44	Jas Shilling		
98	Joe Shilling		
90	Levi Williams		
110	Alex Douglas		
181	Howard Simcoe		
98	R Shilling		
133	Levi Joe		
101	John Jacobs		
134	Sam Williams		
66	A Williams		
67	T Williams		
184	V York		
144	John Simcoe		
61	J.W. Simcoe		
149	R Fawn		
135	B St Germain		

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Minutes of a Special General Meeting of the Rama Band in Council being members of the Chippewa Tribe inhabiting Reserve of Rama Ontario held at Council Hall at Rama. Rama Indian Reserve on the 9th day of September 1926, pursuant to notice thereof duly given for the purpose of considering a proposal through A. S. Anderson the duly appointed Agent for Rama Indian Reserve for a surrender of all the right title and interest of the said Band in a certain piece of land situated on the Rama Indian Reserve and being 3/4 of an acre of lot No of Indian Sub. Division No 35. and more fully described in the surrender submitted to this meeting

Present A. S. Anderson. Agent in Chair.

J. B. Stinson, Wilfred Benson, C. Fawn, Frank Joe Jas York, P. Fawn, E. Yellowhead R. Stinson. A. J. Williams. Wm Martell Ben Simcoe. Wm Ingersoll, Wm Shilling, Wellington Benson Hughie Nanegueshkung. Enoch Shilling, Jas Shilling Joe Shilling Levi Williams. Alex Douglas, Howard Simcoe, R Shilling. Levi Joe, John York, John Jacobs. Sam Williams. G. Williams. T. Williams, V York, John Simcoe J. W. Simcoe, R Fawn, B St Germain, S Yellowhead, S. Douglas, Joe. Stinson, Joe Yellowhead, Silas Shilling, Sam Snache, Alex York Ed York, Lorne Ingersoll. F W Benson

The Agent having read the surrender and it being duly interpreted to the Indians it was moved by

F W Benson.

and Seconded by Alfred Williams

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and resolved that the Board do surrender to His Majesty the King all its right title and interest in the lands mentioned in the surrender just read and that

Chief Allen Ford
Wellington Bennett
James Ford, and Frank Joe.

be and they are hereby appointed and authorized on behalf of the Band to sign the surrender of said lands as set forth in the surrender

The members of the said Band voting in favor of this surrender numbered Forty three being a majority of the male voting members of the Band. The total number of the male voters of Rama Band being 79.

I hereby certify that the above are a true and correct copy of the minutes of the Special Council Meeting of the Rama Band held in Rama Indian Council Hall September 9th 1918

W. Anderson Agent
Rama Indian Reserve

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE

LANDS BRANCH SEP 29 1926

Longford Mills Ont.

Sept 25 1926

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No.....
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

File No. 435.245

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS SEP 28 1926 RECORDS

Sir,—I beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter of 3rd inst. enclosing new forms of surrender in connection with the proposed sale of three quarters of an acre of land for School purposes, which I now beg to return herewith duly completed, also copy of minutes of meeting and list of names of members of Rama Band who voted in favor of the surrender. The vote was unanimous, not one being opposed.

Trusting that the enclosed forms will be found in order, and upon notice being received that the Surrender has been approved. The sale price of 100.00 will be forwarded in due course.

Yours truly
A.S. Anderson Agent
Rama Indian Reserve

Duncan C. Scott Esq
Deputy Superintendent General
Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa Ont.

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Ottawa, September 30, 1926.

Sir,-

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 25th instant, inclosing surrender papers properly completed, in connection with the proposed purchase for school purposes of three-quarters of an acre of front range Lot No. 7, at present located to Richard Shilling.

That phase of the situation covered by the surrender by the Band is satisfactorily adjusted, but as the area involved is part of a lot owned by an individual Indian, it will now be necessary to obtain a quit claim from the locatee to the Superintendent General. In your reply and when forwarding to the Department this quit claim, be good enough also to advise what you consider would be a reasonable amount to set aside as the Band interest in the property, the remainder of the purchase price to be paid direct to the locatee.

Your obedient Servant,

J. D. McLean.
Assistant Deputy & Secretary.

A. S. Anderson, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Longford Mills, Ont.

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Sold by Joseph Doust, Law Stationer, 66 Adelaide St., E. Toronto

This Indenture,

made in duplicate

the Sixteenth day of October
one thousand nine hundred and twenty Six

Between

Richard Skilling
of the Rama Indian Reserve
in the County of Ontario. Province of Ontario
hereinafter called the party of the first part

and the Superintendent General of Indian Affairs
hereinafter called the party of the second part.

Witnesseth that the said party of the First Part for and in consideration of

Ninety & 00/100 Dollars

of lawful money of Canada, to him in hand paid by the said party of the Second Part at or before the sealing and delivery of these Presents (the receit whereof is hereby acknowledged,) **Hath Granted, Released and Quitted Claim** and by these Presents **Doth Grant, Release and Quit Claim** unto the said party of the second Part his heirs and assigns FOREVER **All the Estate,** right title, interest, claim and demand whatsoever both at law and in equity or otherwise howsoever and whether in possession or expectancy of him the said party of the First Part, of in to or out of **All and Singular** that certain parcel or tract of land and premises situate lying and being in the Township of Rama and forming part of the Rama Indian Reserve and being three quarters of an acre of Front Range Lot No 1 South

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The original of this Document has been removed for retention in the Records of the Indian Land Registry.

C. E. Cote
Signature

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described as Sub. Division Lot Number Thirty-Five (35) and more fully described in surrender dated September 9th 1926.

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Together with the appurtenances thereto belonging or appertaining.

To have and to hold the aforesaid lands and premises with all and singular the appurtenances thereto belonging and appertaining unto and to the use of the said party of the second Part his heirs and assigns FOR EVER; **Subject** nevertheless to the reservations, limitations provisoes and conditions expressed in the original grant thereof from the Crown.

In Witness whereof the said parties hereto have hereunto set their hands and seals.

Signed, Sealed and Delivered
IN THE PRESENCE OF

Ruth Carrick

R Shilling

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County of Ontario
To Wit:

I, of the Township of Rama in the Province of Ontario.

make oath and say:

1. That I was personally present and did see the within Instrument and Duplicate thereof duly signed, sealed and executed by Richard Shilling the party thereto.

2. That the said Instrument and Duplicate were executed by the said party at the Township of Rama

3. That I know the said part

4. That I am a subscribing witness to the said Instrument and Duplicate.

Sworn before me at the Township of Rama in the Province of Ontario this Sixteenth day of October in the year of our Lord 1926

Ruth Carrick

J. Anderson
Indian Agent
Commissioner, for taking Affidavits, &c.

Dated 16th October 1926

Richard Shilling

—TO—

Superintendent General

Quit Claim Deed.

Sold by Joseph Doust, Law Stationer, 58 Adelaide St., E. Toronto

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Sold by Joseph Doutre, Law Stationer, 58 Adelaide St. E. Toronto

This Indenture,

made in duplcate

the Sixteenth day of October
one thousand nine hundred and twenty Six

Between

Richard Shilling
of the Rama Indian Reserve,
in the County of Ontario. Province
of Ontario.
hereinafter called the party of the first
part.
and the Superintendent General
of Indian Affairs
hereinafter called the party of the second
part

Witnesseth that the said party of the First Part for and in consideration of
Ninety 00/100 Dollars
of lawful money of Canada, to him in hand paid by the said party of the second Part at or before the sealing and delivery of these Presents (the receit whereof is hereby acknowledged,) **Hath Granted, Released and Quitted Claim** and by these Presents **Doth Grant, Release and Quit Claim** unto the said party of the second Part his heirs and assigns FOREVER **All the Estate,** right title, interest, claim and demand whatsoever both at law and in equity or otherwise howsoever and whether in possession or expectancy of him the said party of the First Part, of in to or out of **All and Singular** that certain parcel or tract of land and premises situate lying and being in the Township of Rama and forming part of the Rama Indian Reserve. and being three quarters of an acre of front Range lot No. (7) Seven

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Indian Sub-Division lot Number
Thirty Four (34) and more fully
described in surrender dated
September 9th. 1926.

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Together with the appurtenances thereto belonging or appertaining.

To have and to hold the aforesaid lands and premises with all and singular the appurtenances thereto belonging and appertaining unto and to the use of the said part~~y~~ of the Second Part ~~the~~ heirs and assigns FOR EVER; **Subject** nevertheless to the reservations, limitations provisoes and conditions expressed in the original grant thereof from the Crown.

In Witness whereof the said parties hereto have hereunto set their hands and seals.

Signed, Sealed and Delivered IN THE PRESENCE OF

Ruth Carrick

R Shilling

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County of Ontario
To Wit:

I, Ruth Carrick
of the Township of Rama
in the Province of Ontario

make oath and say:

1. That I was personally present and did see the within Instrument and Duplicate thereof duly signed, sealed and executed by Richard Shilling the parties thereto.

2. That the said Instrument and Duplicate were executed by the said party at the Township of Rama.

3. That I know the said party

4. That I am a subscribing witness to the said Instrument and Duplicate.

Sworn before me at the Township of Rama in the Province of Ontario this Sixteenth day of October in the year of our Lord 1926

Ruth Carrick.

J. H. Anderson
Indian Agent
Commissioner, for taking Affidavits, &c.

Dated 16th October 1926

Richard Shilling

—TO—

Superintendent General,

Quit Claim Deed.

Sold by Joseph Dour, Law Stationer, 68 Adelaide St., E. Toronto

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE

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Longford Mills
Oct 16th 1926

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No.....
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
OCT 18 1926
LANDS BRANCH
OCT 18 1926
REGISTERED

reference No. 435245

Sir,—

I beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter of 30th ult. re the matter of surrender of 3/4 of an acre front range lot No 1. Lochiel to Richard Shilling. As requested I enclose herewith Quit Claim Deed duly completed.

In my letter of April 15th last I pointed out that Richard Shilling agreed to the sale with the understanding that he receive the full amount of purchase price or at least 90%. In the Quit Claim Deed I provided for payment of 90% which amounts to 90.00 only approved of in your letter of April 20th 1926. the difference in the amount arising owing to the increased amount being paid for land. Kindly advise if it is now in order to have purchase money forwarded to you.

Yours truly
D.S. Anderson Agent
Roman Indian Reserve

To the Secretary
Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa ont

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No.....
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

Longford Mills
Oct 30th 1926

reference No. 435245

Sir,—

Referring to my letter of 16th inst re the matter of Enfranchisement of 3/4 acre of land located to Richard Shilling I am advised by the Trustees of School Section No. 1 Township of Rama that the money is in hand ready to be paid over as soon as advice is received that all papers are in order, and in view of the fact that Richard Shilling wishes to use the money towards completing his house under construction I would therefore be pleased to hear from you at an early date in the matter

Yours truly
D. S. Anderson
Agent
Rama Indian Reserve

To The Secretary
Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa
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Indian Agents Office

Longford Mills

Sir. Dec 18-1926

reference No 435.245.

In further reference to your letter of Sept 30th and my reply of Oct 16th. I have a further enquiry from the School Trustee as to when they may expect to have this matter closed?

Yours truly

A. S. Anderson
Agent
Rama Indian Reserve

To the Secretary
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Atherley Ont.
R.R.No.2, 14th January.,1927.

A. S. Anderson. Esq.
Agent, Rama Indian Reserve
Longford Mills, Ont.

Dear Sir,-

On the 10th of May last following an application to Rama Council, a survey was made on the property of Richard Shilling adjoining our school for the purpose of enlargeing our grounds, a copy of this survey was sent to the Department of Indian Affairs, Ottawa., by the Surveyor Mr. A, Cavana since then nothing tangible has come to this corporation and as our school grants are seriously effected owing to inadequate grounds and buildings I am requested by the Board to request that you give this matter your immediate attention and greatly oblige.

Yours truly,

D. C. McKinnon

Secy-Treas, S.S. No. 1, Rama.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA

OFFICE OF
INDIAN AGENT

Longford Mills
Jany 19th 1927

Sir

reference No. 435.745.

I enclose herewith a letter I have received from D. McLeod Sec-Treas S S No 1 Rama: regarding surrender of 3/4 of an acre of land on Rama Reserve. This letter will explain itself.

Yours truly
D McLeod
Agent
Rama Indian Reserve

To the Secretary
Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa
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CANADA

OFFICE OF
INDIAN AGENT

Longford Mills
March 5 - 1927

Sir

reference No 435.245.

I have again to appeal to you for a reply to my numerous letter regarding sale of 3/4 of an acre of land located to Richard Shilling to School Section No 1 Rama Township.

It is neither justice to myself or all parties concerned that I can't give them an explanation in this matter.

On October 16th 1926 I forwarded to you a Quit Claim Deed as requested, and since that time I have heard nothing further though you have had several letters from me.

If you will only advise me the cause of the delay so that I could give the School Trustees some reason why the matter is delayed it might be satisfactory to them. Kindly advise

Yours truly
W. S. Anderson Agent
Rama Indian Reserve

The Secretary
Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa
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APR 30 1927

Longford Mills
April 2-1927

Sir

reference No 435.245.

I have been asked by the Trustees of School Section No1. Rama Township. If it would be in order for me to go ahead and erect the fences around the grounds they are purchasing for school purposes on Lot No 35 Indian Sub/Division. Kindly advise.

Yours truly
D. S. Anderson
Agent
Rama Indian Reserve

The Secretary
Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa
Ont.

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Ottawa, May 2, 1927.

Dear Dr. McGibbon,-

I return herewith letter addressed to you recently by Mr. Henry Heavener, of Atherley, with regard to the purchase of a small parcel of land on the Rama Indian Reserve for use as play-ground in connection with the school property. I am advised that a Crown Grant is now in course of preparation, and the necessary transfer will be completed very shortly.
The Department is in communication with the local Agent, who will keep in touch with the local school authorities.

Enclosure.

Yours faithfully,

For the Minister's signature

Peter McGibbon, Esq., M.D., M.P.,
Bracebridge,
Ont.

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File 435,245.

May 2, 1927.

Sir,-

Having reference to previous correspondence with regard to the application of School Section No. 1, to purchase a three-quarter acre parcel in the Rama Reserve, the property of Richard Schilling, I have to advise that Crown Grant is now in course of preparation, and the transfer will be completed shortly. In the meantime the finances should be adjusted and the school authorities requested to send the full amount to the Department. We will then return to the locatee, Richard Schilling, 90% of the purchase price, retaining 10% as the Band interest in the property.

Your obedient Servant,

J. D. McLean.
Acting Deputy Superintendent General.

A. S. Anderson, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Longford Mills, Ont.

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File No. 435,245

Department of Indian Affairs

Canada

Lands and Timber Branch

Ottawa, May 2, 1927.

Memo.

Mr. MacInnes,-

Please prepare memorandum to Council accepting surrender of the Rama Band of Indians, given on the 9th day of September, 1926, covering three-quarters of an acre of land, for sale to the Trustees of School Section No. 1, Rama township, in order to provide play-ground facilities. The land is part of Front Range Lot No. 7, owned by Richard Schilling, a member of the Band, who has quit-claimed the property to the Department.
The price which the school authorities have agreed to pay the Department is $100. The locatee will be entitled to receive $90, and $10 will be placed to the credit of the Rama Band funds as representing the Band interest in the property.

Officer in Charge.

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May 3, 1927.

His Excellency

The Governor General in Council.

The undersigned has the honour to submit a surrender in duplicate, given on the 9th of September, 1926, by the Rama Band of Indians, residing in the reserve in the township of Rama, in the Province of Ontario, of a portion of the above mentioned Indian Reserve, containing three quarters of an acre of land, which may be described as follows:-

> All and Singular part of Front Range lot number Seven in the township of Rama, in the County of Ontario; particularly described as follows:- Commencing at the southeast angle of said Front Range lot, thence north nineteen degrees fifty-nine minutes east astronomically for a distance of three hundred and thirty-four feet along the easterly limit of said lot to a point; thence south seventy-seven degrees thirty-nine minutes west one hundred and forty-nine feet and three-tenths of a foot to a post; thence south nineteen degrees fifty-nine minutes west three hundred and fifty-eight feet and four-tenths of a foot to a post planted in the southerly limit of said lot; thence north seventy two degrees fifty-eight minutes east one hundred and fifty-seven feet and six-tenths of a foot to the place of beginning; excepting and reserving thereout the present School lot containing one quarter acre of land, parcel herein containing three-quarter acres of land (0.75 ac.)

The said surrender has been given in order that the said portion of land may be sold for the benefit of the aforesaid band of Indians, in accordance with the terms thereof.

The said surrender has been duly authorized, executed and attested in the manner required by the 49th Section of the Indian Act, and the undersigned would recommend that the same be accepted by Your Excellency in Council, the original surrender to be returned to the Department of Indian Affairs, and the duplicate thereof to be kept of record in the Privy Council Office.

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P.C. 10. 5. 27
O.C.

Superintendent General
of Indian Affairs.

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May 3, 27.

To accept surrender of a portion of land in the Rama Indian Reserve, Ont., containing three-quarters of an acre, in order that the same may be sold for the benefit of the said band, in accordance with the terms thereof, pursuant to the provisions of Section 49 of the Indian Act.

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Certified to be a true copy of a Minute of a Meeting of the Committee of the Privy Council, approved by His Excellency the Governor General on the 11 th MAY 1927

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MAY 14 1927
RECORDED
LANDS BRANCH
MAY 16 1927

The Committee of the Privy Council have had before them a report, dated 3rd May, 1927, from the Superintendent General of Indian Affairs, submitting a surrender given on the 9th of September, 1926, by the Rama Band of Indians, residing in the reserve in the township of Rama, in the Province of Ontario, of a portion of the above mentioned Indian Reserve, containing three quarters of an acre of land, which may be described as follows:

> All and Singular part of Front Range lot number Seven in the township of Rama, in the County of Ontario; particularly described as follows: Commencing at the southeast angle of said Front Range lot, thence north nineteen degrees fifty-nine minutes east astronomically for a distance of three hundred and thirty-four feet along the easterly limit of said lot to a point; thence south seventy-seven degrees thirty-nine minutes west one hundred and forty-nine feet and three-tenths of a foot to a post; thence south nineteen degrees fifty-nine minutes west three hundred and fifty-eight feet and four-tenths of a foot to a post planted in the southerly limit of said lot; thence north seventy two degrees fifty-eight minutes east one hundred and fifty-seven feet and six-tenths of a foot to the place of beginning; excepting and reserving thereout the present School lot containing one quarter acre of land, parcel herein containing three-quarter acres of land (0.75 ac.)

The said surrender has been given in order that the said portion of land may be sold for the benefit of the aforesaid band of Indians, in accordance with the terms thereof.

The

The Honourable

The Superintendent General of Indian Affairs.

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The Minister recommends,- as the said surrender has been duly authorized, executed and attested in the manner required by the 49th Section of the Indian Act,- that the same be accepted by Your Excellency in Council.

The Committee concur in the foregoing recommendation and submit the same for approval.

Clerk of the Privy Council.

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Ottawa, May 18th, 1927.

Sir,-

Further in connection with the application of School Section No. 1 to purchase three-quarters of an acre in the Rama Reserve for school purposes, I have to ask that you will be good enough to advise the Department in what name the patent is to issue covering this land.

You will, no doubt, also secure the payment due for the land in question.

Your obedient servant,

In Charge Land and Timber Branch.
(J. C. Caldwell)

A. S. Anderson, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Longford Mills, Ontario.

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No. of Account 4c

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Richard Shelling

DATE			AMOUNT	
1927				
		Authorized by Dept. letter No. 435,245 dated May-2/27		
May	11	To Amount of Account Richard Shelling 90% Sale Price 3/4 Acre Lot No 35 Indian Sub/Div Rama Reserve to School Section No 1 Township of Rama $100.00	$90.00	

EXAMINED and found correct.

1939 sent 30/5/27 to agt.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

[signature]

Agent.

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Rama Reserve
May 11 - 1921

Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa.

In Account with
Richard Shilling

1921		
May 11	To 90% of Sale Price 3/4 Acre of Lot No 35 Indian Sub/Division No 35 to School Section No 1 Township of Rama at $100 pr	$90.00

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OFFICE OF
INDIAN AGENT

LANDS BRANCH
MAY 20 1927

Longford Mills

File 435.245 May 11 - 1927

Sir

I beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter of 2nd inst. regarding purchase of 3/4 Acre land by School Section No 1 Township Rama. and now beg to enclose herewith cheque drawn by D. C. McKinnon Sec S S No 1 Rama for one hundred Dollars ($100.00) payable to The Receiver General of Canada, I will be pleased to receive Crown Grant in due course.

I am also enclosing herewith Voucher covering Richard Shilling percentage of the sale price.

I have the honor Sir to be
Your obedient Servant
A. S. Anderson
Agent
Rama Indian Reserve

D. McLean Esq
Acting Deputy
Superintendent-General
Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa

1 Acct. Cheque herewith
2 for $100.00

Pay
JMA

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BANK RECEIPT No. 9189

Amt. $100.00

Acct. immediately

Entered

Date 11-Page 554 Sale Book No 1

Entered Journal No. 24 Folio 194888

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Dept. Receipt No. C48838

ACCOUNTANTS

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Mr Galdwell

— Is it in order to pay Richard Shilling as per voucher hereunder?

FHP

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Mr Page.

Yes. 90.00 Shilling and $10.00 Band funds.

JCC

LANDS BRANCH
MAY 27 1927

ACCOUNTANT
MAY 27 1927

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Longford Mills
June 4-1927

Sir reference to 435245

I beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter of 18th inst. and in reply beg to advise that I have received advise from the Secretary Mr D L McKinnon patent of 3/4 Acre of land as follows

Peter Gilchrist
Henry Heavener.
Thomas Boyd.

Roll 11
Page 5-4
Sundry Roll Book No 1

Farmers, Trustees of the Corporation of School Section No 1 Rama.

Yours truly
A. S. Anderson Agent
Rama Indian Reserve

The Secretary
Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa Ont

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435,245.

Ottawa, June 10, 1927.

Sir,-

I beg to inclose for registration in your Department a Surrender, given on the 9th September last, by the Rama Band of Indians, of a portion of the Rama Indian Reserve, dontaining three-quarters of an acre of land, which surrender was accepted by an Order of His Excellency the Governor General in Council, dated the 11th ultimo.

Inclosure.

Kindly return the surrender to this Department with a certificate of registration endorsed thereon.

Your obedient Servant,

J. D. McLean.
Assistant Deputy & Secretary.

Thomas Mulvey, Esq., B.A., K.C.,
Under-Secretary of State,
O t t a w a.

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Ottawa, 13th June 1927.

LANDS BRANCH
JUN 15 1927

DESCRIPTION FOR PATENT

All that parcel of land situate in the Rama Indian Reserve, being a part of Front Range Lot number Seven in the Township of Rama, County of Ontario, Province of Ontario, Dominion of Canada, which may be more particularly described as follows:

Commencing at the southeast angle of said Front Range Lot, thence north nineteen degrees fifty-nine minutes east astronomically for a distance of three hundred and thirty-four feet along the easterly limit of said lot to a point; thence south seventy-seven degrees thirty-nine minutes west one hundred and forty-nine feet and three-tenths of a foot to a post; thence south nineteen degrees fifty-nine minutes west three hundred and fifty-eight feet and four-tenths of a foot to a post planted in the southerly limit of said lot; thence north seventy two degrees fifty-eight minutes east one hundred and fifty-seven feet and six-tenths of a foot to the place of beginning; excepting and reserving thereout the present School lot containing one quarter acre of land, parcel herein containing three-quarter acres of land (0.75 ac.).

Surveyed

Ref. 20,950

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LANDS BRANCH
JUN 25 1927

Ottawa, June 21, 1927.

Sir,-

Referring to your letter of the 10th instant, No. 435,245, I have the honour to forward you, herewith, duly certified as to registration, a surrender by the Rama Band of Indians, dated September 9th, 1926, of three-quarters of an acre of land for school purposes.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

Under-Secretary of State.

The Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,

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Ottawa, 18th July 1927

Sir:

In reply to your letter of the 12th instant I am enclosing for record in your office a duplicate copy of plan recorded in the Survey Branch of this Department of the $\frac{5}{4}$ acre portion of Front Range Lot 7, Township of Rama referred to therein.

Your obedient servant,

(A. F. Mackenzie)
Acting Assistant Deputy and Secretary

Deputy Registrar,
County of Ontario,
Whitby, Ontario.

DR/KB
Enc.

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No. 437632

Department of Indian Affairs

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Gordon River

Agency

Applcn. of Prov. Secty of Ontario for
land on Gordon River Res. for the
purpose of an Industrial Farm.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE PROVINCIAL SECRETARY.
THE INSPECTOR OF PRISONS AND
PUBLIC CHARITIES

Re Application for Portion of Garden River Indian Reserve for the purpose of Industrial Farm.

Toronto, November 24th., 1913.

437632

Sir:-

Under instructions from the Honourable The Provincial Secretary of Ontario, I hereby make application to have a portion of the Garden River Indian Reserve transferred to the Provincial Government of Ontario for the purpose of establishing thereon an Industrial Farm to be conducted in accordance with the Industrial Farm Act, Ontario Statutes 1912.

The object of the proposed Industrial Farm is to provide Farm work for prisoners now kept in idleness at the Gaols at Sault Ste. Marie, Manitoulin, Sudbury &c. Among the short term prisoners confined at the above Gaols each year, are a considerable number of Indians who would doubtless profit greatly by having an Industrial Farm located on a portion of the Garden River Reserve.

It is desirable to have not less than 4000 acres of good agricultural land set aside for this purpose as marked out on accompanying plan, commencing on the south east side of the Reserve along Echo River from its mouth to Echo Lake and extending West and North approximately as marked in red on the attached plan.

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Dept. P and P C

CON...ATION SHEET NO. 2 Re

Your cordial co-operation will be greatly appreciated.

I have the honour to remain,
Your obedient servant,

R.W. Bruce Sleeth

Inspector.

D. C. Scott, Esq.,
Deputy Superintendent General
of Indian Affairs
O T T A W A, Ont.

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Plan of a potion of the
GARDEN RIVER I.R.
ONT
Scale 40 chains to 1 inch.
ECHO LAKE
ECHO RIVER
ST MARY'S RIVER
Indian Village
Garden River Station Grounds
Quarrie claim
Area-8835 Ac (approx)
Echo Location
Portion Applied for Industrial Farm
Jeannette B. Campbell
XXII H.
Janes Wilkinson
XXVI H.
XXI H.
XXIII H
XXIV H
XXV H
Pierre St. Jean M.D.

437,632

Sy. Minister

Ottawa, Nov. 26, 1913.

Sir,

With reference to the visit you are about to make to the Garden River Indian Reserve, I have to request that after you have completed the survey of the block of rocky land applied for to be used as a quarry that you will examine the tract of land shown bordered red on the blue print plan herewith, lying to the West of Echo River, to the East of the surveyed mining claim, 25 H, the quarry claim you are about to survey and the line shown approximately running South from the said quarry claim.

It is not desired that you should make any survey of this tract. You should examine it and report approximately on the areas of good agricultural land situated within the said block and the timber thereon. Should any large tracts of rock occur please ascertain their limits approximately in order that you may be able to indicate them on a sketch. I have also to request you to be prepared if it should be desired to give an opinion as to the value of the land and the timber thereon, examined by yourself. The tract examined is to contain four thousand acres more or less.

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W.R.White,Esq.,O.&D.L.S.,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

Your obediant servant,
Sgd D.C.Scott
Deputy Superintendent General.

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Dy. Minister
Mr Bray

Ottawa, Nov. 26, 1913.

Sir,

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 24th instant in which you make application for a portion of the Garden River Indian Reserve for the purposes of an Industrial Farm and to inform you that ~~the Department will immediately have an investigation and report made and you will be informed later on as to what may be done in the matter.~~ Your applicant will be taken into consideration.

Your obedient servant,

S.B.

Sgd D. C. Scott.

Deputy Superintendent General.

R. W. Bruce Smith, Esq.,
Inspector of Prisons,
Dept. of the Provincial Secretary,
TORONTO, Ont.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE PROVINCIAL SECRETARY.
THE INSPECTOR OF PRISONS AND
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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
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re Proposed Industrial Farm,
Garden River Reserve.

Toronto, Nov. 29th, 1913.

437900

Dear Sir;-

With reference to my letter of November 24th probably I did not make it sufficiently clear that the establishment of an Industrial Farm on a portion of the Garden River Reserve would be a great material advantage to the Indians. They would have an opportunity of being instructed not only in modern farming methods and stock-raising but also in regard to the economic systems that would be best adapted to the varieties of soil in that particular locality. There would be a skilled expert in agriculture to afford all necessary instruction, and the farm would be supervised by the Provincial Farm Director, also a graduate of the Provincial Agricultural College. They would have before them constantly a demonstration of what might be accomplished by intelligent farming.

As the Indians became versed in farming methods and capable of assisting in the work, preference would be given to them as vacancies arose in the staff. The Indians would by having an Industrial Farm located on a portion of the Reserve secure what we understand they have been asking for, namely, some one constantly in their neighborhood to

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direct them in agricultural pursuits and stock raising. The establishment of an Industrial Farm would not only enhance the value of the surrounding lands but would set a standard for the others by demonstrating what might be accomplished on lands which for so many years Have been left idle and unproductive. The Indians, therefore, stand to gain largely by having the Industrial Farm established there, and very soon the advantages to them would become apparent.

I shall be obliged if you will kindly let me know how the proposition is viewed in order that at as early a date as possible I may take the matter up with the Provincial Secretary.

Your obedient servant,

R. W. Breece Smith.

Inspector.

Duncan C. Scott Esq.,
Deputy-Superintendent,
Indian Affairs,
OTTAWA.

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November 29, 1913.

Memorandum,-

Hon. Dr. Roche.

The formal application of the Provincial Secretary's Department for a portion of the Garden River Indian reserve for the purposes of an industrial farm, mentioned by Hon. Mr. Hanna in his letter of the 24th instant, has come to hand and been acknowledged. One of our surveyors had been detailed to make an estimate of another property on the Garden River reserve, and I have instructed him to examine the area applied for by the Provincial Government.

The members of the Garden River band are intelligent and thoroughly alive to the value of their reserve; just the other day they refused to surrender land for which application was made for the purpose of the excavation of trap rock on the ground that some of the area included in the application was suitable for agriculture. I think it can safely be said that they would refuse to consent to parting with 4,000 acres of

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their reserve for any purpose whatever.

I had an interview on Friday last with Dr. Bruce Smith, the Inspector of Prisons and Public Charities. In my conversation with him I suggested that it might be possible to utilize the services of their staff to give instruction to the Indians. The prison farm itself would be to the Indians a constant demonstration of what might be accomplished by intelligent farming. Sometime ago these Indians applied to the Department for a Farm Instructor, as they wished to develop the agricultural possibilities of their reserve, but, from lack of funds in their own account or in the Parliamentary appropriation, it was impossible at the time to comply with their request.

I have a letter from Dr. Smith this morning in which he states that the expert in agriculture at the farm would be able to direct the Indians in agricultural pursuits and stock raising. This would be one point in favour of the scheme and might appeal to some extent to the Indians. Dr. Smith wishes to know how the proposition is viewed by this Department at as early a date as possible, so that he can take the matter up with the Provincial Secretary. It will be necessary to await the Surveyor's return, when I shall be pleased to report further to you.

Duncan C. Scott

Deputy Superintendent General.

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Ottawa, Dec. 19, 1913.

File 437,632.

Memorandum for the Deputy Superintendent General:-

Pursuant to instructions dated the 26th ultimo to inspect four thousand acres of land on the Garden River Indian Reserve which has been applied for by the Provincial Government of Ontario for a prison farm, I beg to say the land consists of approximately twenty five hundred acres of nearly level clay land on which there is a thick second growth of mixed timber up to 8" in diameter but mainly composed of poplar, ash and spruce, and approximately fifteen hundred acres of hilly land of which about one thousand acres cannot be cultivated and which is covered with hardwood timber up to 30" in diameter but of a poor quality being limby and twisty. Included in this four thousand acres are two gravel pits and several springs, one of these gravel pits being the best on the reserve. One of the hills situate toward the Westerly portion of the four thousand acres applied for and South of the old road appears to be composed of trap rock. On the whole it may be said that the lands selected are admirably situated for the purpose of a prison farm but on the other hand thisland includes the marsh area along the Echo River and Echo Bay which produces practically all the hay put up on this reserve which is said to be from sixty to one

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one hundred tons per year. This tract of land is also the source of the greater part of the present supply of wood for the Indians on this reserve. The western part of the reserve being very sandy and light there is not very much wood South of the hills and as the Wilkinson Mining location which is about three miles in length and three quarters of a mile wide cuts them off from the Northern portion of the reserve it will be rather difficult for them to get wood if this piece of land is taken from them.

There are ten small clearings made by the Indians on the piece of land in question which are as follows:-

1½ acres cleared belonging to Joe Mżeghan.

2½ acres cleared belonging to Tom Wagimaw who has forty rods of three strand barb wire fence attached to cedar posts twelve feet apart and twenty rodsfastened to trees.

1/3 of an acre of land belonging to Alex Erskine.

½ an acre belonging to James Nahweziahk on which is a log house about twelve by fourteen feet.

3 acres of cleared land and a log shack belonging to Chief Geo. Shinwauk,who has one hundred and twenty rods of three strand wire fence attached to cedar posts twelve feet apart.

3 acres of clearing belonging to Councillor Jacob Wagimaw,who has fifty rods of four strand wire fencing on cedar posts and two stables and two houses.

½ of an acre of cleared land and a log shack belonging to William Erskine.

1 acre of clearing and a log house half built belonging to Tom Erskine.

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½ an acre of clearing belonging to Chas. A. Pine.

1/3 of an acre of clearing belonging to Henry Pine.

In addition to this the following people have winter quarters composed of houses and stables where they go to live during the winter months while taking out logs, wood or trapping:-

Widow of Joe Noonday, John Driver, Henry, Pine, Henry John, William Erskine, Tom Erskine, John Erskine, Chief Geo Shinwauk, Michael Clark.

Some of these winter quarters are very comfortable, and I think their average value would be $60.00 to each owner.

Fencing may be valued at $105.00.

The clearings may be valued at $20.00 per acre making a total of approximately $278.00 and shacks, not winter quaters, $175.00, making a total for improvements of $ 1098.00.

The timber on the land in question should be worth at least $6.00 per acre standing and the land not less than $20.00 per acre. I may also state that some of the Indians had heard that the Ontario Government was considering the proposition of acquiring a portion of their reserve for a prison farm and asked me to draw your attention to the fact that there was a large level valley suitable for this purpose situate North and East of Echo Lake and lying on both sides of the upper Echo River in the surrendered portion of the Township of Kehoe. On looking over the plan however, I see there are several mining locations, viz., B, C. D, H and N in this district and as these mining locations are patented and if the latter

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latter location was decided upon the Provincial Government would have to deal with the different patentees of these locations which are as follows:-

B, 200 acres, patented to Hon. R. W. Scott.

C and D, 200 acres each, patented to G. F. Austin.

H, 126 acres, to Chas P. Brown.

N, 201 acres, to Jas. Manning.

I did not inspect this land but the Indians state that it is a valley following the both sides of the upper Echo River and being nearly two miles in width of clay soil nearly level and covered with a second growth and extending from the East end of Echo Lake Northward and Eastward. and of greater extent than the valley they are now considering.

Your obedient servant

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ONTARIO
DEPARTMENT OF THE PROVINCIAL SECRETARY
THE INSPECTOR OF PRISONS AND
PUBLIC CHARITIES

TORONTO, Dec. 24th, 1913.

Dear Sir;-

I have been instructed to inquire from you what action has been taken with reference to the application of the Honourable the Provincial Secretary of Ontario regarding the sale of a portion of the Garden River Reserve for the purpose of establishing thereon an Industrial Farm. It is very desirable that we should know at the earliest possible date if this land can be secured for the purpose named.

With the Season's Greetings,

I have the honour to remain,

Your obedient servant,

R W Bruce Smith

Inspector.

D. C. Scott, Esq.,
Deputy Superintendent General
of Indian Affairs,
O T T A W A, Ont.

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December 27th. 1913.

Dear Sir,

I have your note of the 24th. instant with reference to the proposed industrial farm on the Garden River Reserve. The surveyor who inspected the land has made a report which I intend to bring to the attention of the Superintendent General the moment he returns to headquarters, which will be on 3rd. prox.

There will be, I am afraid, serious difficulty to obtaining this land for the farm. Our surveyor draws attention to the fact that there is a large level valley suitable for your purpose situated north and east of Echo Lake in the surrendered portion of the township of Kehoe. He did not take the opportunity of inspecting this land but he understood from the Indians that it is a valley following both sides of the upper Echo River and being nearly two miles in width of clay soil nearly level and covered with a second

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growth and extending from the East end of Echo Lake northward and eastward and of greater extent than the valley they are now considering.

Have you considered this location? If not, it might be well for you to have it inspected by a competent person.

Yours very truly,

DC

Deputy Superintendent General.

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Mr. Gray
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Toronto, December 29th., 1913.

Dear Sir;-

Your letter of December 27th is before me. I beg to ask you to let me know at once to whom the surrendered portion of the Township of Kehoe to which you refer, now belongs. Kindly telegraph full particulars in order that I may place the matter before the Minister tomorrow, Tuesday.

I have the honour to remain,
Your obedient servant,

R W Bruce Smith

Inspector.

Duncan C. Scott, Esq.,
Deputy-Minister General
Indian Affairs,
O t t a w a, Ont.

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Frac N.W 1/4 - 138 ac
all of Frac sections 13, 13A and 14

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Ottawa, Dec. 30, 1913.

Sir,

With reference to your letter of the 29th instant, I beg to enclose herewith a blue print plan of the Township of Kehoe. The Township was surrendered to be sold in the interest of the Indians. The mining locations, B.. Hon. R. W. Scott; C & D.. G. F. Austin; H.. Chas. P. Brown; N.. Jas. Manning; were severally patented to these gentlemen and in fee simple; the Department has no knowledge who may be the present owners; this information should be obtainable from the Registry Office.

The quarter sections and fractional quarter sections marked sold have also stated on the plan the names and addresses of the purchasers. The remaining portionsof land within the pencilled border and not marked sold are still in the possession of this Department and are for sale. These together with all the unsold portions of land in the said township are now being examined and fair prices put on them.

S.B. Def

Encl.

Your obedient servant,

R.W.Bruce Smith,Esq.,
Inspector of Prisons,
Dept. of the Provincial Secretary,
Toronto, Ont.

~~Assistant Deputy and Secretary.~~
Dy. Supt. Genl. of Indian Affairs

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THE INSPECTOR OF PRISONS AND
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TORONTO, December 31st, 1913.

Dear Sir;-

With reference to your letter of December 23rd, #437632, I have to thank you for enclosing me a Blue Print plan of the Township of Kehoe.

There is great doubt regarding the suitability of the area marked in the Township of Kehoe for an Industrial Farm. It is not sufficiently convenient to a railway station and the desire is, if possible, to secure a portion of the Garden River Reserve, as applied for by the Honourable Mr. Hanna.

In your letter of December 27th you make reference to the report of the Surveyor being submitted at an early date to the Superintendent General. Am I to infer that after the report is submitted the matter will be submitted to the vote of the Indians interested?

I will esteem it a favour if you will kindly let me know at the earliest possible date after the return of the Superintendent regarding the action that is to be taken.

I have the honour to remain,
Your obedient servant,

R. W. Bruce Steinhoff
Inspector.

Duncan C. Scott, Esq.,
Deputy Superintendent General,
Indians Affairs,
O T T A W A, Ont.

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January 8th. 1914.

Dear Sir,

In reply to your letter of December 31st.

I have to inform you that the Department would be willing to ask the Indians to surrender the land which you require for an Industrial Farm on the Garden River Indian Reserve. I may say, however, that the Indians would expect a reasonable price for this land. The officer who reported on the property states that the timber should be worth at least $6.00 per acre and the land not less than $20.00 per acre.

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Yours very truly,

D C Scott

Deputy Superintendent General.

R. W. Bruce Smith, Esq.,
Inspector of Prisons and
Public Charities,
Toronto, Ont.

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DESCRIPTION FOR SURRENDER

PRISON FARM IN

GARDEN RIVER INDIAN RESERVE.

Part of the Garden River Indian Reserve in the District of Algoma and Province of Ontario described as follows:- COMMENCING at the point where the South limit of the Echo Mining Location (commonly known as the Tomp Location) intersects the Westerly shore of Echo Lake; thence along the South limit of the said location to the Southwest corner of said location and due West astronomically therefrom in all a distance of two hundred and thirty-two chains; thence due South astronomically to the shore of Echo Bay; thence Easterly and Northerly following the said shore, the Northerly shore of Echo River and Echo Lake to the place of commencement and containing four thousand acres more or less.

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W. R. Scott

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F. 437,632.

(Draft)

Know all Men by these Presents

THAT WE, the undersigned Chief and Principal men of

The Garden River Band of Indians

resident on our Reserve in the District of Algoma,

of Ontario _____ in the Province and Dominion of Canada, for and acting on behalf of the whole people of our said Band in Council assembled, Do hereby release, remise, surrender, quit claim and yield up unto OUR SOVEREIGN LORD THE KING, his Heirs and Successors forever, ALL AND SINGULAR, that certain parcel or tract of land and premises, situate, lying and being in the Garden River Indian Reserve, _____ in the ~~County of~~ District of Algoma _____ and Province of Ontario _____ containing ~~by admeasurement~~ four thousand acres _____

be the same more or less and being composed of part of the said Indian Reserve described as follows:- Commencing at the point where the south limit of the Echo Mining Location (commonly known as the Tromp Location) intersects the westerly shore of Echo Lake; thence along the said south limit of the said location to the southwest corner of said location and due west astronomically therefrom in all a distance of two hundred and thirty-two chains; thence due south astronomically to the shore of Echo Bay; thence easterly the said shore, the northerly shore of Echo River and and northerly following Echo Lake to the place of commencement, as shown on plan hereto attached.

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TO HAVE AND TO HOLD the same unto His said Majesty THE KING, his Heirs and Successors forever, in trust to sell ——————

the same to such person or persons, and upon such terms as the Government of the Dominion of Canada may deem most conducive to our welfare and that of our people.

AND upon the further condition that all moneys received from the sale —————— thereof, shall, ~~after deducting the usual proportion for expenses of management, be~~ the amounts to be paid the Indian owners for improvements on the said lands, be placed to our credit and interest thereon paid to us, in the usual way.

AND WE, the said Chief and Principal men of the said

The Garden River Band of Indians —————— do on behalf of our people and for ourselves, hereby ratify and confirm, and promise to ratify and confirm, whatever the said Government may do, or cause to be lawfully done, in connection with the sale of the said lands and the disposition of the moneys derived therefrom.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands and affixed our seals this day of
in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.

Signed, Sealed and Delivered,
IN THE PRESENCE OF

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January 12. 1914.

Sir,-

In connection with land on the Garden River Reserve desired by the Province of Ontario for an industrial farm, I beg to inclose form of surrender, in duplicate, covering approximately 4,000 acres, situate on Echo River and Echo Lake, which surrender you are hereby authorized to submit to the Indians under and in accordance with the provisions of the Indian Act. In submitting the surrender to the Indians you might point out that the establishment of an industrial farm on a portion of the reserve would be a great material advantage to them. They would have an opportunity of being instructed, not only in modern farming methods and stock raising, but also in regard to the economic systems that would be best adapted to the varieties of soil in that particular locality. As the Indians would become versed in farming methods and capable of assisting in the work, preference would be given them as vacancies arose in the staff.

The establishment of an industrial farm would enhance the value of the surrounding lands belonging to the

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Indian Agent,
Sault Ste. Marie, Ont.

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the Indians.

If the Indians desire to fix a minimum price to be paid for the land, you may insert same in the forms of surrender.

The meeting of the Indians should be called in accordance with their rules, and care should be taken to see that each Indian receives notice of the meeting and of the purpose for which it is being held.

If a majority of the Indians assent to surrender, you should have it dated and signed by a few of the Indians and an affidavit of execution made by yourself and the Chief and a Principal Man before a stipendiary magistrate or a justice of the peace, and then return both documents to the Department.

Kindly also report the number of male voting members of the band, the number present at the meeting, the number voting for the surrender and the number voting against.

Your obedient Servant,

Duncan C. Scott

Deputy Superintendent General.

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Soo Ont Jan 27th

J D McLean, Secy Dept of Indian Affairs, 441151

Ottawa, Ont.

Have doubts of surrender four thousand acres going through tomorrow if dept would guarantee half proceeds of sale be divided among band would change aspret answer before six tonight

I2 40P A D McNabb

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Ottawa, January 27, 1914.

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A. D. McNabb,
Indian Agent,
Sault Ste. Marie, Ont.

Department will consent to payment to Indians of half proceeds of sale, as provided for by Indian Act. May insert clause in surrender.

J. D. McLean.

(Cy. D.I.A.)

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

Sault Ste. Marie Ont.

Feby 3rd 1914

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No.
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

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Sir,—

Enclosed please find a/c from the Hilts Printin Co for $1,50, for printing hand bills calling a meeting of the Garden River Band of Indians to cosider and Vote on the surrender for the Prison Farm,

I had 100 bills printed and distributed around to every house where there was a voter, This may not be regular but it is the only way that I could make sure that they were all notified,

I have the honor to be Sir,
Your obedient servant,

A D McNabb
Indian Agent,

J, D, Mc Lean Esq,
Asst, Deputy & Secretary,
Dept, of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa,
Ont,

Tell agent he should have obtained authority from Dept to have these bills printed & distributed but now it is done he should send 2 copies of bill to Dept before payment of a/c can be given consideration
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Ottawa, 18th February, 1914.

Sir:-

In reply to your letter of the 3rd. instant, I beg to say that you should have obtained authority from the Department before having the hand-bills therein referred to printed and distributed. I return the account which was submitted from The Hilts Printing Company, as before the question of payment can be considered it will be necessary for you to attach thereto two copies of the bills in question. All accounts for printing which the Department receives have to be submitted to The King's Printer for taxation previous to payment, together with a sample of the work done.

Your obedient servant,

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

A. D. McNabb, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Sault Ste Marie, Ont.

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No. of Account 12

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Hilts Printing Co,

DATE 1914			AMOUNT	
		Authorized by Dept. Letter No. ..... dated		
Jany	16th	To H amd Bills Re Surrender	1	50

Phone 586

114 March Street

Sault Ste. Marie, Ont. Jan 16 1914

M r. A. D. McNabb

To HILTS PRINTING CO., Dr.

Commercial and Society

JOB PRINTING

Order No. .....

Jan. 16 To 100 8 Sheet Bills		1 50

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Rec'd

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just ; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

A D McNabb

Agent.

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To the Secretary Department of Indian affairs.

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The Ojebways Indians of the Sarnia Reserve, And formerly members of St Clair mission Sarnia Reserve where Rev W Rigsby is Pastor who disqualified some responsible persons because we asked the Chairman of Sarnia district and also the president of the London conference. to make a change in the St Clair mission.
According the Discipline of the Methodist Church.. Reading as follows
Section 4. The stationing committee.
No. 5 The stationing committee shall not allowed any minister or Probationer for the ministry to remain more then Four years successively on the same circuit or mission except the General conference Officers.
Stating that Rev W. Rigsby was not a suitable minister for our people as he refused to visite among them and when requested to do so. said that his salary was to small and that it was not his duty
He also refused to give sacrament to a young Girl who lay on her death bed, he said he was to busy cultivating land but would go the next day. it was then to late as the girl died during the night
We want a minister who will attend to duty strictly, according to the Discipline of the methodist church and look after the spiritual welfare of the Indians and their Children we desire to be good Christion

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and live a good honest upright life.
Could we have a minister who would interest himself in our behalf.
We did ask Rev Mr Fletcher of Sarnia to come and preach the Gospel to us every Sunday which he did holding meetings at private houses. They were largley attended and he was doing good work untill Rev Mr Rigsby interfered by notifying the Secretary of the London conference who notified Rev. Mr Fletcher to discontinue holdings meetings among the Indians of Sarnia Reserve. or he would be arrested, so fearing trouble would result he discontinued the meetings.
And we would like very much to know if he has authority to dictate to these people as to whether they shall hold meetings and have another minister preach the Gospel to them or not.
We have alloways supposed this to be a free Country and we had a perfect right to hold religious meetings and invite a minister to preach the Gospel to us.
And we earnestly hope and pray that we may be given the right to select a good minister.
Wishing you to consider this matter at your earlest Convenience.

Yours Respectfully

Chas Madwayosh
John J Jackson
Daniel Otter

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Sarnia Reserve. July 31st 1911

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To the presedent of the London conference,

WE the members of the St Clair mission have a church Trouble. and we wish you to come and inoestigate the church The reason why we ask the station committee is namily the chang of St Clair mission.
And the Local preachers have been disqualified without any reason,
WE made report to the chairman of Sarnia district but he refused to hear it.
and we pray earnestly that to you will grant our request,

~~The letter~~
~~Thor was sent in.~~

This Copy sent in

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Sarnia Reserve June 16th 1911

To Rev. Mr J.E. Holmes. Chairman of Sarnia district

Sir. The Local preachers disqualified without reason at the St Clair misson. or given them notice. Contrary to our rules.
Also other things we would like to to mention had we an opportunity. reason why we ask the Station Committee at conference. to make a Change in St Clair Mission. And refused to hear it.
Wish you to consider this matter.
And oblijed.

This is a copy sent in.

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Sarnia Reserve May 5th - 1911

To the Chairman of Sarnia district.

We the undersigned of this petition do earnestly pray that the Chairman of the medothist Church Sarnia district Grant us our greatest desire. namely to make a Change in the St Clair Mission of Sarnia Reserve. this request we do earnestly pray be granted.

This is a copy petition sent in.

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Ottawa, 5th December, 1913.

Sir,

Herewith you will find enclosed copy of a letter received from Chas. Madwayosh, John J. Jackson and Daniel Otter, members of the Sarnia band of Indians giving reasons why they desire a change to be made as regards the Methodist Missionary, who conducts the St. Clair Mission. The Department would be glad to have a report from you at an early date, as to whether it would be justified, owing to the manner in which Mr. Rigsby conducts his duties, in bringing the matter to the attention of the Chairm

ENC. of the Methodist Church for the Sarnia district.

Your obedient servant,

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Timothy Maxwell, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Sarnia,
Ont.

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EXT.

Ottawa, 5th December, 1913.

Sirs,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 28th ultimo, containing complaints against the Rev. W. Rigsby, the Methodist Missionary, in charge of the St. Clair Mission, and to say that the matter is receiving the attention of the Department.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. Reed

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Chas. Madwayosh, John J. Jackson and Daniel Otter,

Sarnia,

Ont.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

Sarnia

December 10th 1913

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 438,000
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

Asst Secy

Sir,—

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EX'D

In reply to yours of Dec 5th/13 I might say that I think that there parties have had a little difference between them but do not know of what nature but I will have a talk with the Chairman of the District the Rev. Grahm of Sarnia and see what can be done

Yours
S. Maxwell
Agent

J. D. McLean
Asst Deputy & Secretary

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Sarnia Reserve Nov 13 th 1913

I Daniel Manass. a member of St Clair Mission Sarnia Reserve where Rev Mr Rigsby is Pastor. requested him the second time to Christen my child he refuse. saying I live to far away. he never attended to his duties. And then I asked Rev Mr Wright Pastor of the St Peters Church Sarnia Reserve to Christen my child. and he did Christen my child.

Mr Daniel Manass

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Sarnia Reserve Dec 11th

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BRANTFORD

To the Secretary of Indian affairs
Sir.

I received your letter of the 5th Dec- No 438000 Stating the complaints against Rev W. Rigsby Methodist missionary of Sarnia Reserve St Clair Mission was receiving the attention of the Department. We are glad the Department is considering the Matter. we hope to have a good concientious missionary who will attend strictly of duty according to the methodist church Discipline.
We left Rev W. Rigsby Church over 3 years ago and have had no minister since.
WE also enclose another complaint by Daniel Manass a member of Rev W. Rigsby church. Who had a young child that he wanted Christened. But Rev W Rigsby refused. Saying he lived to far out.
Anxiously awaiting the result of your consideration on this important and interesting subject.

Yours Respectfully

John Jackson
Daniel Otter
Chas Madwayosh

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Re dispute over dwelling house - between Mrs Pelo (Mrs Lesage) and the heirs of Tzyook

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

Sault Ste, Marie, Ont,

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TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

December 2nd 1913

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Sir,—

I was called on today to settle the followin dispute in referance to a dwelling House on the Garden River Reserv A Mrs Predo from the American side was according to her story invited to move to Garden River and start up a business viza a Bakery and Candy Store, She went there and got permission from a man named Tegosh, to Build a House on his Property, she Built a aHouse at what she says amounted to $300,00, She lived in it for som some time and her business proving a failure she left and went b back to the States, Before she left she Sold the House to Moses Dason for $100,00, Dason paid her $5,00 cash and he was to pay her the Balance in July, in the meantime Tegosh erected a Wire Fence along the Front of the Building and right up against the Door making it impossible for any person getting into the Building, Dason did not move in and only paid $5,00 more making $10,00, in all, About #3 3years ago Mrs Predo sold the same House to John P, L Lasage and gave him an Agreement of Sale, The conditions were not lived up to by her and he did not pay her any money, This last sprin she again sold the House to Alex, Nahwahgezik and got $30,00 in Cash , Nahwahgezik came to me and asked me about the sale, after investigating the matter I advised him to get his money back and have nothing to do with the House, He did so, Along through the Summe Summer Mrs Predo got Married to Moses Lasage a member of the Batchew Batchewana Band, and is now living on the Reserve,

It appears that Tegosh died leaving no Children and having no Will, His Sister Mrs Tebo a member of Thessalon Band residing on the GardenRiver Reserve now lays claim to the Land and property left by her Brother, a few days ago she Sold the House in question to one Eddie Pine, Pine Rented the House and when the tennant moved

J,D, Mc L,
Ottawa

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

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J, D, Mc Lean Esq,

Sir,—

moved in Mrs Predo or Mrs Lasagew went to the house with an Axe and removed two of the Windows and broke one Window with the Axe and threatened to Burn the House down,

The Chief and Sub Chief claim that Tegosh never had any right to the Land,only the use of it as long as he lived ,as he was an Ame American Indian in the pay of the Americam Government, They claim that the Land and the House reverted back to the Band at The death of Tegosh,I am enclosing for your perusal the testimony taken by me in trying to unravel this muddle,and must confess that I am at aloss what to do in the matter, and would be much pleased to be advised by you as to what to do or to decide who is the owner of the House as well as the Land,

Thanking you in advance for an early solution of this problem

I have the honor to be Sir,

Your obedient servant,

Indian Agent,

J, D, Mc Lean Esq,

Asst, Deputy & Secretary,

Dept, of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa,

Ont,

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Mrs Predo or Lasage's Evidence

About 6 years agolast June I was living in the American Sault, when John Erskine Sub Chief of Garden River came to my House and atopped with me two days,He asked me to move to Garden River and Start up some business to earn my Living,He proposed a Candy Store and Bakery,I agreed to do so and went to Garden River to look up a location,My son was Raised by one Jos, Tegosh, and he advised me to build on the proprty occupied by Tegosh , I asked Jos Tegosh for permission to build on his land,He asked his sister Margaret about it and Margaret said to him Suit yourself the land belongs to you, He then consentd and I built the House at a cost of $300,00, I lived in it for some time and found I could not make a living there and left, the Reserva wWhen leaving I sold the house to Mrs Moses Dason for$100,00, she paid me $5,00, Cash and was to pay me the balance when her Family got their Ann uity in July,she gave me another $5,00 afterwards,making $10,00inall, In the mean time Joe Tegosh erected a Barb Wire Fence in front of the House right across the Door Dason would not pay till the Fence was removed, About 3 years ago I again sold the House to John P, Lasage,and had an Agreement of sale made by a Solicitor,Lasage did not pay me any money, This last Summer I again sold the House to Alex, Nahwahgezik He gave me $30,00 Cash and was to pay me the Balance Monthly,ina few days he wanted his money back which I gave him,
On Saturday last when I heard that there was a Tennant moving in the House I went there and took 2 of the windows out of the House and carried them across the road, Eddie Pine who claim he owns the House carried the windows back and I then went to the Kitchen window and broke it with an Axe, I threatened to take the House away piece by piece, I did not say I would burn it down

her
Sgd, Madelinex Lasage
Mark

I also have the Evidence of Mrs Dason ,J,P, Lasage and A, Nahwahgezik testifying to the different sales which I will send you if required

A D McRae
Indian Agent

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Ottawa, 15th December, 1913.

Sir,

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your favour of the 2nd instant, with respect to the claim of Mrs. Predo to a house on the Garden River Reserve, and after reciting the facts in connection with the case you ask to be advised as to what should be done.

In reply I beg to say that it does not appear to the Department that this woman should be deprived of her improvements on this land. If it is true that Tegosh never had any right to the land, as claimed by the Chiefs, the Department would suggest that the Chiefs sell the house in question for the best price that can be procured to some member of the band, who could remove it to his own land. The Chiefs could then take possession of the land and return to Mrs. Dason the $10.00 which she paid to Mrs. Predo out of the purchase money and give the balance to Mrs. Predo. If the land was owned by Tegosh then it should go to his heirs rather than to the band.

a.s.w. Dil

Your obedient servant,

Duncan C. Scott

Deputy Superintendent General of Indian Affairs.

A.D.McNabb, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Sault Ste. Marie,
Ont.

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Re claim of descendants
of late Captain Brant
to certain Lands in
East Flamboro - Halton County

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A. M. LEWIS

HARRISON ARRELL

Solicitors for:
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Township of Oneida
Standard Bank of Canada

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Hamilton Office - Federal Life Building
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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
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CALEDONIA, ONT., Dec. 15, 1913

The Indian Department,

Ottawa.

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Dear Sir;-

We have been consulted several times lately by descendants of the late Captain Brant in reference to a patent which was issued to him covering certain lands in East Flamboro and other lands in the County of Halt[illegible]

We understand that Captain Brant built a home at Burlington and died there about 1800 or a few years afterwards. We notice that a patent was issued to him of 3450 acres in the Township of East Flamboro. It would appear from the records that new patents for this same land were issued by the Crown afterwards. The deseendants of Captain Brant seem to think that they have some right either to this land or to money which was received for it. Your Department are no doubt familiar with the whole question and we wish you would be good enough to write us and let us know whether our clients have any foundation for the claim which they are making.

Yours truly,

Lewis & Arrell

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Mr Storr thinks that perhaps something might be learned at the archives - Sussex St - Mr Audet in charge

new file

Department of Indian Affairs,

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Ottawa, 17 Dec 1913

Date of Patent to Joseph Brant for 3,450 acres at Head of Lake Ont. No Township named - 14 Feby - 1798 - Issued 3 April 1798. in Lib D. Folio 119 - ~~Transferred~~ Book was transferred by Canadian Exp. 23 Dec. 1867 to Toronto

H.E.K.

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438,835.

Ottawa, December 18, 1913.

Gentlemen,-

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 15th instant, inquiring in regard to Crown Grant issued for certain lands in East Flamboro, and in reply to say that there is no record in this Department of any Grant for lands in this township.

Your obedient Servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Messrs. Lewis & Arrell,
Barristers, etc.,
Caledonia, Ont.

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HARRISON ARRELL

SOLICITORS FOR:
[redacted] OF CALEDONIA
TOWNSHIP OF SENECA
TOWNSHIP OF ONEIDA
STANDARD BANK OF CANADA

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CALEDONIA OFFICE - ROPER'S BLOCK

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CALEDONIA, ONT., Dec. 24, 1913

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The Indian Department,

Ottawa.

Dear Sirs;-

We have your letter of the 18th inst. for which we are much obliged. We made a mistake in saying that these lands were in the Township of East Flamboro, apparently they are in West Flamboro. There are also some lands in the County of Halton which were granted to Captain Brant. Is there no record in the office of the Department as to what land was granted to Captain Brant? If there is we wish you would be good enough to let us know what it was.

Yours truly,

Lewis & Arrell

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Department of Indian Affairs.

Ottawa, 27. Dec 1913

Mr. ~~[illegible]~~ Mathison.

Nothing here regarding this G.W. Mr.

Kindly let me fair corr^ce re Grant of lands to Capt Brant referred to under

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EXT.

Ottawa, December 31, 1913.

Gentlemen.-

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 24th instant, in regard to lands in West Flamboro granted to Captain Grant, and in reply to say that there is no record in this Department of the Grant of lands in question.

Your obedient Servant,

F. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Messrs. Lewis & Arrell,
Barristers etc.,
Caledonia, Ont.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS CANADA.

Ottawa, 9th March, 1914.

Memorandum:

Mr. Scott,

A continued search has resulted in finding in the Archives Branch of the Secretary of State, a petition from Joseph Brant of date the 27th August, 1790, for a grant of three thousand acres of land at the head of Lake Ontario, and also a copy of a Minute of the Land Committee of date the 26th August, 1791, recommending that the prayer of the petition be granted as soon as the tract had been purchased from the Missasagas Indians. A sketch showing the land desired was, however, asked for in order that the bounds of the tract might be accurately defined. It is regretted that the search made has failed to discover the further correspondence relating to this grant, although it would appear evident from the statement in regard thereto in Stone's Life of Brant that the grant was made and defined.

The statement mentioned is as follows:-

"A few years before his death,

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"Captain Brant built a commodious dwelling-house two "stories high, on a tract of land presented him by the "King at the head of Lake Ontario - directly north of "the beach which divides the lake from the sheet of water "known as Burlington Bay. The situation is noble and com- "manding, affording a glorious prospect of that beautiful "lake, with a fruitful soil and a picturesque country a- "round it."

J. B. Brant

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A. M. LEWIS

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CALEDONIA OFFICE - ROPER'S BLOCK

CALEDONIA, ONT., Jan. 21, 1914

F. R. Lalor, Esq. M. P.,

Dunnville.

Dear Frank;-

Several of the indians here have been to see me in reference to property granted to the late Captain Brant.

It seems that a patent from the Crown was granted to him on the 14th of February 1798 of 3450 acres of land at the head of Lake Ontario or composed of a tract at the head of Lake Ontario. The Indian Department must have some record of this grant being made and I have written them in reference to the same but I have never been able to obtain any information.

Apparently from a journal got up by the Wentworth Historical Society it speaks of this property having been afterwards granted by the Crown and it is described as a tract of land lying between the Townships of East Flamboro and Nelson, formerly called Captain Brant's tract, but now Wellington Square.

Be good enough to make inquiries at the Indian Office and see if they have any records as to what has become of the rights which Captain Brant had under this grant.

Yours truly,

Harrison Arrell

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MINISTER'S OFFICE
FEB 24 1914
DEPT OF INTERIOR

House of Commons

OTTAWA February 20, 1914.

Honourable Dr. Roche,

Minister of the Interior, 443698

OTTAWA.

My dear Sir,-

I am enclosing you a letter from Harrison & Arrell, making enquiries as to certain property owned by the Late Captain Bland. I wish you would have your Department look into this, and advise me.

Letter to Mr. Labr re this on File No. 156255

I also enclose you a letter from Mr. Van Loon. This is something I know nothing about, and I wish you would also give this subject some enquiry and advise me.

Letter to Mr. Labr re this on File 78253

I further enclose you a letter from John Clarke, who appears to have some claim against the Indian Department. I would be glad to have you enquire into this, and oblige me. Thanking you in anticipation, I am,

Sincerely yours,

J R Labr

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FILE NO.....

Lands and Timber Branch

Ottawa. February 24, 1914.

MEMO.

To the Deputy Minister-

In regard to letter of the 20th instant, from Mr. Lalor M. P., inclosing a communication addressed him by Mr. Harrison Arrell, Barrister, of Caledonia as to grant of 3,450 acres of land at the head of Lake Ontario to the late Captain Brant, on the 14th of February, 1798, I beg to say that search has been made in the records of the Department and no information can be found in regard to this grant.

Officer in Charge.

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To The Right Honble Guy Lord
Dorchester Governor General
General and Commander in Chief in
and over His Majesty's Dominions in
North America Vice Admiral of the
Same &c &c &c.

In Council

The Petition of Joseph Brant Captain in the Indian
Department during the late War now of the Grand
River in the District of Nassau.

Humbly Sheweth

That he was one of the first who Engaged
in the Late War in behalf of the King & the British
Government, that he Served faithfully to the End there
of the Variety of Dangerous Fetaguing Enterprizes
he was Engaged in and his Endeavours to keep the
Indians firm in the King's Interest are well known
to many of his Generals and Officers, some of which
the Petitioner your Lordship is no Stranger to.

He Represents to your Lordship that the
the Public Business he has had to transact with
the Indian Nations, where the Interest of his
Majesty & his Subjects was Particularly Connected,
has taken up much of his Time as to Prevent
his applying for a Part of his Majesty's Bounty
Land allowed to those who Served in the War.

He now Humbly Prays, your Lordship
will be pleased to Grant him Three Thousand Acres of
Land on the north side of the Small Lake at the Head
of Lake Ontario including what is Called the North Neck
to a Creek about a Mile from the last Purchase Line
also the usual allowance for his Wife and Eight Chil-
dren at or near that Place where he may Locate
to Locate the Same

And your Lordships Petitioner as in
Duty Bound will ever Pray

Niagara 27th August
1790

Joseph Brant

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Minutes of Council
Lower Canada, respecting
Capt. Brandy Land
Aug.t 26. 1791.

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Minute of the Land Committee.
Friday 26th August 1791.

Read the Petition of Captain Joseph Brandt of the Indian Department referred to this Committee the 17th Instant setting forth, that he was one of the first who took Arms in the late War in support of his Majesty's Government in America and that he served the King faithfully to the end of the War as well in many fatiguing and dangerous Interprises as in keeping the Indians firm in His Majesty's interest, that the attention necessary for those ends had prevented him from making an earlier application for a grant of the Wise lands of the Crown and he now prays for 3000 Acres to be laid off on the North side of the small Lake at the head of Lake Ontario to include the North neck, and to run to a Creek about a mile from the line on boundary of the last purchase made from the Indians. He prays further for the Usual allowance of Lands for his Family, consisting of a Wife and Nine Children to be adjoining to the 3000 Acres above described making in all 3450 Acres.

The Committee most fully Satisfied of Captain Brandts unequovical conduct in support of the Kings Government in the Colonies now the United States, and of Services he performed during

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True Copy

a True Copy

Hugh Finlay
Chairman —

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Reported 13th Oct. 1790

The Petition of
Capt. Joseph Brant.

Referred to the Land Committee, who are at the same time informed that the Superintendant Genl. of Indian Affairs is authorized to make a purchase of the Missasagas Indians including the location applied for by Captain Brant.

By order of H. E. Lord Dorchester Quebec
17th August 1791

Henry Motz

filed 17th Aug. 1791 26 Augt. 1791
Read in Cont. & Encl. in Mem. Feb.

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March 10, 1914.

Dear Mr. Lalor,-

The Hon. Dr. Roche has transferred to me your letter of the 20th of February and its inclosure from Messrs. Harrison & Arrell, regarding a grant of 3450 acres of land at the head of Lake Ontario to the late Captain Brant on the 14th of February, 1798. The delay in answering this has occurred owing to the difficulty of searching for information in regard to the grant. Nothing could be found in the files of this Department, but in the Dominion Archives there is a petition from Joseph Brant dated the 27th of August, 1790, for a grant of 3000 acres of land at the head of Lake Ontario and also a Minute of the Land Committee dated the 26th of August, 1791, recommending that the prayer of the petition be granted as soon as the tract had been purchased from the Mississauga Indians. I inclose herewith copies of these. A sketch showing the land desired was asked for in order that the bounds of the tract might be accurately defined. No further correspondence relating

Incl.

F. R. Lalor, Esq., M.P.,
House of Commons,
Ottawa.

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to this grant can be found, although it would appear evident from the statement in regard thereto in Stone's Life of Brant that the grant was made and defined. The statement mentioned is as follows : -

" A few years before his death, Captain Brant " built a commodious dwelling-house two stories high, " on a tract of land presented him by the King at the " head of Lake Ontario - directly north of the beach " which divides the lake from the sheet of water known " as Burlington Bay. The situation is noble and com- " manding, affording a glorious prospect of that " beautiful lake, with a fruitful soil and a picturesque " country around it."

Yours very truly,

Duncan C. Scott

Deputy Superintendent General.

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Milton June 18th 1918

Dear Madam

I duly received your enquiry and in reply beg to say that the Government Grant to the late Capt Joseph Brant in the County of Halton was 3450 acres (three thousand four hundred and fifty acres, which was situate at the head or North west end of Lake Ontario and adjoining the Town of Burlington - I also am told there was a grant of land in the County of Wentworth to Capt Joseph Brant but of this fact I have no official knowledge

Yours very truly

Victor Chisholm

Reg of Deeds Co Halton

fees
search .25
certificate .25
postage 03
.53

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Stamford Welland Co.
June 30th 1920

Hon. Arthur Meighen. Ottawa

Dear Sir.

Pardon me for again taking the liberty of writing to you. I see from the papers your amendment of the Indian act has passed. I take it for granted the enfranchisement is for women as well as for men. My mother the late Charlotte Smith was a granddaughter of Capt. Joseph Brant (Thyendanaga) therefore I am a great grand-daughter. Capt. Joseph Brant was given 3450 acres of land for his services to the British Crown. He asked for a deed for this land which was given him. He leased this for 99 years to white people. The time has long passed and we derived no benefit from said land. Could you not under these circumstances grant me a deed free?

The enclosed is from the registrar at Milton. The architect, Mr. Doughty corroborates this statement. Thank you Sir for the acknowledgement of my letter to you in March. Mr. William Smith, the interpreter, as well as many others on the Reserve know my family.

Yours respectfully

Mary Lee

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[redacted]va, July 5 1920

Mr. O[illegible]

Please report on attached letter and return it to the office of the Deputy Superintendent General.

~~Do not file.~~

DM

Please see letter to Mr Lalor Mp. 10 Mch 14 on file 438835 herewith

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July 15, 1920.

am,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter he 30th ultimo, addressed to the Hon. Mr. Meighen, in ection with Grant made to Captain Joseph Brant of 3,450 cres of land, and in reply to say that the Department has no information in regard to this matter, and it would be ell, therefore, for you to ascertain by search in the cal Registry Office as to whether Captain Joseph Brant any disposition of this land, and if so, to whom.

Your obedient Servant,

J. D. McLean

Assistant Deputy & Secretary.

Mary Dee,
amford,
Welland Co., Ont.

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Sundry Accts Dec 9th 1913.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To A. D. Brander

DATE		Clupps Walpole Isld	AMOUNT	
1913		Authorized by Dept. Letter No. ..... dated		
Oct	27	To 1 Doz Slates		— 50

25-50

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

Thos. A. McCallum
Agent.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Shaw & Husband

DATE		AMOUNT
	Chipps of Walpole Isld	
	Authorized by Dept. Letter No. 57746 dated 18 oct/13	

J. B. SHAW D. A. HUSBAND E. W. SHAW

Mr J. B. McDougall for Schools

WALLACEBURG, ONT., Dec 17 1913.

ACCOUNT NUMBER

IN ACCOUNT WITH **SHAW & HUSBAND**

DEALERS IN

HARDWARE, PAINTS, OILS, ETC.

INTEREST AT THE RATE OF 8 PER CENT. PER ANNUM CHARGED ON OVERDUE ACCOUNTS

DATE		ARTICLES	FOLIO	CREDIT AMOUNT	DEBIT AMOUNT	TOTAL
Sep	19	To 2 gran pails 1.50 13, 3 glass 54 putty 5		✓	2.09	
Nov	27	1 Stove 7.50 13 pipe 1.43 1 Elbow 20 1 Damper 15		✓	9.28	
						11.37
		439100				

COPELAND-CHATTERSON SYSTEMS TORONTO

4805

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Percy Jacobs

DATE			AMOUNT	
		Chipps & wages		
		Authorized by Dept. Letter No. ..... dated		
Dec 20		To 10 Cords of wood for Council House	12	50

4804

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Chas Peters

DATE		Chipps of wolfpole	AMOUNT
		Authorized by Dept. Letter No. ..... dated	
1913			
Dec	20	To building 5 log culverts @	45 00
		" repairs to Lower Ferry	6
			51 00

Paid

4803

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

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Agent.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To J. F. Saint

DATE		AMOUNT
	Chipps & Pottawattamie Walpole Isld	
	Authorized by Dept. Letter No. ..... dated	
Dec 20		

STATEMENT

Dec 20 1913

M Chipp & Pott Council

Walpole

In a/c With J F Saint Dr.

TERMS.

Aug 28/13	To Coffin Mrs Wright Ann	95	0
Sept 1	~~[illegible]~~	~~95~~	~~0~~
" 25	E Pinnance Child	95	0
Oct 20	A Wright Child	95	0
" 28	S Kenay & She Child	95	0
Nov 24	~~M White Child~~	95	0
Dec 1	L Greenbird "	95	0
" 4	~~D Day~~ "	95	0
		760	0
		475	0
	A. Warner M. White Child D. Day	Pottawatomie Acct	

pd by CK 30921 234006-40

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Thos. A. McCallum
Agent.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
DEC 23 1913

Walpole Island Ontario
Dec. 20 - 1913

To the Secretary Department
of Indian Affairs
Ottawa
Canada.

439100

Sir,-

Required by the Chippewa Council that the following Accts. be paid - for the Quarter ending Dec. - 1913.

To J. T. Saint
1 coffin to Mrs Wrightman $9.50
1 " " Ed. Penance child 9.50
1 " " A. Wright child 9.50
1 " " S. Kewayosk child 9.50
1 " " L. Greenbird child 9.50 - $47.50

To A. D. Brander
1 Doz. slates 50

To Shaw & Husband
2 Gran Pails 150, 13 glass 54 putty 5 = 209
1 stove 750 13 pipes 143, Elbow 20 Damper 15 928 - 11.37

To Chas. Peters.
Building 5 log Culverts - $45.00
Repairing lower ferry - 6.00 - 51.00

To Percy Jacobs
10 cords of wood for Council Hall 12.50
$122.87

Yours -
Chief Chas. Jacobs
Acting Secretary
Chippewa Council
Walpole Island
Ontario

Chas Sue. Jace. 2/4

I hereby Certify this acc
Thos A McCallum

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To F. S. Saint & D. Day & Shaw & Husband

DATE			AMOUNT	
		Pottawattemeis of Walpole Island		
		Authorized by Dept. Letter No. 439203 dated Dec 26-1913		
		Accounts for Dec Quarter 1918		
a/c 31		F. S. Saint Coffin for Moses White Chief 5-069	9	50
sch Vote		David Day for No 2 Schoolwood		
		4 1/4 cords at $1.00	4	25
		15 3/4 " " 1.25	19	69
		2776	23	94
a/c 31		Shaw & Husband		
		2 drawers Locks		70
		1 " " 5030		45
			1	15
a/c 31		David Day for digging 1 grave	1	00
			~~$3[illegible]~~	

Chs. Sum. Jan. 15/14

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

Thos. A. McCallum
Agent.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
DEC 28 1913

Pottawattemie & Walpole Island
Accounts for Dec. Quarter 1913.

J. T. Saint Coffin for Moses Whites child 9.50

David Day for No 2 Schoolwood
4¼ Cords @ $1.00 4.25
15-3/4 " " 1.25 19.69

Shaw & Husband
2 Drawer Locks .70
1 " " .45

David Day for digging 1 grave 1.00
$35.59

ACCOUNTANT JAN 14 1914 BRANCH

Moved by Jno. Colwell & seconded by Joseph Sampson that the above amount be paid. Carried.

Walpole Island.
Dec. 22nd 1913.
Geo Isaac.
Sec.

Chief Jos. Sampson
John Colwell
Levi White

I Hereby Certify this Acc to be Correct
Phs E McCallum
Indian Agt

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DEPUTY MIN
AUG 29 P.M.
ONTARIO

3227 Tullamore Rd.
Cleveland, Ohio.

737508

August 25, 1930.

Department of Lands and Forests,

Toronto, Ontario.

Gentlemen;

I have recently purchased parts of Lots 14 and 15 Con. 1, Gordon Township, Manitoulin Island, Ontario.

I find that the Indian Office at Gore Bay does not have any very definite discriptions of these lots, other than a print of the Plan of the Township, and they have suggested that I write your Department and request a copy of the discriptions and field notes, made by the Surveyor, at the time when the above mentioned lots were officially surveyed.

If you are in position to furnish this information I will appreciate a copy very much indeed and will gladly forward any necessary charges.

If these field notes are not available at your Office kindly let me know where I may obtain them.

Yours sincerely,

Richard P. Tappenden

field notes

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A letter should only have reference to one subject.

No. 737508

In your reply refer to above letter number if an answer is desired.

ONTARIO

DEPARTMENT OF SURVEYS

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
SEP 17 1930
RECORDS

Toronto, Sept. 16, 1930.

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
SEP 17
SURVEYS

Dear Sir,-

I am transferring a letter received from Richard P. Tappenden of Cleveland, Ohio, who desires field notes of Lots 14 and 15, Con. I, Township of Gordon. 78ac 78ac.

Kindly give this your attention and oblige.

Yours truly,

Surveyor General,
Deputy Minister.

EMJ:PA

A. F. McKenzie, Esq.,
Acting Asst. Deputy & Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
OTTAWA, Ont.

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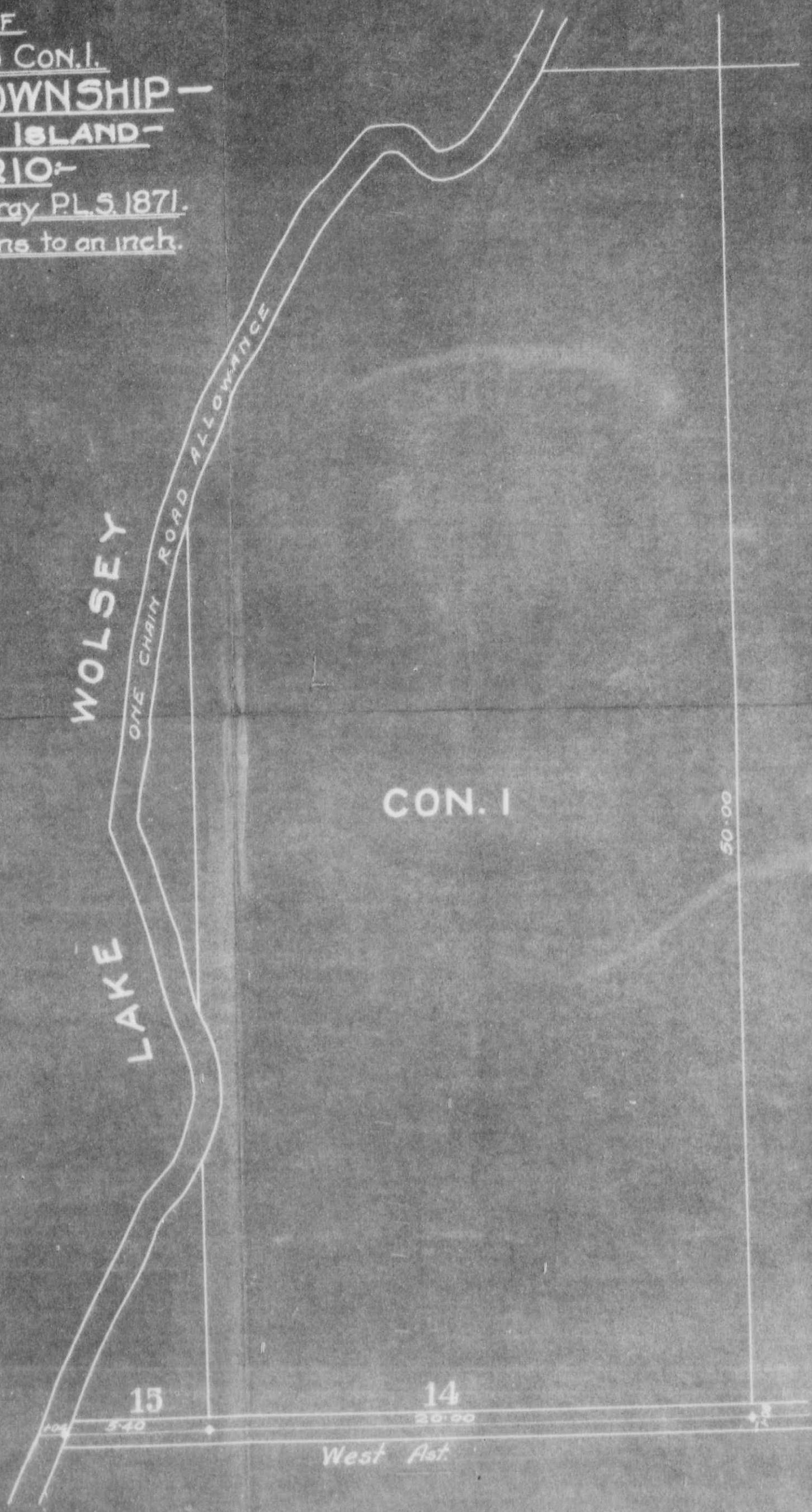
PLAN OF
LOTS 14 & 15 CON. I.
— GORDON TOWNSHIP —
- MANITOULIN ISLAND -
-:ONTARIO:-

Surveyed by E. Bray P.L.S. 1871.

Scale - 4 chains to an inch.



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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
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Indian Office Brantford,
December 15, 1913.

Sir,-

I beg to enclose minutes of Council held on the 2nd of December and subsequent dates and to report thereon as follows:-

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No. 14.

The Brant Historical society requested the Council to have the tablets containing the Lord's Prayer, Ten Commandments and the Apostles Creed removed from the Mohawk Church and placed in a fire-proof room at the Mohawk Institute and to have them replaced in the Church by duplicates. The Council did not agree to this but instead appointed Rev. Mr. Strong, the two wardens of St. Paul's Church and Chiefs Loft and Lewis to have these removed to St. Paul's Church on the reserve for the present or until a fire-proof room is built on the reserve. As these articles belong in my opinion to the Church and not to the Six Nations, I beg to recommend that this decision be not approved.

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(Sgd) Gordon J. Smith

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Ohsweken Council House,

December 2nd 1913. 439399

The General Council of the Six Nations opened in due form by Chief David John, one of the Fire Keepers.

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No. 14.

The old relics at the Mohawk Church shall be removed to the reserve.

The Council failed to adopt the suggestion of the Brant Historical Society to have the relics now at the old Mohawk Church removed into a fire-proof room to be built at the Mohawk Institute, but have appointed Rev. J. L. Strong and the two wardens of St. Paul's Church with Chief Wm D. Loft and Elias Lewis to take steps to have these removed to St. Paul's Church on the Reserve for the present, or until a fire-proof room is built on the reserve where the originals shall be stored, but will allow the Historical Society to have duplicates made from the originals which will be placed in the old Mohawk Church.

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(Sgd) Joshua Hill,

Sec'y S.N.C.

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Ottawa, 29th December, 1913.

Sir,

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 15th instant, containing Minutes of the Six Nation Council held on the 2nd December, and among them the following resolution:-

"The Brant Historical Society requested the Council "to have the tablets containing the Lord's Prayer, Ten "Commandments and the Apostles Creed removed from the "Mohawk Church and placed in a fire-proof room at the "Mohawk Institute and to have them replaced in the Church "by duplicates. The Council did not agree to this but in- "stead appointed Rev.Mr. Strong, the two wardens of St. "Paul's Church and Chiefs Loft and Lewis to have these re- "moved to St. Paul's Church on the reserve for the present "or until a fire-proof room is built on the reserve."

In reply I beg to inform you that as these articles belong to the Mohawk Church the Department does not approve of this resolution.

Your obedient servant,

(Sd) D. C. Scott

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Gordon J.Smith, Esq.,
Indian Superintendent,
Brantford,
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NOVEMBER 30. 1913.

It was moved by His Honor Judge Hardy"That the Six Nation Indians in Council be requested to ask the New England Company to provide fire_proof vault accomodation at the Mohawk Institute for the relics belonging to the Chapel of the Mohawks at Brantford,such as the Bible and Communion Service presented by Her Gracious Majesty Queen Anne,the Bell given by H.G.M.King GeorgeIII. and such other mementoes and relics of interest,as may be deemed advisable.....

January 8th.1914

I beg to advise you that your communication of the 28th. November last was laid before the December council and after some discussion it was decided that the articles referred to be removed from the Church and placed in one of the Churches on the Reserve,but the Department of Indian Affairs refused to approve of this decision holding that these articles belong to the Mohawk Church and therefore cannot be removed

Yours truly

January 20th.1914

In view of the contents of this letter -It was moved by Mr. StandingB.A. seconded by Mr. Rowe that the Government be now communicated with and the facts relating to these relics be laid before them with the suggestion that the Society would co-operate in any effort or movement the Government would think wise to make,to insure the preservation of these mementoes.

The meeting was in accord with the motion but as some members were not present the motion was permitted to remain over to the next meeting.

FEB 12 th. 1914.

It was moved by Miss Gilkinson and seconded by Miss Cillen that the motion of Mr. Standing and Mr. Rowe which was laid over from the previous meeting be now submitted and voted upon,with the understanding that the President Mr. Passmore would discuss the matter with Major Nelles Ashton superintendant of the Institute,before the communication was sent to the Government.

The motionn was submitted and carried the President promising to interview Major Ashton.

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INDIAN AFFAIRS
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D.C.Scott.Esq.

Supt.Indian.Dept.

Ottawa.

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Honorable Sir.

The Brant Historical Society are in receipt of a letter from Major Gordon Smith Supt of the Six Nation Indians.in reply to a communication sent from the Society regarding the preservation of the relics in the Mohawk Church.
In view of the contents of the letter,we would approach your honorable department with a humble request to lay a few facts before you.

It is a well known fact that Canada is a corner stone of the Empire and that these relics are intimately associated with the laying of that corner stone.They are ,perhaps.comparatively.the most precious relics in Canada. There is no fire protection at the Mohawk Church where they are necessarily kept. The building is a frame one.and the severe electrical storms of recent years have brought the society to a realization of their danger from fire.

If anything should eventually happen to them,the Society would naturally be asked what steps it had taken to ensure the preservation of these heirlooms.Under existing circumstances there is nothing it can do but lay some facts before your honorable department.

Miss Evelyn Johnson recently visited Brantford and wrote a letter which brought the matter up.She stated to members of the Society.that the church had already been struck twice.by lightning her father being in it the first time. This fact had brought the Chiefs to a realization of the danger to the heirlooms.and Chief Johnson had agitated steps being taken to preserve them. They had waited to confer with the Bishop.and the matter had dropped at the time.

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She also stated that the Bell given by H.G.m.Geo.III,to Joseph Brant,had been disposed of,by a former incumbent in one of the Reserve churches,to Americans and that her father had learned of the fact in time to seize it at the G.T.station,on its way to the Smithsonian institution.The Bell is now under lock in an anteroom at the Mohawk Church.

She informed us that she had discussed the preservation of these memorials,with some of the Chiefs on her recent visit,and found them alive to the danger,and anxious that they be preserved.

In England we understand,valuable heirlooms are duplicated,and the originals preserved in fire-proof vault rooms. When the matter came up for discussion,in the Historical Society,some suggested that duplicates be offered and the originals preserved in a fire-proof room under the immediate care of its Superintendent Major Nelles Ashton; but there was a sentiment against removing the articles from the church entertained by some,and a responsibility in doing so,which others in favor of it did not care to assume;so this was not suggested.

Since receiving Major Smith's letter some members of the Executive have discussed the matter in this light-.It was reported that the tomb of Joseph Brant had been molested and desecrated,and Mr. Allen Cleghorn at once took the matter up.A tomb was built,marble slabbed cemented and sealed,and the remains were thus preserved we trust for all time.

It was thought ,if this could be done that the difficulties regarding the relics could be overcome in much the same way,that is by the erection of a fire-proof vault ,in the form of a ,small,light, airy,fire-proof Chapel Room,with grated and iron shuttered windows and with fire-proof door leading into the church. The Bell could be

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removed there. Perfect duplicates could be given for the Creed. Lord's Prayer and Commandments.for use in the Church and the originals hung and preserved in the Chapel-Room.

The Coat-of-Arms.insofar as we have been able to learn is the oldest in make and design,in Canada.the design being previous to the Union of Ireland in I80I and it is therefore.perhaps the most valuable of all the relics.The Church being a Royal One.a Coat-of-Arms is a necessity, and a duplicate would scarcely be proper;but this difficulty could be overcome by placing the matter before H.R.H.the Duke of Connaught.or H.G.M .the King.and it might be their pleasure to order a Royal Coat-of-Arms for use.in orderthat the Queen Anne or King George Coat-of-Arms might be preserved.If the modern Coat-of Arms were destroyed it could be replaced.A Coat-of-Arms from his Royal Highness or His Gracious Majesty.the King would enhance the interest in and importance of the Church.and also ensure the preservation of the relics.

If the Chapel-Room were placed in the centre in the rear of the Church the door could be open for service and present the appearance of one room.The key would be in the keeping of the incumbent and all tourists could see the originals if necessary.If Royal visits were contemplated the originals could be placed in the church for the day.

We would ask your honorable department to believe that we are not offering these statements as suggestions but as matters considered , as our society do not wish to assume any responsibility in the matter, but if your honorable department decide that something could or should be done the society will gladly co-operate to carry out your wishes or instructions. Believe us

Yours most obediently

S. F. Passmore,
President
Brant Hist. Soc.

Margaret A. Brown
Secretary B. H. S.

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March 7

Mr. Passmore the president reports that the enclosed letter was read to Major Nelles Ashton and that he finds his views in harmony with the sentiments expressed in the letter-that is he made no objection to anything stated in the letter.

The Major expressed an opinion that the Bible and silver would be safer at the Mohawk Institute(where they now are) . This would be in accord with His Honor Judge Hardy's first motion that a fire-proof vault or safe be procured for them at the Mohawk Institute.

S. F. Passmore,
President
Brant Hist. Soc.

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March 13th, 1914.

Dear Madam -

I have read with interest your letter of the 7th instant in reference to the preservation of the relics in the Mohawk Church, at Brantford.

I shall be glad if your Society could let me have a reliable estimate of the cost of the proposed fire-proof vault.

Yours very truly,

Deputy Superintendent General.

Miss Margaret A. Brown,
Secretary,
Brant Historical Society,
Brantford, Ont.

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Brantford. Mar 14th 1914

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DEPT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
MAR 17 1914

D.C. Scott Esq
Dept Ind Affs
Ottawa Ont.

Dear Sir

We wish to acknowledge the receipt of your letter and to thank you for the same

Since the matter has come up in Executive and Districts meetings we have kept it strictly to our minded leading members in order that it would not become public. If any attempt was drawn to the Church it might awaken an impulse in some evil disposed person to do ill.

Our Annual Meeting was last night

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I take your favorable Communication
to the meeting but there were too many
strangers present - to permit us to
bring it forward.
The results will be send with as
soon as possible.
yours most obediently
N. A. Brown
Sec. Brant Sth. Soc.

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C.SCOTT. ESQ.

SUPT.INDIAN.DEPT.

OTTAWA.

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HONORABLE SIR.

The Brant Historical Society held an Executive Meeting in His Honor Judge Hardy's Chambers this evening,to take up the matter of the preservation of the Mohawk relics.and I was requested to write asking for a little more information. Our motions and letter referred to a vault room at the Institute and one at the Church . We understand your letter to refer to the one at the Church but wished to make certain before proceeding.

May we also add ~~also~~ a little further information which may be of service in the matter.

There is a movement to erect a tablet at the Mohawk Church to the memory of Miss Pauline Johnson.It emanated from our Society The movement may become a citizens and a Six Nation one. The tablet will not be an expensive one;perhaps more money than necessary for it might be collected. The question arises,would it be wise to place the tablet in the unprotected Church, If this room we write of at the Church,were to take the form of a tiny Chapel or Chapel strong room,it would be a suitable place for the tablet,and the two movements might become one.

The memorial scheme is only in its incipient.stage,and we have discussed the memorial with none but the literary society as yet, and can only speak so far but if the Chapel scheme met with our approval no doult the two movements combined in one would prove popular in Brantford.

We would solicit your opinion regarding the Chapel strong-room.

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With your advice as to what form it should take we could proceed to get plans and estimates quietly, but we would ask leave to suggest, if you favor duplicates being given for the Creed, Lord"s Prayer, and Commandments, that you will permit us to have these prepared and the originals preserved in a fire proof vault in town or somewhere before the matter becomes generally known.

Trusting it will meet with your approval

I remain

Yours most obediently

(Mrs) Margaret A. Brown
Lee. B. H.S.
Court House
Brantford.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS CANADA

OFFICE OF THE DEPUTY SUPERINTENDENT GENERAL
OTTAWA

April 9th, 1914.

Dear Mr. Smith -

I am sending herewith a Departmental File No. 439,399 in connection with the request of the Brant Historical Society regarding the preservation of the relics at present in the Mohawk Church at Brantford.

You will note the secrecy which Mrs. Brown wishes to have the matter dealt with and of course it is impossible for me at this distance from the spot to conduct negotiations of that kind. I am, therefore, placing all the correspondence in your hands. I note that there is no objection on the part of the Council to the Brant Historical Society having these duplicates made and if they are prepared to assume the expenses you may make the necessary arrangements.

Kindly return the file with a report on the proposition now made by the Historical Soicety.

Yours very truly,

Duncan C. Scott

Deputy Superintendent General.

Gordon J. Smith, Esqr.,
Indian Superintendent,
Brantford, Ont.

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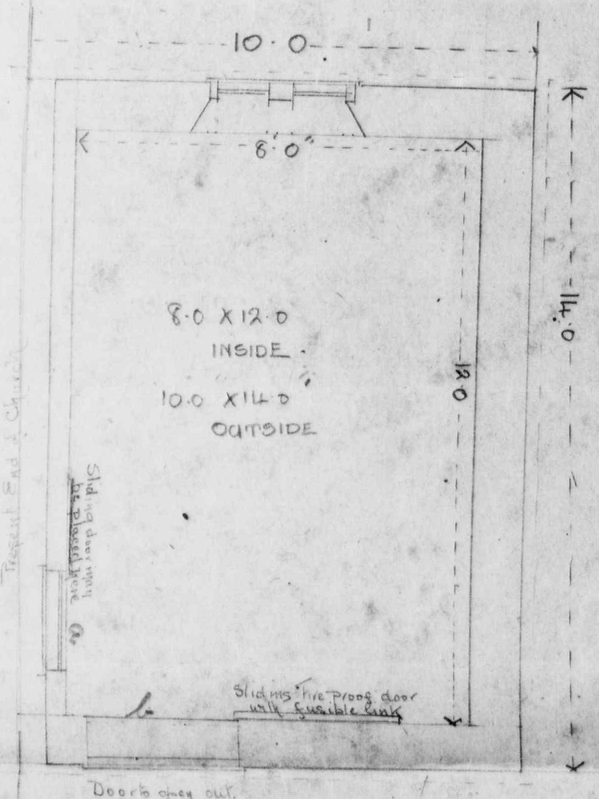

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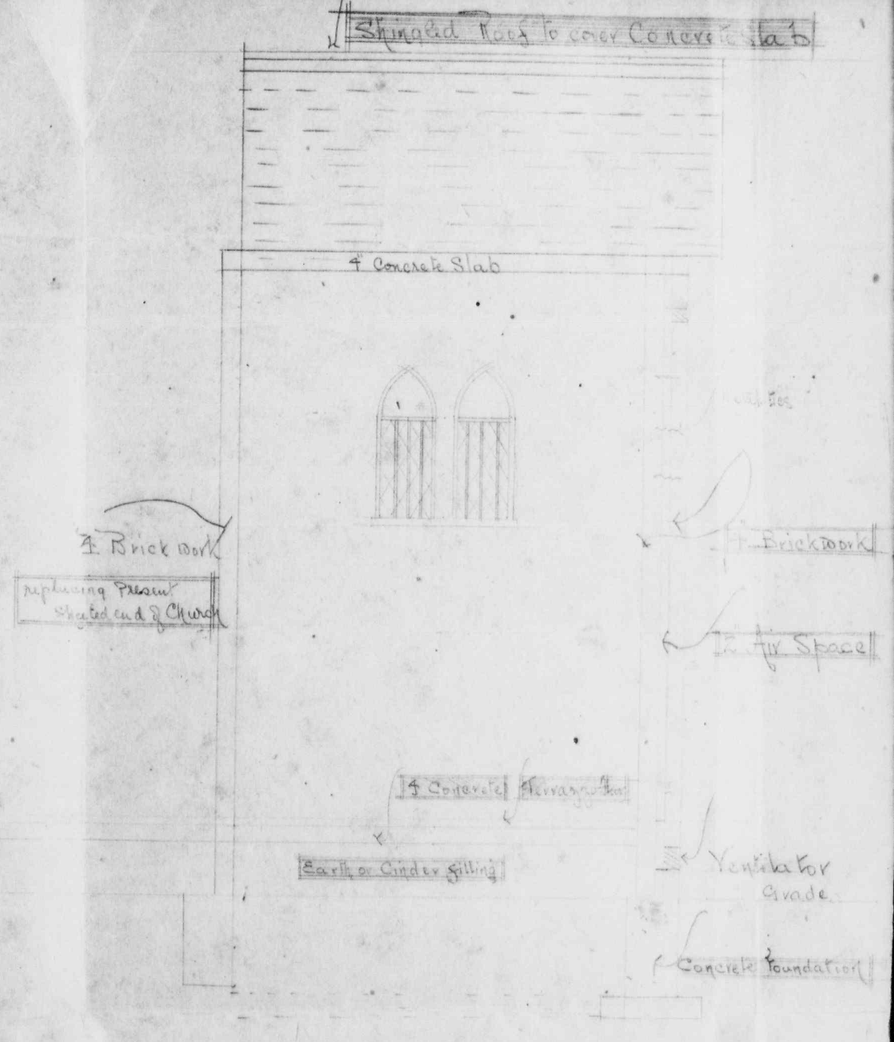

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the marble on each side of arch, the wall is finished in wood.
It would not do to have an entrance into the Lady's Chapel through the altar. An entrance can be made in the wood part to the right of altar as in Churches. and if necessary a door to match on left.
The Altar must have been changed in recent years as Brant always entered from the rear of Church and his door seems to have been in Centre of back. although we have been told on good authority that it was almost where we contemplate now putting the door.
(a) marks the place where the door may be put.
(b) " " " " a door to outside may be placed if necessary.
The Architect has figured on only one door.
If this estimate meet with the Government's Consideration the Ladies of the Society will attend to the Duplicates at once.
The Ladies of Zion Church carved a most beautiful pulpit of walnut in grape design. If the Government erect this Lady Chapel no doubt in time the Ladies of the Historical Society will be pleased to carve for the Lady Chapel. a small altar rail, Communion table, and pedestal to match. upon which the Bell will be cleaned & placed.
We have also learned that there are a few personal hairlooms of Brant's on the Reserve. which would be suitable for this place. a Chair - Candle sticks, Bible and inkstand. An effort will be made to secure them.
The only difficulty which presents itself to us was the 8 feet in depth the narrow passage between those two graves. but upon further inspection this might probably be remove. Trusting it may meet with Consideration. I am Yours very Sincerely. M. A. Brown. (over)

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It is worthy of note that the Princess Patricia on her recent visit made a special request to visit the Mohawk Church.

It is also worthy of note that Major Nelles Ashton informed the architect when he called for the key that one of the Institute Buildings was struck by Lightning Last week during that severe storm.

The Boards of the Mohawk Church are so dry with age that it seems about a miracle that it has been preserved from harm.

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Brantford.
May 12th 1914.

Major G. Lucelli
Supt. Sir N. Indians.

Dear Sir.

His Honor Judge Hardy and Mrs. Brown were appointed the Committee to attend to the matter of the Mohawk Rebis. We are submitting an estimate. This is only an estimate and information of what can be done. If the estimate meet the consideration of the Government then the Committee & Architect will meet Major Nelles Ashton & yourself at the Mohawk Church and secure detailed plans according to the Government's wishes.

The only available place seems to be in the rear of the Church. It was suggested to build it at the side in the rear of the Brant & Johnson Limbs but there is not room & even if so it would mar the Burnell plot, & the Architect says it would mar the architecture of the Church.

The Architect says a building 8 feet in depth inside measurement can be built in the rear & yet leave a passage between it and the graves marked. The architect has figured on 8x12 inside measurement, but in width it can be 14 to 28 of necessary. 28 being the width of Church.

The Creed, Lord's Prayer & Commandments hang on the wall in an arch above the altar. This arch is of plaster furnished

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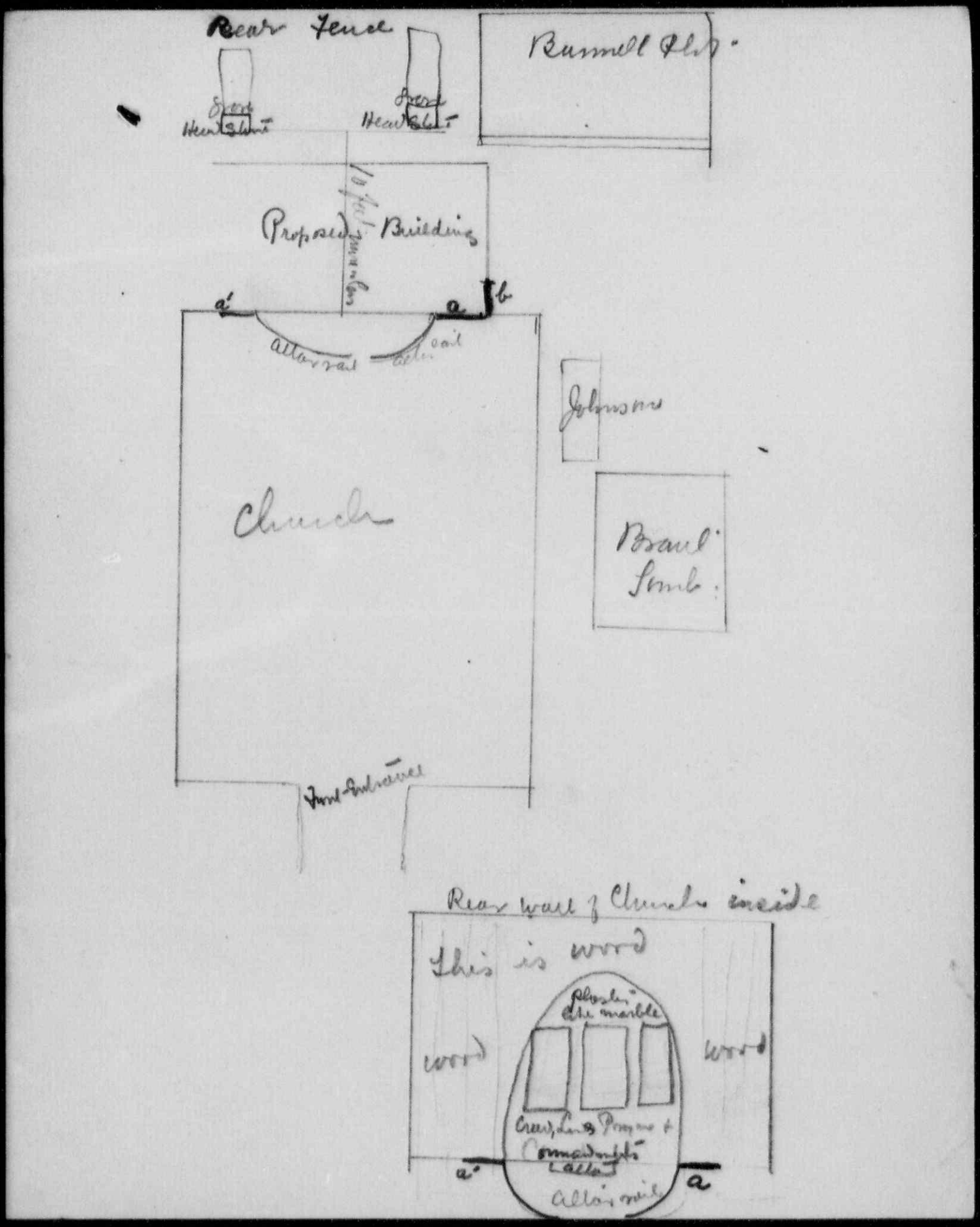

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ALTERATIONS A SPECIALTY

BENNETT & BOWDEN

GENERAL CONTRACTORS AND BUILDERS

Brantford, Ontario May 12th. 1914. 191

Mrs Brown,

City.,

Dear Madam,

With reference to the sketch we have submitted to you for the proposed lady chapel, we beg to enclose the following particulars. The buildings to be erected on concrete foundations with hollow brick wall with metal ties and plastered on the inside. The building to have an outside door to be fixed and to open outwards and a standard fire door to be supplied and fixed on the inside with a fusible link attached. The floor to be mosaic or terrazzo on concrete base. The ceiling to be a concrete slab with a dummy shingled roof if considered necessary. The present sheeting at end of church to be taken out and replaced by brick wall for fire prevention purposes.

We estimate the cost of this work to be approximately $350.00 THREE HUNDRED AND FIFTY DOLLRS

Thanking you for your enquiry and trusting to be favoured with this work.

Yours faithfully,

Bennett & Bowden.

C Bowden.

J.U./C.B.

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FILE NO. 439 399.

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Indian Office, Brantford,
May 15th., 1914.

Sir,-

I beg to return above File No. and also to enclose a plan of the proposed chapel which the Historical Society would like to build in the rear of Mohawk Church it will have an inside measurement of 8 X 12 and outside 10 X 14. The letter accompanying the plan states that it can be built for about $350.00 and would be fire proof and large enough to contain the original tablets which the Society is anxious to preserve. I believe that the erection of this chapel would be a very suitable act on the part of the Department to preserve these historic relics which are so intimately associated with the early history of the Six Nations in Canada. I also enclose a letter received from Mrs. Brown the secretary.

I am

Sir

Your obedient servant,

Supt.

The Secretary-
Dept. of Indian Affairs-
Ottawa.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS CANADA.

439,399. Ottawa, May 30, 1914.

Memorandum

For Mr. Scott,-

I have examined the sketch plans of Lady Chapel, proposed to be erected inthe rear of the Mohawk Church at Brantford, Ont., in which it is intended to place for safe keeping the original Tablets and other historical relics appertaining to the Mohawk Church.

It is proposed that the building be fire-proof construction with a sliding door set at such inclination that in case of fire a fusible link will free the door and shut off the new erection from the original building.

The plan proposed should provide protection from fire for the relics, and the estimated cost $350.00 is a fair estimate for the work as outlined.

It will be necessary to place wired glass in the windows to protect from fire through breaking of the windows and outside iron shutters which could be closed in case of fire would also be an advantage.

I would suggest that the building be increased in size by one brick in thickness of walls as a further preventative of fire in the overheating of the walls.

If the wall area is increased in thickness and fire and wired glass shutters, put on, the total cost should not exceed $500.00

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As these historical relics are undoubtedly of great historical value, and almost priceless from a Tribal and sentimental view, I would recommend for your consideration that a grant, not to exceed $500.00, the amount necessary for the erection of a building for their safe keeping, be given.

Architect.

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R McGillivray

Architect.

Mr Pajot
Six Nation Council
might be approached to see
if they would bear expense,
as we have no funds available
A F M

Miss Maxwell
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Ed'd

Ottawa, 15th June, 1914.

Sir,-

I beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 15th ultimo, with which you returned the Department's fyle relative to the plan of the proposed chapel, which the Brant Historical Association desire to have erected in the rear of the Mohawk Church at Brantford, in which to keep tablets and other records; and in reply I beg to say that while the Department is interested in, and approves of the undertaking, there are no funds available wherewith to meet the expense which would be involved. In your letter of the 15th May you give the estimated cost of a fire-proof building as $350.00. The Department's Architect has made report in the matter and states that in the event of the erection of such a building as proposed; it will be necessary to place wired glass in the windows as protection from fire, and to provide outside iron shutters, and that it would also be well to increase the thickness of the walls as provided for, which would increase the cost of the building to $500.00. It is desired that you will bring this matter before the Six Nations Council with a view to ascertaining whether they are willing to pass a resolution to have the cost of the erection of such a building defrayed from Six Nations Band Funds. It is thought that the Council may be disposed to vote the money, from their funds as the building is intended as a place in which to store relics of great historical value to the Band.

Your obedient servant,

Gordon J. Smith, Esq.,
Indian Supt.,
Brantford, Ont.

J. D. McLEAN
Asst. Deputy and Secretary

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ACCOUNTANTS BRANCH JUL 17 1914 Ex'd.

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Indian Office, Brantford,
July 13th 1914

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS JUL 14 1914

Sir,-

In answer to your communication of the 1st. of June in reference to a memorial to the late E. Pauline Johnson I beg to state that the cost is proposed to be borne entirely by the Brant Historical Society. The Six Nations Council were merely asked for permission to have the memorial placed in the old Mohawk Church and they have no intention of subscribing towards it.

I am

Sir

Your obedient Servant,

Supt.

The Secretary-

Dept. of Indian Affairs-

Ottawa.

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April 9th, 1914.

Dear Mr. Smith -

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You will note the secrecy which Mrs. Brown wishes to have the matter dealt with and of course it is impossible for me at this distance from the spot to conduct negotiations of that kind. I am, therefore, placing all the correspondence in your hands. I note that there is no objection on the part of the Council to the Brant Historical Society having these duplicates made and if they are prepared to assume the expenses you may make the necessary arrangements.

Kindly return the file with a report on the proposition now made by the Historical Soicety.

Yours very truly,

Duncan C. Scott

Deputy Superintendent General.

Gordon J. Smith, Esqr.,
Indian Superintendent,
Brantford, Ont.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN
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Indian Agent's Office,
Brantford, May 21st, 1914.

Sir,

I beg to enclose the Minutes of Council held on the 5th of May and subsequent dates and to report thereon as follows-:

x x x

No.24.

The Council approved of the suggestion of the Brant Historical Society that a suitable memorial to the late E. Pauline Johnson be placed in the old Mohawk Church. I beg to recommend your approval of this decision.

x x x

Gordon J. Smith,
Supt.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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Ohsweken Council House,

May 8th 1914.

The adjourned Council of the Six Nationx opened in due form by Chief David John one of the Fire Keepers.

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No. 24.

Suggestion of Brant Historical Society approved.

The Council approved of the suggestion of the"Brant Historical Society" that a Pauline Johnson Memorial be placed in the old Mohawk church.

x x x

Read and approved,

J. S. Johnson,

Deputy Speaker,S.N.C.

Joshia Hill,

Sec'y S.N.C.

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Ottawa, 1st June, 1914.

Sir,

Regarding the Minute of the Six Nations Council approving of the suggestion of the Brant Historical Society that a suitable memorial to the late E.Pauline Johnson be placed in the old Mohawk Church, I have to ask whether an estimate has been made of the amount that will be required for the purpose mentioned.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Gordon J.Smith, Esq.,
Indian Superintendent,
Brantford,
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Lots Wales's property offered for sale of Hospital in P.E.I. office

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Réserve des Abénakis de St-François
Pierreville P. Office, Que., 19 Janv. 1914

Au Très Honorable R. L. Borden,
premier Ministre du Canada, &c, &c, &c,

Ottawa.

Honorable Monsieur, —

Vos humbles protégés Abénakis, soussignés, voudraient bien respectueusement attirer votre sérieuse attention et celle de l'Hon. Ministre Surintendant Général des Affs. des Sauvages sur une grave question pour la famille des soussignés, William Watso, ex-chef et pour toute la Bande indirectement.

Il s'agit de dettes originées d'un commerce de paniers & autres ouvrages Indiens qui, jusqu'en 1897, était bien protégé, pour les Indiens eux-mêmes, par le Gouvernement Américain qui leur permettait, aux Indiens seulement, libre entrée aux Etats Unis, avec leurs ouvrages Indiens paniers, &c., &c., et ce depuis 1794.

Or depuis la révision du Tariff Américain, en 1897, — "Dingley Act" — le "Free Act" n'ayant pas été mentionné en faveur des Indiens, comme durant les cent ans auparavant, nous, les Abénakis ayant eu à payer l'ancienne douane de 35% sur nos paniers & autres ouvrages Indiens notre unique commerce et moyen de vie, justement en ces années actuelles d'extrême cherté de la vie, il va sans dire que notre industrie

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industrie de paniers ne nous donne plus les profits du passé et que la moindre malchance nous met de suite dans l'indigence.

Notre Révd. Missionnaire, Mr Dos. de Gonzague, a en effet bien clairement déclaré dans l'Eglise en prêchant, tout dernièrement, que les Abénakis s'appauvrissaient beaucoup . . . . .

Il a aussi fait allusion que les Blancs de Pierreville & autres localités font aussi des paniers.

Il n'y a donc pas lieu de s'étonner que les Sauvages ne puissent continuer à prospérer quand ils rencontrent tant à la fois d'oppositions et d'adversités qui les mettent à la rétrograde, et que moi-même, Mrs Watso, comme d'autres j'en ressente bien la peine, et pourquoi il est des créanciers qui ne ménageraient pas les Sauvages s'ils en trouvaient les moyen.

Et comme j'ai tout lieu de craindre de plusieurs créanciers de dures épreuves, tendant à m'obliger de vendre ma maison, ma résidence dans le centre du Village Abénakis, ici, malgré que bon nombre des membres de la Bande soient opposés à la vente, pour les Blancs, — excepté le cas où ma dite maison serait vendue avec mon consentement et celle de la Bande pour payer mes dettes, la vendre à un prix acceptable pour acquitter mes dettes et m'en rester un peu pour remettre mes affaires un peu: ma maison et dépendance, valent à peu près le double de toutes mes dettes.

Ma bonne volonté de payer se prouve bien par le fait que je n'ai pas cherché à avoir recours à la "faillite" qu'on pratique si souvent parmi les Blancs, bien que l'acte des Sauvages me protège.

Mes principaux créancier étant:

Messieurs

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Messieurs A. A. Mondou, député du comté d'Yamaska, Jos. Coté agent des Abénakis & Notre Révd Missionnaire, Mre Jos. de Gonzague, et autres, Je voudrais bien les payer, avec du délai; comme j'ai déjà payer des acomptes à Mre le Missionnaire Délonzague.

Comme l'acte des Sauvages ne m'oblige pas de vendre pas même un seul clou de ma maison pour payer mes créanciers de Pierreville, les Blancs, je n'en désir pas moins cependant de les payer tous pourvu que je pourrais vendre ma maison: au Gouvernement pour le besoin de la Tribu pour servir soit comme hopital ou pour bureau de poste, la Bande reçeant toutefois que le maître de poste ne soit autre qu'un Abénakis, à son choix, et non autrement. - Et Mr Mondou croit même que pour des protégés, comme les Abénakis, il consentirait peut-être à l'acheter pour l'un ou l'autre de ces deux besoins que la Bande a déjà fait entendre au Département.

Dans l'humble attente d'une réponse encourageante -

J'ai l'honneur d'être, bien respectueusement,

Hon. Premier,

Votre très humble serviteur

William Watso

Lucinda Laurent (Mrs. W. Watso)

Donald Watso

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Pierreville, Que., January 19, 1914.

From William Watso, ex-chief,
Abenakis Indian REserve of St-François.

The only industry of the tribe, their sole means o f living, is that of making and selling baskets, etc. Before the revision of the American tariff in 1897, and since 1794 their wares were admitted to the United States duty free. They have now to pay 36% and their profits are diminished. This, with the high cost of living, leaves them in very hard circumstances.

Watso has run into debt. Could avail himself of the provisions of the Indian Act and refuse to pay. Is willing to sell his house to pay his creditors, but is only offered half its value. The Government should buy it to serve as a post office or hospital. These are greatly needed. Mr Mondou, M.P., (one of the creditors) thinks that Government should buy said property for one of the above purposes., Postmaster must be an Indian.

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Translation

H.C.R. Jan. 27.

Abenakis Reserve of St.Francis,
Pierreville Post Office, Que.,
Jan.19,1914.

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To the Rt.Hon.R.L.Borden,
Prime Minister of Canada, &c., &c., &c.
Ottawa.

Honourable Sir,-

Your humble Abenakis wards, undersigned, would like very respectfully to ask your serious attention and that of the Hon. the Supt. General of Indian Affairs to a serious question for the family of the undersigned, William Watso, ex-chief, and for the whole band indirectly.

It relates to debts connected with trade in baskets and other Indian wares, which up to 1897 was well protected for the Indians themselves by the American Government, which allowed to Indians alone free entry into the United States with their Indian wares--baskets, &c., &c.--and this since 1794.

Now, since the revision of the American tariff in 1897, the Dingley Act, the Free Act not having been mentioned in favour of the Indians as during the one hundred years previously, we, the Abenakis, having had to pay the former duty of 35% on our baskets and other Indian wares, our single commerce and means of living, exactly in these present years of extreme high cost of living, it is needless to say that our basket industry no longer gives us the profits of the past, and the least misfortune at once places us in indigence.

Our missionary, the Rev.Jos. deGonzague, in fact very recently declared when preaching in the church that the Abenakis were becoming very poor. He also referred to the fact that the white people of Pierreville and other places are also making baskets. There is, therefore, no reason for being astonished that the Indians cannot continue to prosper when they meet so often opposition and adversity

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which place them in a retrograde position and that I myself, William Watso, like others, resent the hardship very much; and that is the reason why there are creditors who do not spare the Indians when they get them in their power; and as I have good reason to fear from several creditors of hard experience tending to compel me to sell my house, my residence in the centre of the Abenakis village, here, in spite of the fact that a good number of the members of the band are opposed to the sale, for white people,--except in case my said house should be sold with my consent and that of the band to pay my debts, to sell it at an acceptable price to discharge my debts and to leave me a little in order to settle my affairs; my house and dependencies are worth about double all my debts.

My willingness to pay is well proved by the fact that I have not tried to have recourse to bankruptcy, which is so often practised among white people, although the Indian Act protects me.

My principal creditors being Messrs.A.A.Mondou, Member for Yamaska county, Joseph Cote, agent for the Abenakis, and our missionary, the Rev.Jos.Degonzague,and others,I should like very much to pay them in time, as I have already paid accounts to the missionary,the Rev.Mr. Degonzague.

Although the Indian Act does not compel me to sell even a single nail of my house to pay my creditors of Pierreville, white men, I desire none the less to pay them all provided I shall be able to sell my house to the Government for the needs of the band to serve either as a hospital or a post office, the band demanding all the same that the postmaster shall not be any other than an Abenakis, and one of its own choice; and Mr.Mondou believes even that for its wards, such as the Abenakis, it would agree, perhaps, to

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purchase it for one or the other of these two requirements, of which the band has already informed the Department.

In the humble expectation of an encouraging reply,

I have the honour to be, Sir,

very respectfully

Your very humble servant,

William Watso

Lucinda Laurent(Mrs.W.Watso)

Donald Watso

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PRIME MINISTER'S OFFICE
CANADA

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
JAN 31 1914

Please translate
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Ottawa, January 23rd 1914.

441467

Dear Mr. Scott:

Herewith is a letter from Ex-Chief Watso of the Abenakis Indian Reserve of St. Francois. Perhaps you could take up the matter with the Department of Finance, if you think anything could be done to meet their wishes.
on Public Works

Yours faithfully,

R. E. Brunet

Duncan C. Scott Esq.,
Deputy Superintendent General
of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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Ottawa, Jan., 28, 1914.

441467

Sir.-

I am directed to acknowledge receipt of your communication of the 19th inst., addressed to the Premier and which has been transferred to this Department.

With regard to your desire to sell your house to the Government for the needs of the band to serve either as a hospital or a Post Office, I beg to say that so far as this Department is concerned it has no intention of establishing a hospital on the reserve; and as to the question of the use of your building for a post office, I may say that, only recently, this Department has received a communication from the Post Office Department in which it is stated that that Department had not at any time given an assurance of the likelihood of the establishment of a post office in the Indian Village of Abenakis, as this point is only three quarters of a mile from the Village of Pierreville, where the post office is at present situated.

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I regret therefore, that this Department is unable to meet your wishes as to the purchase of your building for either post office or hospital use.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Mr. William Watso,
Indian,
Pierreville P.Q.

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OTTAWA,

March 25th, 1914.

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Sir,-

I have the honour to enclose herewith copy of a notarial deed of sale from William Watso and wife to the Rev. Joseph de Gonzague, Priest residing on the Reserve of St. François, Que.

I may point out that Mr. de Gonzague, although a clergyman is not enfranchised and belongs to the Abenakis tribe. I understand that no location tickets were ever issued for the parcels of land taken over by the Indians on the above Reserve, but I think it might be advisable to get your approval under Section 21 of the Indian Act. I would be pleased therefore if you would kindly give me such approval at your earliest convenience. Whenever you do so please return the above deed of conveyance.

Yours very truly,

H.A. Mondoux

M.P. for Yamaska.

The Superintendent
of Indian Affairs,
OTTAWA.

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OTTAWA, 27th. March, 1914-

Dear Sir:-

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 25th. Inst, enclosing copy of notarial deed of sale from William Watso and wife to the Rev. Joseph de Gonzague of land on the Pierreville Reserve.

I may say that as the lands on this reserve are not held by the Indians under Location Tickets, the Department is not in a position to approve of this transfer, which could be done only by issue of Location Ticket, under the provisions of the Indian Act.

The land on this reserve is held under title recognized by the Band, and I return the document , enclosed, which might be forwarded to the Local Indian Agent, Mr. Joseph Cote, Pierreville, to be placed of record, in his office.

Your obedient servant,

Duncan C. Scott

Deputy Supt. General
of Indian Affairs.

H. A. Mondou, Esq., M. P.,
House of Commons,
OTTAWA.

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Department of Indian Affairs.

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Lot 15. Pakinawatick St.
Town of Maniwaki.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

Manimaki

January 31st 1914

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No.
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

Sir,—

441508

Application is made by Mr Adolphe Nault to purchase lot # 15 Takinamatick Street, town plot Manimaki; the upset price of said lot is $125.00/xx, the sale of said lot having been cancelled on October 3/13

Your humble servant

E. S. Gauthier
Indian Agent

J. D. McLean Esq.
Asst. Dep't Secy
Indian Affairs
Ottawa Ont.

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441,508.

Ottawa, February 9, 1914

Sir,-

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 31st ultimo, making application on behalf of Mr. Adolphe Nault to purchase lot 15, Pakinawatick street, Maniwaki, and in reply beg to refer you to your Land Return for December last, in which a sale of this lot was returned to Honore Valliere under Sale No. 225.

Your obedient Servant,

(sgd) W. A. Orr.

In Charge Lands & Timber Branch.

W.A.O

E. S. Gauthier, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Maniwaki, Que.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

Manwaki

February 9th 1914

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No.
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

442252

Sir,—

Refering to the application of Adolphe Nault "dated 31st ulto: for lot # 15 Pakinawatick street I beg to say that said lot was sold to Honoré Valliere on Dec 22/13

Your humble servant.

E. S. Gauthier
Indian agent

J. D. McLean Esq.
Asst. Dep. & Secy
Indian Affairs
Ottawa

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Department of Indian Affairs.

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Sale of piece of land to Levi Benedict by Band.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

Des Abenakis de

Pierreville, 5 Fev. 1914

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No.
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

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TRANSLATION.

Sir,—

Je vous inclus resolution du Conseil de la Bande par laquelle elle vend, à Mr Levy Benedict, Abenakis, un certain terrain pour le prix de quinze piastres. J'ai ce montant en mains, si vous approuvez cette decision du Conseil je vous enverrai mon cheque —

Votre o.t.s.
Joseph Côté
Gent

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

Des Abonakis de

Pierreville, 3 Fev 1914

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No.
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TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

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TRANSLATION.

Sir,—

Propose par Thomas Ladaguis, conseiller
Secondé par Cesar Portneuf, conseiller
Que le terrain ~~vacant~~ vacant situé entre les terrains
de Mm Edwin Benedict et Louis Tahamant, soit vendu
à Levy Benedict pour le prix de quinze piastres. Ce
montant est le prix payé pour chacun des deux
terrains voisins qui ont été déja vendus -

Adopté
Joseph Côté
Agent

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Translation

Abenakis Agency,

Pierreville, Feb.3,1914.

It was proposed by Thomas Sadoquis, councillor, seconded by Cesar Portneuf, councillor, that the vacant land between the property of Mr.Edwin Benedict and Louis Tahamant be sold to Levy Benedict for the sum of $15.00. This is the same price as was paid for each of the two adjacent pieces of land that have already been sold.

Adopted.

Jos.Cote,

Agent.

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Translation

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
FEB 7 1914

Abenakis Agency,

Pierreville, Feb .5,1914.

441807

Sir,-

I send you herewith a resolution of the council of the band by which it sells to Mr.Levy Benedict, Abenakis, a certain piece of land for the sum of $15.00. I have this amount in hand. If you approve this decision of the council, I shall send you my cheque.

Your,&c.,

Jos.Cote,

Agent.

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441,807.

Ottawa, February 9, 1914.

Sir,-

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 5th instant, inclosing copy of resolution of the Council as to disposition of the vacant land between the property of Mr. Edwin Benedict and Louis Tahamant, and in reply to say that, if this property belongs to the band and the purchaser is a member of the Abenakis Indians, there is no objection to this arrangement, and the money paid may be forwarded to the Department to be placed to the credit of the band funds.

Your obedient Servant,

WAW

(sgd) W. A. Orr.

In Charge Lands & Timber Branch.

Joseph Coté, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Pierreville, Que.

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NDIA[illegible]AN AGENT'S OFFICE,

Des Abenakis de

Pierreville, 16 Fev 1914

[illegible]PLY REFER TO
IN YOU[illegible]
ALSO
DATE OF THIS LETTER.

442435

Sir,—

Tel que demandé par votre lettre datée du 9 Fev - No 441807, Je vous inclus mon cheque au montant de 15.00 piastres, étant le montant reçu de Mr Levy Benedict pour un certain terrain, que la bande lui a vendu.

Votre ob. S.
Joseph Côté
Agent

441807

BANK RECEIPT No. 2662

Amt 15.00 chq.
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...aw Mills.

Sash and Doors,
Building Material,
All Kinds of
Hardwood Lumber.
Etc , Etc.

COULTIS & BROS.

Forest, Ont., Nov 2 1904

Mr A English
Agent
Please Pay To Coultis Bros
Sixty five Dollars
In the Spring of 1907
for Lumber & Shingles

Value Received

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Kettle Point March 22nd 1907

Coul.

To Wm Nisbet Esq Indian agt

I herewith assign and make over to Coultis Brothers of Forest all my annuity money due and accruing from the Government of Canada through you as the Government agent and direct you to pay over to them all said moneys which are payable to me until the sum of seventy dollars is so paid conditional always on their presenting a detailed account of goods furnished by them to me. said payments to be paid to satisfy said accounts and you are further directed to make the payment of Coultis Brothers account the first charge against the next three semi annual payments without any further notice

Given under my hand this 22nd day of March A.D. 1907

Wesley Shawl Keene

To Coultis Brothers. Forest

I hereby accept above order and agree to carry out its provisions and directions

William Nisbet

Indian Agent

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... THE FOREST SAW MILLS ...

Forest, Ont., May 11 1909

M. Wesley Shawkeens

To COULTIS & BROS., Dr.

MANUFACTURERS OF AND DEALERS IN

All Kinds of Hardwood Lumber, Building Material, Etc.

Terms, Cash; One per cent per month charged on all accounts not so paid.

1906

Nov 9	To	7 Pieces 2×4×14 = 66 ft @ 22.00		1 45
	"	19 " 2×4×16 - 203 ft @ 18.00		3 65
	"	5 " 2×4×14 - 47 } 71 @ 18.00		1 27
	"	3 " 2×4×12 - 24 }		
	"	5 M shingles @ 3.00		15 00
" 23	"	480 ft B. Match @ 28.00		13 44
" "	"	20 Pieces 2×4×12 - 160 @ 22.00		3 52
" "	"	Dressing 50 ft 2 sides		15
" "	"	Dressing 408 ft 4 sides		.83
Dec 11	"	1 Pair sash		1 25
April 6 1907	"	620 ft bap siding @ 20.00		12 40
" "	"	5 Pieces 1×8×12 - 25 }		
" "	"	1 " 1×8×16 - 7 } 32 ft @ 30.00		96
" "	"	1 Door 2×6 By 6×6		2 75
" 27	"	Making 112 ft casing		1 68
" "	"	Dressing 66 ft 2 sides		.26
" "	"	400 ft sheeting @ 22.00		8 80
July 5	"	450 ft flooring @ 30.00		13 50
" "	"	45 ft Ceiling @ 25.00		1 13
" "	"	1 Pair sash		.50
				$ 82.54

Cr

Oct 24 1907	By Cheque	per Wm Hesbitt	$ 14 25		
April 17 1908	"	" " "	18 25		
Dec 5	"	Cheque " Wm Hesbitt	15 00	47.50	
			Amount Due	$ 35.04	
May 11 1909	Cr. by cash		14 00		
			Bal	$ 21 04	
			Cash	10	
				11 04	

May 15/14

May 15 1914 I hereby admit that $ 11 04 is due by me on this account, and ask to have it paid. ~~less~~ ~~discount~~ in 2 equal instalments from my interest shares.

WITNESS: Mrs. Wes. Shawkeens

Wm Hesbitt

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. . . THE FOREST SAW MILLS . . .

Forest, Ont., Dec 17 1908

Mr. Morris George (Indian)

To COULTIS & BROS., Dr.

MANUFACTURERS OF AND DEALERS IN

All Kinds of Hardwood Lumber, Building Material, Etc.

Terms, Cash; One per cent per month charged on all accounts not so paid.

		$	¢
1908	To Bal of a/c Rendered	48.	45
Sept 15	" 280 ft Ceiling @ 2.00	5.	60
" "	" 5 pieces 1×4×16 - 27		
" "	" 8 " 1×4×12 - 32		
" "	" 3 " 1×4×10 - 10 } 69 ft @ 30.00	2	07
Oct 5	" 500 ft sheeting @ 20.00	10.	00
" "	" Glass Door	3.	00
" "	" Door 2.6×6.6	2.	00
" "	" 230 ft Match @ 20.00	4.	60
" "	" 4 ft Flooring @ 25.00	1.	00
	Amount Due	$76.	72
	Bal	$72	02

May 2 1904 I hereby admit that $72.02 due by me on this account and ask to have it paid discount in 10 equal instalments from my interest shares.

WITNESS:

Morris George

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Indian Office

At Sarnia

MEMO

Sept 5th 190

To William Nisbet. Esq. Indian Agent

Please pay to Coultis Brothers. for value received by me the whole of four shares at the spring payment of Interest money coming through your hands as government agent - as follows - one share for Thomas George and three shares for me making altogether at the rate paid heretofore $18.60. and also pay to Coultis Brothers. the same four shares at the next payment of interest money thereafter being the fall of 1909 and you are hereby directed to do so without any further notice from us

Maria George
Thomas George his X mar

Accepted
William Nisbet

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Kettle Point

Dec. 3rd 1907.

Dear Sir.

I have been requested by Coulter & Bro. of Forest. For you consent to give me permission to exchange some timber for dry lumber from them. We are building a house for ourselves It is about half finished now And we have not enough lumber to finished it

I have seen the Head Chief Peter Rodd & some of the Counsellors and they are all willing that I should do so.

The Coulter Bros are afraid that they might have a trouble without your consent & the Counsellors. and wish you to give me a note to show them. That the matter would be alright - and would be very much obliged Yours truly

Thomas George.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

Sarnia

Dec. 4th 1907

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No.
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

Coultis Brothers
Forest

Sir,—

~~Referring to your letter of~~ 442142

No.

Mr Thomas George wishes permission to exchange or get cut some logs for building purposes There will be no objection to this for logs cut on his own holding and used for buildings purposes on his lot on the reserve

Yours Respectfully
William Nisbet
Indian Agent

Thos George
says that some of his lot was
retained possibly Fall 1909

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Sarnia June 25th 1910

Coulters Bros Lumber Dealers. Forest

Will you please give Elijah Ashquabe
Shingles to the amount of Ten Dollars
to be paid in three months and I
will become responsible for the amount

Oblige yours
Ex-Chief F. N. Jacobs

($10.00)

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. . THE FOREST SAW MILLS . .

Forest, Ont., Oct. 10th 1913

Mr. Elijah Ashquabe.

To **COULTIS & BROS.**, Dr.

MANUFACTURERS OF AND DEALERS IN

All Kinds of Hardwood Lumber, Building Material, Etc.

Terms, Cash ; One per cent. per month charged on all accounts not so paid.

1910			$	c
June.	30.	To Shingles . .	10	00
			6	
			4.	00

Payment Garanteed by Ex. Chief F. W. Jacobs.

May 15 1914 I hereby admit that $ 4.00 is due by me on this account, and ask to have it paid; ~~less~~ ~~discount~~, in 1 equal instalments from the interest shares.

WITNESS: Mrs Ex Asquabe May 15/14 Cash

Witness F. W. Jacobs

Coultis Bros. Forest Ont.

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. . THE FOREST SAW MILLS . .

Forest, Ont., Oct. 10th 1913.

Mr. John. Milligan

To COULTIS & BROS., Dr.

MANUFACTURERS OF AND DEALERS IN

All Kinds of Hardwood Lumber, Building Material, Etc.

Terms, Cash ; One per cent. per month charged on all accounts not so paid.

1907					
May	6.	To 220 ft. Flooring @ 26.00		5	72
"	"	" 270 " Sheeting " 16.00		4	32
"	"	" 6 Pieces 4-4-8 = 14 @ 35.00		2	24
"	"	" 9 " " 2-4-12 = 72			
"	"	" 4 " " 2-6-10 = 40			
"	"	" 2 " " 2-6-12 = 24	192 ft. @ 23.00	4	41
"	"	" 4 " " 2-6-14 = 56			
"	"	" 1 1/2 m. Shingles		3	00
"	"	" 1 1/2 Piece 2-5-16 = 14			
"	"	" 1 " " 2-5-14-12	36 @ 30.00	1	08
"	"	" 1 " " 2-5-12 10			
"	11	" 122 ft. 1 in. Siding @ 28.00		3	41
"	"	" 200 " 1-8- @ 25.00		5	00
"	"	" 4 Pieces 2-4-12, 32 @ 28.00			75
"	11	" 21 " " 1-8-10 = 168 @ 30.00		5	14
"	"	" 200 ft. V. M.		4	50
"	"	By Cash.	5 00.-		
"	14	To 48 ft. Skirting cap.			96
				$40	01
Oct. 1908.	24	By. Cheque. Jas. Nisbet.	15 00.+		
April	16	" " " " " "	15 00.+		
			$ 35 00		
		Bal. Due.		5	01

May 21 1914 I hereby admit that $ 5-01

due by me on this account, and ask to have it paid,

s ..... discount, in 1 equal instal-

ments from my interest shares.

WITNESS: John Milligan

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Forest Act: 10. 1913.

To. The Agent:

Sir - Jno. Nesbit is responsible for Fifteen Dollars. ($15.00), which was paid to Jno by Mr. Sutton Shawkeneel. Jno. Nesbet never handed the amount paid on this account over to us.

Coultis Bros.

Per. Jn. B. G.

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The Forest
Saw Mills.

Sash and Doors,
Building Material,
All Kinds of
Hardwood Lumber.
Etc , Etc.

COULTIS & BROS.

Forest, Ont., Oct 2 1906

Mr A Englishe

Please Pay To
Coultis Bros
Ninteen Dollers in
the fall of 1907
for Lumber

Sutton Shawkens

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. . THE FOREST SAW MILLS . .

Forest, Ont., Oct 10 1913

M Sutton Shawkence

To COULTIS & BROS., Dr.

MANUFACTURERS OF AND DEALERS IN

All Kinds of Hardwood Lumber, Building Material, Etc.

Terms, Cash ; One per cent. per month charged on all accounts not so paid.

1906

Sept	24	To Dressing floorng	2 00	
		" 2½ M Shingles @ 2.80	7 00	
		" 600 ft B m @ 28 pr M	16 80	
Oct	12	" 4 P 1-6 - 14 - 28 - 3 @ 30 pr M		
		" 1 - 1-6 - 10 - 3 - 3 @ 30 pr M		
1908		2 - 2-8 - 8 - 21 = 54 @ 30 pr M	1 62	
May	5	" Sawing 297	89	
			28 31	
1904				
Oct	30	Cr By Cash	#10 00	
1908				
May	2	" " Logs	182	
			#1182	1182
		Bal Due		#1449
				10-50
				94

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Sutton
Shawkenee
$16.49

Mr. McKay

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letter to Coutts Bros
on 384013
enclosing CK payt
of Sr. Brassellers a/c
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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
JUN 5 1914
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Peck

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No.
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

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448503

Sir,—

Statement of Collection for Coultis Bros. Spring 1914.

Wesley Shawkeence	$10.00
Elijah Ashquake	6.00
	16.00

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Draft on 445000

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Ottawa, 14th October, 1914.

Sir:-

The Department has caused to be carefully examined the pay-list and entries of remittances which you submitted in connection with the distribution of interest money to members of the Chippewa Band of Sarnia. No trace can be found of the $15.00 which you collected from Sutton Shawkence on account of his debt to Messrs. Coultis Bros., and therefore I have to request that you will forward the amount to the Department without delay.

Your obedient servant,

For Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Mr. William Nesbit,
Sarnia, Ont.

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Ottawa, 22nd October, 1914.

Sir,-

With reference to the distribution of interest money for the Fall of 1914 to Indians of the Chippawa Band of Sarnia, and also with respect to debts owed by the Indians, I beg to say that the following is a statement of debts due by certain of the Indians to Messrs. Coultis Bros., viz:-

Band No. 120	John Milliken	$5.01	1	payment
" " 202	Elijah Ashquabe	4.00	1	"
" " 182	Morris George	72.02	10	"
" " 195	Wesley Shawkence	11.04	2	"

You should collect the amounts stated from the Indians mentioned when distributing the interest money, and the money collected should be forwarded to the Department to be paid over by official cheque to Messrs. Coultis Bros. In each case the pay-list should show the amount collected and, therefore, you should be careful to make the necessary entries in the remarks column of the pay-list.

Mr. Nesbit, the late Indian Agent, has been asked to forward to the Department $15.00 which he collected from Sutton Shawkence on account of his debt to Messrs. Coultis Bros. When the money is received by the Department, a cheque will issue in their favor and be sent to them.

Your obedient servant,

S. STEWART

For Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

T. Maxwell, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Sarnia, Ont.

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Department of Indian Affairs.

Ottawa, Jan 14 1915

A/a S-

To draw cheque for $22.03 in favor of Coultis Bros. being account retained from Sarnia Indians Fall 1914 on a/c of indebtedness

GMC

Coultis Bros.
Forest
Ont.

S-2773

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With Cheque

Ottawa, 18th January, 1915.

Sirs,-

I beg to transmit herewith cheque No. 5273 for $22.03 covering amounts retained from the under-mentioned Indians of the Sarnia Band on account of their indebtedness to you, namely:-

John Milliken	$2.51
Maurice George	10.00
Elijah Ashquabe	4.00
Wesley Shawkence	5.52

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Messrs. Coultis Bros.,
Forest, Ont.

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ACCOUNTANT FEB 11 1915

FEB 10 1915

ans to
No. 442.142 Forest. Feb 8. 1915

L. D. McLean 462915

Sir - We beg to acknowledge the amount of Twenty two Dollars and Three cents $22.03. amounts to be credited to
John Milliken $2.50
Maurice George $10.00
Elijah Ashquabe $4.00
Wesley Shawkence $5.52
for this we are very thankful
Your letter is dated Jan. 18th
& it was laid in the Forest office till to-day the fault being all ours, neglected sending order for Registered letter, please excuse delayed acknowledgment & except our thanks Yours Truly.
Coultis Bros

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Ottawa, 26th March, 1915.

Sir,-

On the 14th October the Department wrote you with regard to $15.00 interest money which you collected from Sutton Shawkence on account of his indebtedness to Messrs. Coultis Bros. It has not been found possible to trace this money as having been paid into the Department and, therefore, I have to request that you will forward the amount in question here without delay. I may say that should you fail to give this matter your attention, this Department will be constrained to write the Customs Department in regard thereto, with a view to having the amount in question retained from your salary.

Your obedient servant,

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Mr. Wm. Nisbet,
Sarnia, Ont.

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Ottawa, 2nd June, 1915.

Sir:-

I beg to say that it is understood that Mr. William Nesbet of Sarnia is an employee of your Department and therefore, I have the honour to request that you will collect from his salary $15.00 which he owes this Department. The amount in question represents interest money which Mr. Nesbit collected from Sutton Shawkence, on account of his indebtedness to Messrs. Coultis Bros, Mr. Nesbit failed to forward the money to this Department although his attention was directed to the matter on the 14th October and again on the 16th March. In the last mentioned letter he was told that if he did not forward the money without delay, you would be written to in regard thereto.

as local Indian Agent (an Indian)

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

John McDougald Esq.,
Commissioner of Customs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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Reply (if any) to be addressed to "Commissioner of Customs"

Refer to File

No. 85508

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS JUN 7

Department of Customs

Ottawa, 4th June, 1915.

Acct

ACCOUNTANT JUN 8 1915 BRANCH

The Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,

O t t a w a.

Sir,

I have the honour to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 2nd instant, No. 442142, in which you ask that the sum of $15 be deducted from the salary of Officer William Nisbet of Sarnia, on account of an amount due by him to your Department.

In reply you are advised that Mr. Nisbet is not employed in the Customs Service.

I note by the Civil Service list that a W. Nisbet is employed by the Department of Agriculture at Sarnia as a car inspector.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

John M. Fourgeld
Commissioner of Customs

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Ottawa, 9th June, 1915.

Sir,-

I beg to say that it is understood that Mr. William Nisbet, of Sarnia, is employed by your Department at Sarnia as a car inspector and, therefore, I have the honour to request that you will collect from his salary $15.00 which he owes this Department. The amount in question represents interest money which Mr. Nisbet, as local Indian Agent, collected from Sutton Shawkence, an Indian, on account of his indebtedness to Messrs. Coultis Bros. Mr. Nisbet failed to forward the money to this Department, though his attention was directed to the matter on the 14th October and again on the 16th March.

Your obedient servant,

Deputy Superintendent General.

The Deputy Minister of Agriculture,
Ottawa, Ont.

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DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE
CANADA

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
JUN 18 1915

DEPUTY MINISTER'S OFFICE,
OTTAWA June 16, 1915.

ACCOUNTANT'S
JUN 18 1915
BRANCH

469931

Sir:

I am in receipt of your letter of the 9th instant No. 442,142 asking that the sum of $15.00 which he owes to your Department be collected from the salary of Mr. William Nisbet an employee of this Department at Sarnia and have instructed the Accountant of the Department to comply with your request.

I have the honour to be

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

Jas. F. Kilbourn

Deputy Minister.

The Deputy Superintendent General

of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa.

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IN REPLY REFER TO

NO.

[redacted] ONLY ON ONE SUBJECT IN ONE LETTER.

DOMINION OF CANADA.

Department of Agriculture,

Ottawa, July 3, 1915.

Rec'd

Ack'd

The Deputy Superintendent
of Indian Affairs,
Dept.of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

470753

Dear Sir:-

Enclosed find cheque No.5944, for $15.00 the amount requested by you to be deducted from Mr. W. Nisbit's account, an employee of this Department.

Yours truly,

Encl.

Accountant.

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Ottawa, 6th July, 1915.

Sir:-

With reference to the closing paragraph of letter to you of the 22nd October, 1914, regarding $15.00 which Mr. Nesbit late Indian Agent at Sarnia, was asked to collect from Sutton Shawkence on account of his indebtedness to Messrs. Coultis Bros: I beg to say that as Mr. Nesbit collected the money in question but did not transmit it to the Department, the said amount has been retained from his salary by the Department of Agriculture. This Department holds an endorsed cheque for the ~~same~~ amount and will forward ~~same~~ to you for Messrs. Coultis Bros. upon receipt through you from them of a receipt for the amount in question in full settlement of Sutton Shawkence's debt. You should give the matter your prompt attention.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean

For Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

T. Maxwell Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Sarnia, Ont.

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442142 Immediate

With cheque.

Ottawa, 8th July, 1915.

Sir:-

With reference to letter to you of the 6th instant, regarding Sutton Shawkence's indebtedness to Messrs. Coultis Bros., I enclose herewith the endorsed cheque therein referred to for $15.00, which amount was retained by the Department of Agriculture from Mr. William Nisbet's salary. As already instructed, you should obtain from Messrs. Coultis Bros. a receipt for the full amount of Sutton Shawkence's indebtedness, and you should hand over to them this cheque. The receipt should be forwarded to the Department.

Your obedient servant,

[illegible]

For Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

T.A.Maxwell Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Sarnia, Ont.

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No. 5944 Forrest August 9th 1913

Received from Department of Indian affairs

the sum of Fifteen — " Dollars,

On Acc of Sutton Shawkeence of William Nesbet Infall

$15 00/100

Coulter Bros

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

Sarnia

August 11th 1915

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 442142
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

ACCOUNTANTS
AUG 17 1915
BRANCH

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

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8th July 19/15

Sir.-

Enclosed find a recet from Coltes Bros of Forrest Payment in full of acc W. Nesbit hoping the same will be satisfactory to you regarding the matter

Remain your Obedient Servant

L. Maxwell

J. D. McLean Esq
Asst Deputy & Secretary

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Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, October 21st, 1915.

Sir:-

I beg to draw attention to the fact that when you made distribution of interest money to the Sarnia Indians in the Spring of 1915 you overlooked making collection from them for debts owed to Messrs. Coultis Brothers. Under the circumstances collection should be made this Fall. The following is the list of Indians indebted to Messrs. Coultis Brothers and the amounts stated are owed by them:-

Band No.	120	John Milliken	$2.50
"	"	182 Morris George	62.02
"	"	195 Wesley Shawkence	5.52

The money collected in accordance with the above instructions should be returned to the Department in order that the money be paid over to Messrs. Coultis Brothers by official cheque. Kindly refer to official letter of the 22nd August, 1914 in which you were instructed to make collection for the above mentioned firm from Indians on your Agency. As pointed out in that letter, in each case the pay-list should show the amount collected and therefore you should be careful to make the necessary entries in the remarks column of the pay-list.

Your obedient servant,

T.Maxwell Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Sarnia, Ont.

S.Stewart.

For Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

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CORCORAN & CORCORAN
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760-762 ELLICOTT SQUARE
BUFFALO, N. Y.

J. B. CORCORAN
W. H. CORCORAN

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FEB 6 - 1914
DEPUTY MINISTER OF LANDS & FORESTS

February 5th, 1914.

Lands

Commission of Indian Lands,
Toronto, Canada.

Dear sir ;

Will you kindly send me a map of the 4th and 5th commission, lot 24, Albemarle Township, Province of Ontario, and a statement of the terms for purchase of the same; what price must be paid ? The commissions I speak of are known as Black Point on Lake Huron. Thanking you I am

Sincerely,

W H Corcoran

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The Penn Mutual Life Insurance Co.

M. R. Miller, General Agt.
C. M. Colton, Supt. of Agencies.

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SUITE 504 WILDER BUILDING
EDWARD H. PERRY, District Manager

BUFFALO OFFICE
SUITE 905 ELLICOTT SQUARE
J. B ALLEN, Manager

INDIAN BRANCH
FEB 10 1914
REGISTRY

Buffalo, Feb. 5th, 1914.

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DEPUTY MINISTER OF LANDS & FORESTS

Commissioner of Indian Lands,

Toronto, Ont.

Dear Sir:-

I spent my vacation last summer on the lake shore, three or four miles above Oliphant, and my oarsman showed me a point of land running into the lake which he said was known as Black Point, also that it is Government land and may be purchased at any reasonable price. It is I am informed, in Albermarle Township, lot 24, 4th and 5th concession, being a rocky point of land extending into lake Huron.

If this point of land is owned by the Government and is for sale, would you please quote me the price, and if possible send me a map of the shore. This point is between Oliphant and Red Bay and nearer to Red Bay.

A prompt reply will be greatly appreciated by

Yours truly,

J. B. Allen

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Department of Indian Affairs.

Ottawa, 11th Feby - 1914

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Lot 24 Con. 5, W.B.R, Albemarle, includes the point of land extending into Lake Huron and contains 124 acres as shown by the Plan of Albemarle and as covered by patent issued 14 April 1894 under Revi No. 10,836.

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442,148.

Ottawa, October 2nd, 1922.

Sir,-

I beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 20th ultimo with reference to Lot 24, Concession 5, W. B. R. Albemarle, and would ask that you be good enough to submit Mr. E. A. Deem's letter, and any other communications you may receive with reference to Indian Lands, to our Indian Agent Alex. D. Moore at Cape Croker, for transmission to the Department with his report thereon.

Your obedient servant,

J. C. Caldwell,
In Charge Lands and Timber Branch.

J. E. Sutherby, Esq.,
WIARTON,
Ontario.

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442,148.

Ottawa, February 12, 1914.

Sir,-

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 5th instant, in regard to lot 24, in the 4th and 5th concessions, Albemarle, known as Black Point, and in reply to say that lot 24, Con. 5, W. B. R., Albemarle, which includes the point of land extending into Lake Huron, and which contains 124 acres, was patented on the 14th of April, 1894, and the Department is not aware by whom it is now held.

Your obedient Servant,

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W. A. ORR

In Charge Lands & Timber Branch.

J. B. Allen, Esq.,
The Penn Mutual Life Insurance Co.,
Buffalo, N. Y.

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Ottawa. February 12, 1914.

Sir,-

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Your obedient Servant,

W. A. ORR

In Charge Lands & Timber Branch.

W. H. Corcoran, Esq.,
Attorney at Law,
760 Ellicott Square,
Buffalo, N. Y.

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ATTORNEYS AND COUNSELORS-AT-LAW
614 ELLICOTT SQUARE
BUFFALO, N. Y.

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
FEB 17 1914

February 13, 1914.

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Superintendent General of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, Canada.

Dear Sir:-

Will you kindly advise as to title of premises known as Black Point, consisting of about twenty-five acres, south of lots No. 24 and 25 in the fourth and fifth concession of the Township of Albermarle, Ont., as to whether the same is still vested in the Government, and if so the price and steps to be taken to obtain a patent to the same from the Government.

Very truly yours,

Fred W. Thomas

T/M.

LANDS BRANCH
FEB 17 1914

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442,148.

Ottawa, February 17, 1914.

Sir,-

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 13th instant, in regard to land known as Black Point in the township of Albemarle, Ont., and to say that the land in question is included in lot 24, Con. 5, W. B. R., Albemarle, which lot was patented on the 14th of April, 1894, and the Department is not aware by whom it is now held.

Your obedient Servant,

In Charge Lands & Timber Branch.

Fred W. Thomas, Esq.,
Attorney at Law,
614 Ellicott St.,
Buffalo, N. Y.

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Red Bay Sept 8th

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Mr J.D. McLean

Sir I beg to apply to you for information enregards to a Point on Lake Huron shore Lokely knowing as Black Point. contains about Ten acers with about three acers small scrub & bushes balence a shole or reefe wish to purchase it for fishing station according to messurement of Lots opposit there is the above acreage out side of high water mark. Situated opposite Lots 23 & 24. 5th concession W. B. R Township of Albemarle County of Bruce kindly let me know if this is for sale and price I would apreciate an early reply

Yours Truly
Joseph Atlis

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442,148.

Ottawa, September 19, 1922.

Sir,-

I have your inquiry of the 8th instant, in connection with a piece of land known as Black Point in the Township of Albemarle, Ont., and in reply may say that this land is included in Lot 24, Con. 5, W. B. R., Albemarle, which was patented on the 20th of April, 1894, and the Department is not now aware by whom it is held.

Your obedient Servant,

J. D. McLean.
Assistant Deputy & Secretary.

Joseph Alis, Esq.,
Red Bay,
Ont.

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CANADIAN NATIONAL EXPRESS COMPANY

(Form 25)

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS SEP 21 1922

WIARTON SEPTEMBER 20th 1922

SUB.

THE SECRETARY
INDIAN LANDS DEPARTMENT

OUR NO.

YOUR NO.

OTTAWA

575105

Dear Sir

I have been asked by Mr E.A.Deem 416 Bacon Street Dayton Ohio To get what information I could about Lot 24 con 5 W.B.R. Albamarle
This lot stands in the Name of R.Neeve Mr Deem is thinking of Buying and building a summer Lodge on it
as near as I can make out by the Map at Cape Croker that this lot does not run to the shore I also saw a map made by Mr Warren some years ago and it shows Lot 24 running to waters edge
What Mr Deem wants to know if it actualy runs to the water if not he will give $15.00 for the land between lot 25 and thr shore as the lot is of no use to him unles he can get to the water
I would like very much to get A map of Albamarle
I am asked a lot by different parties about the Islands and as I turned all maps over to the Indian Agent at Cape Croker and it comes in very handy to have one

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
SEP 23 1922.
SURVEYS

Yours Truly
J E Sutherby
EXIndian Lands Agent

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

CANADA

Ottawa, 23rd September 1922

Memorandum

Lands Branch,-

With regard to lots 24 and 25, Con.5, West of the Bury road, Township of Albemarle, I may say that our tracing of plan No.25 and the original field notes show that there was one chain road allowance left along the lake shore and consequently neither of these lots extend to the water, nor is there any land between the original road allowance and the water.

Lands see Funder.

A. R. White

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SEP 25 1922

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Ottawa, October 2nd, 1922.

Sir:-

I beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 30th ultimo with reference to Lot 24, Concession 5, W.B.R. Albemarle, and would kindly ask that you be good enough to submit Mr. E. A. Deem's letter, and any other communications you may receive with reference to Indian Lands, to our Indian Agent Alex. D. Moore at Cape Croker, for transmission to the Department with his report thereon.

D-2940

Your obedient servant,

J. C. Caldwell
In Charge Land & Timber Branch.

J. E. Sutherby, Esq.,
WIARTON,
Ont.

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Letters from the Department of Indian Affairs,
Land and Timber Branch. A. 2940

NAME.	ADDRESS.	Receipt of Post Office.
Lot 24 Con 5 - W. B. R. Albemarle		
Pat'd to A. M. Tyson		
Ref 10836 - 14th April 1894		
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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA

OFFICE OF
INDIAN AGENT

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
JAN 24 1930
RECORDS

File 23-1.

Lands

R

Cape Croker. Ont.

Jan.21st.1930.

Sir:-

I beg to enquire on behalf of Mr Richard Crane, of Wiarton, regarding Island No 26, opposite Lot No 25, Con.5, West, W.B.R. Albmarle Township. This Island is located on the west side of Bruce Peninsula, and on the east side of Lake Huron.

Mr Crane wishes to know if this island is for sale, also what the purchase price is of same.

Secretary,

Dept. of Ind. Affs.

Ottawa.

Your obedient servant,

Arthur C. Paste

Indian Agent.

note states this Isl sh'ld be sold with Lot 24 Con V, Albemarle

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45585-3A.

E.D

~~D.A.C.10/B.~~

29th January,1930.

Sir,-

I am replying to your enquiry of the 21st instant, No.23-1, with reference to Island No.26, Lake Huron, opposite the Township of Albemarle. Upon looking up our records covering this Island I find a note to the effect that this Island should be sold with Lot 24, Concession 5, Albemarle Township as the same appears to be a small Point connected with the mainland. The valuation is $50.00.

Your obedient servant,

(J. C. Caldwell)
Director, Indian Lands & Timber.

Arthur C. Poste, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Cape Croker, Ont.

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45585-3A.

29th January, 1930.

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Your obedient servant,

(J. C. Caldwell)
Director, Indian Lands and Timber.

Arthur C. Poste, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Cape Croker, Ont.

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CANADA

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DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
MAY 25 1931

OFFICE OF
INDIAN AGENT

File 23-1. Lands

Cape Croker, Ont.
May 21st.1931.

Re. Lands.

Sir:-

With further reference to your letter No 84-39B, dated May 14th, inst., regarding Island No 26, Lake Huron, opposite the Township of Albemarle, I beg to submit the following information.

Between the island and the mainland, there is quite a deep channel of water, making the island approachable only by boat. Up to, and including the present date, it has never yet been possible to get to the island, except by water. In your letter No 45585-3A, dated Jan.29th.1930, valuation was placed on this island, at $50.00. Kindly inform me if this valuation of $50.00. includes both the island, and Lot 24, Con. 5, Albemarle Township.

Secretary,
Dept. of Ind. Affs.
Ottawa.

Your obedient servant,
Arthur E. Laste
Indian Agent.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA

OFFICE OF
INDIAN AGENT

Cape Croker, Ont.
May 5th 1931.

File 23-1.

(Re. Lands.)

Sir:-

I beg to enclose my cheque for $50.00., in favour of the Receiver General, being the amount paid to me in full, by Mr Robert Edward Crane, of Wiarton, for the island described in your letter No 45585-3A, dated Jan.29th,1930.

Enclosed also please find requisition for patent, for this island, in favour of Mr Crane.

Enclosures.

Secretary,
Dept. of Ind. Affs.
Ottawa.

Your obedient servant,
Arthur C. Losee
Indian Agent.

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84-39B.

May 14th, 1931.

Sir,-

I have your letter of the 5th instant, No. 23-1, and enclosed cheque for $50.00 received from Robert Edward Crane, covering Island No. 26, Lake Huron, opposite the Township of Albemarle, and advise that the Department is not, at present, prepared to approve of the sale of the Island to the applicant unless he is the owner of the adjoining mainland. It is thought that possibly today, owing to the low water, this point or island is part of Lot 24, Con. 5.

Your obedient servant,

J. C. Caldwell,
Director, Indian Lands and Timber.

Arthur C. Poste, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Cape Croker,
Ontario.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA

OFFICE OF
INDIAN AGENT

Cape Croker, Ont.
June 29th.1931.

File 23-1.

(Re. Lands.)

Sir:-

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
JUL 2 1931
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I beg to refer to my letter to you dated May 21st, inst., regarding Island No 26, Lake Huron, opposite the Township of Albemarle, for which you have received my cheque for $50.00., from Robert Edward Crane.

Mr. Crane has twice recently, called in my office, and enquired as to whether possession of this island, can immediately be obtained. Please be good enough to advise regarding this matter, also if the valuation of the Island includes also Lot 24, Con, 5, Albemarle Township.

Thanking you,

Your obedient servant,

Arthur C. Poste

Indian Agent.

Secretary,

Dept. of Ind. Affs.

Ottawa.

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A. 2940

Lot 24 Con 5 - W.B.R.
albemarle

Pat'd - to A.M. Tyson.
14th Apl 1894

Refg. 10836

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August 12th, 1931.

Sir,-

With further reference to the application received by you from Robert Edward Crane, covering Island 26, in Lake Huron, I enclose a blue print for your information, and you will note that our record shows this Island to be part of Lot 24, Con. 5, Albemarle. In August, 1901, James Warren, O. L. S., notes in his reference book: "Island 26 is a small point now connected to the shore, but was formerly an island. It is nicely timbered and would make a nice camping ground. Has a fair landing".

Lot 24, in the 5th Concession, west of the Bury Road, Albemarle, has a road allowance one chain wide along the lake shore and, consequently, this lot does not extend to the water's edge.

Your obedient servant,

J. C. Caldwell,
Director, Indian Lands & Timber.

Arthur C. Poste, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Cape Croker,
Ontario.

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Minister's Office

MEMORANDUM

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August 28, 1931.

MR. WILLIAMS:

I would like to quote for your information the following which appears in a letter from Mr. R. E. Crane, of Wiarton, Ontario.:

"Last year, that is 1930, before the change, I went to the Indian Land Department about Island No. 26 in Albemarle, and got the Agent to write the Department asking information and if it was for sale. He received a letter in 1930 saying it was for sale and going with it was Point 26 consisting of about 12 acres. However, I let it stand until April of 1931 and I went over and paid him the money and applied for deed. In June I went over only to find out nothing had been done as regards Dept. He said he would have the deed back soon. However, it never came so I went again about 1st of July as I wanted to build on it and fit it up. The Agent wrote and told the Department so. Now I was up yesterday and he let me see a letter from the Department which said there were some nice trees and would make a nice camp ground. I can't see why I cannot get the deed."

I wish you would let me have a report which will serve as the basis of a reply, showing why the sale of the Island has been held up.

Private Secretary.

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File 442148.

Ottawa, September 2, 1931.

MEMORANDUM.

Mr. Buskard,-

I desire to reply to your memorandum of the 28th ultimo, in which you quote an extract from letter received from Mr. R. E. Crane, Wiarton, Ont., and in which he refers to his application to purchase what is described as Island No. 26 in the Township of Albemarle.

Mr. Crane's application has been given constant attention since it was received, but the question of sale of this particular Island has been a matter about which the Department has found some difficulty in coming to a definite decision, and there has been a considerable exchange of correspondence with our local Agent, Mr. Arthur C. Poste, of Cape Croker.

The original survey notes covering this property would appear to indicate that what is described as Island No. 26 was at one time part of Lot 24 on the mainland, which was sold by the Department in 1894. It is the practice of the Department in such circumstances to consider Islands so located as part of the mainland, or at least that the owner of the mainland property should be given first opportunity to purchase. Recent information received from our local Agent is to the effect that at the present time there is a considerable channel of water running between this Island and the mainland, and apparently the present physical conditions differ from those which existed when the survey was made. However we have finally decided that we will accept Mr. Crane's offer, and action will at once be taken to prepare and issue the necessary patent.

A. S. Williams,
Acting D. S. G. I. A.

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10th Sep't 1931

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
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Surveys.

Please prepare description for Patent covering Isl. 26, Lake Huron, Saugeen Peninsula opposite Lot 24 Con 5 Tp of Albemarle.

Our records show the Isl to contain 0.75 acs

Lands

B. O'Connor

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA

E.A.D.

Ottawa, 10th September 1931

Description for patent

All that parcel of land situate ~~on the East coast of~~ in Lake Huron, opposite Lot number Twenty-four, Concession Five of the Township of Albemarle, containing by admeasurement seventy-five hundredths of an acre, more or less, comprising Island number Twenty-six, situate in a Bay on the lake front of said lot number Twenty-four, as the said island is shown on a plan of Islands West of Saugeen Indian peninsula by James Warren, Ontario Land Surveyor, dated at Walkerton Jan. 29th 1900, of record in the Surveys Branch of the Department of Indian Affairs under number 370.

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Deseronto, Jan 21st 1914.

The Honourable

The Superintendent General

of Indian Affairs, Ottawa.

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From the Minutes if August 2nd 1911 Page 25 I find the following:-

Moved by Chief Daniel H. Maracle Sec by Chief Thomas Hill that Joseph J. Hill be allowed to purchase one acre of land East of Long Point along the Bay of Quinte of the Tyendinaga Mohawk Reservation.

Carried.

Minutes of December 4th, 1912. Page 305.

Moved by Chief Daniel H. Maracle Sec by Chief William Green That the Quit Claim Deed between the Mohawk Council and Joseph J. Hill being composed of one acre more or less of the south east part of Lot number (5) in Concession number A Running four hundred and thirty-five feet along the shore of the Bay of Quinte on the Tyendinaga Mohawk Reservation be confirmed.

Carried.

This is also Band property But I am not in a position at present to state the amount that the Ex-Chief Realizes from this his supposed Purchased land and I cannot imagine why the Department's officers has not yet given us their final decision in the matter.

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Ottawa, March 15th 1913.

Chiefs John A Loft

Isaac W Green.

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La Patrie, Montreal, 16th Feb. 1914.

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La Patrie, Montreal, Feb.16,1914.

The Indians have faith in their sorcerer.

Impressions of Coroner McMahon on his return from Caughnawaga, where he held an inquest on the death of a woman of the band. The powers of the healer.

A verdict that surprises.

'The medicine man' still exercises at Caughnawaga considerable sway over the band; of this Coroner McMahon is to-day more convinced than ever. He went to conduct an inquest on the death of a woman who, it was believed, had been accidentally poisoned by the healer of the nation. The jurymen, all Iroquois, in their stoical manner declared that the Indian woman had succombed to tuberculosis, in spite of the severe words uttered by McMahon. The latter warned the Indians that in future he will hold thorough inquests in all cases of suspected death. This declaration will perhaps have the effect of making the 'medicine man' more prudent in the preparation of his herb medicines.

Such in brief are the facts of this sensational case, which will always remain, like so many others, a mystery for justice.

At the investigation held on Saturday by Coroner McMahon the Mayor of Caughnawaga was foreman of the jury. In an expressive speech, fully of anger and indignation, he opposed the intrusion of pale faces who come and try to destroy in the hearts of the Indians, descendants of the valorous Iroquois warriors, what still remains of the precious confidence in the 'medicine man'.

One has become certain that the appearance of civilization of which the Iroquois seem to have received the first seal is more than superficial. It is always the man of the prairies that is hostile to all that might go against his ideas. The Huron conforms to the ideas of

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white men, whose manners he tries to imitate. The Iroquois remains nearly always rebellious.

The Caughnawaga warrior, according to those who have studied his ways of healing, is only a sorcerer, he has recourse to all means of sorcery in order to keep himself in good grace with his fellow tribesmen.

The parish priest of Caughnawaga declared on Saturday that two-thirds of the Indians that die in this village are buried without a medical certificate. One has, however, to submit, because one cannot argue with an Iroquois who wants to bury his wife, and whom the warrior is sending to the cemetery.

Mr.McMahon said this morning 'I do not know whether the association of physicians of the province of Quebec has a right to act in all these cases.'

'I know quite well that it shows excessive severity towards the bone-setters, who, nevertheless, make astonishing cures; but has it a right to allow the perpetration at the doors of Montreal of crimes such as surely ~~have been~~ are committed at Caughnawaga?

We believe that this is the first time that a foreman has made a speech absolutely contrary to the remarks made by a coroner who based the same on serious evidence.

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Ottawa, 26th February, 1914.

Sir,

I enclose copy of an excerpt from La Patrie, Montreal dated the 16th instant, with regard to an inquest held by Coroner McMahon on the Caughnawaga Reserve and have to request that you will be good enough to report thereon. You will observe in the excerpt that the parish priest at Caughnawaga declared that two-thirds of the Indians that died in the Village at Caughnawaga are buried without a medical certificate.

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Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Lorenzo Letourneau, Esq.,
Asst. Indian Agent,
St. Constant,
Que.

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Caughnawaga Reserve,

St. Constant, 23rd February, 1914

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa,

Sir:-

I beg to enclose herein a clipping of one of the Montreal newspapers " La Patrie " dated 16 February,1914, and to draw your attention to these few lines of the article in question , " Le curé de Caughnawaga déclarait samedi que les deux tiers des sauvages qui meurent dans ce village sont inhumés sans certificat de médecin. " I have shown this newspapers'article to the Rev. Mr. Curé of Caughnawahga who said that it is true that the largest number of the deceased indians of Caughnawaga are inhumed without a Doctor's certificate. I am not in position to say that this is illegal, but it surprised me so much that I thought it better to submit this question to your consideration.

Your obedient servant,

with clipping,

Asst-Indian Agent.

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Caughnawaga Reserve,

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St. Constant, 28th February, 1914

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa,

Sir:-

Referring to your letter No 442 592, dated 26th instant, and to my letter of the 23rd with an excerpt from La Patrie, Montreal, dated the 16th instant, I beg to say that I am now informed that the Indians of Caughnawaga, as a whole, have never been requested to produce a medical certificate before the burial of one of their members. The parish priest gives the following reasons in support of his deffence: that the Indians have never been accustomed to produce such certificate; as the Caughnawaga Reserve is governed by Federal Laws are we supposed to observe one of the Provincial Laws; and that in the past a medical certificate was produced only in case of sudden death.

I beg to ask whether, or not, the same rule is to be maintained into the Reserve, if not, your Department will certainly have to give severe orders in this respect, for the observance of the new regulations amongst the Indians.

Your obedient servant,

Ass.T-Indian Agent

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Ottawa, March 5, 1914.

Sir,-

I enclose an excerpt from "La Patrie," Montreal, dated the 16th ultimo with regard to an inquest held by Coroner McMahon on the Caughnawaga Indian reserve and also a copy of a letter dated the 28th ultimo from the Assistant Indian Agent at St. Constant, reporting in regard thereto.

I may say that our Indian Act makes no provision for the registration of births, marriages and deaths on the different Indian reserves throughout Canada and there has been no Dominion legislation making the Provincial laws applicable thereto.

Under the circumstances will you kindly indicate how you consider the difficulty can be met on the Caughnawaga reserve as to Indians who are buried without a medical certificate.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Chas. Lanctot, Esq., K.C.,
Deputy Attorney General,
Quebec, P.Q.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL

QUEBEC, March 20th, 1914.

J.-D.McLean, Esq.,
Asst.Deputy and Secretary, Indian Affairs Department,
Ottawa.

Sir,-

Your record no.442592

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 5th inst., in which you enclose an excerpt from "La Patrie" of Montreal, dated the 16th ultimo, with regard to an inquest held by Coroner McMahon on the Caughnawaga Indian Reserve, and also a copy of a letter, dated the 28th ultimo, from the Assistant Indian Agent at St.Constant, reporting in regard thereto.

You state that the Federal Indian Act makes no provision for the registration of births, marriages and deaths on the different Indian Reserves throughout Canada and that there is no Dominion legislation making the provincial laws applicable thereto; and you ask if we will indicate, under the circumstances, how the difficulty can be met on the Caughnawaga Reserve as to Indians who are buried without a medical certificate.

In answer, I beg to state as follows:

Art.4428 R.S.Q.1909, states that no interment shall be proceeded with before the officer appointed for the registration of acts of civil status has been handed a certificate establishing the cause of death, or a transport permit exchanged for such a certificate. For me, there is no doubt that, in the absence of Dominion legislation, this provision applies in Indian Reserves.

Compliance with this provision, we understand, is very difficult amongst a population such as that of a Reserve but we think that the difficulty could be met either by the Department

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of Indian Affairs instructing their officer to enforce the provincial law at Caughnawaga, or by the Provincial Legislature passing such legislation to meet the exceptional circumstances arising there, as could be settled upon between this Government and that of Canada.

Believe me,

Yours very truly,

Charles Lanctôt

Deputy Attorney General.

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Ottawa, 24th March, 1914.

Sir,

In reply to your letter of the 28th ultimo as to deceased Indians on the Caughnawaga Reserve for burial without a medical certificate, I beg to inform you that on communicating with the Deputy Attorney General for the Province of Quebec he refers to Article 4428 R.S.Q. 1909, which states:- "That no interment shall be "proceeded with before the officer appointed for the "registration of acts of civil status has been handed "a certificate establishing the cause of death, or a "transport permit exchanged for such a certificate." The Deputy Attorney General states that in the absence of Dominion legislation he considers that this provision applies to Indian reserves and that the difficulty on the Caughnawaga reserve can be met by your enforcing the Provincial law.

I have therefore to request that you will endeavour as far as possible to have the Provincial law in this regard carried out.

Your obedient servant,

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Burnt Church	N.B.	Seabird Is	B.C.
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Kanouse	-"-	Shiammon	B.C.
Lac Seul	Ont	Matheson B.	Ont
Reserve 39	-"-	Big Is 31E	-"-
Ingram River	N.S.	Big Is 31D	-"-
Sambro	-"-	Coldwater No1	B.C.
Langley #4	B.C.	Grand Lake	N.S.
Kuper Is	"	Tabusintac	N.B.
Skeha Is #5	"	Redbank	-"-
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Gold River	-"-	Reserve 35D	-"-
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Shawanaga	Ont.	Seine R.	-"-
Caradoc	-"-	Red Gut	-"-
Walpole Is	-"-	Reserve 35B	-"-
Garden R.	-"-	-"- 32B	-"-
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Serpent R	-"-	Cheakamus	-"-

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Timber Estimate

Species.	Density Factor.	Average Content per acre.	Total area.	Total Content.
Pine white " red " jack. Spruce Hemlock Jamarac Cedar Fir (Balsam) Maple Beech Oak Elm Ash Birch Poplar.				

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Contents of Sample Acre.

_____ Reserve. Date _____

Density Factor _____ Species. _____ Series. _____

Diameter Breast. high.	Number of trees.	Contents of average tree	Total Content.
Inches.		Board. feet.	Board. feet.
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10			
11			
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Situation.
Soil
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Ground cover
Under brush
Density
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Damage
Fire Risk.
Reproduction
Remarks.

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Plan of Timber Distribution.

_____ Reserve. Date _____ Series. _____

Plan will be drawn to scale. and will show

Roads
Trails
Watercourses
Timber stands
Burnt areas
Swamps.
Agricultural land
Rock
Hills
Density Factors.
Timber areas.

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Lands and Timber Branch

Ottawa, Dec.30 th. 1913

MEMO. to the Deputy Minister

Sir,

I beg leave to submit to your notice specimen copies of forms for standardising the timber estimates of the various Indian Reserves,which may be made from time to time.

These forms are compiled from personal data used in connection with the estimating of timber on behalf of the provincial Government of Ontario,and were originally modelled on the reports of the Bureau of Forestry at Washington.

They show in a clear and positive manner all details that it is necessary to know in connection with this work,and I trust that you may see fit to authorise the printing of a quantity of these,in order to facilitate the work,and also to systematise the returns of the timber estimates.

Your obedient servant

Henry J. Bury

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MEMO.

Notes on Mr. Bury's Memo. of 30th December, 1913.

It would be desirable to have an estimate of the quantities and kinds of merchantable timber remaining on the Indian Reserves, surrendered and unsurrendered, of 9 inches and upwards in diameter at the stump.

A description of each Reserve shewing its agricultural possibilities and general conformation, as to whether or not it is rough, rocky, level, swampy &c. and the probable acreage adapted for profitable settlement, with rough sketch indicating good, medium or poor land, leading roads, Indian Holdings and improvements, with the estimated areas, would be advantageous.

The extent and character of burnt and barren areas on Reserves, showing the probable value of same for timber and land, would facilitate the question of disposal of such.

Reports of examination of Reserves should shew the position of Lakes, Streams and Railways, by means of which timber could be removed.

The average quantiry of timber per acre, does not appear to be of any utility.

Information about diameters of trees, breast high, under the heading Density, would not subserve any useful purpose, and to ascertain the number of trees of each kind would be an almost impossible task, and involve much cost.

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The average diameters and lengths of trees if carefully ascertained, might be found of service as a check on returns.

The Department is not particularly interested in the matter of Humus, Ground-cover, Underbrush, Sylvicultural conditions, or reproduction.

The Indian Reserves in Ontario and Quebec on which Timber Licenses are current, have been extensively, cut over, and the best of the timber has been removed therefrom, while in several instances, it is alleged that there is no timber remaining of regulation size, and that the Licenses should be cancelled.

Geo. L. Chitty.
Timber Inspector

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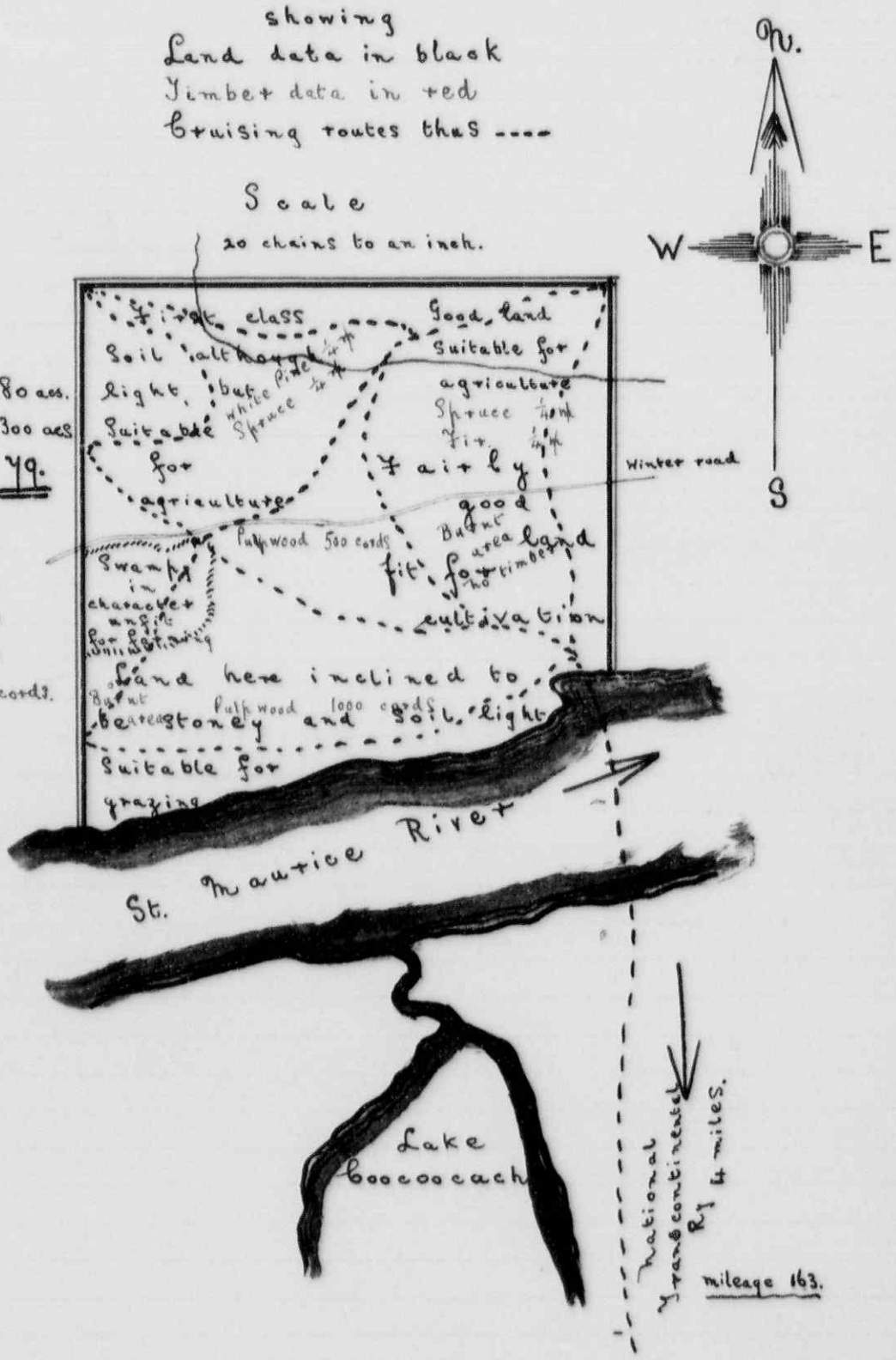
Plan
of
Coocoocache I. R.

showing
Land data in black
Timber data in red
Twising routes thus ----

Scale
20 chains to an inch.



Land Data.

Total area of reserve 380 acs.
Area fit for farming 300 acs
% area of good land 79.

Timber Estimate.

White Pine	250.000
Spruce	500.000
Fir	250.000
Pulpwood	1500 cords.

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Lands and Timber Branch

Ottawa. Jan 30 th 1911

MEMO. To the Deputy Minister

443192

Report of examination of the
COOCOOCACHE RESERVE.

The total area of this reserve is 380 acres, of which 79% can be termed suitable for farming.

Most of the land within the boundaries of the Reserve is undulating, being well adapted for stock-raising purposes.

The soil is inclined to be light and in very many places, stony, but there is an absence of any great masses of rock, which would prevent the working of the soil.

There is a small area of swamp land on the Western boundary, and the strip of land along the river front cannot be classed as agricultural land owing to the presence of a great deal of stone.

The timber on the Reserve is not very extensive, especially as certain portions of the Reserve have been burnt over, but there is a small quantity of white pine in the N.W. corner, and one or two good stands of spruce.

A plan showing the distribution of the timber, and land classification is herewith attached.

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Plan of WEYMONTACHI Indian Reserve

Showing
Land data in black
Timber data in red
Cruising routes thus ----
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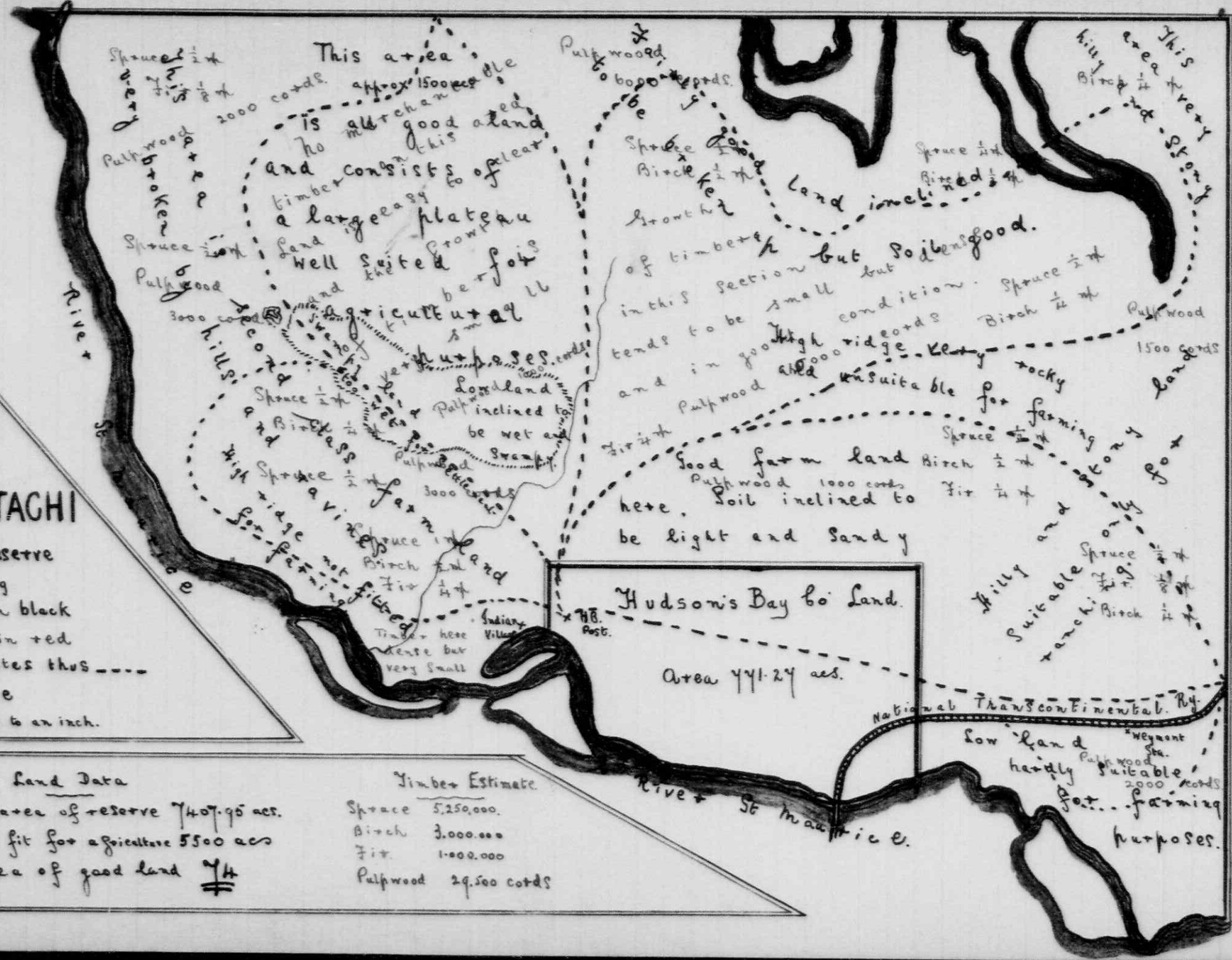
40 chains to an inch.



Land Data

Total area of reserve 7407.95 acs.
Area fit for agriculture 5500 acs
% area of good land 74

Timber Estimate

Spruce	5,250,000.
Birch	3,000,000
Fir	1,000,000
Pulpwood	29,500 cords

H.J. Burg.

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Lands and Timber Branch

Ottawa. 191

MEMO. to the Deputy Minister.

Report of examination of the

WEYMONTACHI RESERVE.

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The total area of this reserve is 7407 acres, of which 74% can be regarded as suitable for agriculture.

The balance of the land area is mostly swamp and rock.

The country is undulating in character, except for an area of about 1200 acres, situated N.W. of the Village, which is comparatively flat.

The soil is light and sandy, and in several sections there is considerable evidence of surface stone and rock.

The timber on the Reserve is very dense although not of great size. There are however several stands of good spruce and birch, which would cut out a nice proportion of merchantable lumber.

It is singular to note, that up to the present time there is no evidence of the visitation of fire, although perhaps with the advent of the Railroad, forest fires will in all probability occur, if not immediately checked.

A plan of the Reserve showing the lands and Timber is herewith attached, together with an estimate.

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TRESPASS.

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It was brought to my notice when at Weymontachi that the contractors on the National Transcontinental Ry. had cut large quantities of timber off the Indian Lands for the construction of two trestles in that vicinity.

On making an examination of the bush, I found that a considerable number of large srpuce trees had been cut and the timber hauled away. This work had been done considerably outside of the limit of the right-of-way.

I also found evidence of trespass on the Coccococache Reserve, where a large quantity of white pine had been cut and removed about three years ago.

A winter road had also been cut clear across the Reserve from East to West.

Upon making enquiries, I was informed that the only Company who had operated in the vicinity about that time was the Wayagamac Lumber Co. with offices at Three Rivers and in my opinion I think it likely that they are responsible for this trespass.

Henry J. Bury

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Lands and Timber Branch

Ottawa 18th February, 1914 191

MEMO.

To Mr. Orr, 442626

I have read and examined the reports hereunder, in regard to the land and timber on the Restigouche, 7.173658
Weymontachi 110923 and Coocoocache 359494. Reserves, and the statement of trespass upon the two latter.

There is no detailed information or particulars as to pieces, contents or values given in connection with the trespass case at Coocoocache, without which an intelligent or specific claim, cannot be formulated.

On enquiry I have been informed by the Surveys Branch that Mr. Bury valued the Right of Way across the Weymontachi Reserve, at $5.00 per Acre, and the value of timber cut outside of same at $50.00, also that a letter was recently sent to the Secretary of the T.R. Commissioners requesting payment of the sum of $214.80, for Land & Timber on Right of Way, and for Timber cut outside of same.

There is no Indian Agent near these St. Maurice Reserves, and whether or not one should be appointed, or to have an occasional visit made to them by the nearest Agent, is open for consideration.

Geo. L. Chitty.

Timber Inspector.

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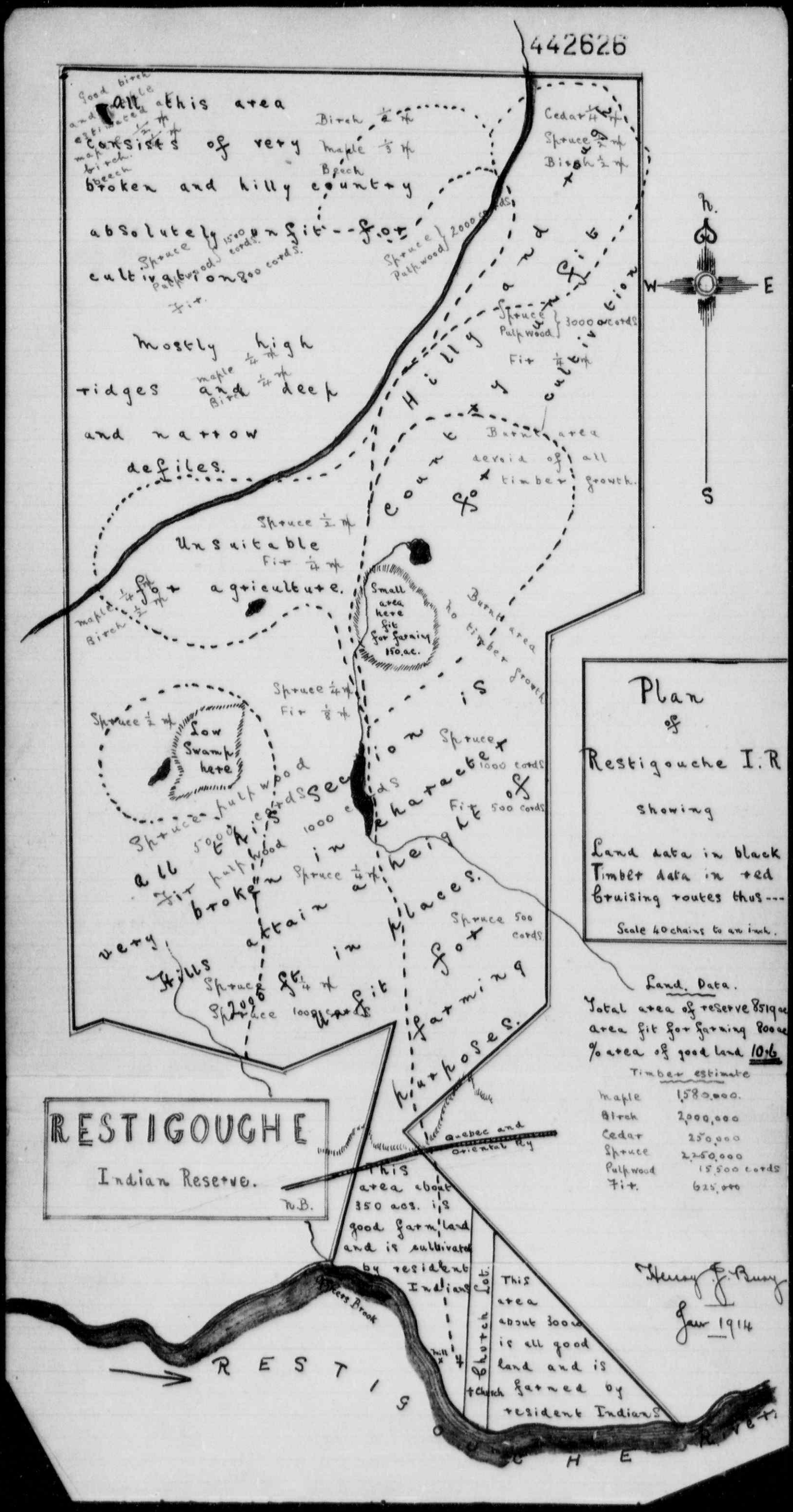
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All this area consists of very broken and hilly country absolutely unfit for cultivation
Good birch and maple estimated at maple ½ m birch ¼ m beech
Birch ½ m
Maple ⅓ m
Beech
Cedar ¼ m
Spruce ½ m
Birch ½ m
Spruce Pulpwood 1500 cords
Fir 800 cords
Spruce Pulpwood 2000 cords
Mostly high ridges and deep and narrow defiles.
maple ¼ m
Birch ¼ m
Hilly and country unfit for cultivation
Spruce Pulpwood 3000 cords
Fir ¼ m
Burnt area devoid of all timber growth.
Spruce ½ m
Unsuitable for agriculture.
Fir ¼ m
maple ¼ m
Birch ½ m
Small area here fit for farming 150 ac.
Burnt area no timber growth
Spruce ¼ m
Fir ⅛ m
Spruce ½ m
Low Swamp here
Spruce pulpwood 5000 cords
Fir pulpwood 1000 cords
Spruce 1000 cords
Fir 500 cords
Spruce ¼ m
Spruce 500 cords
Spruce ¼ m
Spruce 1000 cords
all this section is very broken in character
Hills attain a height of 2000 ft in places.
Unfit for farming purposes.
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S
Plan of Restigouche I.R showing
Land data in black
Timber data in red
Cruising routes thus---
Scale 40 chains to an inch.
Land. Data.
Total area of reserve 8519 ac
area fit for farming 800 ac
% area of good land 10.6
Timber estimate
Maple 1,580,000.
Birch 2,000,000
Cedar 250,000
Spruce 2,250,000
Pulpwood 15,500 cords
Fir. 625,000
RESTIGOUCHE
Indian Reserve.
N.B.
Quebec and Oriental Ry
This area about 350 acs. is good farm land and is cultivated by resident Indians
Church Lot.
This area about 300 ac is all good land and is farmed by resident Indians
Mill
Church
Henry J. Bury
Jan 1914
RESTIGOUCHE River

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Ottawa. Jan 30 th. 1913.

MEMO.

To the Deputy Minister

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Report of examination of the Restigouche, Weymontachi, and Coccoocache Reserves, with regard to the Lands and Timber thereon.

R E S T I G O U C H E.

This reserve has an area of 8,519 acres, and of this not more than 10% can be classed as fit for agriculture.

Except for a small area of 150 acres situated about the centre of the reserve, the only agricultural land is that to be found between the shore of the bay and the tracks of the Quebec and Oriental Railroad. This portion is being farmed by the resident Indians.

The rest of the land within the boundaries of the Reserve is so hilly, broken, and rocky in character, as to forbid any attempt at cultivation.

Especially is this the case along the Eastern boundary of the Reserve, where the hills in many instances attain an elevation of 2000 feet.

The timber to be found on the Reserve, although fairly dense and in good condition, is yet too small to be merchantable to any great extent.

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This however does not apply to the hardwood, including the maple and birch, as these two species of timber, attain a good size.

Fire has damaged several large areas, but it's action was restricted by reason of the physical features of the country.

Owing to the difficulty of building roads through the timbered areas, due to the hilly nature of the country, lumbering will always be rather an expensive matter.

However in course of time, the spruce and balsam fir should become very valuable, when mature growth is reached as there are some very big stands of these two classes of timber.

A plan of the Reserve is herewith attached, showing the lands and timber distribution, together with an estimate.

H. J. B.

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Plan of SHIP HARBOR RESERVE. N.S.

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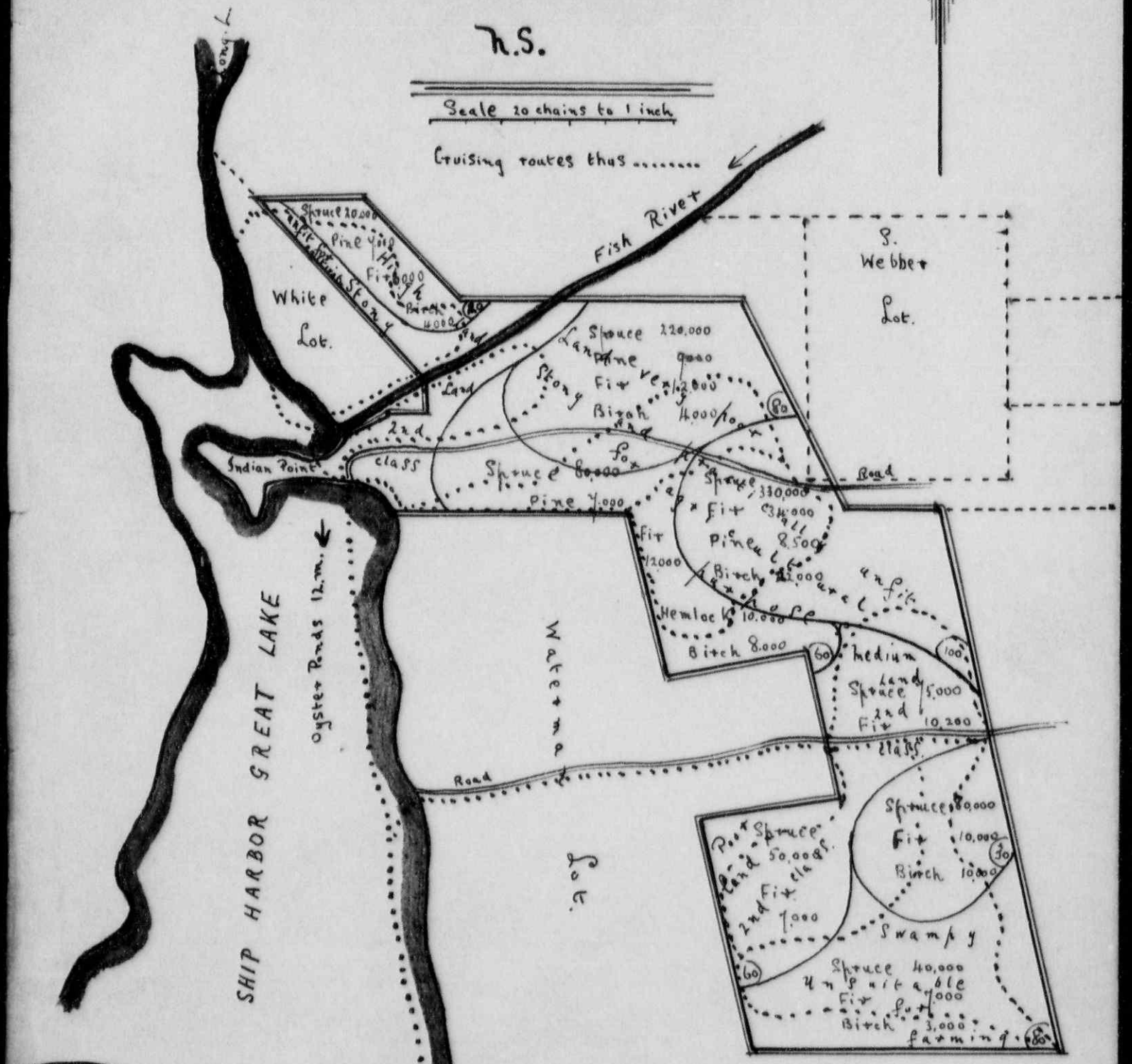

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Land Data

Total area of reserve	500 acres
area of land fit for farming	100 "
Land unsuitable for agricultural purposes	400 "
% of farm land	20.

Timber Estimate

Spruce	895.000 ft
Fir	98.200 "
Pine	31.000 "
Birch	51.000 "
Hemlock	10.000 "
Pulpwood	3.000 cords.

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Feb. 27th. 1914.

To the Deputy Minister:-

R E P O RVT

covering

Estimate and valuation of the Timber on the Indian Reserve at SHIP HARBOR .N.S.

The Reserve has atotal area of 500 acres, and is situated at the Northern end of Ship Harbor Great Lake about 50 miles N.E. of the city of Halifax.

There is generally speaking a fairly good stand of medium sized timber over the whole of the Reserve, although in certain sections notably in the South Westthere has been such wholesale trespassing carried on, in the past years, that the remaining timber of merchantable size is very limited in quantity, and having been culled over is now scattered and faulty.

There is considerable over one million feet of merchantable timber of different species comprising 895,000 feet of spruce, 98,200 feet of balsam fir, 31000 feet of white pine, 51000 feet of birch, 10,000 feet of hemlock, and about 3,000 cords of pulpwood.

The spruce and the fir timber is mostly in very good condition, as mature growth has not yet been attained, the average diameter of the merchantable trees being only 15 ins.

The pine and hemlock is defective, being stunted and subject to sap rot. The estimate of these two species of timber has been computed on a close utilisation.

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The timber is all easily accessible, as in no case is there a longer haul than 2 miles to water/

The value of the various kinds of timber per M feet B.M. on the stump is

Pine $4.50
Spruce $4.00
Birch $4.00
Fir $ 4.00
Hemlock $3,50

averaging $4.00 per M feet B.M. on the stump for all kinds.

I would suggest that when tenders are asked for, they should state what amount per M feet B.M. on the stump the tenderer is prepared tp pay, and would also recommend that a limit of three years be set in which the merchantable timber is to be cut and removed. Sworn returns based on measurements made by a certificated scaler to be furnished the Department.

A plan showing the distribution of the timber and the class of land, is attached, with a detailed estimate.

H.J.B

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Plan of GOLD RIVER RESERVE N.S.

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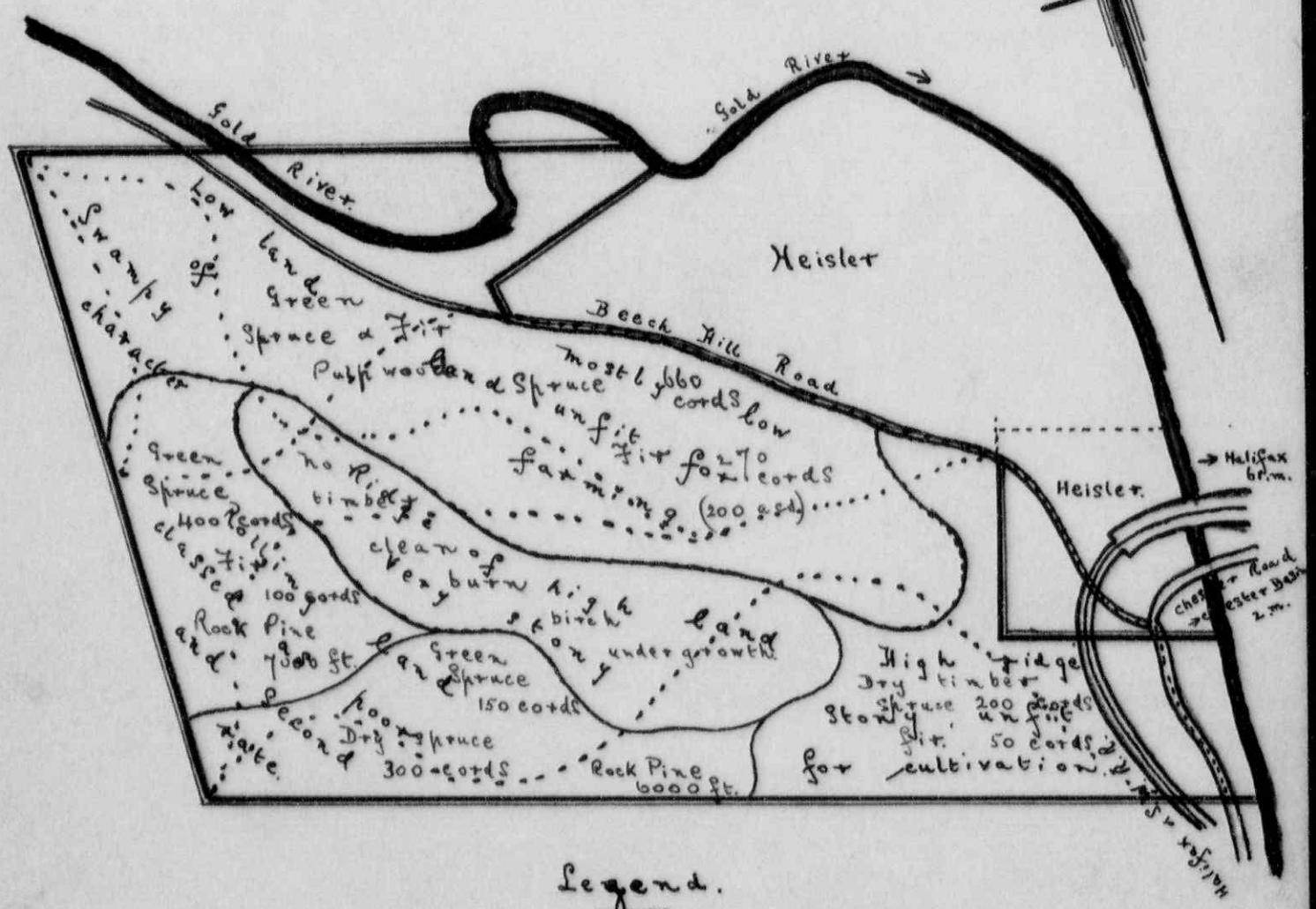

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Land Data.

Total area of Reserve	736 acres
Area unfit for farming	600 "
" of second class land	136 "
% of agricultural land	21.4

Timber Estimate

Green Spruce	1310 cords
" Fir	370 "
" Pine	7000 ft.
Burnt Spruce	500 cords
" Fir	50 "
" Pine	6000 ft.

H. J. Bury
Feb. 1914

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Feb. 27th. 1914.

To the Deputy Minister

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R E P O R T

covering

Estimate and Valuation of timber on Indian Reserve

at

GOLD RIVER. N.S.

The Reserve has a total area of 736 acres and is situated near the mouth of the Gold River in Lu Lunenberg County, Nova Scotia.

The timber is mostly of small size, very little of it being merchantable.

There is a large tract in the center of the Reserve about 200 acres in extent, which is entirely denuded of trees, having been burnt over about three years ago, and is now covered with saplings of birch and poplar.

The remaining portion of the Reserve is covered with a fairly dense growth of small spruce and fir, pulpwood size.

Certain sections of this class of timber have been recently kiled by fire, and if the burnt and dry wood is removed within a short time, it would be available as pulpwood.

There is a small quantity of both green and dry rock pine, mostly occurring in scattered patches and inferior in quality.

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The total estimate of green spruce covers 1310 cords ,green fir 370 cords,and green pine 7M ft. B.M.

There are 500 cords of burnt and dry spruce
50 cords " "" "" fir
6000 feet B.M. "" "" pine.

Pulpwood and firewood can be readily hauled to the river or the Railroad,and the value of the dry wood per cord on the stump is $1.00 for pulpwood and .75 ¢ for firewood.

As will be seen 65% of the small timber is green only 35% having been burnt,and now available for sale as burnt or dry wood.

A plan showing the distribution of timber and the classification of land is herewith attached.

F.J.B

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TARIFF

OF

DUES CHARGEABLE ON INDIAN TIMBER CUT UNDER LICENSE.

(Approved by Order in Council, October 13, 1909.)

Ash per M. cubic feet	$20.00
Ash per M. feet B. M	2.00
Birch per M. cubic feet	15.00
Birch per M. feet B. M	1.50
Beech per M. cubic feet	15.00
Beech per M. feet B. M	1.50
Basswood per M. cubic feet	15.00
Basswood per M. feet B. M	1.50
Cedar per M. cubic feet	15.00
Cedar per M. feet B. M	1.50
Cordwood, hard, per cord	0.30
Cordwood, soft, per cord	0.20
Cypress per M. feet B. M	0.75
Elm per M. cubic feet	20.00
Elm per M. feet B. M	2.00
Hemlock per M. cubic feet	10.00
Hemlock per M. feet B. M	1.00
Hemlock bark, per cord	0.60
Hickory per M. feet B. M	2.00
Maple per M. cubic feet	20.00
Maple per M. feet B. M	2.00
Oak per M. cubic feet	25.00
Oak per M. feet B. M	2.00
Pine per M. cubic feet	25.00
Pine per M. cubic feet, Dokis Reserve	50.00
Pine per M. feet B. M	2.50
Pine per M. feet B. M., Dokis Reserve	2.00

RAILWAY TIES—	
Cedar, each	0.04
Tamarack, each	0.04
Hemlock, "	0.03
Jack Pine, "	0.03
Spruce per M. cubic feet	12.00
Spruce per M. feet B. M	1.25
Spruce pulpwood, per cord 128 cubic feet	0.40
Tamarack per M. cubic feet	15.00
Tamarack per M. feet B. M	1.50
Tamarack knees, lineal measure, per M. feet	12.00
Telegraph poles, 10 inches in diameter at butt, per 100	10.00
" " over 10 inches in diameter at butt, per 100	15.00
Walnut per M. feet B. M	2.00
West Indian staves per M. Standard	4.00
Pipe staves, per M	10.00

ROUND TIMBER, OVER 18 FEET LONG—	
Pine per M. cubic feet	15.00
Cedar per M. cubic feet	15.00
Poplar, Balsam, Balm of Gilead per M. feet B. M	0.80
Cedar posts 8 feet long 8 inches and under	0.02
Hoop poles per 100	0.50
Hoop poles, soft maple, each	0.50
Cull sawlogs	charged for at full rates.
Burnt timber	¾ of tariff rates.
Shingles per M	0.25
Shingle bolts per cord	0.75

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Plan of Georgina Island

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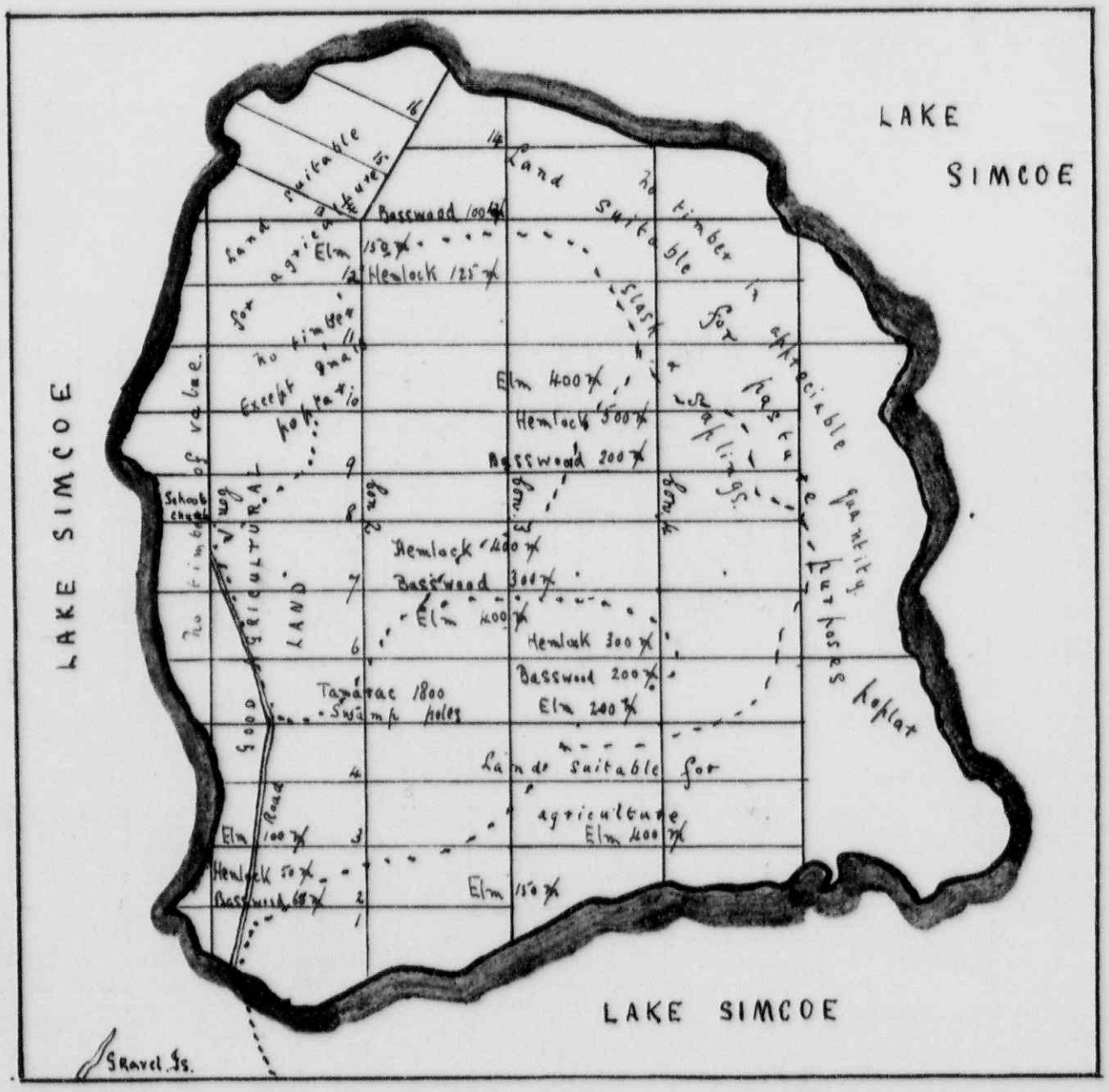
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Land suitable for agriculture
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FILE No. 442626

Lands and Timber Branch

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Ottawa, Dec. 28th. 1914. 191

EXD.

MEMO. to W.A.Orr

in charge Lands & Timber Branch.

Re estimate of timber on Georgina Island Indian Reserve, Lake Simcoe.

Sir:-

In accordance with instructions furnished in telegram of the 15th. inst. I visited Georgina Island and examined the timber.

Generally speaking there is no very large quantity of timber on the island, although the elm which is of the water variety and softer than the rock elm, is in good condition and represents a appreciable asset.

The hemlock and basswood although not very large, is merchantable and is found in fairly large quantities.

EXD

The land is good, and the Indians should be persauded to devote their energies to agriculture, as in course of time their timber will be all cut off.

Some of the band have already cleared up and cultivated considerable areas, and in consequence are comparatively well off, especially in the case of the Chief Big Canoe.

Herewith is attached plan and estimate of Reserve.

H.J. Bury

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PLAN of DONCASTER RESERVE. que.

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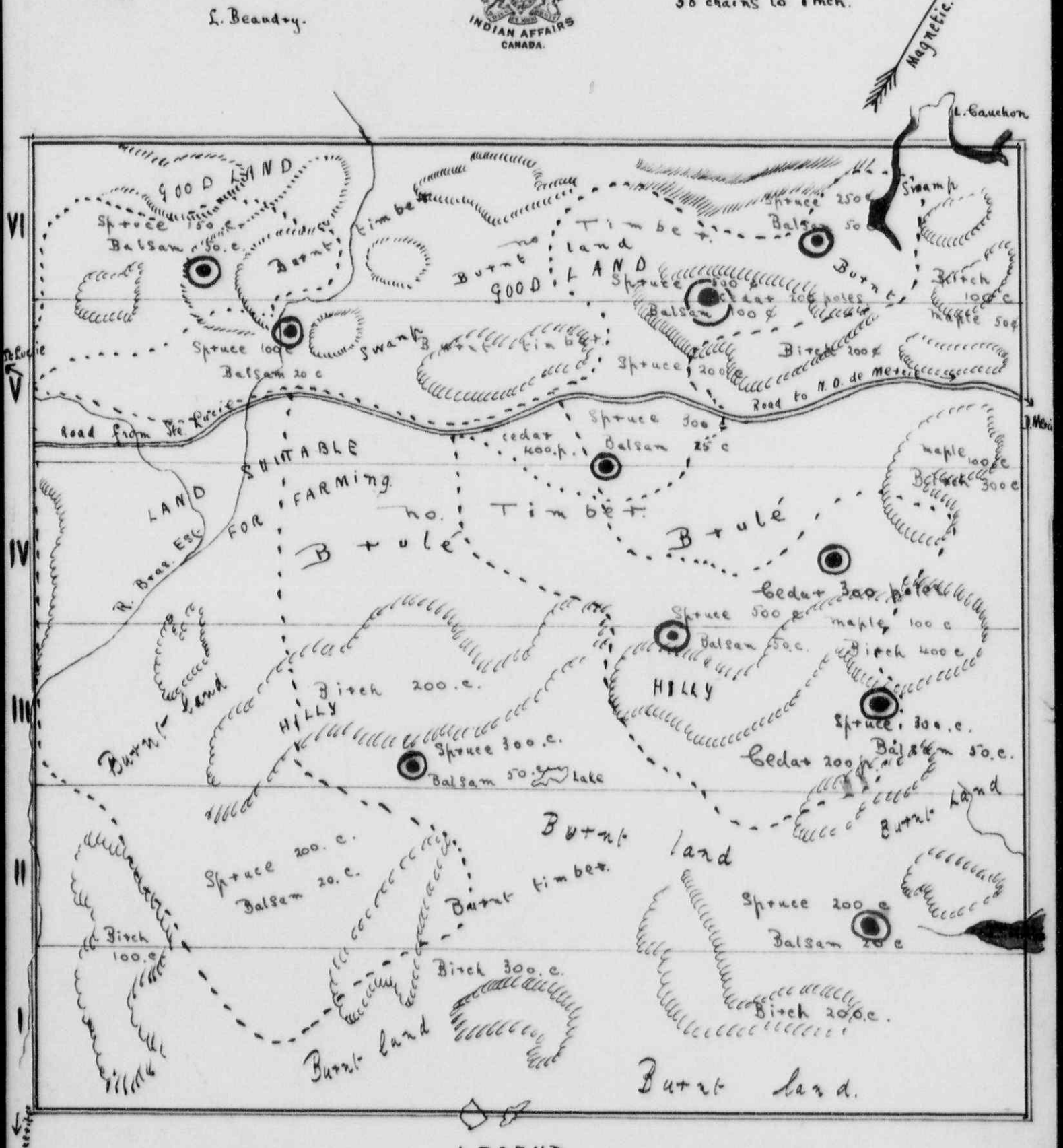

LAND. DATA

Land unsuitable for farming	7000 ac.
2nd class land suitable for grazing	8000 "
Good land suitable for ag.	3000 "

Broken country

Elevations shown thus

Cruising routes thus

A. J. Bury

Dec 11th 1914.

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TIMBER ESTIMATE

No merchantable timber except cedar & birch

GREEN. TIMBER		
Spruce	3000	cords
Balsam	435	"
Cedar	1100	poles
Birch	1800	cords
Maple	250	"
& Hardwood N.S.	200	"

operations at

DRY TIMBER

700 cords in good condition

Spruce	70%
Balsam	10%
O.S.N.S.	20%

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PLAN

of

SHAWANAGA INDIAN RESERVE

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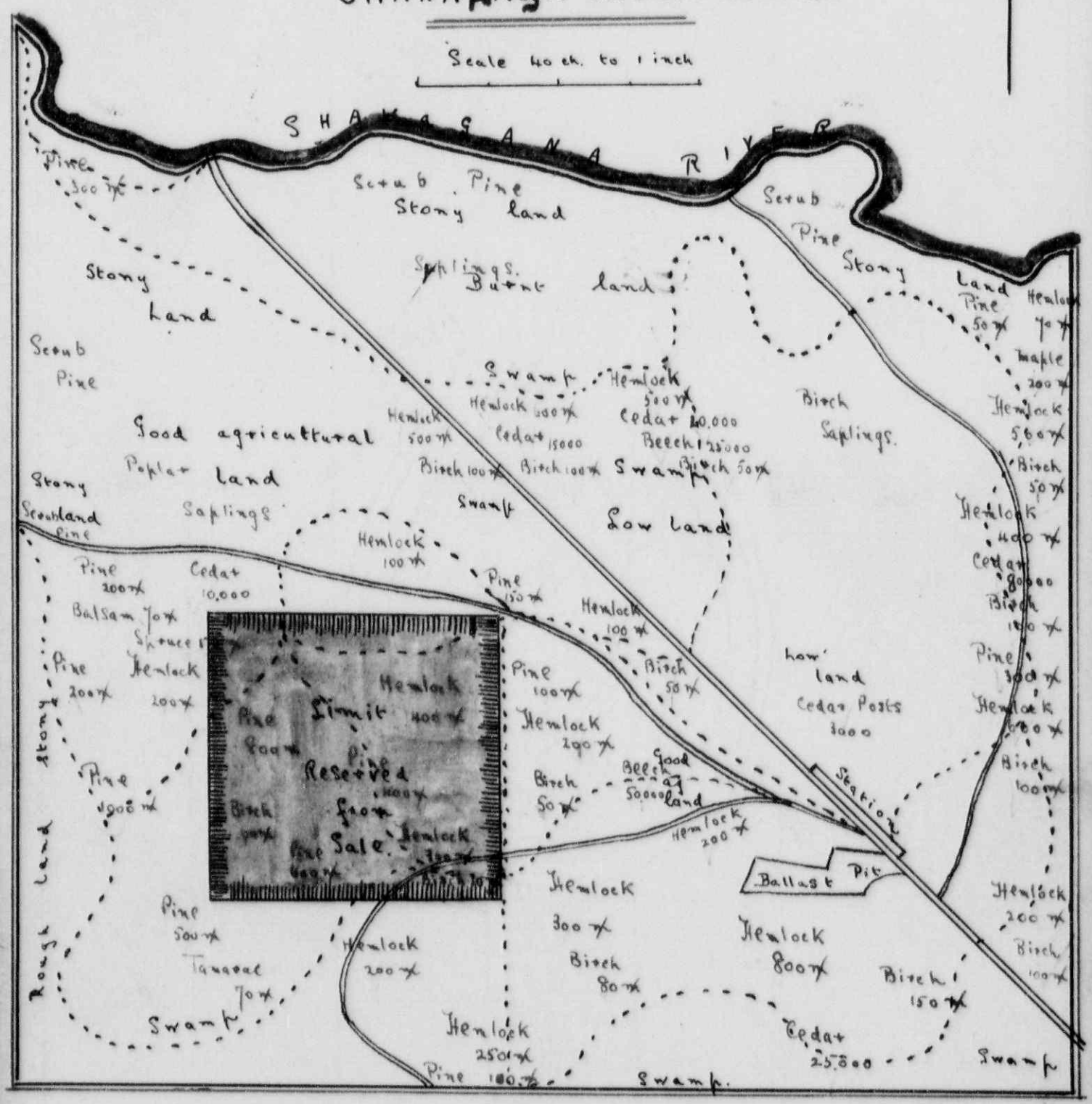

Land Data.

Total area	9000 acs
Area good land	1700 "
Timber land	5500 "
% of ag. land	20.

Cruising routes thus. ------

Timber Estimate.

Pine	4,700,000 ft B.M.
Hemlock	4,420,000
Birch	1,010,000
Beech	75,000
Maple	200,000
Spruce	50,000
Balsam	70,000
Cedar	140,000
Tamarac	70,000

H.J. Bury April 1914

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Ottawa.Jan.13th.1915.

Memo to Mr.Orr.

Re desirability of having an examination made of the timber on certain Indian Reserves where permits to cut have been issued,and where the resources are believed to be limited.

There is nothing on record in the Department which would indicate the extent of the timber resources of the following Reserves:-

Name.	No. of permits issued since Nov.1914.	Approximate quantities. to be cut and removed.
# Walpole Island	Band collectively.	Quantities not stated.
Caradoc.	18	Quantities not definitely stated.
Cape Croker.	Band collectively.	Wood.
Christian Island	" " "	600.000 ft.
Garden River	" " "	1000 cords.
Michipicoten	" " "	500 "
Batchewana	" " "	Not specified.
Fort William	" " "	1160 cords 300 poles.
Red Rock	" " "	500 cords.

The above list is by no means complete but it includes those Reserves where timber is being removed in such quantities as to require an examination in order to enable the Dept. to take the necessary precautions in time to prevent the complete depletion of the timber.

#Note. Inspector McGibbon reports Sept.16th'14 that in his opinion all the timber on this Reserve is required for future use of Indians.Agent reports Dec.29th that Indians are cutting best timber and not clearing

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Lands and Timber Branch

Ottawa, January 13, 1915.

Memo.

To the Deputy Minister,-

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In view of the fact that the Department has practically no information in regard to quantities of timber remaining on many of the Indian reserves where permits have been issued to Indians in the past, I think it would be advisable to have an examination made of some of these reserves so that the Department would be in a better position to check cutting of timber by the Indians under permit, and make provision to safeguard their future requirements.

I would, therefore, recommend that Mr. Bury visit as early as possible the following reserves:- Walpole Island, Caradoc, Cape Croker, Christian Island, Garden River, Michipicoten, Batchewana, Fort William and Red Rock, and look fully into the timber question on each, and report as to the probable quantity remaining on the reserves and the requirements of the Indians.

Officer in Charge.

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Plan of CARADOC RESERVE

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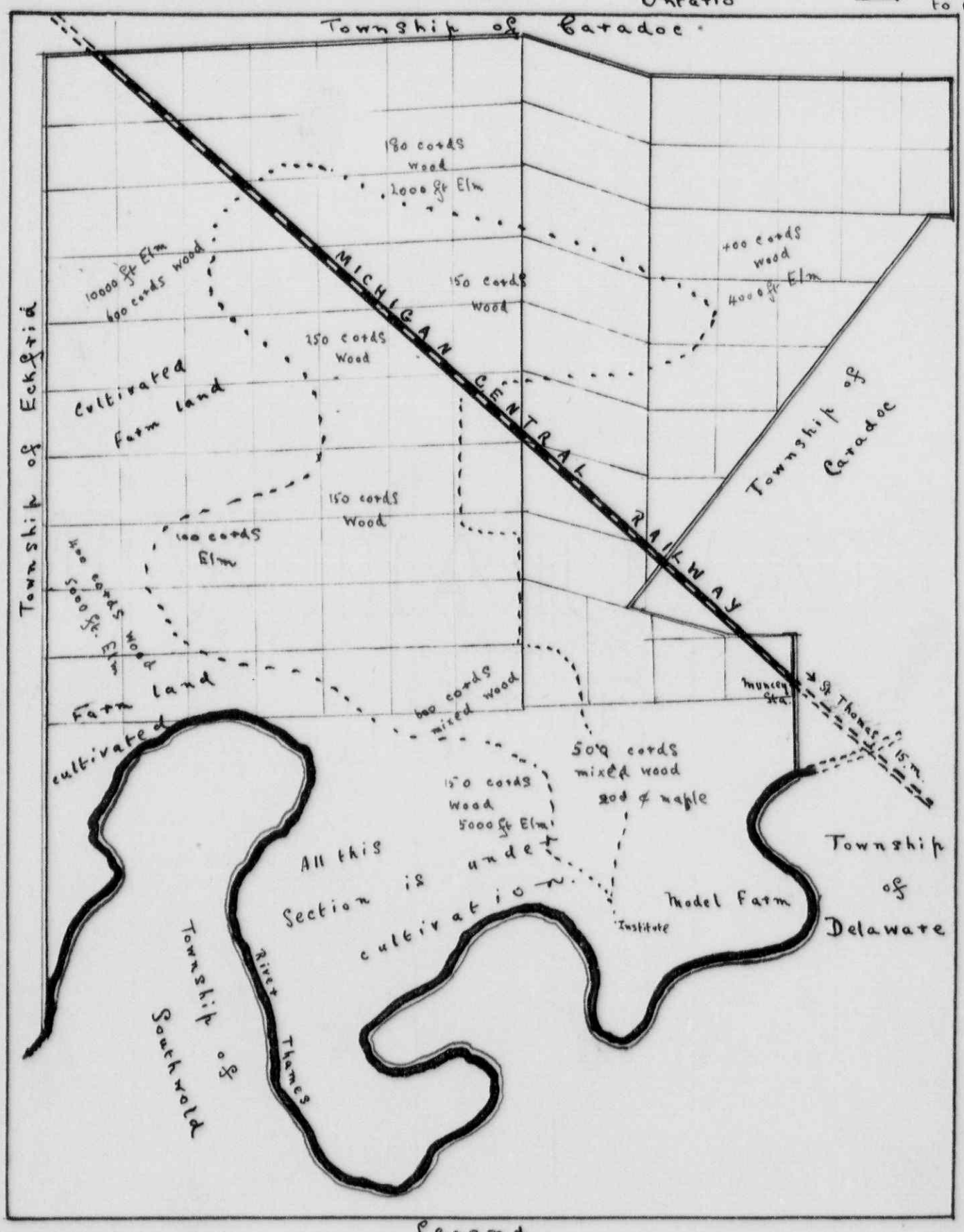

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Land Data.

Approximate total Area 10,000 acs.
Area of farm land 8000 "
Percentage of Good land 80.
Cruising routes thru ------

H. J. Bury
June 1915

Timber Estimate

Elm		26 000 ft.
Maple		200 cords
Mixed Wood	Poplar, Soft Maple, Elm etc, Swamp Oak	3480 cords.

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Ottawa. Jan. 27th. 1915. 191

MEMO. to the Deputy Minister.

Examination of Land and Timber
on the
CARADOC RESERVE.

Sir:-

The area of this Reserve is 10.800 acres of which 8.000 acres can be termed good agricultural land. There is very little waste land on the Reserve as the low land which at the present time is not cultivated could be made productive by instituting a partial system of tile-draining.

Owing to the fact, however that nearly 60 % of the present area of Indian land holdings is leased to white men, it would not appear to be at all wise for the Department to commit itself to any expenditure of a tentative or experimental character, until the Indians themselves exhibit a more pronounced desire to work their own land.

The supply of timber on this Reserve will in a short time be inadequate for the needs of the Indians. The available material for logs is very scarce, practically the whole of the remaining timber can be classified as cordwood, and as it seems to be the custom for the Indians of the Oneida Reserve to procure firewood from the Caradoc Reserve, (no doubt through a mutual arrangement between the bands), it is obvious

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that the présent limited supply of wood will soon disappear unless steps are immediately taken to prevent the export of wood.

I would recommend that the practice of issuing permits to cut for sale be stopped altogether, and that the Indian Agent be notified that in future no applications for permits to cut for sale, will be sanctioned by the Department, and that he advise the Indians to govern themselves accordingly.

The estimate of timber remaining on the Reserve at the present time is as follows:-

Elm.....	26,000 ft.B.M.
Maple.....	200 cords.
# Mixed wood	3.480 cords.

Note. The wood consists of the following varities:- Elm. Swamp oak, soft maple, poplar.

Timber plan attached HHB

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Plan of WALPOLE ISLAND

Indian Reserve

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Scale 1 mile to an inch



Land Data.

Total area approx. including Squirrel & St Anne's	40.000	acres
Land area suitable for farming.	25.000	"
Percentage	60.	

Legend.

Timber Estimate

Elm	3.200 ✕	ft.
Oak	500 ✕	"
Basswood	250 ✕	"
Mixed Wood (ash oak etc)	4950 cords.	

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Lands and Timber Branch

Ottawa, Jan. 27th. 1915. 191

MEMO. to the Deputy Minister.

Examination of Land and Timber
on the
WALPOLE ISLAND RESERVE.

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Sir:-

The total area of this Reserve, inclusive of Squirrel and Ste. Anne Islands is approx. 40,500 acres.

Of this area about 60 per cent or 24,300 acres can be classified as good agricultural land.

The general character of the lands lying adjacent to the shores of the Islands is marshy, and is unsuited for farming purposes.

The timber growth is mostly second growth, and although there still remains an appreciable quantity of timber on the Reserve, yet in view of the fact that this supply must be drawn upon annually for the requirements of nearly 1000 Indians, I am of the opinion that permits to cut for sale should only be issued when there is no other alternative for the applicant to get his living. The conservation of the timber resources on this Reserve should receive attention now, if the supply is to continue to be sufficient for domestic purposes.

More attention should be given by the Indians to the raising of hay crops. There is a ready sale for hay, and there is a large area of land on the Reserve which is well suited for the growth of this

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important agricultural product.

The estimate of timber on the Reserve at the present time is as follows:-

Elm.....	3.200.000	ft.B.M.
Oak(white & pin)	500.000	" " "
Basswood.....	250.000	" " "
# Mixed wood	4.950	cords

Note.

The wood consists of the following varieties:- elm, oak, ash, soft maple, basswood and poplar.

Timber plan attached HHB

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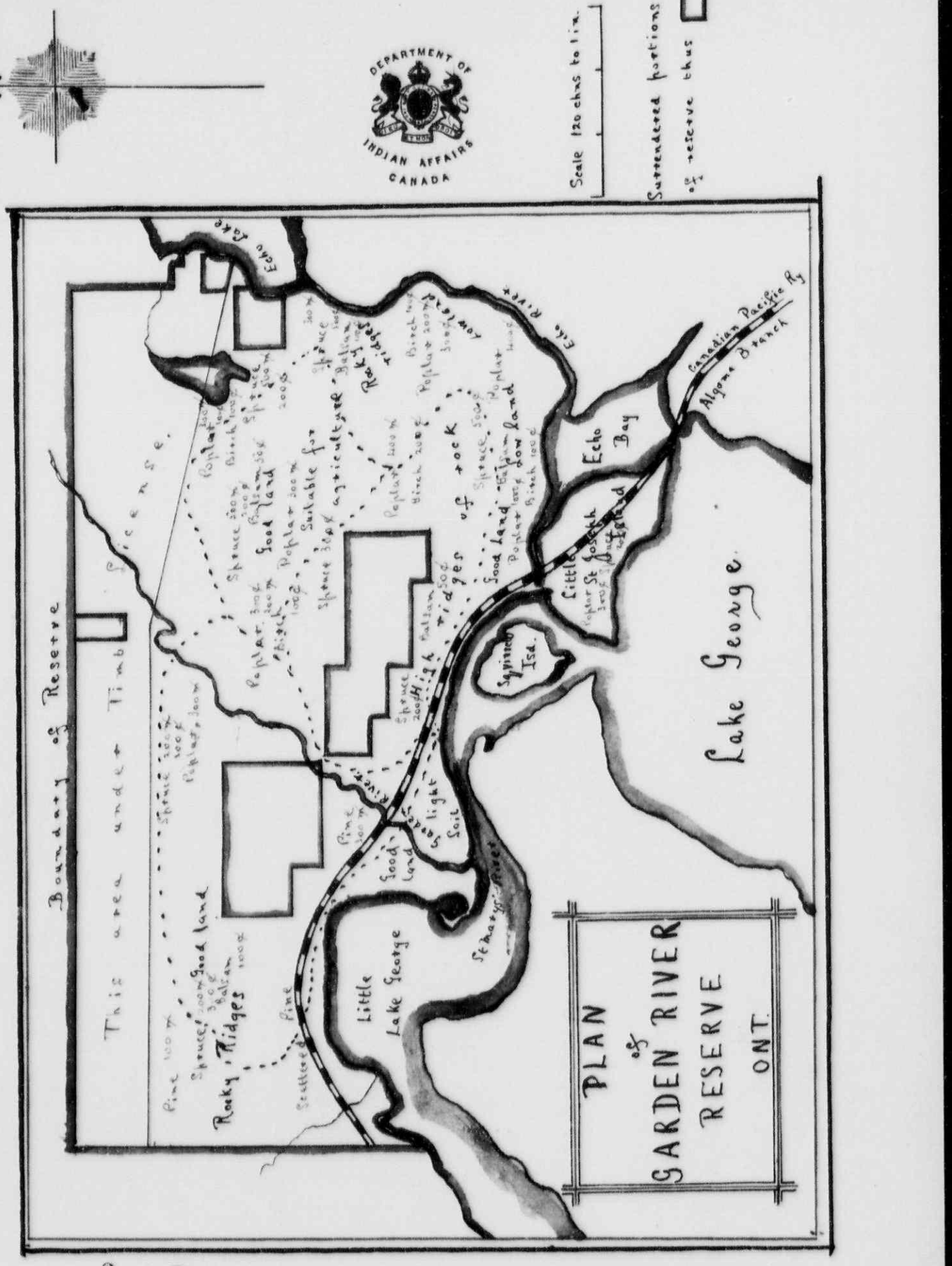

Land Data

Total area of reserve	28.510 acres
Area of waste land	7.000 "
" " good land	12.000 "
" " 2nd class land	9.500 "
Percentage of land fit for cultivation	42%
Existing routes	-----

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Timber Estimate

Pine	400.000	ft. B.M.
Spruce	1.700.000	" "
Poplar	1.700.000	" "
Birch	200.000	
Spruce	2700	cords pulpwood
Poplar	2400	"
Birch	400	"
Various Hardwood incl with maple etc.	200	"
Cedar in Tamarac cedar etc.	50.000	ft B.M.

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Ottawa. Feb.26th.1915. 191

MEMO. to the Deputy Minister.

Examination of the land and timber
on the
Garden River Indian Reserve.

Sir:-

The area of the present Reserve exclusive of mining locations etc. is 28.510 acres.

A very large portion of the Reserve is composed of rocky ridges and elevations bearing a small growth of poplar and birch saplings. Some excellent limestone rock is to be found north of the school-house.

The timber on the Reserve is very widespread and for the most part in good condition. The pine however is scattered and cannot as a whole be classed as merchantable.

Poplar occurs in great quantities, but the average growth is small, and it can only be utilised as wood, for as it grows in size it is inclined to develop faulty core or heart.

The supply of timber and wood on the Reserve is still large, and should afford remunerative employment to the Indians for some time to come, although in my opinion the resident Indians would

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earn their living more easily by cultivating the garden land along the front of the Reserve. The soil although light, is well suited to the raising of garden truck, and there is a profitable market close at hand in the town of Sault Ste. Marie.

The estimate of timber is as follows:-

Pine.....	400.000	ft. B.M.
Spruce.....	1.700.000	" "
Poplar.....	1.700.000	" "
Birch.....	200.000	" "
Spruce pulpwood.....	2700	cords
Poplar cordwood.....	2400	"
Birch "	400	"
Sundry hardwood incl. ash maple etc.	200	"
Other species timber i.e. tamarac, cedar etc.	50.000	ft. B.M.

A plan showing the quantitative distribution of timber is hereby attached.

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PLAN
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RED ROCK RESERVE
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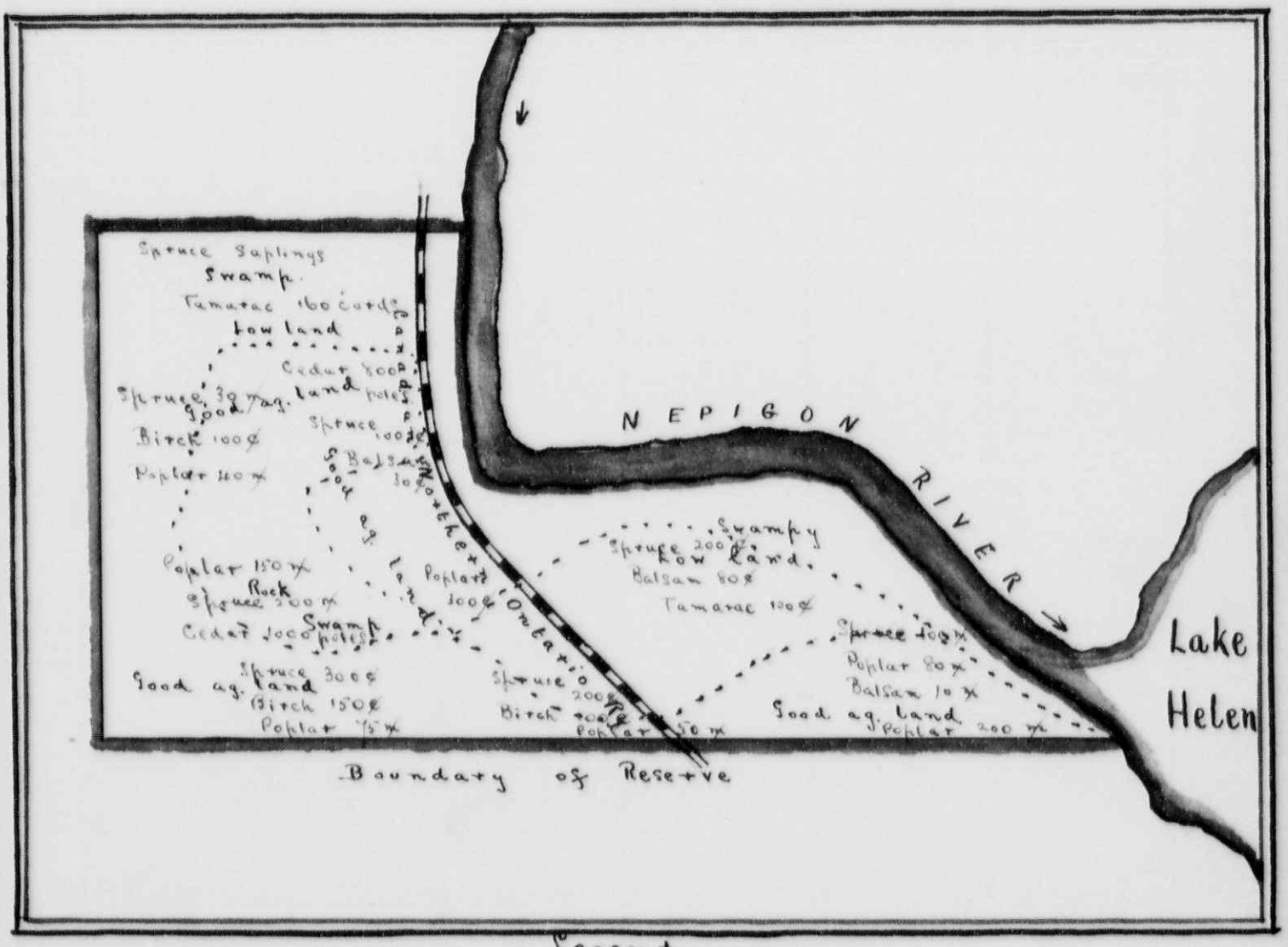

Legend

Land Data

Total area of Reserve	468 acs
Area of land unfit for cultivation	150 "
Area of ag. land	318 "
Percentage of good land.	68%
Cruising routes	-----

Timber Estimate

Spruce	330.000
Poplar	595.000
Balsam	10.000
Birch	100.000
Spruce f'wood	800 cords
Balsam "	110 "
Tamarac "	200 "
Poplar "	300 "
Birch	250 "
Cedar	1800 poles.

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MEMO. to the Deputy Minister.

Examination of land and timber
on the
Red Rock Indian Reserve.

Sir:-

The area of this Reserve is 468 acres of which 300 acres or approx.68% of the total area is suitable for agriculture.

The Reserve is well situated on the Nepigon River at it's point of entry into Lake Helen.

There are no prominent physical features, the land being mostly undulating.

The timber growth,although thick,is inclined to be undersized,except in regard to the poplar on the southern boundary.

Some excellent farm land is to be found along the route of the Canadian Northern Ontario Ry., but up to the present time this has not been utilised in any way by the resident Indians.

The cultivation of the land has not yet been attempted to any marked extent.

The timber resources are ample for the needs of the Indians,so that it would not be necessary at the present time to curtail the export

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of wood or logs.

The following is an estimate of the timber;-

Spruce.....	330.000	ft. B.M.
Poplar.....	595.000	" "
Balsam.....	10.000	" "
Birch.....	100.000	" "
Spruce pulpwood.....	800	cords
Balsam "	110	"
Tamarac cordwood.....	260	"
Poplar " "	300	"
Birch " "	250	"
Cedar poles.....	1800	

A plan showing the quantitative distribution of the timber is hereby attached.

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PLAN of Fort William Indian Reserve

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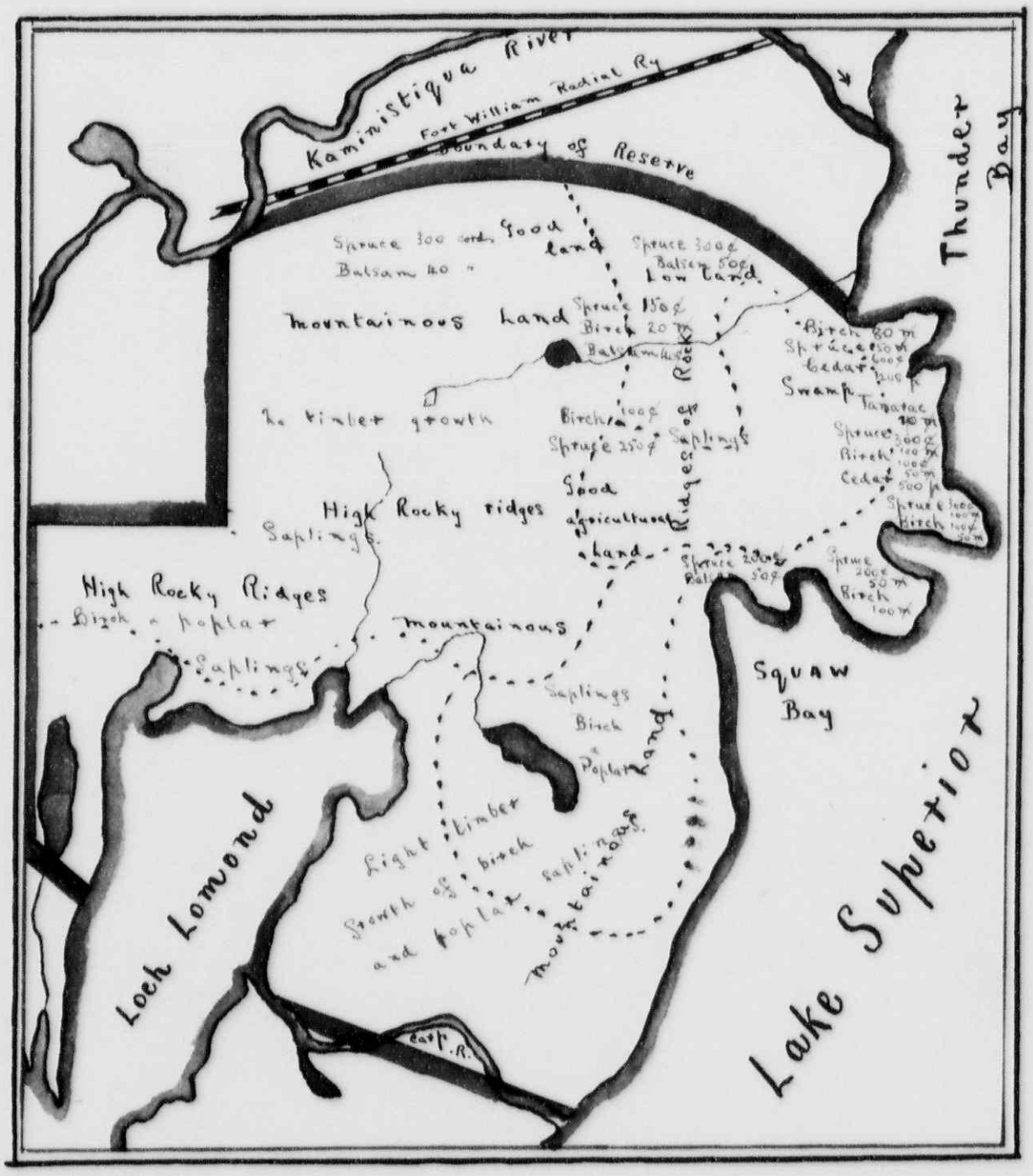

Land Data

Total area of Reserve	8673 acs.
Area of waste land	7473 "
Area of good land	1200 "
% area of ag. land	17 %

Cruising routes thus ----

Timber Estimate.

Spruce	400,000 ft. B.M.
Birch	300,000
Tamarac	20,000
Spruce pulpwood	2600 cords
Birch cordwood	300 "
Cedar poles	1700
Balsam p'wood	180 cords

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MEMO. to the Deputy Minister.

Examination of land and timber
on the
Fort William Indian Reserve.

Sir:-

The area of the Reserve is 8.673 acres of which 17% or 1200 acres can be classified as being suitable for agriculture.

A considerable portion of the Reserve is of a mountainous character, the timber growth being restricted to birch and poplar saplings.

There is approximately 2500 acres of timber land on the Reserve, most of such land lying on the East side and along the Lake shore.

Although as will be seen by the estimate shown below, there is a considerable quantity of timber remaining on the Reserve, yet the supply is by no means sufficiently large to warrant the cutting of any great quantity for sale, so that I would suggest that permits to cut for sale be issued in future only in cases where it is absolutely necessary.

The Indians should be encouraged to farm that portion of the Reserve adjacent to the northern boundary and also in the visinity of Squaw Bay.

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The land at these two points is well suited for the raising of garden produce.

The following is an estimate of the timber on the Reserve at the present time:-

Spruce.....	400.000 ft.B.M.
Birch.....	300.000 " "
Tamarac.....	20.000 " "
Spruce pulpwood.....	2600 cords
Birch cordwood.....	300 "
Cedar poles.....	1700
Balsam pulpwood.....	180 cords.

A plan showing the quantitative distribution of the timber is herewith attached.

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Plan of Christian Island

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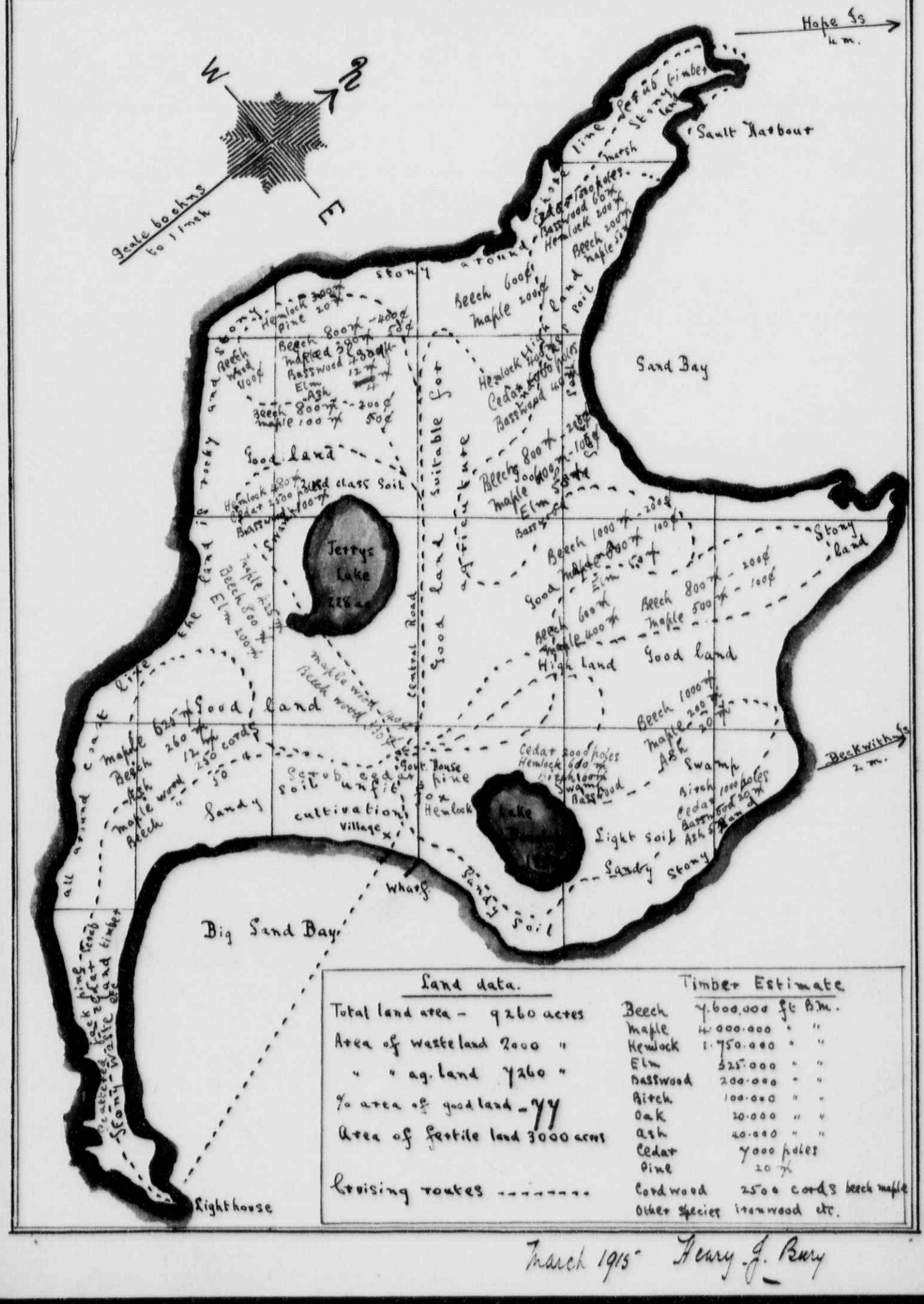

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Ottawa, March 18th. 1915.

MEMO. to the Deputy Minister.

Examination of land and timber
on
Christian Island.

Sir:-

The land area of Christian Island is 9260 acres of which about 7000 acres can be classified as agricultural land, and thirty five per cent of the total area or approximately 3000 acres is fertile land of good quality capable of producing heavy crops of cereals and roots.

Plan attached.

At the present time the Indians residing on the island betray a singular lethargy and lack of ambition toward matters pertaining to their livelihood, this being due in a large degree to the spirit of discord and obstruction that exists between the Treaty Indians and those outside of treaty. Such a state of affairs is detrimental to the best interests of the band, and unless remedied in some manner will tend to nullify their past efforts to improve their financial and domestic condition. Their land-holdings exhibit strong evidences of neglect, and their lumbering operations are carried on for the most part in a waste-ful and haphazard manner.

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There is a large quantity of merchantable timber and wood remaining on the Island, sufficient for the needs of the Band for many years to come, but at the same time it would seem advisable to rid the Indian mind of the impression that the timber is there to be removed by them in a wholesale fashion, but rather as an adjunct to enable them to occasionally eke out a living when other more profitable means of earning a livelihood have temporarily failed them.

The timber is mostly of the hard-wood variety consisting of beech, maple, elm, birch, ash, oak, and ironwood, and in addition to these species there are also quantities of hemlock, cedar, basswood, and scrub pine of the white, norway, and banksian varieties. Beech represents 50% of the total quantity of timber on the Island, and maple 27%.

There is a large quantity of timber on Hope and Beckwith is-lands which lie off Christian Island at a distance of 4 miles and 2 miles respectively, but there is a great fire-risk attached to these islands owing to the presence of fishermen, tourists, and Indians who land thereon during stormy or windy weather, and should a dry summer season occur, there is every likelihood of fire when once started, sweeping the islands clean.

The estimate of timber on Christian Island at the present time is as follows:-

Beech.....	7.600.000 ft.B.M.	Maple.....	4.000.000 ft.B.M.
Hemlock..	1.750.000 " "	Elm.....	325.000 " "
Basswood..	200.000 " "	Birch.....	100.000 " "
Ash.....	40.000 " "	Oak.....	20.000 " "
Cedar....	7.000 poles	Pine....	20.000 " "
Cordwood, i.e. beech, maple, etc.	2500 cords.		

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A plan showing the quantitative distribution of timber is attached.

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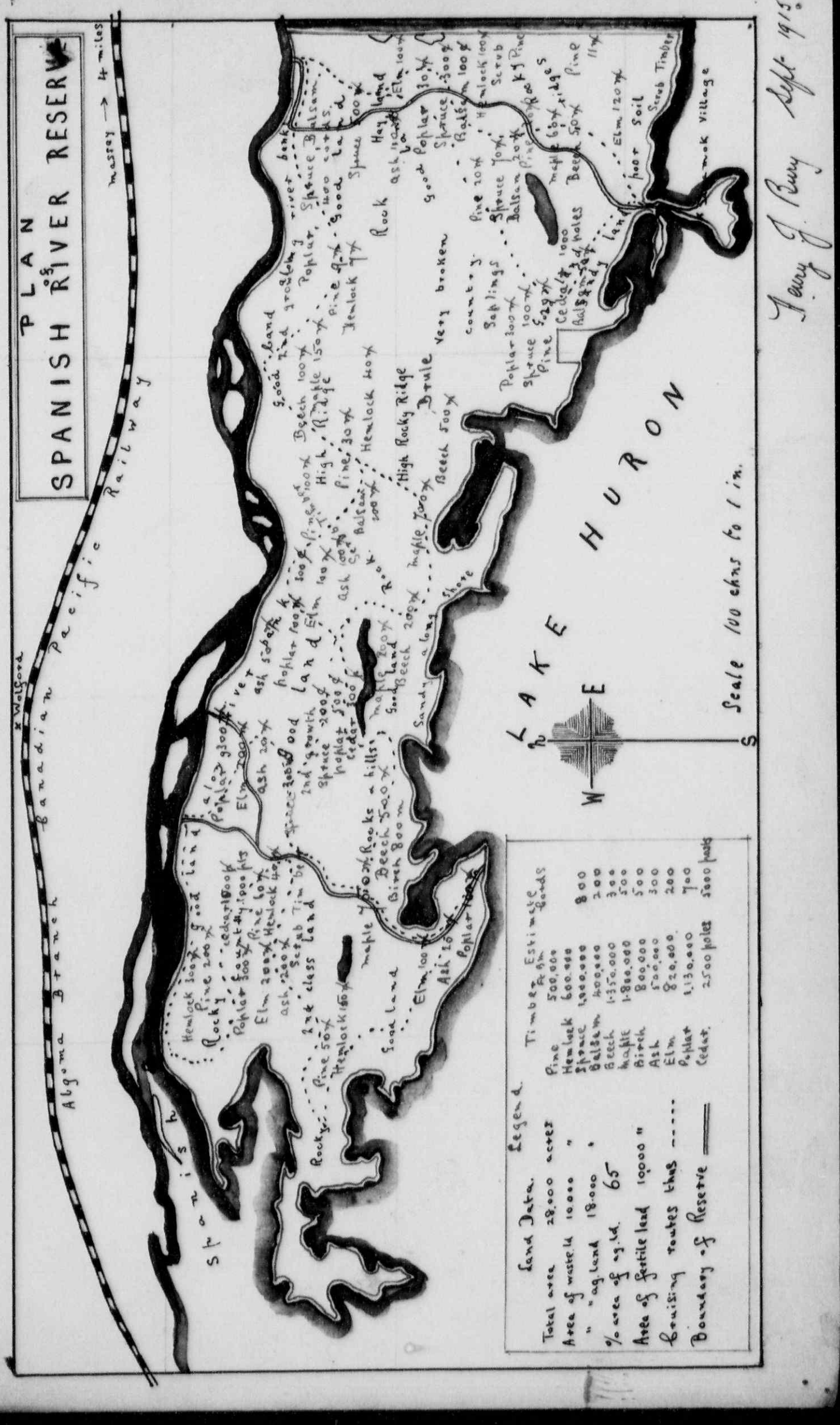
PLAN
SPANISH RIVER RESERVE



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Ottawa, Sept. 21st. 1915. 191

Memo. to the Deputy Minister.

Examination of the lands and timber
on the
Spanish River Indian Reserve.

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Sir:-

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The total area of this Reserve is approximately 28,000 acres of which only 10,000 acres can be classified as fertile agricultural land, whilst a further 8,000 acres can be regarded as 2nd. class land, fit for farming. The remaining 10,000 acres are for the most part rocky ridges, or sandy flats lying adjacent to the coast line.

The largest area of good land is to be found along the valley of the Spanish River. There are some excellent locations on the river front which could be easily worked with more tangible results that those visible around the Sagamok settlement on the other side of the Reserve. I am of the opinion that if a survey base line were run parallel to the course of the river, the Indians would have some inducement to settle in this vicinity and would be able to tie their own location lines to the base line, and in this manner each head of a family would be secure on his own holding. At present there is considerable friction among various members of the Band owing to the fact that they have so far no definite system of locations.

One Indian of the Band by the name of Pilchey

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who has been settled on the river front for a period of three years,has made great progress with his improvements, for besides having cleaned up about 15 acres of land,he has fenced in a large area of bush for pasture,owns a team of horses,5 head of cattle,a threshing mill,gasoline motor boat,and a small circular saw mill operated by motor.

I am convinced that every effort should be used by the local Indian Agent to encourage the Band to follow this man's example,and in a few years a thriving settlement would grow up along the river,which would be a credit to the Band.

TIMBER.

Bush fires have from time to time swept along the high ridges that are so common on this Reserve,and after denuding them of all timber growth,have also encroached on the heavier timber in the gullies and valleys.A considerable amount of second growth timber is now to be found on the sites of these old bush fires,and will in the natural course of events ultimately become merchantable.

There is still a large quantity of hardwood on this reserve comprising the following varieties/-maple, beech,ash,elm,and birch,but the quantity of pine,both white and norway and hemlock is now very small,having been for the most part removed by the licensee of this timber limit.The estimated quantity of pine and hemlock being 500.000 ft. and 600.000 ft. B.M. respectively is barely sufficient for the actual requirements of the band for building purposes,as a considerable proportion of this timber is difficult of access.Cedar is not plentiful nor does it run to any great size,being only suitable for pole and post timber.

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Poplar and spruce are fairly plentiful, but at the present time there is not much demand for these varieties.

There are ample supplies of timber for both domestic and export purposes, although some care should be taken that fire does not break out in the bush and get out of control, for in that event serious loss will certainly be inflicted as owing to the natural character of the country, there is no great physical check to any sporadic outbursts of fire.

A plan showing the quantitative distribution of the timber on the Reserve is attached, together with an estimate as follows;-

Pine.....	500.000	ft.	B.M.	
Hemlock	600.000	"	"	
Spruce...	1.000.000	"	"	& 800 cords
Balsam	400.000	"	"	" 200 "
Beech	1.350.000	"	"	" 300 "
Maple	1.800.000	"	"	" 500 "
Birch	800.000	"	"	" 500 "
Ash.	500.000	"	"	" 300 "
Elm.	820.000	"	"	" 200 "
Poplar.	1.130.000	"	"	" 700 "

Cedar 2500 poles 5000 posts.

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Ottawa, Oct.21st.1915. 191

Memo. to the Deputy Minister.

Re EXAMINATION AND ESTIMATE OF TIMBER ON PARRY ISLAND INDIAN RESERVE.

Sir:-

The total area of the Parry Island Reserve is 18.481 acres of which only 15% or approximately 2.500 acres can be classified as land suitable for agriculture.

The greater part of the Reserve is rocky and stony, and in consequence will never lend itself to cultivation. In view of this fact, it is therefore evident that agriculture will never constitute the sole or principal means of livelihood for the band.

It would seem advisable in the interests of the Indians to conserve the remaining timber as much as possible, permitting only the Indians themselves to cut when need demands.

I would therefore suggest that negotiations be entered upon with the timber licensee whereby the license shall terminate.

Practically the whole of the pine and hemlock has been removed, but there is still a large quantity of hardwood remaining. Maple and beech represent the chief varities and are found widely distributed. Birch of good size is also fairly common. Other species of timber such as elm, ash, oak, basswood, cedar, tamarac and spruce are to be found but in not such great quantity.

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Fire has from time to time swept sections of the island near the shore line, but a thick growth of young timber has sprung up.

The estimate of timber is as follows:-

Maple.....	7.000.000	ft.B.M.
Beech.....	5.750.000	" "
Birch.....	2.500.000	" "
Pine.....	1.100.000	" "
Hemlock.....	1.400.000	" "
Ash.....	1.100.000	" "
Elm.....	1.300.000	" "
Basswood....	650.000	" "
Oak.....	400.000	" "
Spruce.....	1.100.000	" "
Tamarac.....	400.000	" "
Cedar.....	4.200	poles.
Mixed wood	6.000	cords.

A plan showing the quantitative distribution of the various kinds of timber is attached.

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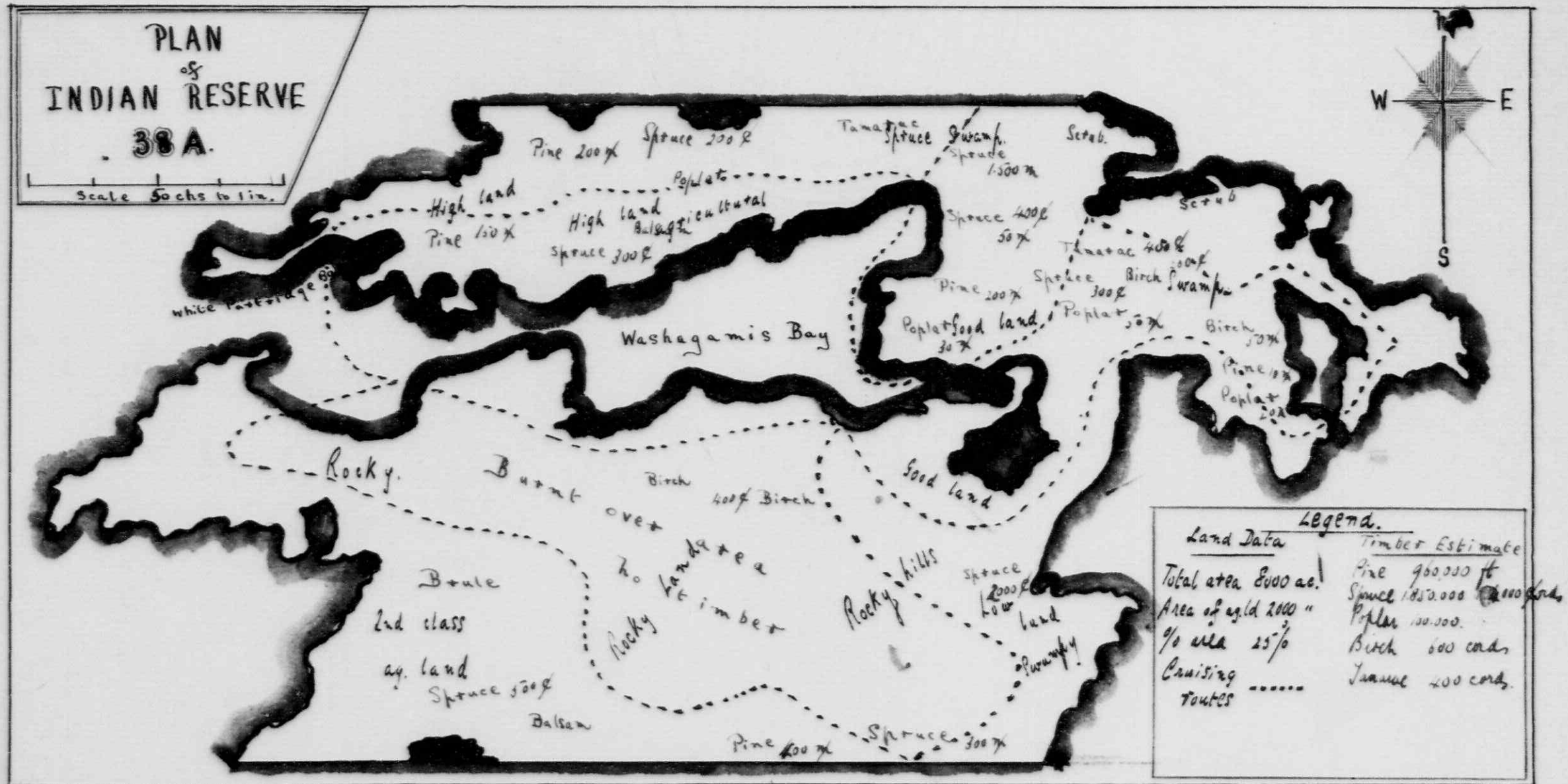

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Ottawa, Jan.6th.1916 191

Memo. to Deputy Minister.

Approved D.C.

Re examination and estimate of timber on Reserve No.38A.Kenora.

Sir:-

The total area of Reserve No.38 A or Clearwater Bay,is 8000 acres of which only 2000 acres or approximately 25% can be termed agricultural land,and a large proportion of this section is only second rate in quality. Swamp and rock constitute the larger portion of the land area,and only a small section in the neighbourhood of Washagamis Bay could be cultivated with success.

Fire has swept over the greater part of the southern peninsula,and the amount of devastation has been of such an extensive character,and so complete as to practically wipe out the merchantable timber,except for a small stand of pine and spruce along the south boundary.

An approximate quantity of 1,500,000 ft. of merchantable timber has been cut and removed by the Rat Portage Lumber Company during the last 4 years from this portion of the Reserve,and as indicated in my memo. of Nov.24th.last File 170965-2,no actual authority had been given them to operate over this area.Their quotation on the green pine,spruce and tamarac although very low was accepted by the Department on Oct.25th.1913 as being based on a quantity amounting to not more than 35,000 feet B.M.

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My examination of their operations on this Reserve confirms my opinion expressed in memo.above referred to,that the Company had taken advantage of the concession made to them in October 1913,and have used this restricted permit as a pretext to operating on a scale which was never anticipated by the Department.

I interviewed the local manager of the Rat Portage Lumber Company at Kenora,and advised him that any further operation would have to cease pending presentation of this report,and the question of a renewal of the arrangement to cut the damaged timber,and green timber that was isolated by fire would have to receive consideration.

I would suggest that if the Company will pay a stumpage rate of $5.50 on Pine,and $4.00 per M on Spruce and tamarac on the timber they have already taken out,which would represent an increase of the stumpage of approximately 30% over the price that was accepted by the Department as being applicable to the small quantity of 35,000 feet, ~~that~~ they be allowed to continue operations for a period of three years paying stumpage at the rate above mentioned.

There are only two families of Indians resident on the Reserve,and they have not the equipment or inclination to log,so that it would appear to be in their interest to cut and remove the merchantable timber remaining on the Reserve,especially in view of the fact that there exists a considerable fire risk owing to the large quantity of inflammable debris resulting from fire and previous lumbering operations,and also on account of the proximity of the Reserve to the towns of Keewatin and Kenora.

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In the event of the Rat Portage Lumber Company refusing this offer, I would recommend that the Indian Agent be instructed to receive offers from other sources, and that an arrangement be entered into with the party who can offer the most advantageous price.

The estimate of timber remaining on this Reserve is as follows:-

Pine, white and red....	960.000 ft.B.M.	
Spruce	1.850.000 "	4000 cords
Tamarac	400 cords.	
Birch	600 "	
Poplar	100.000 ft.B.M.	

A timber plan showing the quantitative distribution of timber is attached.

W. A. Clark

H. J. Bury.

Acting Timber Inspector.

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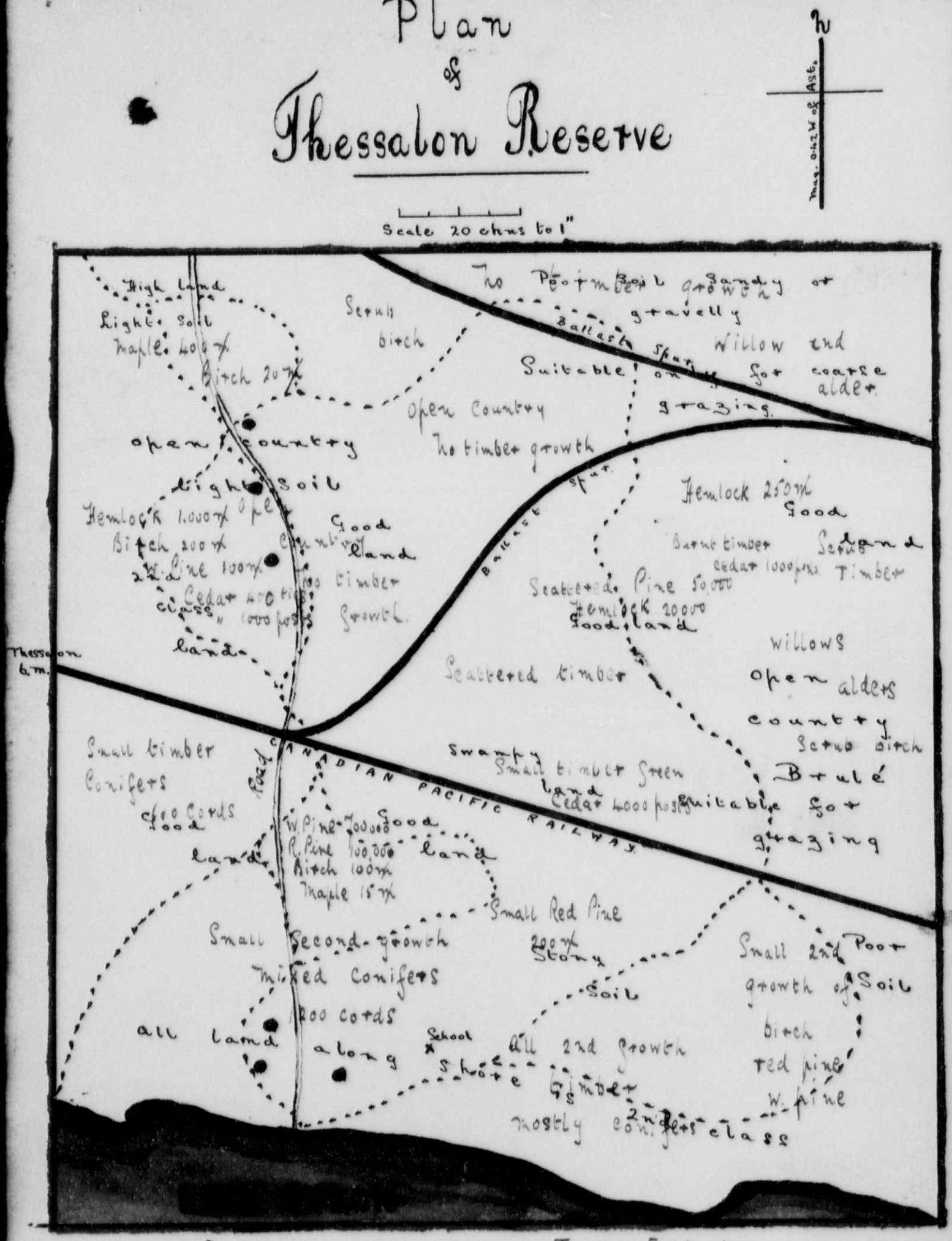

Land data.

Total area ..	2307	acs
Area of good land	500	"
" " 2nd class	1500	"
Waste land	307	"
% area of good ld	24	
Cruising routes	.....	
Indian House	●	

Timber Estimate.

White Pine	850,000	ft B.M.
Red Pine	300,000	" "
Birch	320 000	" "
Maple	415 000	" "
Hemlock	1,250,000	" "
Spruce, Hemlock, Balsam	1800 cords.	
Cedar Posts	5000	
" Ties.	400	

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Lands and Timber Branch

Ottawa, March 3rd.1916. 191

Memo. to the Deputy Minister.

Examination and Estimate of Lands and Timber
on
Thessalon Indian Reserve.

Approved DL

Sir:-

The total area of the Thessalon reserve is 2,307 acres of which only 24% can be classified as good land, the balance being poor soil and second class land only suitable for grazing purposes. There is approximately 300 acres of waste land on the Reserve, consisting of rock and swamp.

The north eastern portion of the Reserve is almost denuded of timber, and the soil is mostly a gravelly loam. overlaid by a sandy loam. The area of good land is very limited, and at the present time is taken up by the Indians resident on the Reserve, who farm it in a hap-hazard fashion. A large portion of the reserve i.e. approximately 1500 acres is only suitable for grazing purposes, and is stripped of any timber growth of commercial value.

This Reserve is remarkable in possessing a large quantity of 2nd. growth White and Red Pine, Cedar, Hemlock and other conifers, but it will probably be several years before this timber has attained merchantable size.

There is an excellent stand of merchantable white pine south of the CP Railway, although it would be

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considerable improved by the removal of the defective or faulty timber. The young stand averages 15 inches on the stump and in my opinion should be conserved for several years longer, before permission is given for it's cutting. The Hemlock growing towards the northern section of the Reserve is for the most part prime, and should be cut, in order to realise the best value. Some of the trees are already deteriorating, and unless utilised in the near future will tend to injure the younger growth when blown down by the wind.

There is no great risk of fire from the Railroad, as the land contiguous to the road is covered with young second growth trees.

There is not an unlimited supply of timber for the use of this Band, and I would suggest that permits to cut for sale should only be issued when absolutely necessary.

The estimate of timber is as follows:-

White Pine...	850.000 ft.B.M.	Red Pine..	300.000 ft.B.M.
Birch...	320.000 " "	Maple....	415.000 " "
Hemlock ..	1.250.000 " "	Cedar Posts...	5000
Cedar ties.	500	Mixed cordwood...	1800 cords.

A plan showing the quantitative distribution of the timber is attached.

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Timber Inspector.

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PLAN
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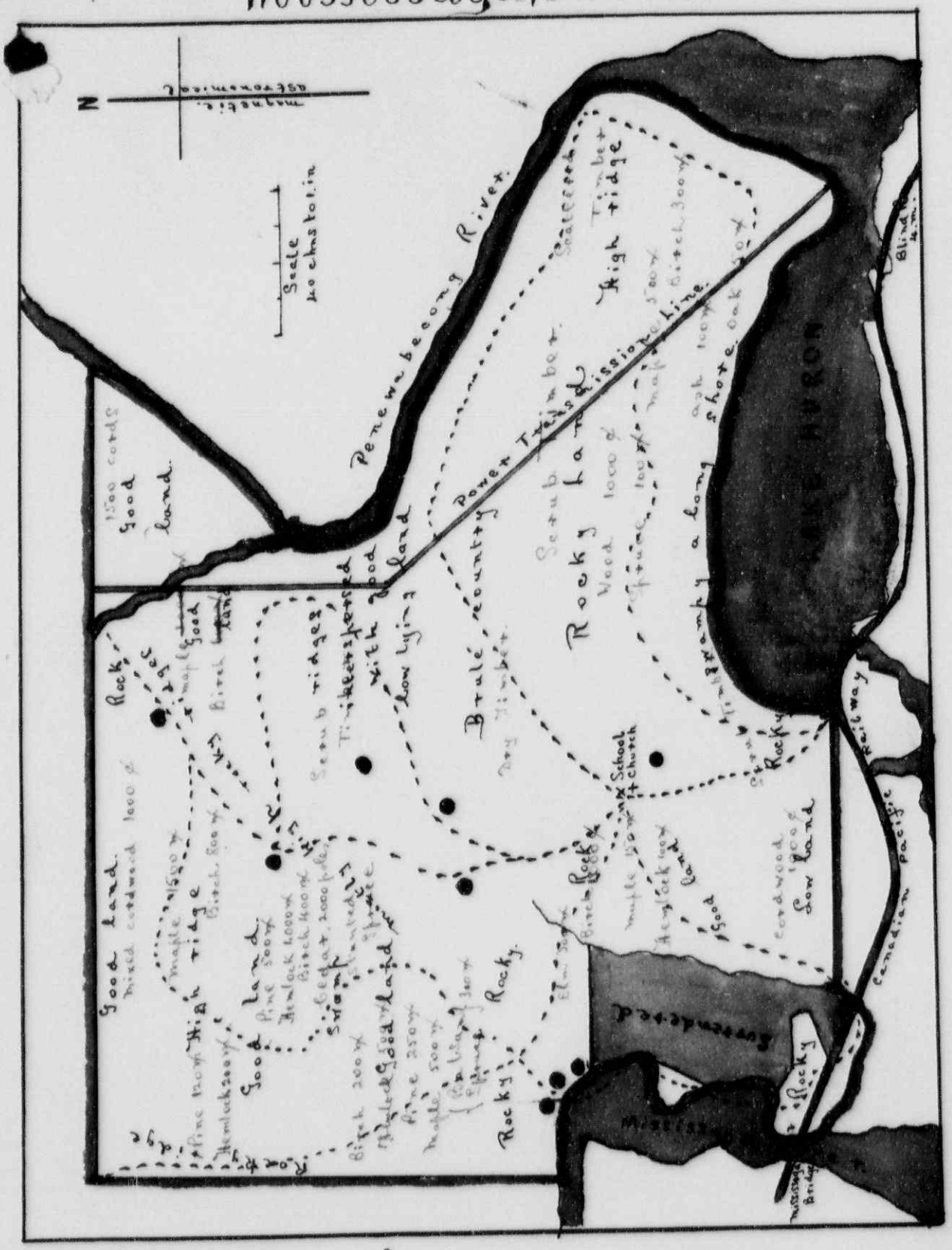
Mississaga, R. Reserve.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Ottawa. Mar.6th.1916. 191

Memo. to the Deputy Minister.

Examination and Estimate of lands and timber
on the
Mississaga River Indian Reserve.

Approved

Sir:-

The total area of the reserve is 4350 acres, of which 1500 acres is good land suitable for agricultural purposes, whilst 2000 acres can be classified as 2nd. class agricultural land. The remainder, 850 acres is rock and swamp.

The best agricultural land occurs generally speaking throughout the entire Reserve, and is not limited to one section. The greater portion of land of this character is to be found along the north boundary of the Reserve, and especially bordering the Penewabecong River.

Some effort has been made by the Indians to farm portions of their Reserve, but the amount of energy expended along these lines, would appear to be small, in view of the paucity of results achieved.

There is a good supply of timber for the needs of the band, and in regard to some species, i.e. maple, birch and hemlock the trees have reached a prime age, and could with advantage be cut and removed. A great quantity of hardwood has been blown down, by wind three years ago, and at the present time is rapidly deteriorating.

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The chief was interviewed in regard to this, and strongly advised to utilise this timber, before cutting into the standing green timber. The maple and birch grow to a good size, and there is a large quantity of good-sized hemlock through-out the northern portion of the Reserve.

As a rule the timber is in good condition, the factor for faultiness being only about 7%. The Indians should in my opinion be encouraged to take out their prime timber, as there is every reason to fear that it will not survive the action of wind and storms. There is a good market for timber products in the adjacent town of Blind River, and delivery is greatly facilitated by the Rivers Mississaga, and Penewaubecong.

The estimate of timber on the Reserve is as follows:-

Maple.....	2.650.000 ft.B.M.	Hemlock...	1.800.000 ft B.M.
Birch,,,	1.500.000 " "	Pine	870.000 " "
Spruce...	400.000 " "	Elm....	300.000 " "
Ash....	100.000 " "	Oak ...	50.000 " "
Cordwood (Mxd.)	2.500 cords	Cedar	2000 poles.

A plan showing the quantitative distribution of timber is attached.

H.J. Bury
Timber Inspector.

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PLAN of SERPENT R. RESERVE.

Scale 100 chns to 1 in.

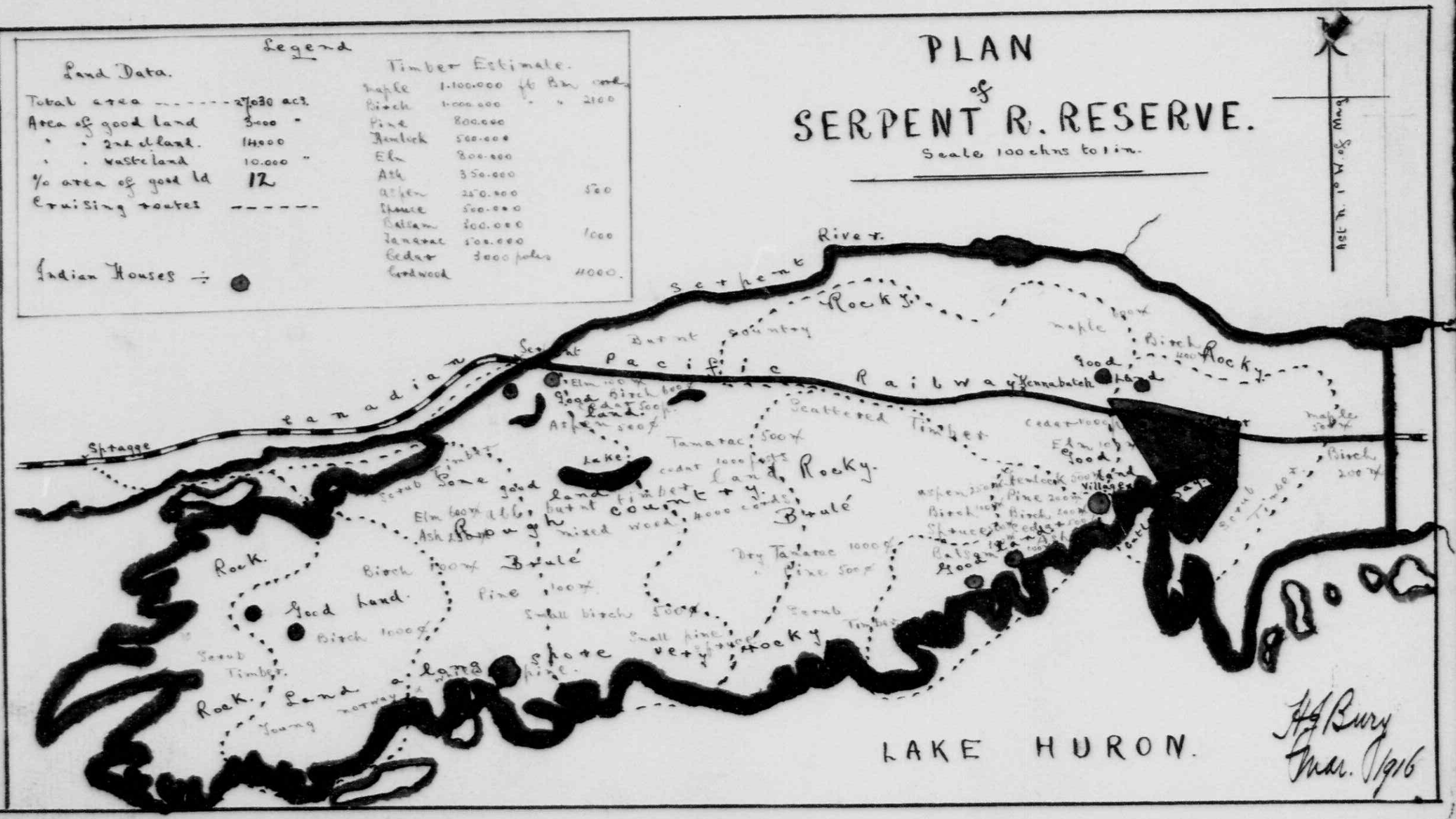
Legend

Land Data.

Total area	27030 acs.
Area of good land	3000 "
" " 2nd cl land.	14000
" " waste land	10.000 "
% area of good ld	12
Cruising routes	------
Indian Houses	÷

Timber Estimate.

Maple	1.100.000 ft Bm	
Birch	1.000.000 " "	2100
Pine	800.000	
Hemlock	500.000	
Elm	800.000	
Ash	350.000	
Aspen	250.000	500
Spruce	500.000	
Balsam	200.000	
Tamarac	500.000	1000
Cedar	3000 poles	
Cordwood		11000.



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Memo. to the Deputy Minister:-

Examination and Estimate of lands and timber
on the
Serpent River Reserve.

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Sir:-

The total area of the Serpent River Reserve is 27.030 acres,but only a small proportion of this comparatively large area can be regarded as suitable for agriculture.Probably only 3000 acres can be classified as good land,whilst 14.000 acres might be utilised for grazing purposes at some future date.There is a great deal of waste land represented by rocky ridges and precipitous gullies, amounting to approximately 10.000 acres.

At the present time this Reserve is a striking illustration of the evil effects of waste-ful lumbering methods.Fire has swept from end to end of the entire peninsula,leaving a desolate waste of bare rocks and tree-less expanses.The debris of tree-tops and branches left indiscriminately throughout the woods many years ago,has ignited and carried a volume of flame which has killed off the whole of the timber growth over a large area of the Reserve,and not only wiped out the forest,but also has burnt off the surface humus from the rocks,so that re-forestration by natural

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processes will not be possible.

There is a large quantity of second growth norway and white pine on the shores of the lake, which in course of time will become merchantable, although the timber licensee has during the past winter cut and removed a great many trees which are not merchantable, subsequent action being taken by the Department on File 144511.

A large area south of the Railway has been burnt over, leaving the timber killed and dry, and to all appearances still sound. This timber is however mostly restricted to Red and White Pine, although there are clumps of tamarac, cedar and spruce which might be utilised. The Chief was interviewed on this subject but he insisted that there was no market for this class of timber.

The estimate of timber is as follows:-

Maple.....	1.100.000 ft.B.M.	Birch	1.000.000 ft.B.M.
Pine	800.000 " "	Birch	2100 cords.
Hemlock...	500.000 " "	Elm...	800.000 ft.B.M.
Ash....	350.000 " "	Aspen...	250.000 " "
Spruce...	500.000 " "	Aspen	500 cords.
Balsam...	300.000 " "	Tamarac.	1000 " 500 M.F.B

Cedar... 3000 poles. Mxd.wood....4000 cords.

A plan showing the quantitative distribution of the different species of timber is attached.

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Memo. to the Deputy Minister.

EXAMINATION AND ESTIMATE OF THE LANDS AND TIMBER

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KEJIMKUJIK LAKE INDIAN RESERVE.N.S.

The total area of the reserve is 1,015 acres of which only about 35 % can be termed land fit for cultivation. There is a considerable area of high rocky ridges bearing a strong merchantable growth of hardwood timber such as beech, birch and maple.

Many of the small sections of the Reserve in Annapolis county are merely wild hay meadows or low marshes, the only good land being in the neighbourhood of the Eastern shore of the lake.

Although the surrounding country has been burnt over on several occasions it does not appear that fire has visited this Reserve at least for the past 70 years. The timber generally speaking is free from parasitic growths and a considerable portion of it is prime, especially the hemlock and beech, and might with advantage to the rest of the timber be cut and removed if done under proper supervision.

The Reserve, by reason of the excellent scenic attractions that it possesses is the haunt of many Nova Scotians and Americans for camping, hunting and fishing purposes.

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The estimate of timber is as follows:-

Hemlock.....	3.400.000	ft.B.M.
Beech.....	955.000	" "
Birch.....	1.025.000	" "
Oak.....	10.000	" "
Pine.white.	25.000	" "
Spruce....	15.000	" "
Cordwood....	3.200	cords.

A plan showing the quantitative distribution of the timber is attached.

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Timber Inspector.

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Plan of RESERVE 17B.

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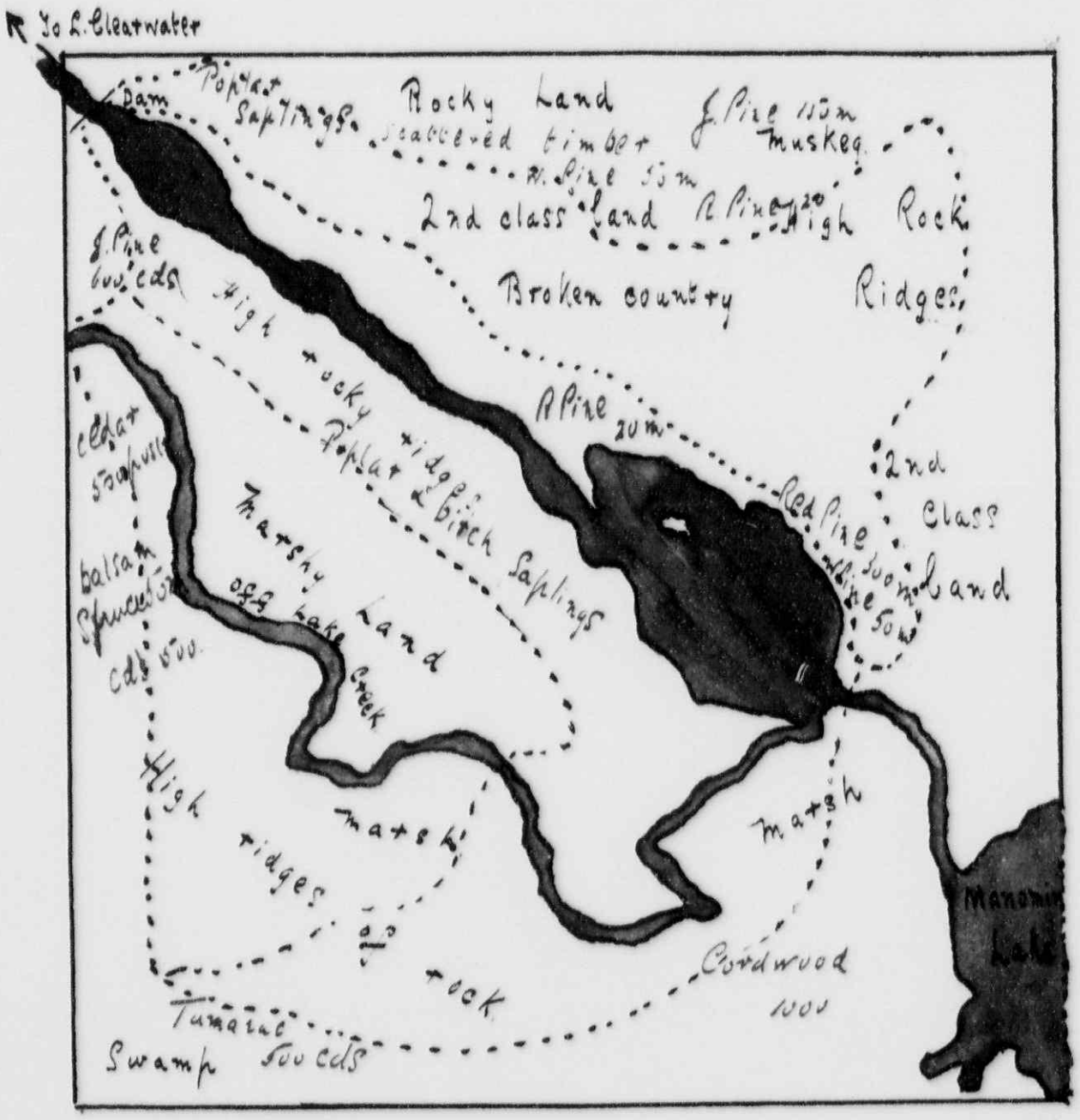

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Total area 2439 acs.
Area wasteld 1700 "
" 2nd class 739 "
% area 28%
Cruising route ----

Timber Estimate

W. Pine 100 m
R. Pine 340 "
J. Pine 150 " cords 600
Cordwood
Tamarac Spruce Balsam 2000
Spruce 100 m

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Memo. to the Deputy Minister.

Examination and estimate of lands and Timber on Reserve No.17B.Rainy River.

In accordance with instructions I visited Reserve No.17 B and cruised it with a view to establishing an upset price for the merchantable timber.

There is a very small percentage of agricultural land on this Reserve there being only about 700 acres of land that can be classified as even 2nd.class in quality.There is a great deal of marsh,rock,and muskeg. The total area of the Reserve is 2439 acres of which practically 1800 acres is waste land.

The Reserve has been visited by forest fires on several occasions,one which,from indications,occurred about 20 years ago practically denuding the Reserve of the merchantable timber.The result id that today there is only a small quantity of timber fit for commercial purposes,although odd trees of merchantable size are to be found scattered over the Reserve.

Red pine and jack pine constitute the greater portion of the merchantable timber together with white pine. This last variety of pine appears to be very faulty exhibiting a considerable amount of rot and being also branchy in character.

The total amount of merchatable timber available for cutting does not exceed 600.000 ft B.M. and in all probability 220.000 feet of this owing to it's

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scattered character, could only be logged at a loss. The bonus value of this timber over and above dues I would place at $1350.00.

A considerable amount of young jack pine is found but is not sufficiently large to be classed as merchantable. I am of the opinion that the period of time for this operation should not extend beyond April 30th.1918 or practically one season's operation.

As the amount is comparatively small it would hardly attract the large lumber companies, and would therefore further suggest that tenders should be placed only in the local press for a limited time.

The estimate of timber on the Reserve is as follows:-

White Pine.....	100 M.
Red Pine.....	340 M
Jack Pine....	150 M and 600 cords.
Mixed cordwood	2000 cords
Spruce etc.	100 M.

A plan showing the quantitative distribution of the timber is attached.

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Plan
of
Reserves Nos. 35 H. & 32 C.
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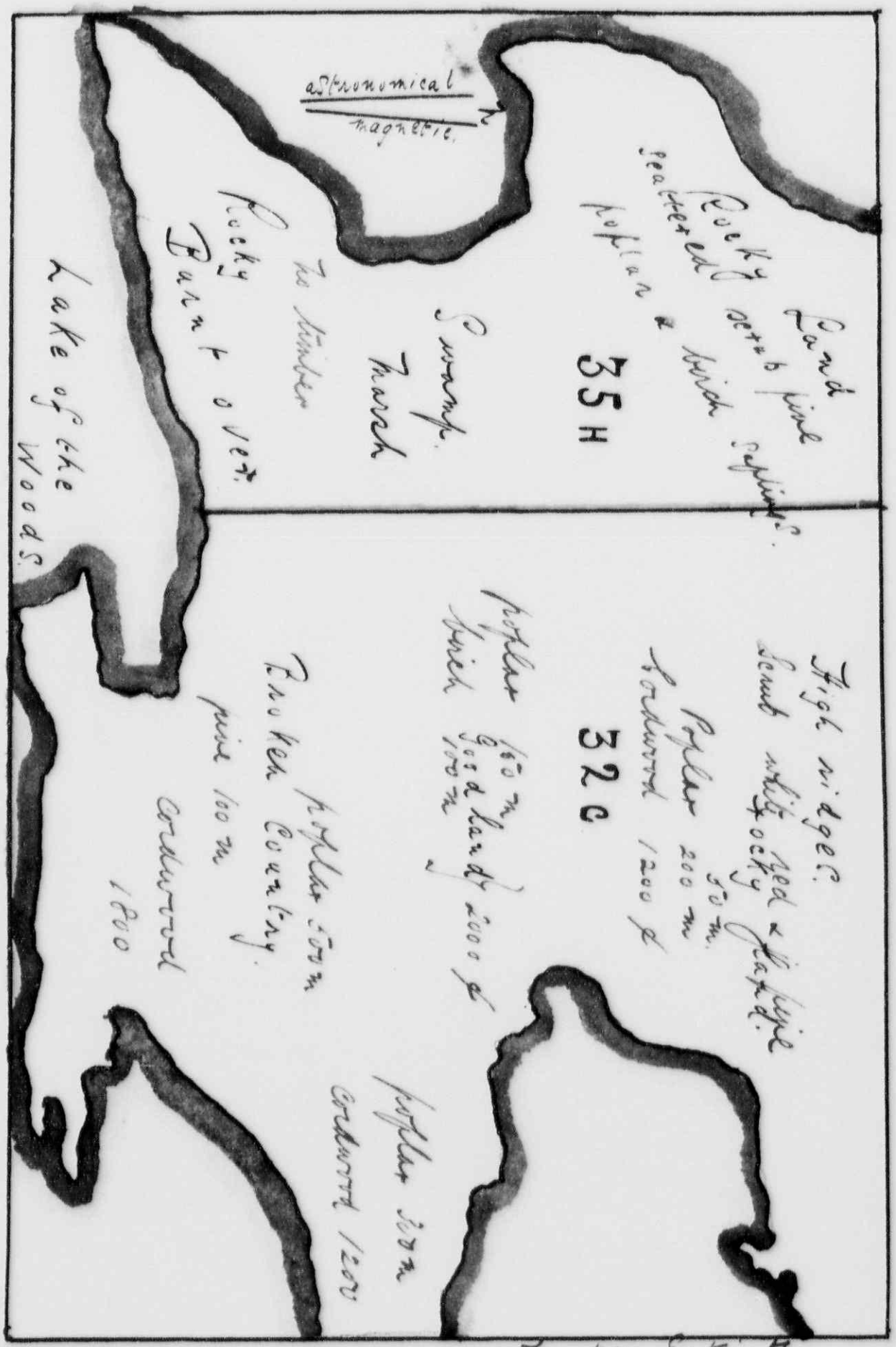

Total area 1920 acres
waste land 1500 "
end class 200 "
good land 220 "
Cruising route ----

Timber Estimate
pine 150 m
poplar 1,000 m
cordwood 6 200 cords.

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Memo. to the Deputy Minister.

EXAMINATION AND ESTIMATE OF THE LANDS AND TIMBER ON RESERVES NOS.35H &32C LAKE OF THE WOODS.

The total area of these two reserves is 1920 acres of which probably not more than 200 acres can be termed good land.Fire has visited the Reserve in recent years with the result that today there is not any appreciable stand of commercial timber.

Timber of cordwood size predominates the species being poplar,birch,spruce and balsam with scattered scrub pine of the white,red,and jack species.

At the present time the timber on this Reserve is not of appreciable commercial value.

The timber estimate is as follows:-

Pine.....150.000 ft.B.M.

Poplar 1.000.000 " "

Cordwood 6200 cords.

A plan showing the quantitative distribution of the timber is attached:-

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Plan of Reserves 3/a 235

Scale 40 chs to 1 in.



Legend.

Total area	2560 acres
Waste land	1200 "
Good land	850 acres
2nd class	510 "
% of Good ld	33
Existing roads	-----

Timber Estimate.

White Pine	530 m
Red Pine	280 "
Jack Pine	475 "
Poplar	2.200 "
Spruce	680 "
Balsam	210 "
Cedar	300 poles
Tamarac	10 m
Cordwood	2860 cords

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Memo. to the Deputy Minister.

EXAMINATION AND ESTIMATE OF LANDS AND TIMBER

ON RESERVES NOS.31 A and 35 A LAKE OF THE WOODS.

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The total area of these two adjacent reserves is 2560 acres of which 850 acres can be classified as land suitable for agriculture,1200 acres of waste land comprising rock,swamp and muskeg and the balance of 510 acres being 2nd.class land.The agricultural land at the present time carries a dense growth of conifers such as balsam,spruce,pine and cedar with poplar of merchantable size in association.

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Large areas of the Reserve have been burned over about 17 years ago,such land now bearing a sapling growth of poplar,birch and willow.

The Indians resident at the village have been in the habit of getting permits to cut dead and fallen timber,with the usual result-hap-hazard and wasteful lumbering of their good green pine stand,leaving the dead and fallen timber to become a total loss.In my opinion the less the Indians try to lumber their timber for themselves,the greater benefits will accrue to them in the long run.For many years past they have logged for themselves with the same result.They ask to log as a measure of relief,and when spring comes and they have received settlement for the

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logs they have cut, they are all in debt to the lumberman and the net result of their work is nil. They have cut down their best timber, left a fire hazard in the bush, worked for nothing all the winter and are in impoverished circumstances in the spring.

The timber estimate on these Reserves is as follows:-

Valued at $7.850.00 on of dues
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White Pine....	530.000	ft.B.M.
Red Pine....	280.000	" "
Jack Pine	475.000	" "
Poplar	2.200.000	" "
Spruce	680.000	" "
Balsam	210.000	" "
Cedar	500	poles
Tamarac	10.000	ft B.M.
Cordwood	2860	cords birch etc.

A plan showing the quantitative distribution of timber is attached.

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Plan of Reserve No 35D Lake

Scale 30 chns to 1 inch



Legend

Total area 1280 acres
Area of wasteld 800 "
" " Good ld 300 "
" " 2nd cl. 180 "
% area of Good ld 27
Cruising routes .....

Timber Estimate

W. Pine	490 m
R. Pine	2800 m
Spruce	800 m
Poplar	1050 m
Cordwood	2100 cords
Cedar	1000 posts 500 poles.

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EXAMINATION AND ESTIMATE OF LANDS AND TIMBER

ON RESERVE NO.35 D.LAKE OF THE WOODS. 170963

The total area of this Reserve is approximately 2 sq.miles of which 800 acres is waste land represented by rock and swamp.The good land only occurs in small isolated patches inland from the Lake and consequently not easily accessible.

The timber on the reserve is fairly plentiful,there being several excellent stands of Red Pine.The Indians of this locality have lumbered the best part of the green stand recently under the excuse of cutting dead and fallen timber,whilst leaving the dead timber on the ground to become a total loss.

Owing to the fact that all the timber on the Reserve is adjacent to water the timber should realise a good price and I would place a value of $12.000.00 (twelve thousand dollars) exclusive of dues at tariff rates.

I would further recommend that this timber be placed on the market as soon as possible as the demand for this class of timber in that locality is very keen at the present time.

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The estimate of timber on the Reserve is as follows:-

White Pine.....	495.000	ft.B.M.
Red Pine.	2.800.000	""
Spruce.....	800.000	""
Poplar.....	1.050.000	""
Cordwood	2100 cords	
Cedar.	1000 posts and 500 poles.	

A plan showing the quantitative distribution of the timber is attached.

H. F. Bury

Timber Inspector.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS CANADA.

Ottawa. Nov.11th.1916.

Mr.Scott:-

Hereunder estimates of timber on five Reserves in the Kenora Agency,Lake of the Woods district.

Timber is in excellent demand this winter in that locality and I am of the opinion that immediate action for the disposal of this timber should be taken in order to realise the best price.

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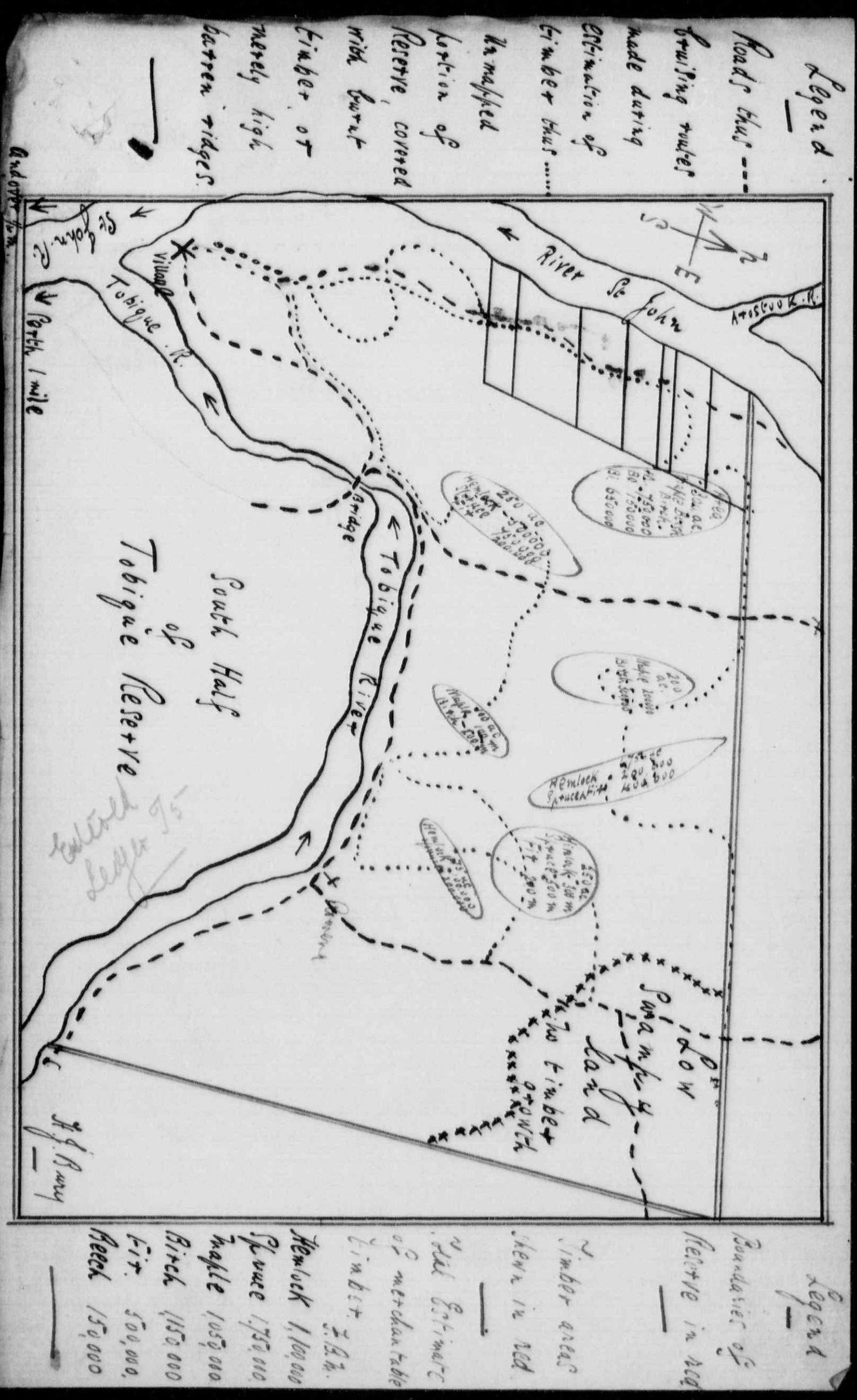

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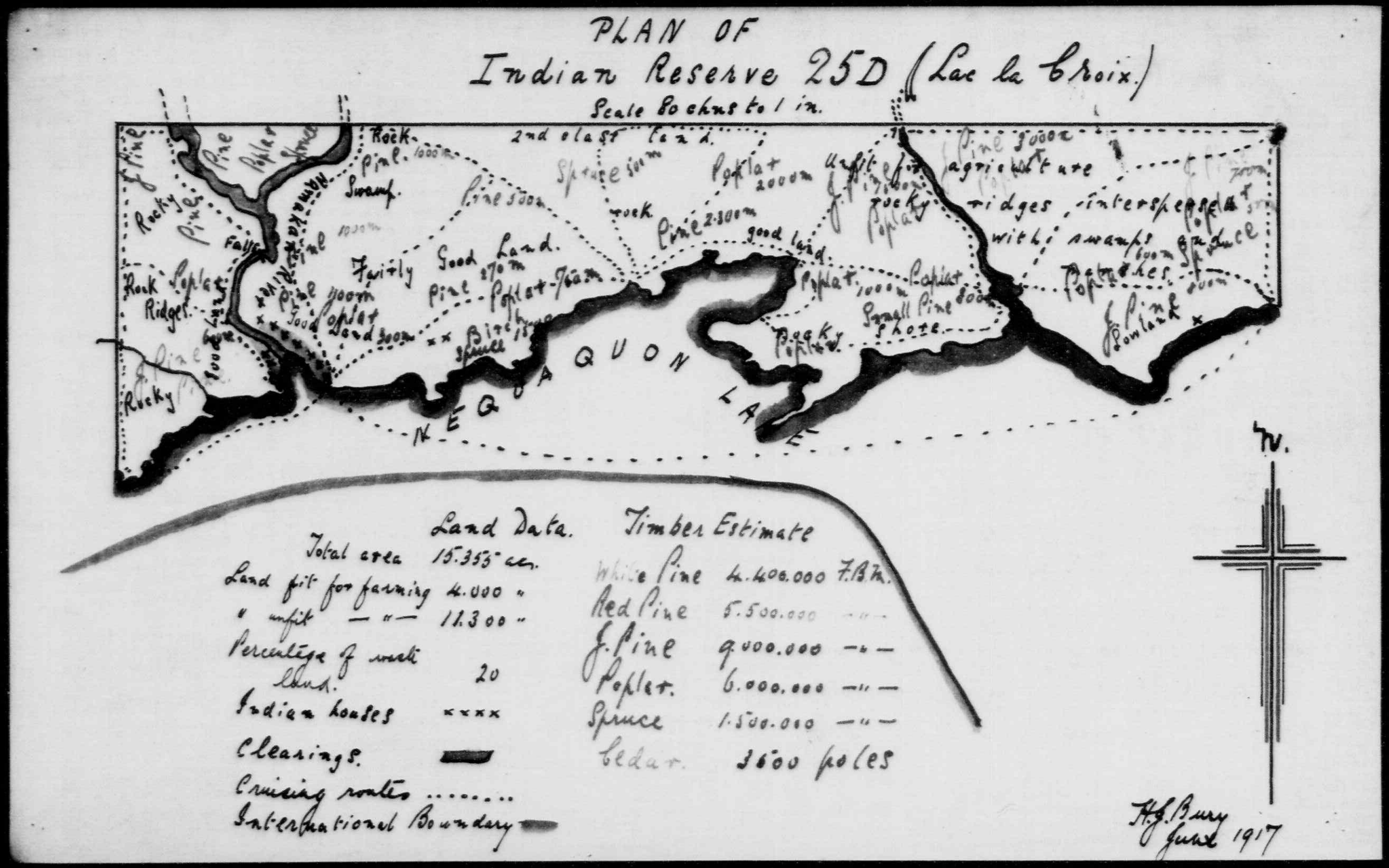

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Memo. to the Deputy Minister.

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EXAMINATION AND ESTIMATE OF LANDS AND TIMBER ON RESERVE No.25D Lac la Croix.

The total area of this Reserve is 15.355 acres of which not more than 4000 acres can be regarded as being suitable for farming purposes. The agricultural land itself carries a very light sandy soil, there being no clay soils on the Reserve at all. The resident band of Indians grow some potatoes for their own use on plots surrounding their village but no serious effort is made by them to follow the pursuit of agriculture.

Until the present year no forest fires had visited the Reserve and in consequence the timber constituted a valuable asset. However in the month of May of this year a serious bush fire destroyed and damaged a quantity of timber on the N.W. corner of the reserve and it will necessitate the cutting of the damaged timber this winter if it is to be salvaged. Owing to the distance of the Reserve from civilisation and the corresponding long drive that will have to be made to market the logs, the sale of this timber should be arranged for as soon as possible if lumbermen are to be interested, and such sale should not be set later than Oct. 1st.

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The general condition of the timber is excellent the pine especially being sound and free from faults.

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The main stand of timber consists of Jack Pine which makes excellent timber for railroad ties.

The timber is all accessible to water, the longest haul being only 2½ miles.

The estimate of timber is as follows:-

White Pine.....4.400.000 f.b.m.
Red Pine.....5.500.000 """
Jack Pine.....9.000.000 """
Poplar.....6.000.000 """
Spruce.....1.500.000 """
Cedar.....3500 poles.

A plan showing the quantitative distribution of the timber is attached.

I would recommend that only the merchantable conifers be sold as the poplar etc. has no present value.

I place an upset price of $15.000 on this Reserve such bonus being exclusive of dues at tariff rates.

H. J. Bury
Timber Inspector.

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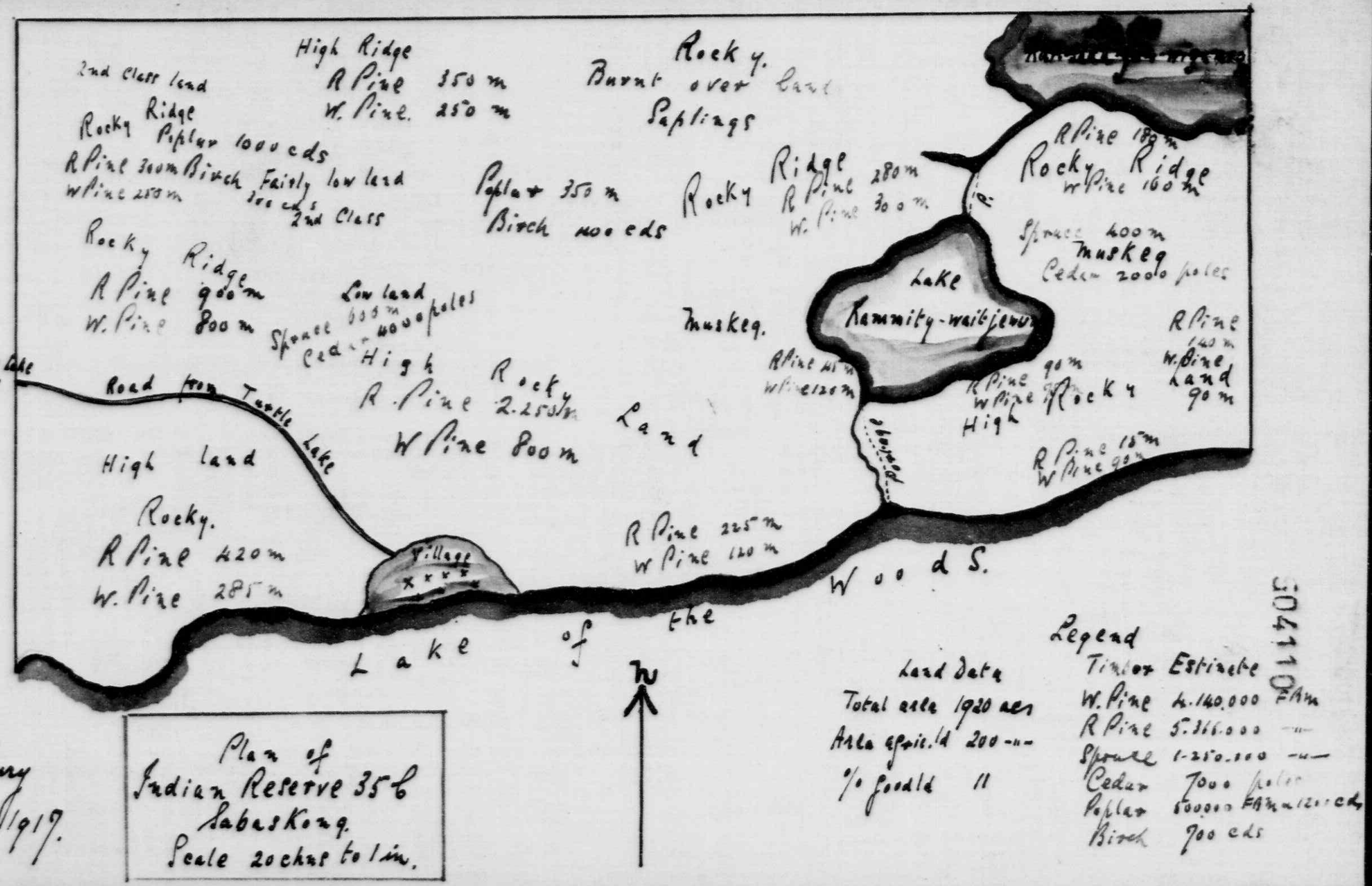

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Memo. to the Deputy Minister.

EXAMINATION AND ESTIMATE OF THE LANDS AND TIMBER ON RESERVE No. 35C Sabaskong Bay Lake of the Woods.

The total area of this Reserve is 1920 acres of which not more than 200 acres can be regarded as fit for farming purposes. Most of the Reserve consists of rocky ridges carrying a thick growth of pine, interspersed with small swamps and muskeg.

The main# stand of timber is located on a ridge that runs approximately east and west and slopes gradually south toward the lake shore, (Sabaskong Bay). This timber is probably the best remaining pine stand in the Lake of the Woods area although the larger growth of red and white pine is very susceptible to faultiness, due to an over-prime condition. It is questionable whether this large over-prime timber will cut out a sufficient quantity of grade lumber to warrant its utilisation, but this could only be demonstrated after actual cutting had commenced.

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The timber of other species on the Reserve such as spruce, cedar, poplar, birch & balsam is not of large size but fairly thick in density and comparatively free of fault.

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The estimate of timber is as follows:-

White pine.....	4.140.000 f.b.m.
Red or norway pine	5.366.000 f.b.m.
Spruce	1.250.000 " "
Cedar.....	7000 poles
Poplar.....	500.000 f.b.m. & 1200 cords
Birch.....	700 cords

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A plan showing the quantitative distribution of timber is attached.

In reference to the proposed sale of this timber I place a bonus valuation of $90.000 over and above dues, on the merchantable timber of the coniferous species only, and would suggest that the best price would in all probability be realised by an auction sale at the town of Kenora.

H. J. Bury

Timber Inspector.

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Plan of
Indian Reserve 32B
Lake of the Woods

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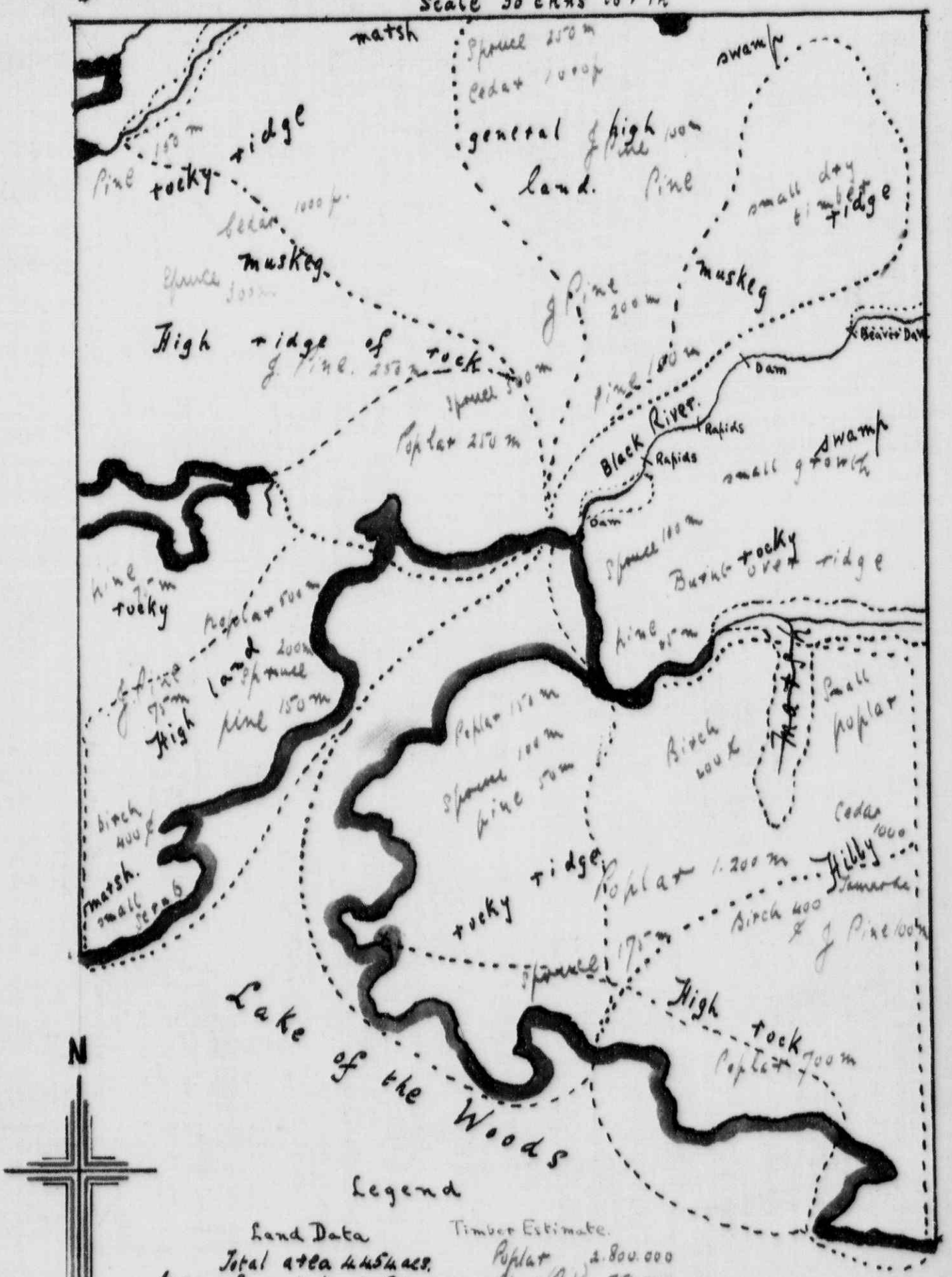

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Ottawa, Aug. 22nd. 1917. 191

Memo. to the Deputy Minister.

EXAMINATION AND ESTIMATE OF LANDS AND TIMBER on Reserve 32B Lake of the Woods.

The total area of this Reserve is 4454 acres but only a small proportion of this area consists of land which is suitable for cultivation. Not more than 500 acres or approximately 11 per cent of the whole area could be used for farming purposes. There are no Indians permanently residing on the Reserve although occasionally one family lives there in the winter months.

At one time there was a considerable quantity of pine timber on this Reserve but this has mostly been cut by Indians under permit and from an examination of the cutting I am not at all surprised that the Indians do not make any profit from their lumbering. Tops of sound pine averaging 12 inches in diameter are lying all through the woods and even sound trees have been chopped down and left to rot. Many good pine logs were also counted that had been left on the ground and not hauled out.

The chief species of timber left is poplar and of this there is a fairly large quantity which is of good size and fairly free from faults. This timber should make excellent material for the manufacture of staves, barrels, and boxes etc.

The timber is all of easy access and being adjacent to lake waters no drive will have to be made. The Black River itself is not suitable for driving as there is not sufficient water and the river is full of rapids etc.

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The estimate of timber is as follows:-

Poplar.....	2.800.000	f.b.m.
Pine (R & W)	750.000	"""
Jack Pine...	700.000	"""
Spruce....	1.500.000	"""
Cedar...	4000	poles
Pulpwood....	3000	cords.
Birch....	1000	""
Tamarac...	700	""

A plan showing the quantitative distribution of the timber is attached.

The timber should realise a bonus of $8.000 over and above dues at tariff rates.

H. J. Bury.

Timber Inspector.

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Plan of Indian Reserve 23B

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Ottawa, Aug. 20th. 1917. 191

Memo. to the Deputy Minister.

EXAMINATION AND ESTIMATE OF LANDS AND TIMBER ON RESERVE NO.23B. Seine River.

The total area of this reserve inclusive of the south addition is 2235 acres. The area of land suitable for farming does not exceed 700 acres or 32 per cent of the whole. Rocky ridges and marsh lands constitute a large portion of the reserve. Some families of Indians at one time lived here but have recently moved to the Reserve at Wild Potato Lake.

Red Pine or Norway is the species of timber mostly in evidence but a considerable portion of this class of timber is small and not yet suitable for logging.

All the merchantable timber is easy of access and should realise a good stumpage price.

entered Ledger 56

The estimate of timber is as follows:-

White Pine.....	750.000 f.b.m.
Red or Norway Pine	1.000.000 "
Jack Pine.....	250.000 "
Spruce.....	75.000 "
Cedar.....	2000 poles.
Tamarac.....	1000 cords.
Poplar.....	2500 "

A plan showing th e quantitative distribution of the timber is attached. A bonus price of $16.000 should be realised at the sale.

H J Bury.

Timber Inspector.

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PLAN OF INDIAN RESERVE 26 b.

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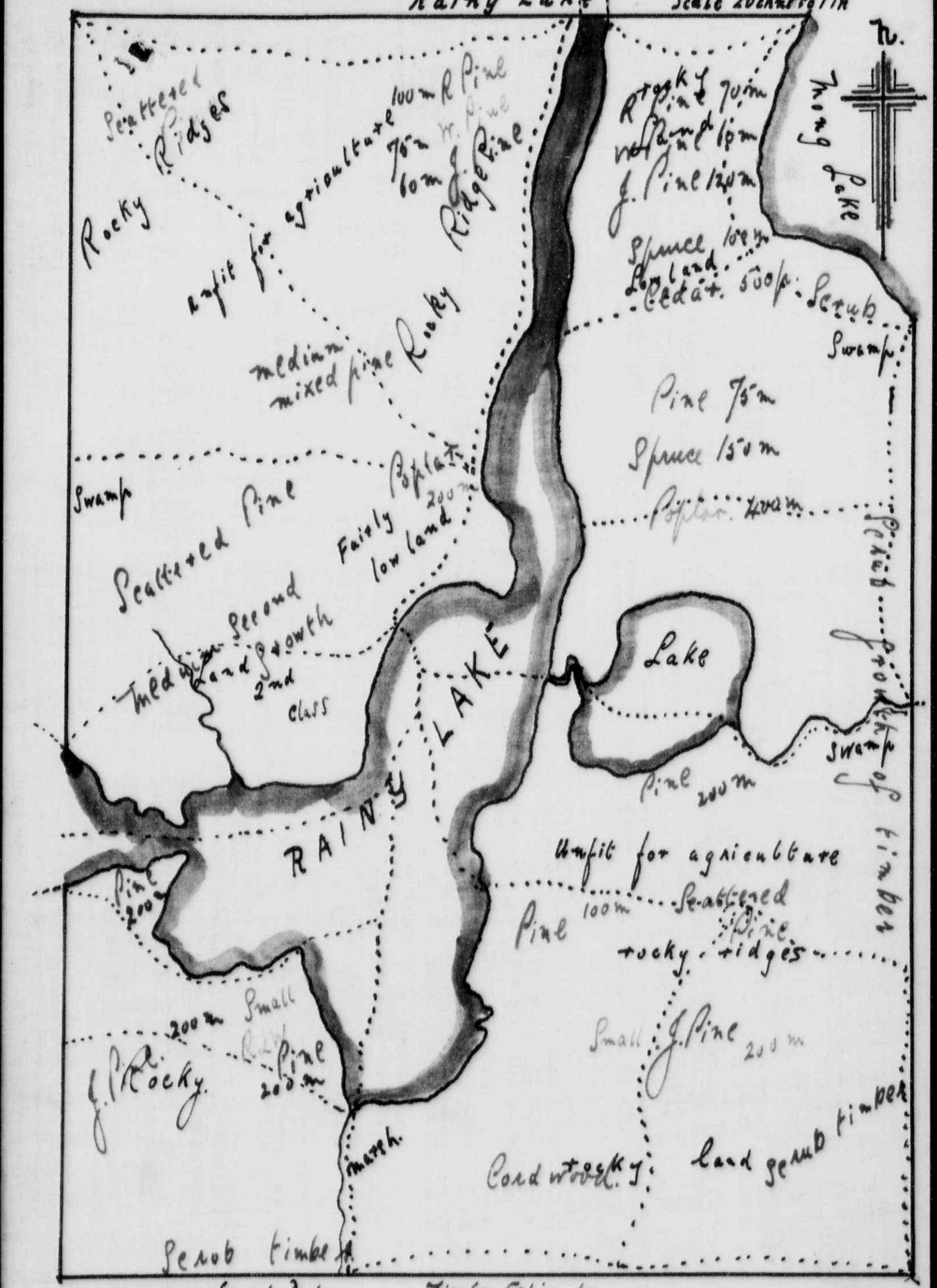

Land Data

Total area 2737 acs
Fit for agric. 500 "
Waste land 1000 "
Unfit 1200

Timber Estimate

W. Pine 500 m. f.B.M.
R. Pine 750 "
J. Pine 800 "
Cedar 1000 pol.
Spruce 250 m Poplar 800 m

Cruising route

Percent of good land 25

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Memo. to the Deputy Minister.

EXAMINATION AND ESTIMATE OF LANDS AND TIMBER ON RESERVE NO.26C REDGUT.

Rainy Lake.

The total area of this Reserve is 2737 acres of which only 15 per cent or 500 acres can be classified as being in any way suitable for farming purposes. There are no Indians resident on this Reserve and no efforts have been made to clear or cultivate the land.

The timber stand consists for the most part of medium growth pine, poplar, spruce and some birch. A considerable area of the reserve is made up of marsh and wild hay meadows.

The estimate of timber is as follows:-

White pine.....	500.000	f.b.m.
Red Pine.....	750.000	"""
Jack Pine.....	800.000	"""
Cedar 1000 poles.		
Spruce.....	250.000	"""
Poplar.....	800.000	"""

entered Ledger Rg

A plan showing the quantitative distribution of the timber is attached. The bonus payable on this timber should be at least $10.000.

H. J. Bury

Timber Inspector.

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Plan of
Indian Reserve 35E.
Lake of the Woods

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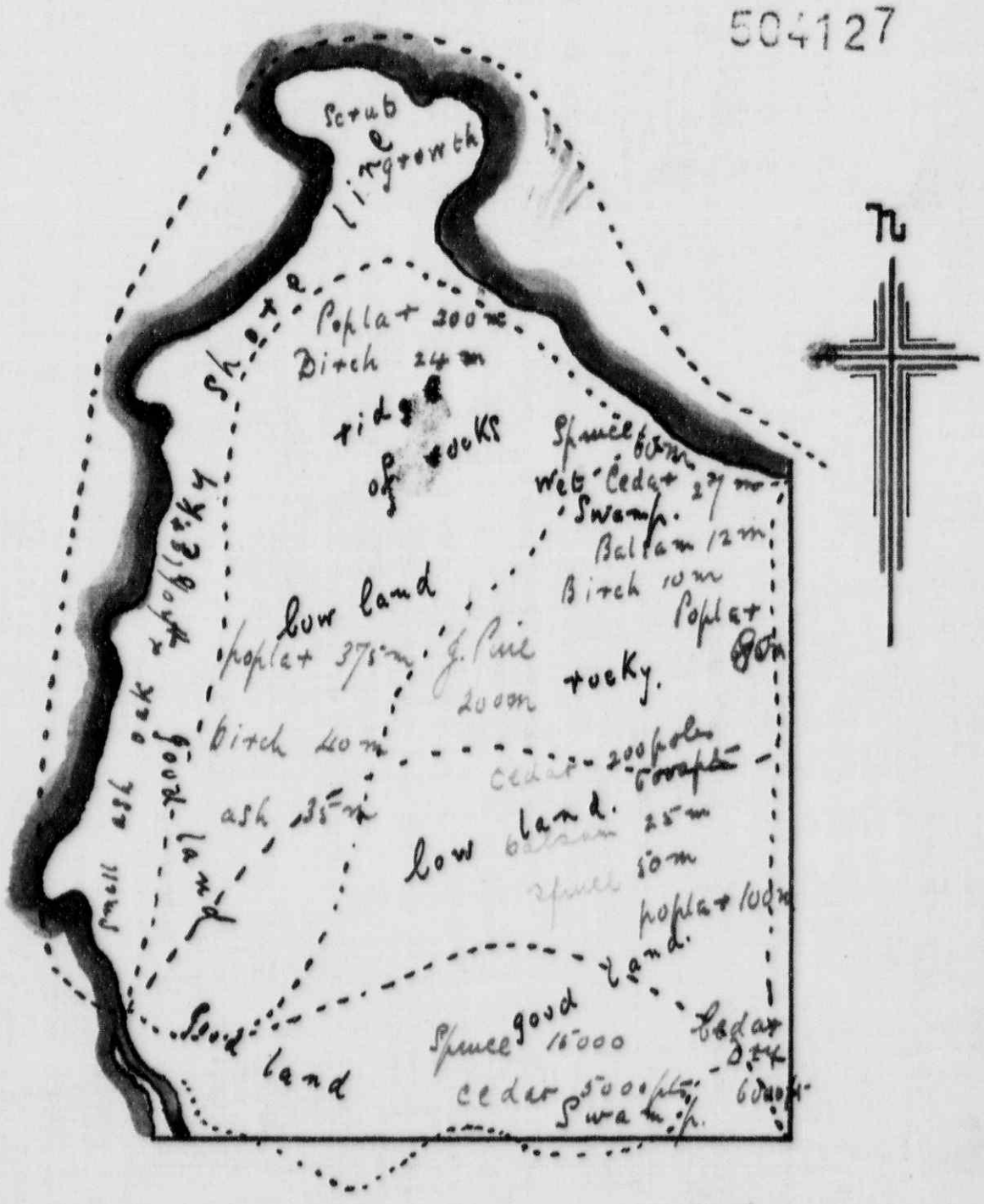

Legend.

Land Data.

Total area . 640 acs
area of good land 120 "
% area of farm land 18.
Cruising routes .....

Timber Estimate

Poplar	700.000	7 B M.
Birch	75.000	—"—
J. Pine	200.000	—"—
Spruce	75.000	—"—
Balsam	40.000	—"—
ash	35.000	FB
Cedar	1500 poles 10.000 post-	

H. J. Burry
July 1917

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Memo. to the Deputy Minister.

EXAMINATION AND ESTIMATE OF LANDS
AND TIMBER ON RESERVE No. 35 E lake of the Woods

The total area of this Reserve is 640 acres, of which not more than 120 acres or approximately 18 per cent of the whole area can be regarded as suitable for cultivation.

The shore line is rocky and covered with a stunted growth of jack pine and spruce with occasional groves of inferior ash and oak in the gullies. The soil on that portion of the Reserve fit for farming is inclined to be light and sandy, the thickness of vegetable loam being very slight. There are no Indians resident on the Reserve and only one dilapidated house.

entered Ledger L-7

The merchantable timber consists for the most part of poplar which is in prime condition being not large or afflicted with black heart or rot as very little indication of fungus growths were perceived. There is a fairly large quantity of dry cedar, which would cut up into good post timber, on the southern side of the Reserve.

The Reserve has rather an exposed position on the Lake of the Woods and will never be a permanent site for residence on the part of the Indians of the band as this band have excellent land, enough for their needs on Reserve 35 G only 8 miles distant.

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The estimate of timber is as follows:-

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Poplar.....	700.000	f.b.m.
Birch.....	75.000	""
J.Pine.....	200.000	"""
Spruce.....	75.000	"""
Balsam.....	40.000	"""
Ash.....	35.000	"""
Cedar...1500 poles	10.000	posts.

The bonus value today of the timber on the Reserve over and above dues at tariff rates I would place at $3.500.00
A plan showing the quantitative distribution of the timber is attached.

H.J. Bury
Timber Inspector.

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Plan of Indian Reserve 35G.

Lake of the Woods

Scale 40 chns to 1 in.

Kenora 7½ miles

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Saplings

Rocky Peninsula

J. Pine 15m

W.P.P. 5m

1000 cds

Birch

Elm

20 m

Land Data.

Total area	89 6 acres
Area of good ld	2500 "
% of good land	28
Cruising Route	.....
Marshes	
Indian Houses	xx

Timber Estimate

W. Pine	150.000
J. Pine	800.000
R. Pine	200.000
Poplar	3.500.000
Spruce	700.000
Cedar	2000 plus
Tamarac	70.000
Balsam	20.000
Elm etc	50.000
Cordwood	4000 cds

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LAKE O

small grown timber

Big Good Land.

undulating small J. Pine

rolling country

small scrub growth

cordwood 4000 cds.

Fairly

J. Pine 150 m

Poplar. 120 m

Spruce 30 m

Poplar River

Pine 20 m

Good Land

small J. Pine.

River

Spruce 60m

Poplar 300m

Rocky J. Pine 100 m

Poplar. 200 m

Low land

Cedar. 1000 plus

Poplar

Cedar & Spruce

J. Pine 300m

Ridge

Poplar 300m

Poplar. 200m

Swamp. Cedar 200 m

Rocky

Balsam

Small poplar 400 m

Good Land

Cedar 400 m

Spruce 100 m

Poplar. 200 m

Spruce 50m

Rocky Birch

Cedar 1000 pl

Tamarac 60m

Swamp

Rocky Ridge

J. Pine 500m

small poplar.

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Memo. to the Deputy Minister.

EXAMINATION AND ESTIMATE OF LANDS AND TIMBER ON RESERVE No. 35 G. Lake of the Woods

The total area of this Reserve is 8960 acres and at least 28 per cent of this area or approximately 2500 acres can be classified as land fit for farming purposes. Most of the good land lies adjacent to the Big Grassy River and also along the southern boundary especially in the vicinity of Minahico creek.

Owing to the raising of the water level on the Lake of the Woods due to the erection of a large dam at Kenora a great portion of the basin of the Grassy River is flooded and the river now flows through a series of large marshes.

There are several houses erected near the mouth of the River in which about 10 families of Indians permanently reside. Fire had swept over portions of the Reserve during the past year and although no great damage was done to the large timber yet many acres of young growth were killed.

The lake shore, especially that portion comprising the northern peninsula is very rocky and has little protection from strong winds.

The timber is of a very mixed variety with poplar being the predominating species. Small stands of red and white pine occur, and pine is scattered singly over a great portion of the Reserve. Most of the jack pine is not yet

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large enough for tie timber and the tamarac is fast dying out from the attacks of the larch saw-fly.

Some of the timber along the southern boundary will have to be hauled about 5 miles to water but generally speaking the bulk of it can be readily watered.

The estimate of timber is as follows:-

W.Pine.....150.000 f.b.m.
R.Pine.....200.000 """
J.Pine..... 800.000 """
Poplar.... 3.500.000 """
Spruce.... 750.000 """
Cedar...2000 poles,5000 posts.
Tamarac..... 70.000 f.b.m
Balsam..... 120.000 """
Elm & Ash... 50.000 """
Mixed Poplar & Birch cordwood...6000 cds.

A plan showing the quantitative distribution of timber is attached.

I would place a bonus value of $16000.00 over and above dues.

H.J. Bury
Timber Inspector.

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Plan of Indian Reserves 33A & 34A.

Lake of the Woods

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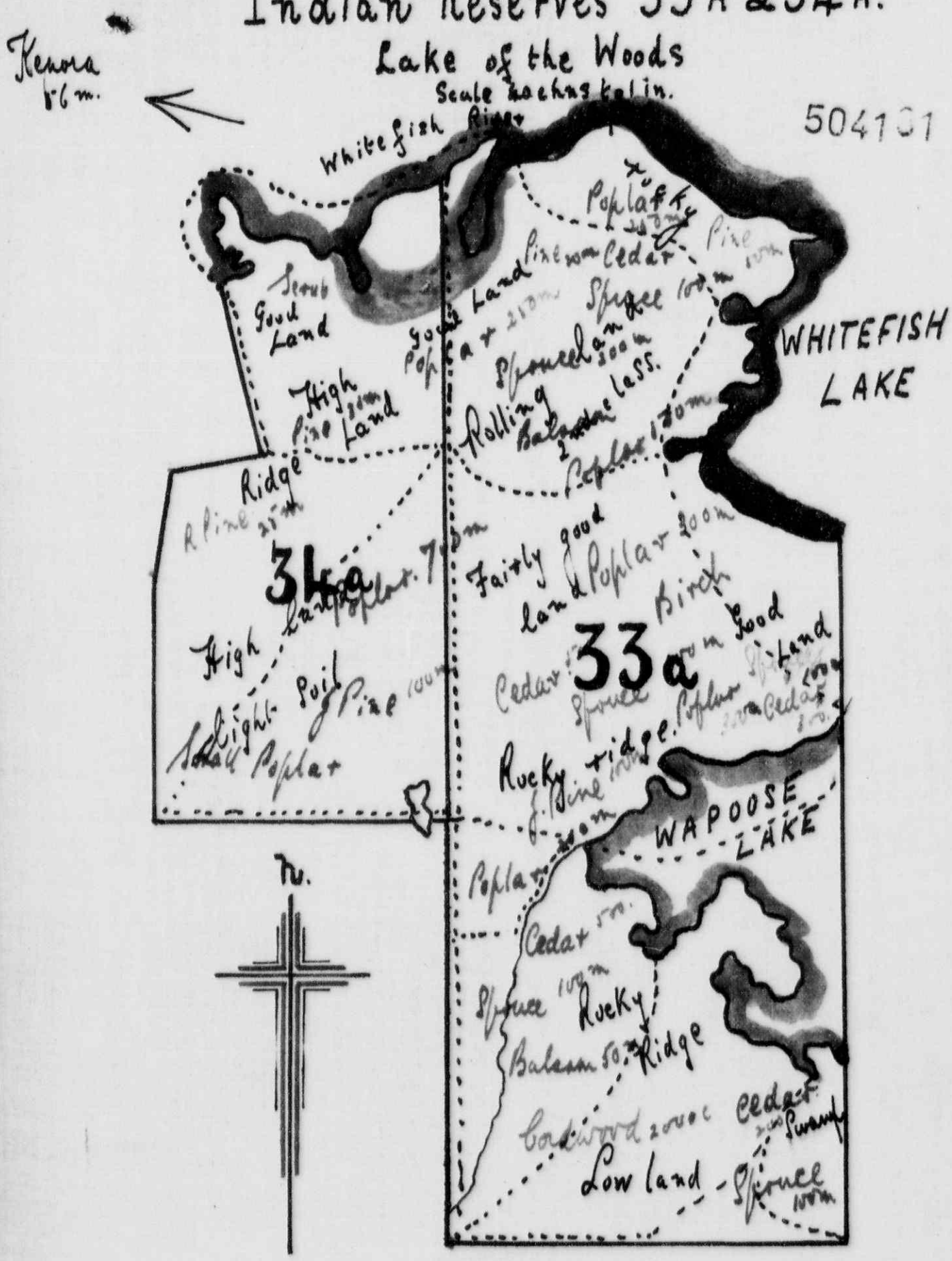

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Land Data	
Total area	4478 acs.
Area of good land	2000 "
% area.	44
Cruising routes	

Timber Estimate		
Poplar	2,500.000	F.B.M.
Pine (R.W.J)	355.000	"
Spruce	750.000	"
Balsam	100.000	"
Birch	50.000	"
Cedar	1000 poles 3000 posts	
Cordwood	4000 cds	

H. J. Bury
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Ottawa, Aug. 31st. 1917. 191

Memo. to the Deputy Minister.

EXAMINATION AND ESTIMATE OF LANDS AND TIMBER ON RESERVES Nos. 33A and 34A Lake of the Woods.

The total area of Reserves 33A and 34 ~~A~~ is 4478 acres of which 2000 acres is fairly good land and suitable for farming.

There are no Indians living on these Reserves and no improvements have been made. The shore line on Whitefish lake is very rough and rocky and not at all suitable for agriculture, but toward the interior and especially North West from Wapoose Lake the country is undulating and covered with a growth of aspen and balm of gilead.

The chief species of timber is the poplar which occurs generally all over the two Reserves and in many instances produces good stands of merchantable timber.

The red, white and jack pine are found in small quantities. Some hardwood such as swamp elm and ash is to be found, but there is no appreciable quantity of these two species of timber. The usual mixed stand of the spruce, cedar and tamarac type occurs in some localities.

The estimate of timber is as follows:-

Poplar....	2500.000 f.b.m.	Pine...	355.000 f.b.m.
Spruce...	750.000 " "	Balsam..	100.000 " "
Birch...	50.000 " "	Cedar..	1000 poles 3000 posts

Cordwood (mixed poplar, birch spruce) 4000 cords.

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A plan showing the quantitative distribution of the timber is attached.

The bonus value of the timber over and above dues is $9000.00.

H. J. Bury

Timber Inspector.

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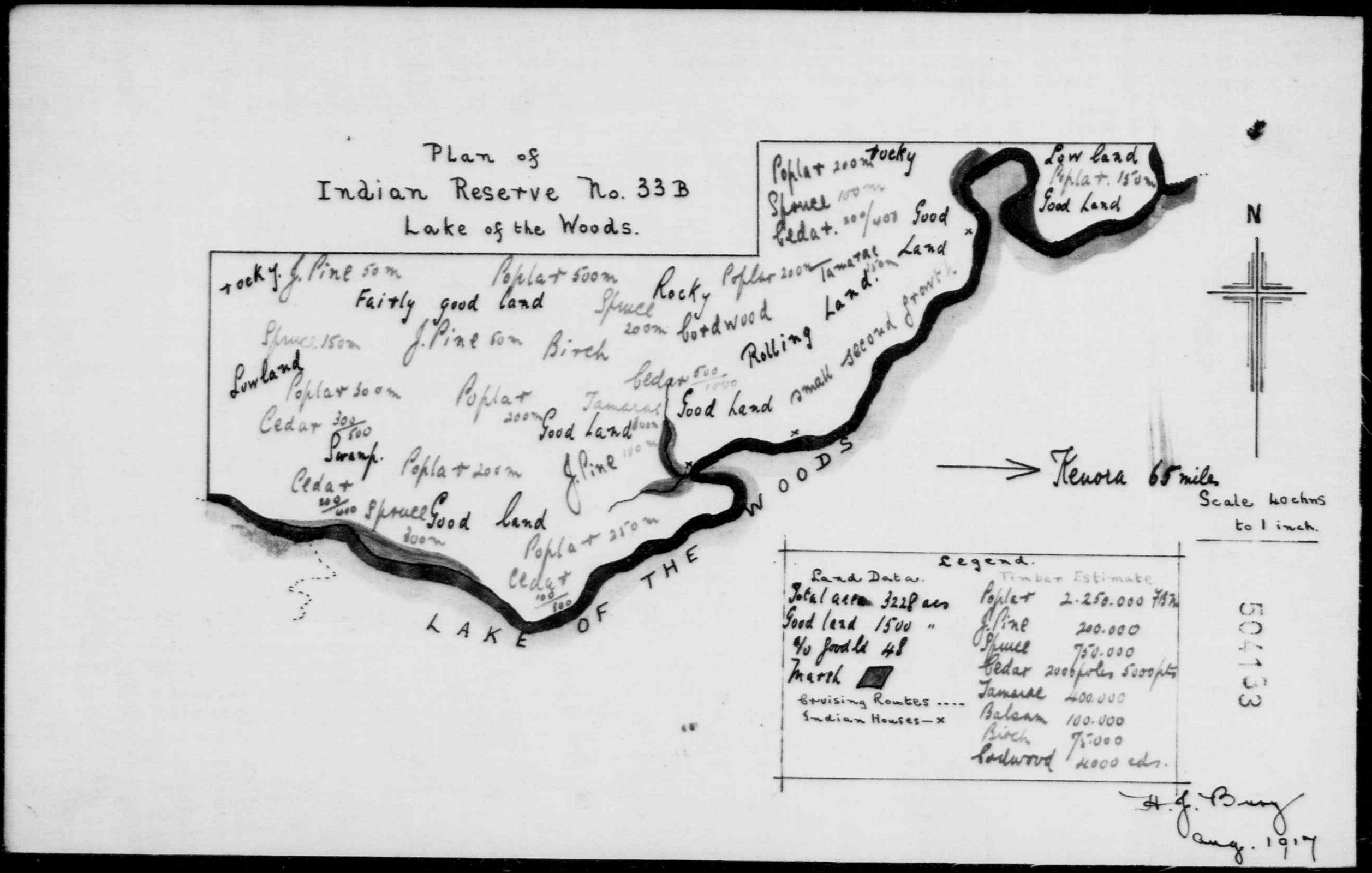

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Memo. to the Deputy Minister.

EXAMINATION AND ESTIMATE OF LANDS AND TIMBER ON RESERVE No.33B Lake of the Woods

The total area of this Reserve is 3228 acres and and considerable percentage of this i.e.48% comprises land suitable for agriculture.The best land is adjacent to the lake shore.Owing to the raise of the Lake level there is about 350 acres flooded at the present time.There are several large wild hay meadows but the Indians do not appear to make any effort to cut this hay for the use of horses etc. There are several houses erected on the Reserve but these are only occupied in the winter months. If the Indians were encouraged to clear their land up it would not be very long before they would be self-supporting.

entered Ledger f 14

The timber is mostly of the poplar, spruce, cedar type not running very heavy or large but a thick growth of medium size.The tamarac on the Reserve has all died within the past few years,due no doubt to the attacks of the larch saw fly.There is very little good pine,the only representative of this type of conifers is the jack pine and this does not attain any great size.

The estimate of timber is as follows:-

Poplar.....	2.250.000 f.b.m.	J.Pine....	200.000 f.b.m
Spruce....	750.000 " " "	Cedar	2000poles 5000 posts
Tamarac....	400.000 " " "	Balsam....	100.000 f.b.m
Birch.....	75.000 " " "	Cordwood..	4000 cords.

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A plan showing the quantitative distribution of the timber on the Reserve is attached.

The bonus value over and above dues is $ 8.500.00

H. J. Bury

Timber Inspector.

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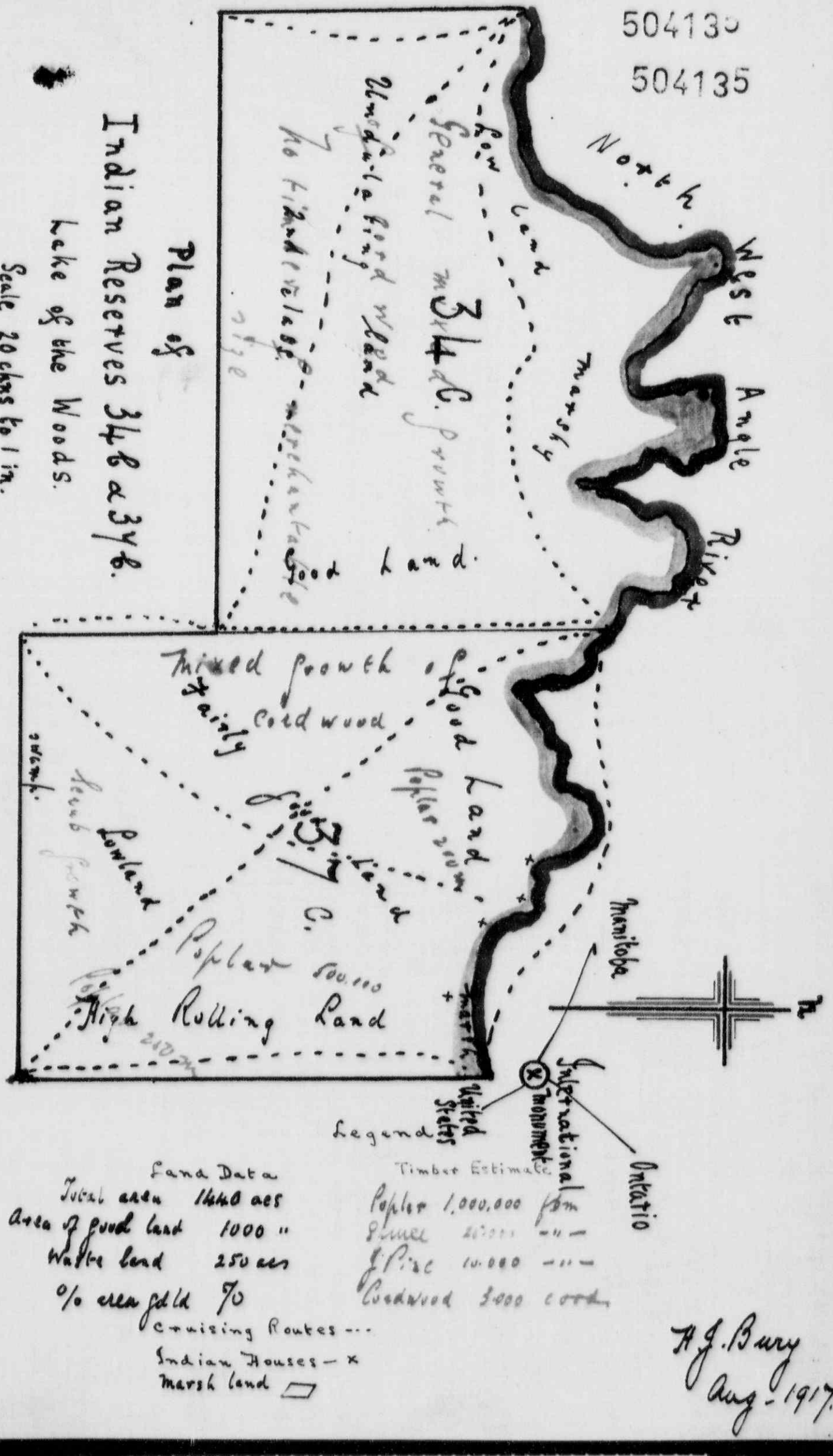

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Memo. to the Deputy Minister.

EXAMINATION AND ESTIMATE OF LANDS AND TIMBER ON RESERVES Nos.34C and 37C N.W.ANGLE Lake of the Woods.

The total area of these two adjacent Reserves is 1440 acres of which at least 70 per cent or approximately 1000 acres can be termed agricultural land, although the soil is light, consisting of a light loam over-lying a sandy sub-soil. Fire has in past years practically swept the entire Reserve and the consequence is that a small second growth of populus tremuloides or aspen has appeared, choking out the re-seeding of valuable timbers such as the white, and red pine which at one time constituted the greater part of the timber stand.

entered Ledger No 3

Owing to the raise of water on the Lake of the Woods, the North West Angle river is always considerably flooded and the shore line consequently marshy.

The estimate of timber is as follows:-

Poplar.....	1.000.000	f.b.m
Spruce.....	25.000	"""
J.Pine.....	10.000	"""
Cordwood...	3000	cords.

A plan showing the quantitative distribution of timber is attached.

H.J. Bury

Timber Inspector.

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Plan of
Indian Reserves 34B and 34

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Lake of the Woods

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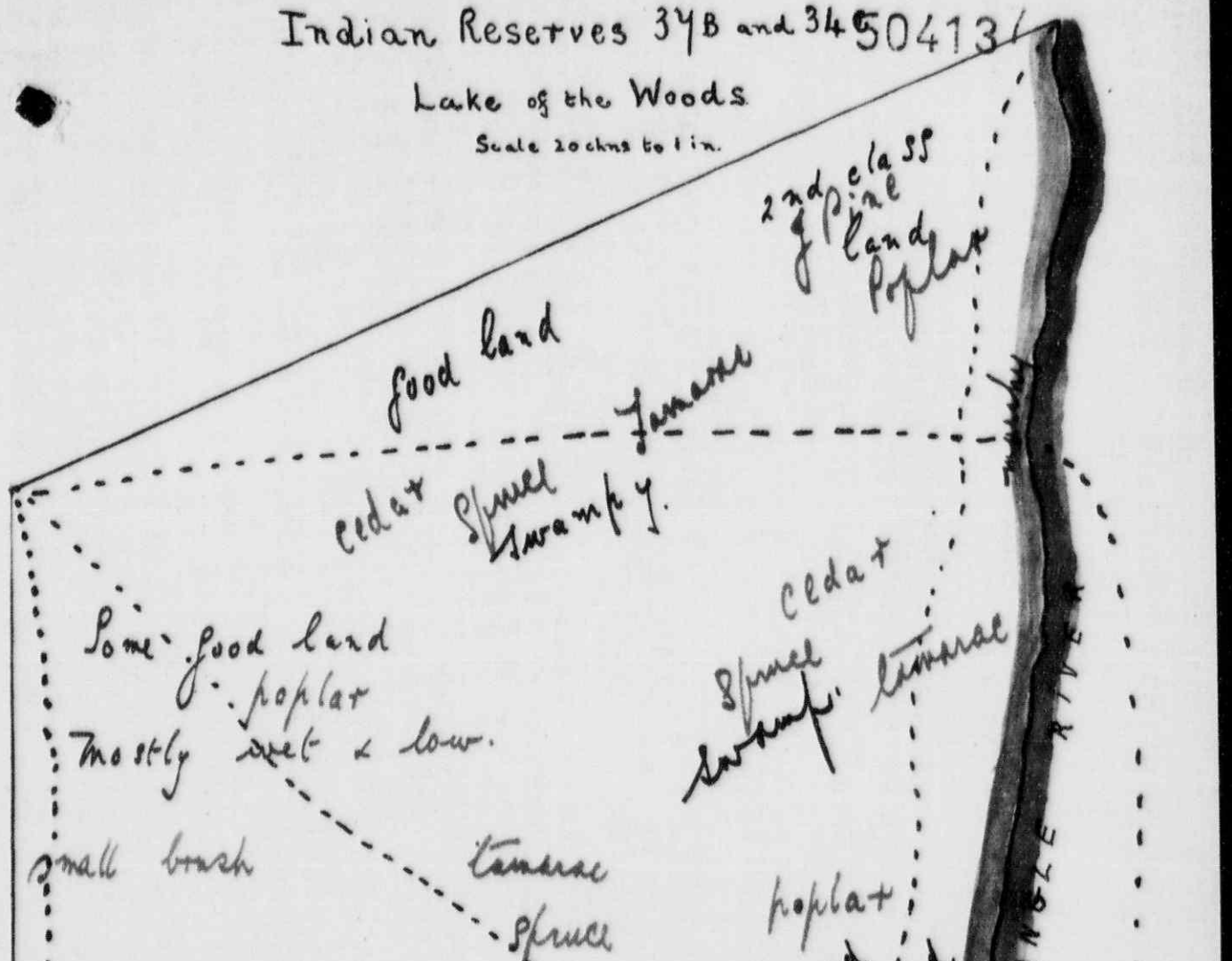

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Ottawa, Sept. 6th. 1917. 191

Memo. to the Deputy Minister.

EXAMINATION AND ESTIMATE OF LANDS AND
TIMBER ON RESERVES 37B and 34C. Lake of the Woods

The total area of these two adjacent reserves is 1959 acres. Probably about 47% of this area or approximately 900 acres can be regarded as suitable for agriculture, but the land as a rule lies at a low elevation and a large part of the total area consists of swamp or musk-keg.

The shore adjacent to the North West Angle river is now flooded, owing to the rise of water on the Lake of the Woods due to the dam at Kenora, and at the present time the shore line is one long extensive marsh of wild rice, the haunt of innumerable water fowl.

Entered Ledger 72

There is a mixed stand of poplar, spruce, cedar type of timber on the Reserves. The tamarac is practically all dead owing to the attacks of the larch saw-fly. This species of timber however will furnish good cordwood and the Indians should in my opinion endeavour to salvage this dead wood.

The estimate of timber is as follows:-

Poplar....2.000.000 f.b.m. Spruce..2.200.000 f.b.m.
Tamarac.. 750.000 """ Cedar 8000 poles 15000 posts
Mixed cordwood.....2000 cords.

A plan showing the quantitative distribution of timber is attached.

H. J. Bury

Timber Inspector.

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Ottawa. Sept. 6th. 1917.

Memo. Mr. Scott.

I beg to submit reports and estimates of land and timber on the following reserves in Treaty No. 3 territory which I personally cruised over during the past summer.

Agency.	Name of Reserve.	No.	Area.
Fort Frances	Lac la Croix	25 D.	15.355 acres
" "	Seine River.	23 B.	2.235 "
" "	Red-gut.	26 C.	2.737 "
Kenora.	Kammitjy-waitjewunk (Sabaskong.)	35 C.	1.920 "
" "	Black River.	32 B.	4.454 "
" "	Little Grassy River.	35 E.	640 "
" "	Big Grassy River.	35 G.	8.960 "
" "	Whitefish Lake.	33 A & 34 A	4.478 "
" "	Cyclone Island (near)	33 B.	3.228 "
" "	North West Angle.	34 C & 37 C.	1.440 "
" "	North West Angle R.	37 B & 34 C	1.959 "
	Total area cruised:-		47.406 acres

H. J. Bury

Timber Inspector.

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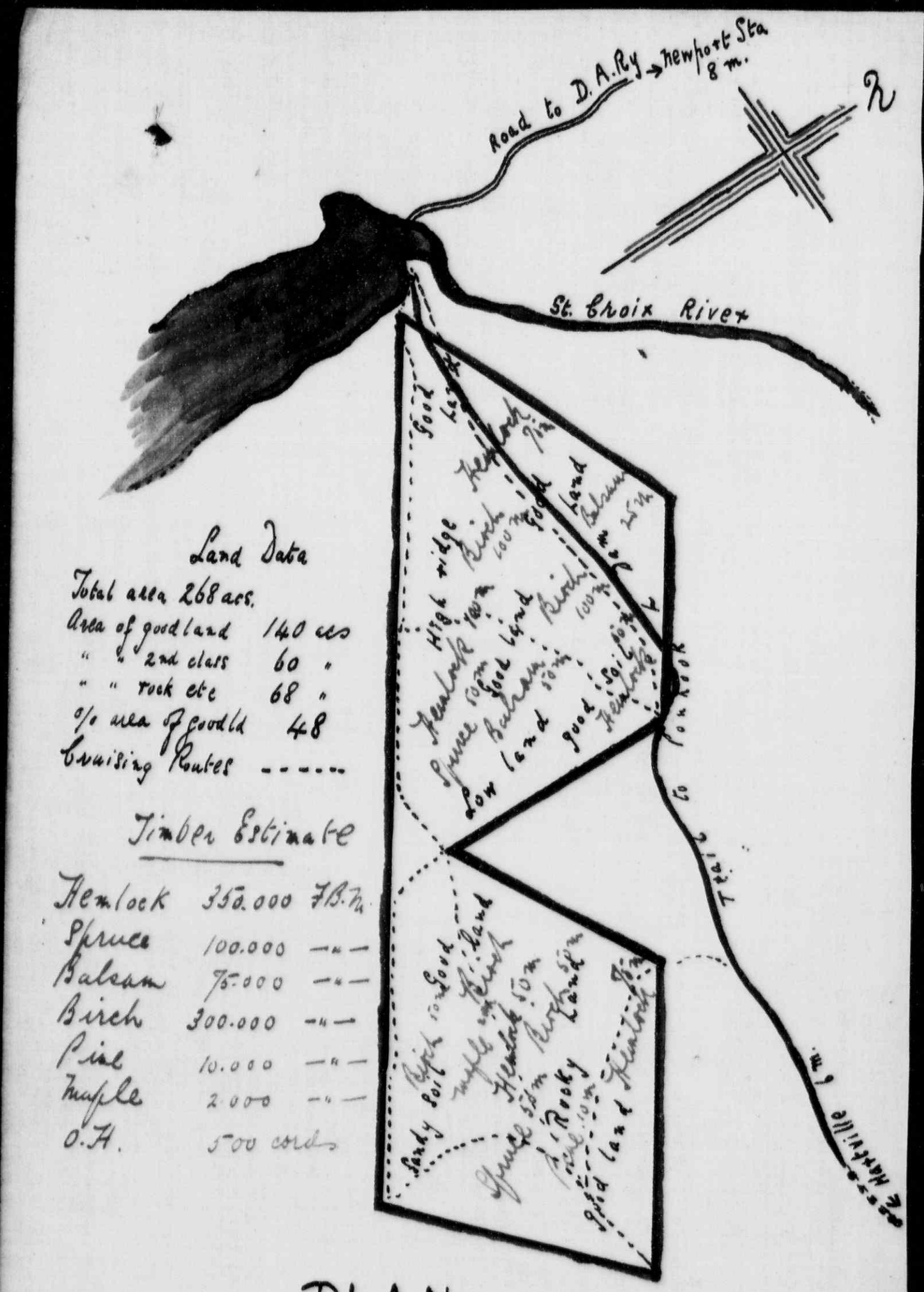

PLAN

of St. Croix Indian Reserve

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H. J. Bury
Oct. 1917

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Ottawa, Nov.7th.1917. 191

Memo. to the Deputy Minister.

Mr Bury: We might prepare to sell the timber

EXAMINATION OF LANDS AND ESTIMATE OF TIMBER ON ST.CROIX RESERVE,N.S.

The total area of this Reserve is 268.3 acres of which approximately 48% or 140 acres is suitable for cultivation.

The general character of the land is rough and unusually hilly although the quantity of actual waste land does not exceed 70 acres.There are no Indians resident on the Reserve and no white settlers living in the vicinity.

The timber consists of the mixed conifer and deciduous type,the hemlock growing to good size in certain locations,but inclined to be faulty and subject to rim rot.

The most important species of timber on the Reserve are Hemlock and Birch.

The estimate of timber is as follows:-

Hemlock.....	350.000	F.B.M.
Spruce.....	100.000	"""
Balsam fir....	75.000	"""
Birch.....	300.000	"""
Pine (w).....	10.000	"""
Maple.....	2.000	"""
Cordwood (hardwood).....	500	cords.

entered Ledger S3

A plan showing the quantitative distribution of timber is attached.

H J Bury

Timber Inspector.

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STATEMENT OF TIMBER LICENSES CURRENT APRIL 30th.1918.

Fyle No.	License	Name of Licensee.	Limits.	Area sq.m.	Ground Rent.	
95808	3	Union Bank	Indian Strip	13½	$ 40.50	✓
"	6	" "	Laird Twp.	12	36.00	✓
"	7	Bank of Toronto	Kehoe Twp.	28½	85.50	✓
8676	8	Manley Chew	Whitefish River	14	36.00	✓
85114	40	Manitoulin Lbr.Co	Dawson Twp.	46	138.00	✓
"	42	" " "	Robinson Twp.	14	42.00	✓
83783	54	W.C.Edwards	Pt.Maniwaki	21	63.00	✓
169593	55	Gilmour & Hughson	Pt Maniwaki	20	60.00	✓
137306	62	Union Bank	Point Grondine	16	48.00	✓
63375	68	G.W.Gooderham	Whitefish Lake	68½	205.00	✓
85114	64	Manitoulin Lbr.Co	Cockburn Island	42	126.00	✓
69374	69	St.Maurice Paper Co	Doncaster	27	81.00	Terminate May 1 1918
9789	129	Canada Iron Foundries	Georgian Bay Islands	28	117.00	✓
18753	140	Georgian Bay Lumber Co	Dokis Berths 4 & 6	17	51.00	✓
106916	148	Arthur Webber	Ship Harbour Lake	1	24.00	✓
410923	149	Laurentide Company	Weymontachi	12	36.00	✓
500029-3	150	Keewatin Lumber Co	Reserves 35D,31A & 35A	6	24.00	✓
488022-6	151	Archie McGibbon	Shawanaga	13	39.00	✓
500024-10	152	Shevlin Clarke Co	Red Gut Reserve 26C	4	24.00	...NEW ✓
"	153	" " "	Seine River Reserve 23B	3	24.00	..New ✓
404804-2	154	Manley Chew	Hope & Beckwith Islands	2	24.00	..New ✓
500029-3	155	Keewatin Lbr.Co	Sabaskong Bay Reserve 35C	2¼	24.00	...New ✓
488022-3	156	Manley Chew	French River Reserve	⅛	24.00	...New ✓
488051	157	T.D.Pickard	St.Croix	1	24.00	...New.

Plan
of
Coldwater Reserve (Pauls Basin) B.C.

Kamloops Agency

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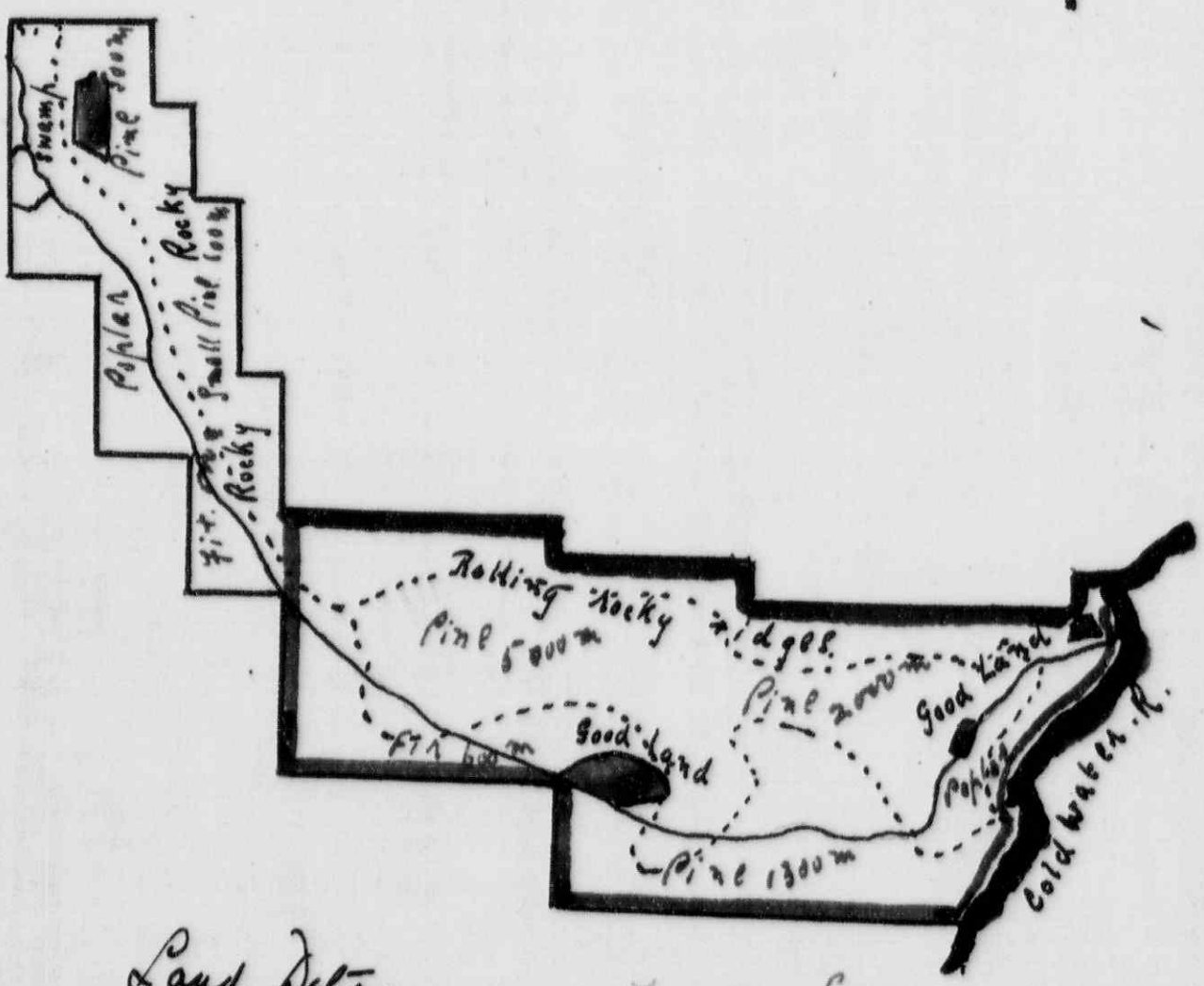

Land Data.

Total area 1594 acres
Good land 600 " "
Indian clearings ■
Cruising routes .....
Area for license ▭ 1154 acres.
" reserved for Indians ▭

Timber Estimate

Pine 9.500.000 F.B.M.
Fir 1.500.000 " "

H.J. Bury
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Lands and Timber Branch

Original on F501386

Ottawa, August 6th. 1918

Memo. to the Deputy Minister

EXAMINATION OF LAND AND TIMBER ON PAUL'S BASIN RESERVE./COLDWATER NO.2.

The total area of this reserve is 1594 acres, of which 600 acres can be termed as suitable for agriculture, the balance being for the most part rocky ridges interspersed with light sandy flats.

The timber on the reserve is nearly all of one species- yellow pine- although there is a small quantity of fir of merchantable size, and poplar and cotton-wood along the valleys of the creeks and rivers. The yellow pine has reached a mature stage of growth and is inclined to be faulty in character, and also subject in a slight degree to infestation by ambrosia beetles. This infestation is rapidly spreading, and I would strongly recommend that the timber be cut and removed with as little delay as possible.

Entered Ledger a/c 621

The total quantity of timber on the reserve is approximately 11.000.000 feet, but as will be seen by the accompanying plan, I have divided the entire reserve in such a manner as to leave a portion amounting to approximately 440 acres to be retained for the Indians' use, whilst the remaining portion of 1.154 acres constitutes the major portion of the standing timber, carrying 8.400.000 feet of pine and 600.000 feet of fir. In this manner it will only be necessary to issueone license to cover the 1.154 acres. I place a bonus value of $5.650.000 on this limit over and above dues at $1.00 per M. Full details concerning Indian settlement and progress on this reserve are submitted on Form No 1 F.No.442626-6.

H. Bury

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Plan of Cheakamus Reserve

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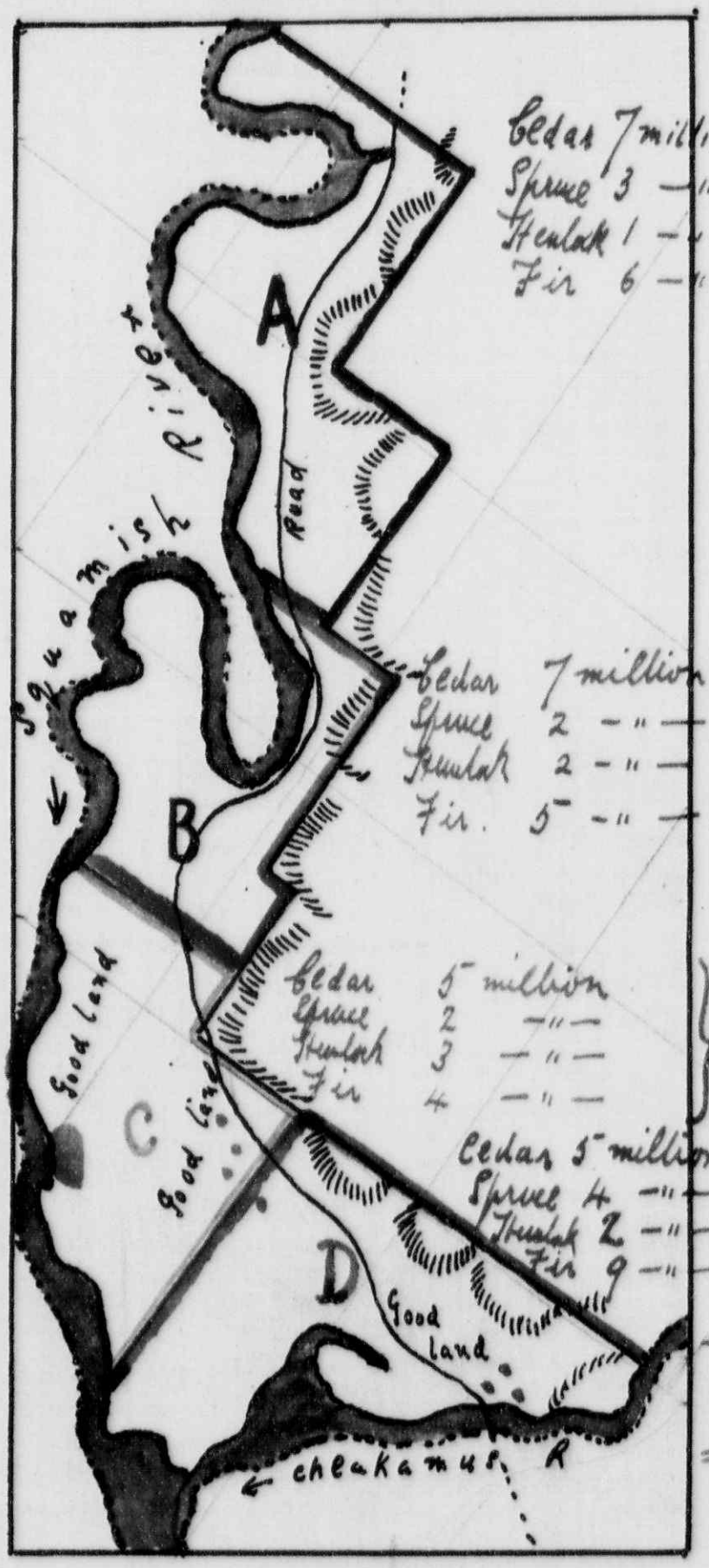

A
Cedar 7 million
Spruce 3 —"— } 17 million
Hemlock 1 —"—
Fir 6 —"— } 996 acs

B
Cedar 7 million
Spruce 2 —"— } 16 million
Hemlock 2 —"—
Fir. 5 —"— 972 acs

C
Cedar 5 million
Spruce 2 —"— } 14 million
Hemlock 3 —"—
Fir 4 —"— 882 acs

D
Cedar 5 million
Spruce 4 —"— } 20 million
Hemlock 2 —"—
Fir 9 —"— 1196 acs

67 million.

4046 acs.

H. J. Bury
Aug 1918

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August 24, 1918.

to the Deputy Minister,-

Estimation & Valuation of Timber on the Cheakamus reserve.

The total area of the Cheakamus reserve is 4,046 acres, and has been subdivided into four blocks of approximately 1,000 acres each by Mr. H. H. Brown, D. L. S. A fairly large proportion of the land is fertile and when the timber is removed can be made to produce heavy crops. The greater portion of such land is contiguous to the Squamish River and to the main road running entirely through the length of the reserve to the northern extremity. There is a range of hills of almost a mountainous character running the whole length of the reserve, along the eastern boundary, the elevation of these hills being in some cases as much as 2,000 feet. A considerable portion of the timber on the reserve is so situated on the flanks of the mountains and in precipitous gullies as to be somewhat difficult of operation, and it is questionable whether or not the expense of installing either overhead cables or donkey-engine machinery would warrant the cutting of this comparatively inaccessible timber.
For the most part the timber on the reserve is prime, the cedar and fir being especially inclined to faultiness by reason of having passed the mature stage of growth.
The total quantity of timber on this reserve is 67,000,000

Enclosed Ledger a/c 622

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feet, B. M., and is distributed as follows:-

Block A -	Cedar	7 million)	
	Spruce	3 ")	17 million
	Hemlock	1 ")	
	Fir	6)	
Block B -	Cedar	7 million)	
	Spruce	2 ")	16 million
	Hemlock	2 ")	
	Fir	5 ")	
Block C -	Cedar	5 million)	
	Spruce	2 ")	14 million
	Hemlock	3 ")	
	Fir	4 ")	
Block D -	Cedar	5 million)	
	Spruce	4 ")	20 million
	Hemlock	2 ")	
	Fir	9 ")	
			67 million

In regard to the bonus value of this timber I place a bonus of $28,000 over and above dues at the rate of $1.00 per M. The timber which is readily accessible is approximately worth 50 cents per M. on the stump, over and above the $1.00 dues, but, as I previously remarked, a considerable portion, or approximately 23,000,000 feet B. M., is so difficult of access as to be not worth even $1.00 per M. to remove it.

The Indians of the Band held a meeting at the time of my visit, and have forwarded a petition herewith attached, asking that such portion of the funds which

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might be derivable from the sale of their timber should be devoted to assisting them to clear their land and to erect suitable houses and provide them with implements and stock. I beg leave to recommend that the timber be disposed of with as little delay as possible, as the fire risk is very great, owing to the proximity of the Pacific Great Eastern railway to the reserve.

The Band of Indians on this reserve exhibit every indication of industry and energy, and afford a satisfactory comparison with those Indians further East. This Band labour under considerable difficulties in preparing their land for cultivation, owing to the great size of the timber and the thickness of the growth, and I would certainly recommend that the Indians wishes as expressed in the enclosed petition be considered favourably.

A plan is attached showing the distribution of the timber.

H. J. Bury

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Plan of Seabird Island

showing portion of island confirmed as an Indian Reserve

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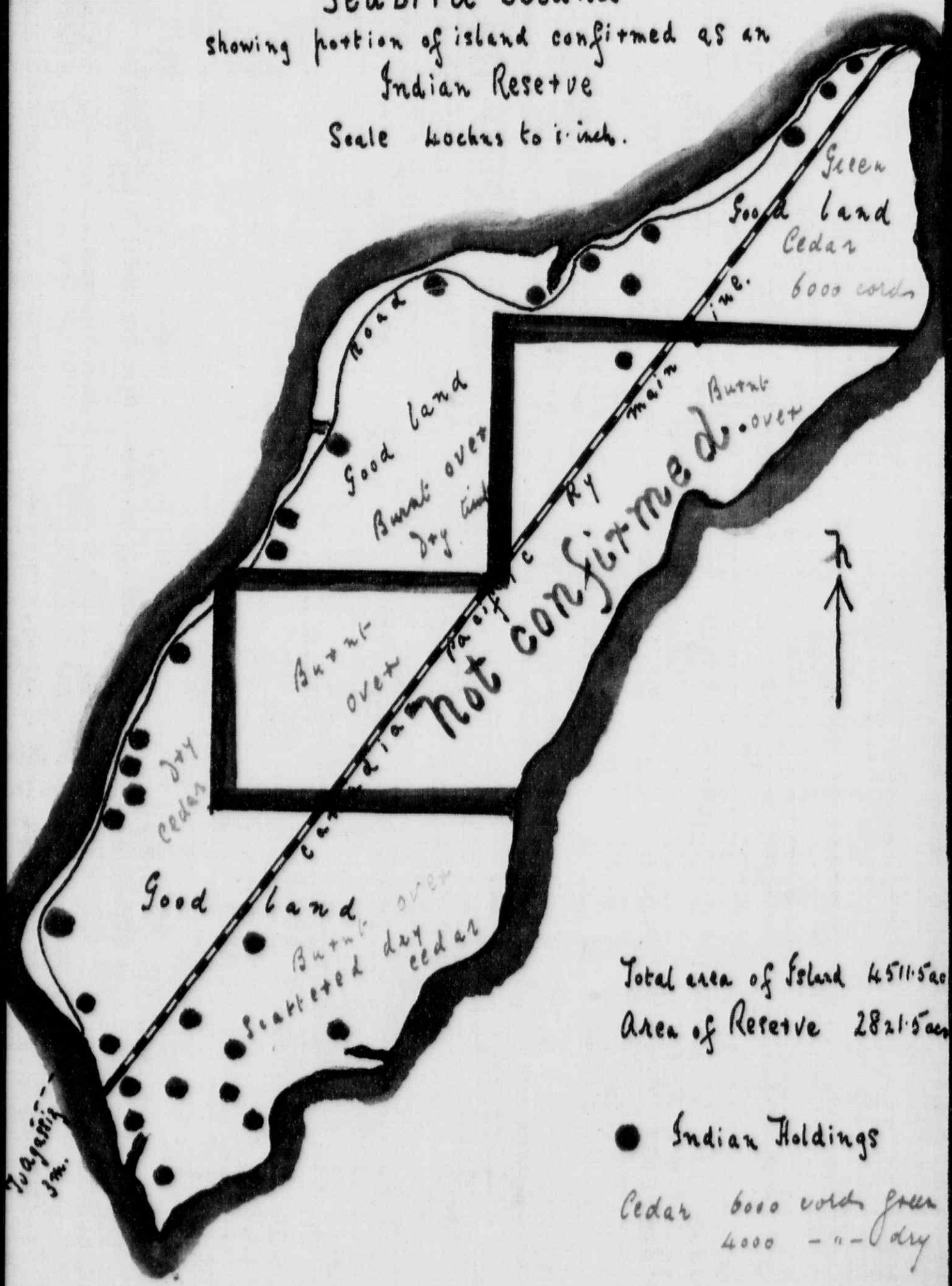

Total area of Island 4511.5 acres

Area of Reserve 2821.5 acres

● Indian Holdings

Cedar 6000 cords green
4000 " " dry

H. J. Burr
July 1918

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August 6, 8

The Deputy Minister.

Examination of lands and timber on Seabird Island

The total area of Seabird Island confirmed by the Royal Commission on Indian Affairs for the Province of British Columbia is 282 [illegible] acres, all of which can be regarded as first class agricultural land. The report submitted by the local Indian agent that the island had been swept by fire is entirely incorrect. A small ground fire originated from one of the Indian clearings, G.Pettis, and was caused by the Indian undertaking to burn slash adjacent to his clearing. This fire did no damage whatever to the standing green timber. The green timber at present on the reserve is in one block covering approximately 600 acres at the northeastern extremity of the island. The remaining part of the reserve has been burned over from time to time, presumably from fire originating from the Canadian Pacific Railway, the main line of which traverses the entire island. A considerable portion of the dry timber has been removed by the Indians under permit, but there is approximately 6,000 cords of green cedar shingle bolts remaining on the island, on which I place a valuation of $4,000 bonus over and above dues at the rate of $1.00 per cord. The Indians resident on Seabird Island at a meeting held for the purpose passed a resolution which is herewith attached stating that they would be pleased to have the Department dispose of the remaining green timber along with the dry timber, so that funds might be realized wherewith to assist them in some

Entered Ledger [illegible]

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degree to improve and cultivate their holdings.

I would strongly recommend that the sale of this timber be made without delay, as there is considerable danger of the green timber being burned, and also large quantities growing on the bank of the Fraser river falling into the river owing to the action of erosion of the banks due to the floods which constantly occur.

In regard to matters relating to Indian holdings on this island, these have been dealt with on file No.

A plan showing the distribution of timber and classification of land is herewith attached, and notes regarding the reserve in general on form No.1, File 442626-2

H.J. Bury

Timber Inspector.

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Plan of Bersimis Reserve

Scale 2 miles to 1 in.



K. J. Bury
Aug 1918.

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Lands and Timber Branch

Ottawa, Sept. 5th. 1918

Memo. to the Deputy Minister.

EXAMINATION OF LAND AND ESTIMATION OF TIMBER ON THE BERSIMIS INDIAN RESERVE.QUE.

The total area of the Bersimis Reserve is 63.000 acres or nearly 100 sq.miles.The general character of the land is flat,there being no pronounced elevations although towards the northern boundary there is a range of small hills running in a westerly direction from the river Rosiere.The soil is for the most part very light and sandy on the high ground, and tends to be swampy in character along the course of the rivers,whilst a large area is entirely muskeg.

Very little of the total area can be classified as agricultural land,although certain widely scattered sections could be utilised for hay.

The timber is mostly of the coniferous species and comprises,spruce,balsam fir,and small cedar with birch intermingled in certain localities.The spruce stand represents approximately 75 per cent of the total quantity of timber,and averages about 12 to 16 inches on the stump.There is no appreciable quantity of large saw-log timber,the whole limit being well suited for pulpwood,and by reason of the flat character of the entire reserve,can be readily operated.

The general condition of the timber is excellent, the factor for faultiness being very small.There are good facilities for watering the logs as the rivers

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Nepee,Rosiere,Papinachois,and Bersimis form the boundaries of the Reserve besides a frontage of nearly 8 miles on the St.Lawrence river.As there is a tide on the St.Lawrence at this point of nearly 11 feet, the loading of the wood can be readily affected by means of lighters or barges.

At the time of the surrender of the timber the Indians expressed a wish to retain a certain portion of their Reserve for their own use,and after a preliminary reconnaissance of the timber I selected a portion of the Reserve about 2 sq.miles in extent at the southern extremity and including the Indian settlement.This is shown on the attached plan.

The total quantity of timber on the reserve is as follows:-

Spruce..saw-log size.....60.000.000 f.b.m
Spruce pulpwood size.....260.000 cords
Balsam fir "" " ..... 50.000 ""
Birch (cordwood) ..... 40.000 ""

If the entire stand is operated as a pulpwood limit it should produce 450.000 cords of wood.

I place a valuation of $150.000.00 as a cash bonus over and above dues at the rate of 40 cents per cord.

A plan showing the quantitative distribution of timber is attached.

H.J. Bury
Timber Inspector.

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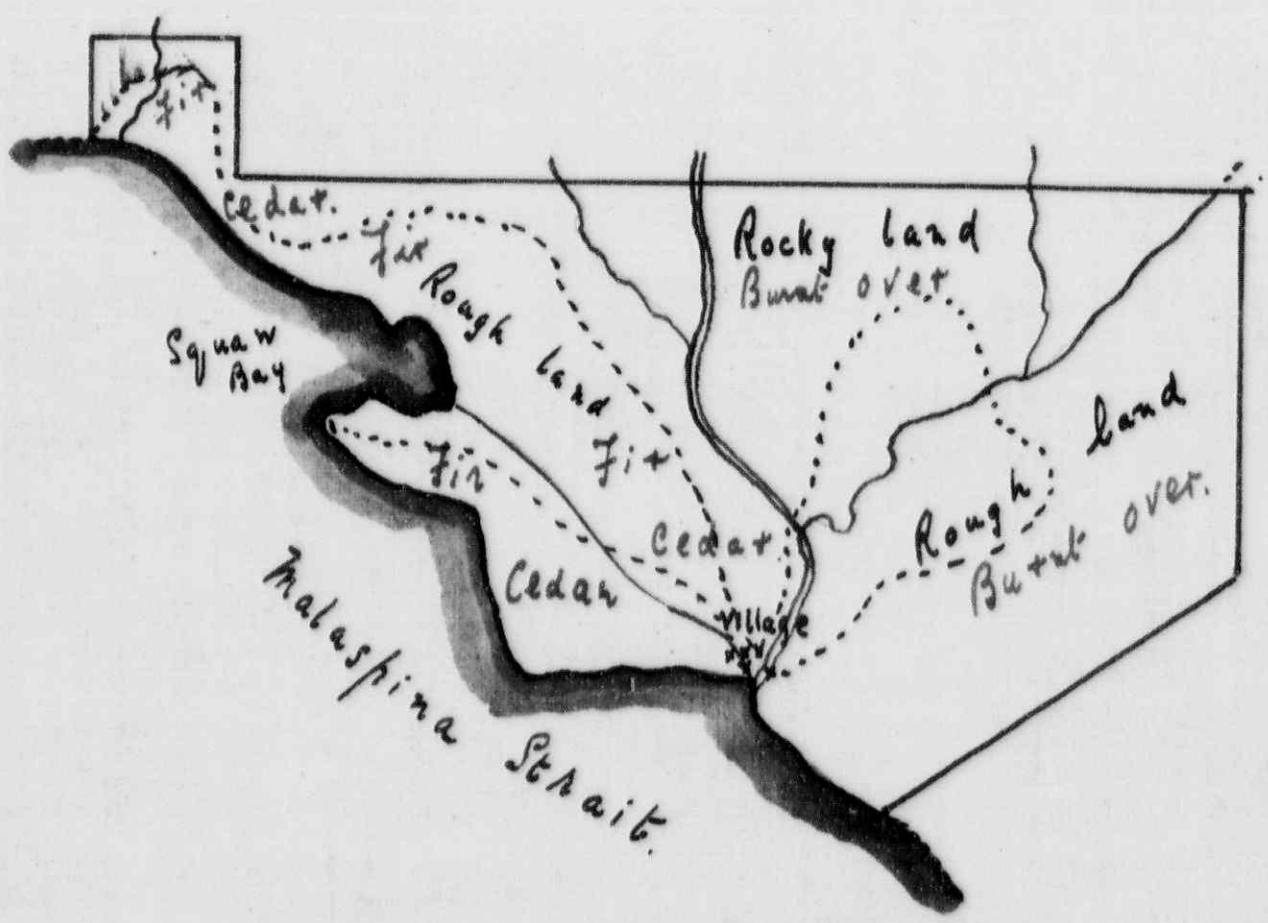

Area 1924 acres

Fir 5.000.000
Cedar 6.000.000
Spruce 1000.000

Good land 300 acres

Cruising route .....

H.J. Berry
July 1918

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Lands and Timber Branch

Ottawa, July 8th. 1918

Memo. to the Deputy Minister.

ESTIMATE OF TIMBER ON THE SLIAMON RESERVE, NEW WESTMINSTER DISTRICT B.C.

The total area of this Reserve is 1924 acres, the land being for the most part sandy along the coast and rocky hills toward the interior. Very little of the total area is suitable for cultivation, there being approximately 300 acres which could be used for agricultural purposes.

The timber is mostly of the Fir, cedar and spruce species some of the trees attaining a diameter of 6 feet.

Almost the whole of the S.E. portion of the reserve has been burned over by fire, and every vestige of green timber has been destroyed.

The estimate of timber remaining on the reserve is as follows:-

Entered Ledger a/c S.14

Douglas Fir.....5.000.000 f.b.m.
Cedar.....6.000.000 " "
Spruce..... 1.000.000 " "

I place a bonus value of $5000 on the timber over and above dues.

A plan of the Reserve is to be found on F.442626.

H. J. Bury

Timber Inspector.

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Plan of Indian Reserve 38B. Matheson's Bay.

Scale 40 chns to 1 in.



Land.

Area 5289 acres
Good land 500 "
% area 9%
Crossing roads .....
Marsh shown thus —

Timber.

Pine 530.000
Cedar 1000 posts
Tamarac 500 ties
Spruce 50.000
Cordwood 5000 cds

H. J. Bury
Oct 19/18

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Oct.25th. 8

to the Deputy Minister.

ESTIMATE AND VALUATION OF TIMBER
ON RESERVE NO.38 B.Matheson's Bay.

The total area of this Reserve is 5289 acres of which a large portion approximating 1000 acres is under marsh. About 4000 acres comprises land unsuitable for cultivation consisting of muskeg and rocky ridges. There is a small area not exceeding 500 acres which may be termed agricultural land, but this class of land is only found in small scattered sections throughout the Reserve.

There is only a small quantity of timber suitable for lumber, although the Reserve carries a fairly large quantity of cordwood. The predominant species of timber is birch and poplar of cordwood size although there are isolated pockets or stands of pine, Cedar and tamarac.

Entered Ledger A/c f 12

The estimate of timber is as follows:-

White pine....80.000 f.b.m
Red Pine.....200.000 " "
Jack Pine... 250.000 " "
Cordwood (sundry woods) 5000 cords.
Cedar..... 1000 posts
Tamarac..... 500 ties.

As the cordwood is not sufficiently large in size to warrant the cutting of it at the present time, I would recommend that the sale of the timber be restricted to saw-log timber.

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I place a valuation of $2000 bonus over and above dues at the usual tariff rates, and as the Indians have asked to have the timber sold for their benefit as soon as possible I would recommend that the sale by public tender be arranged for immediately, in view of the lateness of the season.

Timber Inspector.

AApban showing the distribution of the timber on the Reserve is to be found on F.442626.

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Plan
of
Reserve No 31 E
Big Island
Lake of the Woods

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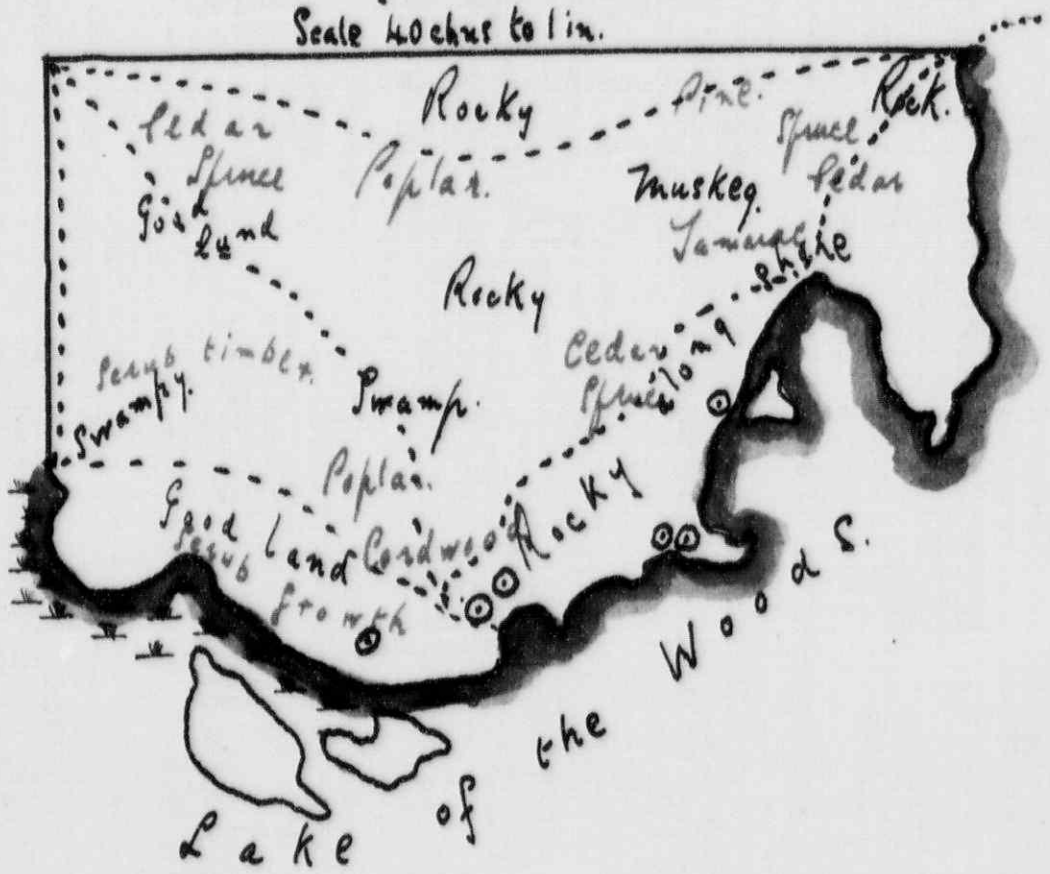

Land Data.

Total area	1920 acres
Area good land	400 -"-
% area.	19%.
Indian houses thus	⊙
Cruising routes	.....

Timber Estimate.

Pine.	10.000.	F.B.M
Spruce	25.000	-"-
Cedar	50.000	-"-
Tamarac	15.000.	-"-
Poplar.	90.000	-"-
Cordwood	3500	cords.

H. J. Bury
Oct 1918

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Lands and Timber Branch

Ottawa, Oct.29th. 1918

Memo. to the Deputy Minister.

ESTIMATE OF TIMBER ON RESERVE NO.31E

BIG ISLAND, Lake of the Woods.

The total area of this Reserve is 1920 acres. Only a small portion of this area, approximately 400 acres could be used for agricultural purposes. There is a great deal of waste marsh and swamp land.

The timber is of the spruce-poplar type the predominant species being poplar and birch of cordwood size. Fire has swept a considerable portion of this reserve, and this land is now only producing an inferior growth of poplar.

The estimate of timber is as follows:-

Pine.....	10.000	f.b.m.
Spruce..	25.000	" "
Cedar...	50.000	" "
Tamarac..	15.000	" "
Poplar...	90.000	" "
Cordwood	3.500	cords.

Entered Ledger c/c B14

I place a bonus value of $1200 on this timber over and above dues at tariff rates.

A plan showing the distribution of timber is attached.

H.J. Bury

Timber Inspector.

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Plan of Reserve 31 D.

Lake of the Woods
Big Island

Scale 20 chns to 1 in.



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Land Data

Area 925.4 acres
Good land 400 "
% area 42%.
Surveyed routes .....

Timber Estimate

Pine	25.000	F.B.M.
Spruce	30.000	"
Cedar	500	posts
Tamarac	40.000	"
Poplar	80.000	"
Cordwood.	2000	cords.

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Lands and Timber Branch

Ottawa, Oct.29th. 1918

Memo. to the Deputy Minister.

ESTIMATE OF TIMBER ON RESERVE NO.31D
BIG ISLAND, Lake of the Woods.

The total area of this reserve is 925 acres of which 400 acres or nearly half of the whole area is suitable for cultivation. The remaining land is mostly rock and marsh.

The timber consists mostly of poplar and birch, of cordwood size with a little pine, spruce, cedar and tamarac.

There is no great quantity of saw log timber on the Reserve, the value being mostly in cordwood. The estimate of timber is as follows:-

Pine.....	25.000	f.b.m.
Spruce..	30.000	" "
Cedar...	500	posts
Tamarac	40.000	f.b.m.
Poplar..	80.000	" "
Cordwood	2000	cords.

Entered Letter of 8/15

I place a bonus value of $750.00 on this Reserve over and above dues at the usual tariff rates.

A plan showing the distribution of the timber is attached.

H. J. Bury

Timber Inspector.

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Plan
of
Coldwater Reserve No 1

Kamloops District B.C.

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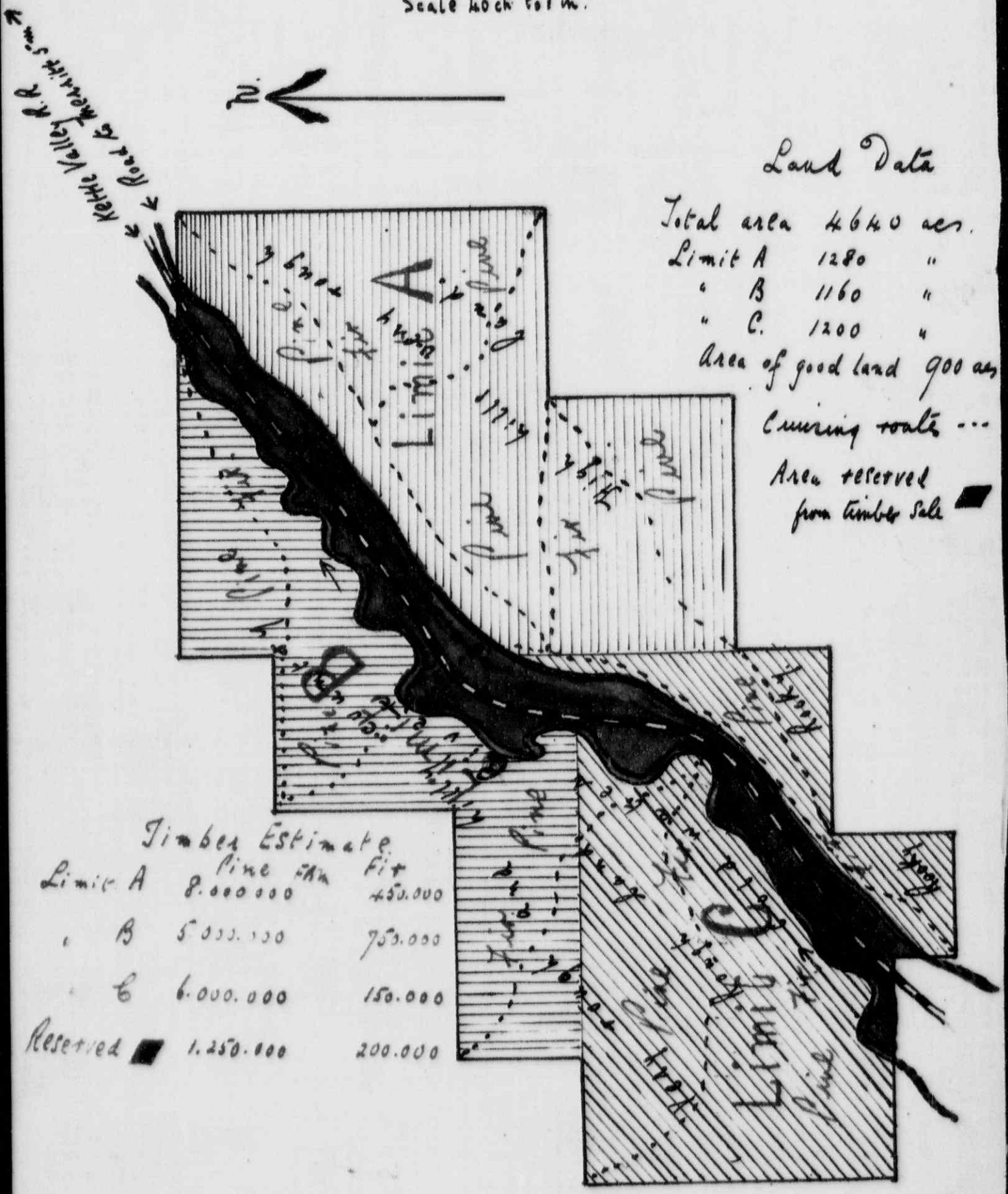

Land Data

Total area	4640	acs.
Limit A	1280	"
" B	1160	"
" C.	1200	"
Area of good land	900	acs.
Crossing roads ...		
Area reserved from timber sale		

Timber Estimate

	Pine	Fir
Limit A	8.000.000	450.000
" B	5.000.000	750.000
" C	6.000.000	150.000
Reserved	1.250.000	200.000

H.J. Bury
Aug 1918.

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Lands and Timber Branch

Ottawa, Oct. 28th. 1918

Memo. to the Deputy Minister.

ESTIMATE OF TIMBER ON COLDWATER RESERVE
NO.1.Kamloops District B.C.

The total area of this reserve is 4640 acres of which 900 acres or approximately 18% is suitable for agricultural purposes. Most of this agricultural land is to be found between the Coldwater river and the road and lies on either side of the Kettle Valley R.R.

The timber is mostly of the yellow pine species inter-mixed with fir and at the present time shows some slight indication of the presence of insect parasites. This infestation is especially noticeable on the flanks of the hills which bound the reserve on the S.W. corner.

Entered Ledger 1/c 20

For purposes of sale it will be necessary to divide the Reserve into approximately 1000 acre blocks and from my personal knowledge of the locality and as a result of the cruise I would suggest that such division follow the plan as shown on the forest plan attached. This division shows three limits A,B & C with a portion reserved for the use of the Indians consisting of the land bounded by the river and the road, running throughout the entire length of the Reserve.

The estimate of timber is as follows:-

Limit A...	Yellow Pine.	8 million f.b.m	Area	
	Fir.....	450.000 " "	1280	acres
" B...	Yellow Pine	5 million f.b.m.		
	Fir.....	750.000 " "	1160	"
" C...	Yellow Pine	6 million f.b.m.		
	Fir....	150.000 " "	1200	"
Reserved for Indians.	Pine	1.250.000 " "		
	Fir	200.000 " "	1000	"

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I place a bonus value of $12.000 over and above dues at the rate of $1.00 per M.

I would also recommend that before the insect pest attains serious proportions, the timber should be sold for the benefit of the Indians.

H. J. Bury

Timber Inspector.

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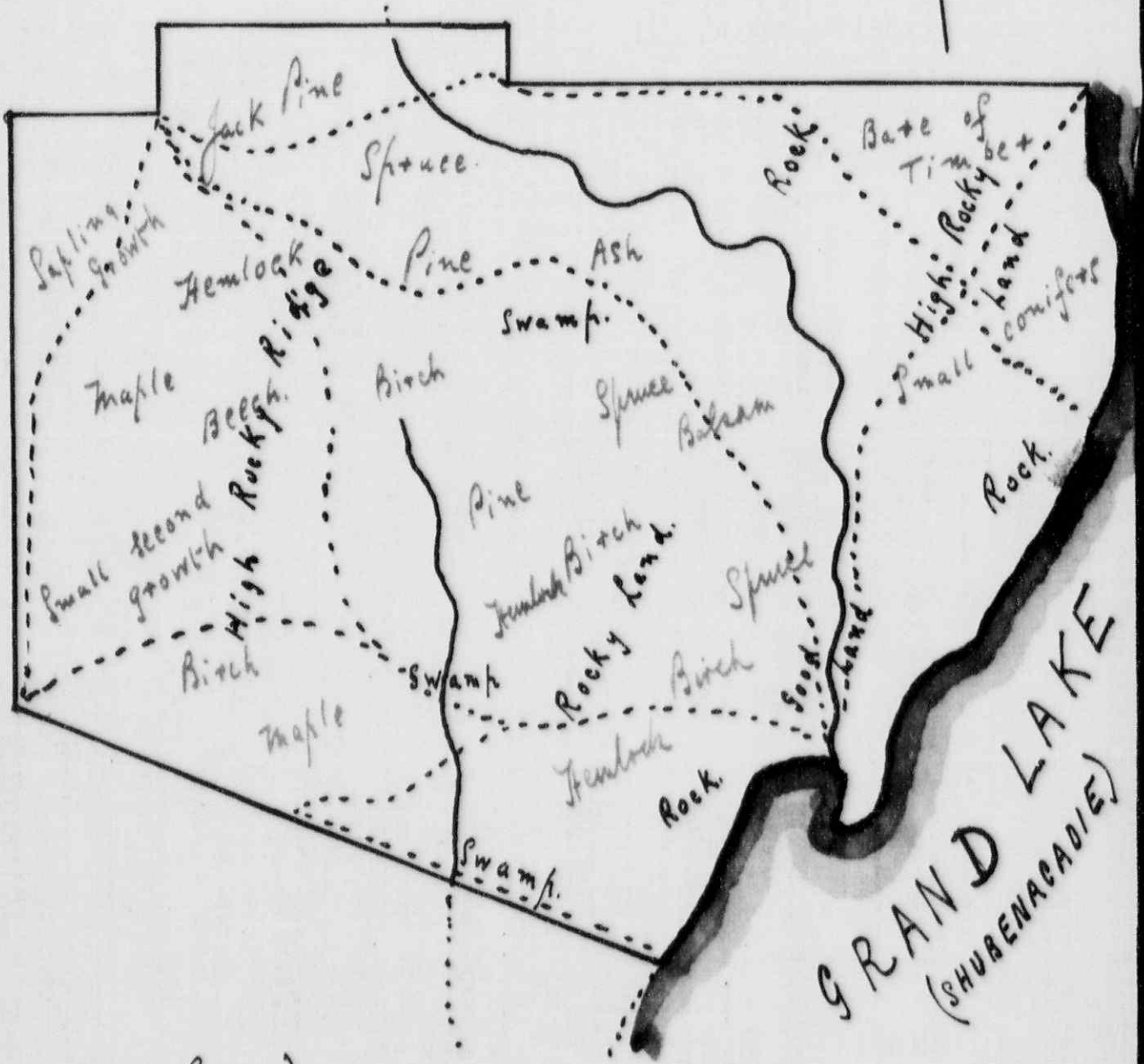

Land data.

Total area 1000 acs
Area of good ag land 100 acs
% area 10.
Cruising routes .....

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Jan 1919

Timber Estimate

Red & White Pine	100.000
Hemlock	50.000
Spruce	1.500.000
Balsam	250.000
Poplar	250.000
Birch	500.000
Maple	200.000
Cordwood	2000.

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February 28th. 9

to the Deputy Minister.

EXAMINATION OF LANDS & TIMBER

Grand Lake Reserve N.S.

The total area of this reserve is 1000 acres most of the land being rough and rocky and entirely unsuitable for cultivation. There is approximately 100 acres of the Reserve suitable for farming purposes and this is to be found mostly along the line of the creek flowing into Grand Lake.

The timber is not large in size but there is a good quantity of merchantable spruce, birch maple and other softwoods such as poplar, balsam with red and white pine intermingled.

The total quantity of timber on the Reserve is as follows:-

Red & White Pine.....	100.000	f.b.m.
Hemlock.....	50.000	" "
Spruce	1.500.000	" "
Balsam.....	250.000	" "
Poplar.....	250.000	" "
Birch.....	500.000	" "
Maple.....	200.000	" "
Cordwood	2000	cords.

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As the Indians have only surrendered the softwoods for sale such as pine, spruce, hemlock balsam & poplar and I would place a bonus price of $6.500 on this timber exclusive of dues at the usual tariff rate.

As there is considerable local demand at the present time for standing timber I would recommend that it be sold as soon as possible.

Timber Inspector.

Plan of reserve showing timber distribution is attached.

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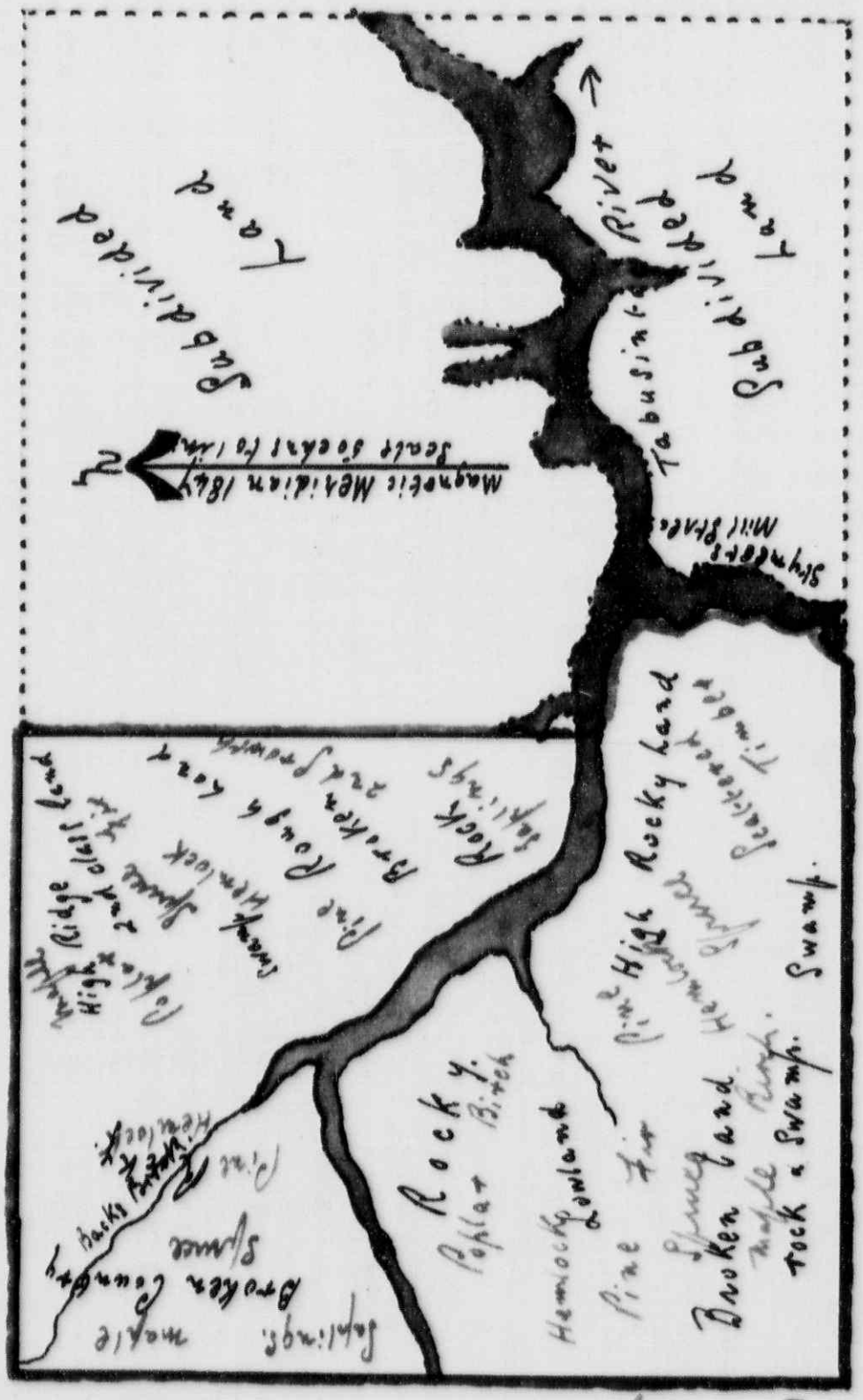
Plan of Tabusintac Reserve N.B.


Tabusintac River
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Ottawa, March 8th. 1919

Memo. to the Deputy Minister.

EXAMINATION OF LANDS & ESTIMATE OF TIMBER

TABUSINTAC RESERVE N.B.

The total area of this Reserve is 4.730 acres of un-located land.The original reserve comprised over 8000 acres but 3.270 acres has been settled upon by white squatters since the year 1860.

About 800 acres of the present area is good agricultural land,but this class of land only occurs in small parcels distributed over the entire reserve and mostly to be found in the neighbourhood of the river and Backs Brook.The rest of the land is rocky, and swampy in character.There are no Indians resident on the Reserve.

The timber stand is still fairly valuable,there being a good quantity of pine,hemlock,spruce,fir and poplar with some maple and birch.The reserve belongs to the Indians of the Burnt Church band and can be regarded as a timber limit rather than land suitable for occupation.

Although the general stand of timber is not large yet the quality of timber is good,and in stands where the trees are not of merchantable size,the dense growth will in course of time if properly conserved,produce a valuable cut of timber of saw-log size.

The timber can be readily watered and boomed to the mills.

The estimate of timber at present on the reserve is as follows:-

Pine.....	500.000	f.b.m.
Jack Pine...	400.000	" "
Hemlock.....	600.000	" "
Spruce.....	350.000	" "
Balsam Fir..	200.000	" "
Maple.....	120.000	" "
Birch.....	75.000	" "
Poplar.....	600.000	" "
Cordwood....	9.000	cords.

A plan showing the distribution of the timber is attached.

Timber Inspector.

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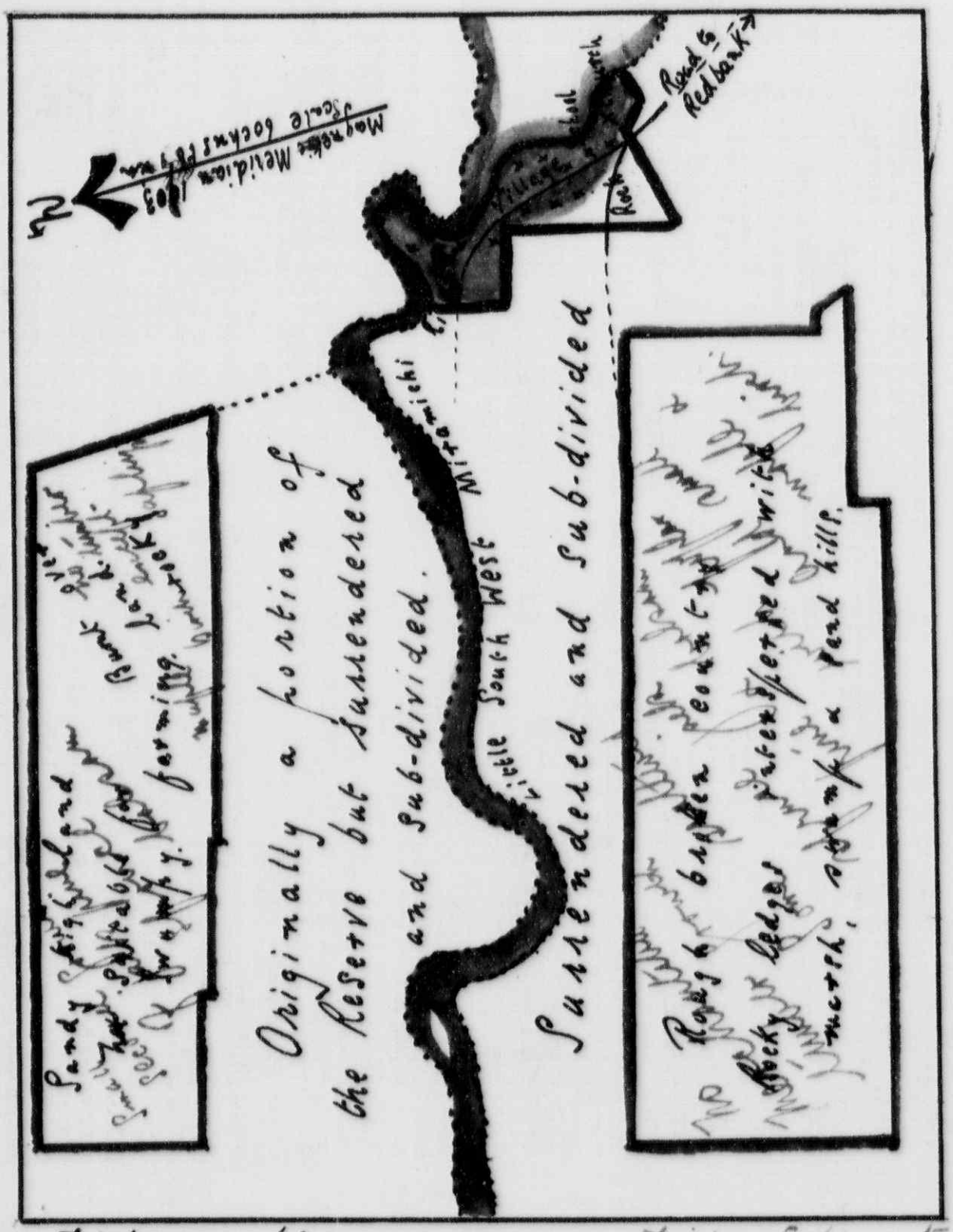
Plan of Redbank Reserve


Road to Redbank
Village
Reserve
Mean Magnetic Meridian 1903
Scale 80 chains per inch
Sandy gravelly ridges
Originally a portion of the Reserve but surrendered and sub-divided.
Surrendered and sub-divided
Rocky ridges
Pine & Poplar
Poplar & Spruce
Spruce & Poplar
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Ottawa, March 8th. 1919

Memo. to the Deputy Minister.

EXAMINATION OF LANDS & ESTIMATE OF TIMBER

REDBANK RESERVES. N.B.

The total area of the combined reserves at Redbank is 6.310 acres. Very little of the entire area can be classified as agricultural land with the exception of that portion situated near the junction of the North West branch and the Little South East Branch of the Miramichi River where the Indian settlement is established.

The block of land on the NorthWest branch as also that on the Little South East branch is for the most part very rough country, composed of rocky ridges and sandy ledges. On-ly small scattered sections of these two areas can ever be utilised as agricultural land.

The timber on these reserves is mostly all cut with the exception of the poplar. There is a large quantity of small immature timber still on the ground which is large enough for firewood but not suitable for saw-log timber. In past years, white squatters as well as the Indians of the band have exploited the timber on these two reserves without let or hindrance, with the result that now there is neither timber of any large commercial value remaining, nor is the equivalent of stumpage dues in the funds of the band.

No permits to cut timber other than firewood should be authorised for a period of ten years, so as to anable the immature growth to attain merchantable size. The granting of permits to cut logs or ties only encourages the Indians to cut down timber under-size and results in no advantage to the Indians themselves or to the future value of the timber stand.

The estimate of timber at present on these Reserves is as follows:-

Princess (Jack) pine	200.000	f.b.m.
Spruce	450.000	" "
Poplar	500.000	" "
Cordwood (mixed woods)	15.000	cords.

A plan is attached showing the Indian settlement, cleared land and timber distribution.

H. J. Bury

Timber Inspector.

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Plan of BIG HOLE TRACT N.B.

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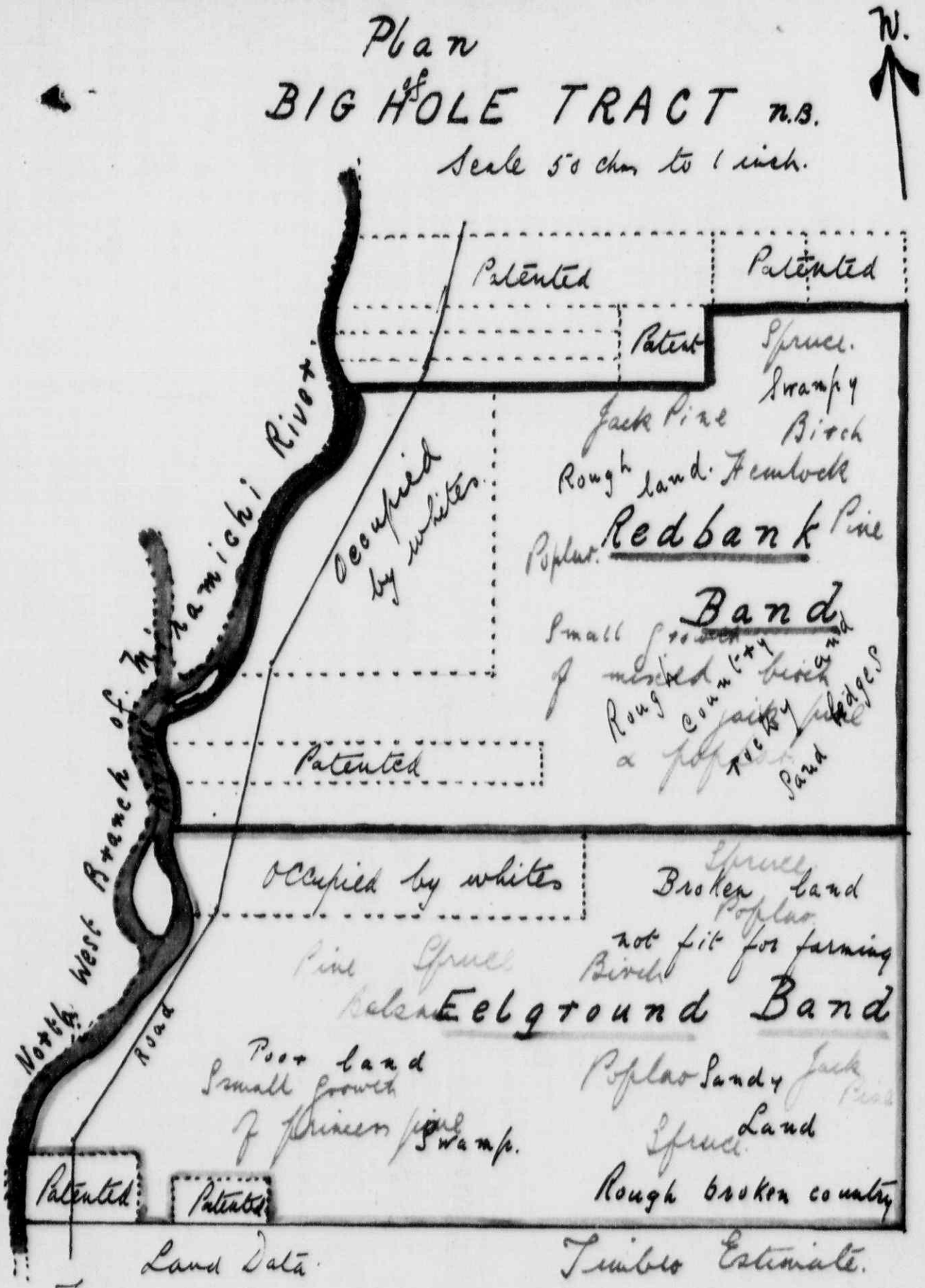

Land Data.

Total area 6303 acres
Area of good land 300 —"—
% area —"— 5%
No Indian residents.

Timber Estimate.

Pine	500.000	F.B.M.
J. Pine	600.000	—"—
Spruce	450.000	—"—
Hemlock	300.000	—"—
Poplar	500.000	—"—
Birch	250.000	—"—
Maple	50.000	—"—
Cordwood	5.000	cords

H J Bury
Jan 1919

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Ottawa, March 3rd. 1919

Memo. to the Deputy Minister.

EXAMINATION OF LANDS AND TIMBER
BIG HOLE TRACT. N.B.

The total area of the Big Hole Tract is 6.303 acres of which only 5% or approximately 300 acres could be termed agricultural land. Most of the country is very rough and the soil is light and sandy. Low swampy land and rock comprises the major portion of the tract. The Redbank band own the northern portion of the tract whilst the Eelground band own the southern portion. Ther are no Indians living on this Reserve.

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The general timber growth is small, the greater part of the merchantable timber having been cut in years gone by. The average diameter on the stump does not exceed 10 inches. There is a thrifty growth of Princess Pine on the southern corner of the Reserve and some good merchantable poplar along the N.E. section. The only merchantable timber now on the Reserve is tie timber outside of the poplar saw-log timber. The estimate of timber on this reserve is:-

as above

Pine (red & white)..	500.000	f.b.m.
Princess Pine (Jack)	600.000	"
Spruce.....	450.000	"
Hemlock.....	300.000	"
Poplar.....	500.000	"
Birch.....	250.000	"
Maple.....	50.000	"
Cordwood(mxd.woods)	5.000	cords.

A plan showing the timber distribution is attached.

H. J. Bury

Timber Inspector.

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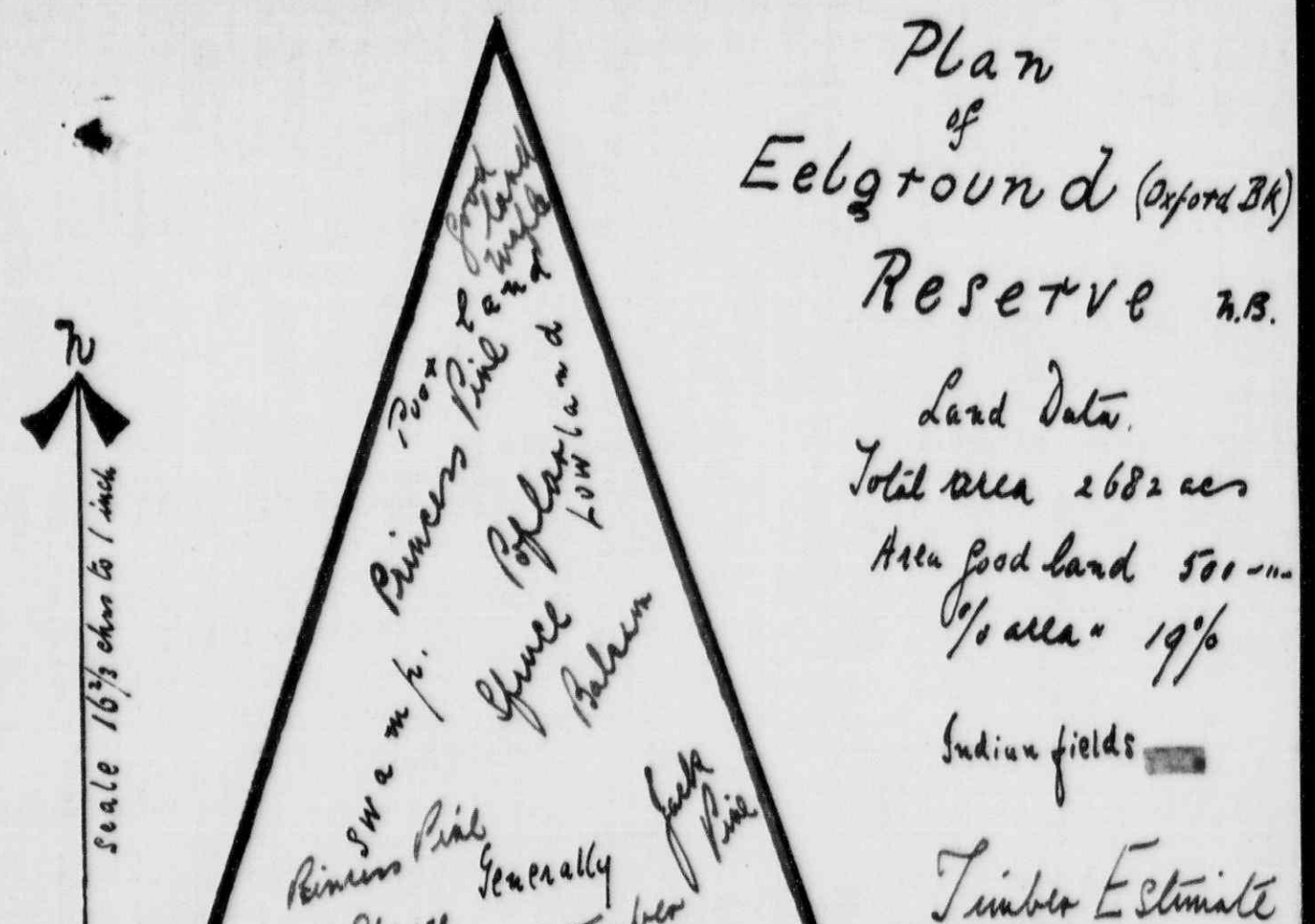
Plan of Eelground (Oxford Bk) Reserve N.B.



Land Data.

Total area 2682 acres

Area good land 500 "

% area " 19%

Indian fields [redacted]

Timber Estimate

Jack or Princess Pine 250 M

Spruce 300 M

Balsam 50 M

Maple 50 M

Poplar 100 M

Cordwood 2000 cords

H. G. Bury

Jan 1914

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Ottawa, March 7th. 1919

Memo. to the Deputy Minister.

EXAMINATION OF LAND AND ESTIMATE OF TIMBER

EELGROUND RESERVE.N.B.

The total area of the Eelground Reserve is 2.682 acres of which not more than 500 acres can be termed land fit for agriculture.All the good land on the Reserve is adjacent to the bank of the N.W.branch of the Miramichi River,the territory lying north of the main highway being for the most part swamp,marsh and sandy ledges.

There is a thriving community of Indian living on the bank of the river,comprising a village of about 25 houses with Church and School.

The timber on the reserve is all second growth conifers with a small hardwood(maple) ridge at the northern extremity of the Reserve.The principal species of timber are Princess (Jack) Pine,balsam fir,hemlock, poplar,maple and small birch.Nearly all of the merchantable timber has been cut off by the Indians,and the remaining timber in my opinion should be conserved for at least 15 years.At the present time the Indians are taking out a quantity of under-size ties cut from trees that rarely measure more than 9 inches on the stump. They would be much better employed working in the lumber camps at good wages than slashing off their un-prime timber at a low piece work rate.I would therefore recommend that permits to cut timber on this Reserve be withheld for some time to come,as this band have a fairly good supply of timber on their tract at the Big Hole.

The estimate of timber is as follows:-

Princess Pine.....	250.000	f.b.m.
Spruce.....	300.000	" "
Balsam fir.....	50.000	" "
Maple.....	50.000	" "
Poplar.....	100.000	" "
Cordwood.....	2.000	cords.

A plan showing the timber distribution is attached, and a report on Form 1 is on F.442626-2

H. J. P. Bury

Timber Inspector.

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Plan of Burnt Church Reserve.



Total area
2058 acres
Area good land 400
" 2nd cl. " 700
% area good 20%
Cruising routes .....
Indian fields.

Timber Estimate

Spruce	60.000	F.B.M.
J. Pine	80.000	-"-
Balsam	20.000	-"-
Maple	70.000	-"-
Poplar	50.000	-"-

Cordwood 2000 cds.
mixed Birch Poplar
Maple.

H. J. Bury
Feb 1919

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Ottawa, March 7th. 1919

Memo. to the Deputy Minister.

EXAMINATION OF LAND AND ESTIMATE OF TIMBER

BURNT CHURCH RESERVE N.B.

The total area of this Reserve is 2,058 acres of which not more than 400 acres can be regarded as land suitable for cultivation. There are approximately 700 acres of land north of the Burnt Church river which could be utilised for grazing purposes, but the major portion of the Reserve comprises swamp, marsh and ledges of light sandy soil. The Indian settlement is south of the river, most of this area being used for gardens and small fields by the Indians.

The merchantable timber has been cut years ago, the remaining timber being second growth of spruce, jack pine maple, birch and poplar. There is an ample supply of this class of timber for fuel purposes for the Indians.

The estimate of timber at present on this Reserve is as follows:-

Spruce	60.000	f.b.m.
Jack Pine	80.000	" "
Balsam Fir	20.000	" "
Poplar	50.000	" "
Maple	70.000	" "
Cordwood (mixed)	2.000	cords.

A plan of the Reserve is attached showing the location of the Indian settlement and the distribution of the timber.

H. J. Bury

Timber Inspector.

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Ottawa. March 8th.1919.

Memorandum.

Mr.Scott:

In accordance with instructions I made an examination of the lands and an estimate of the timber on certain reserves in N.E. New Brunswick at the same time as I investigated timber trespass on these Reserves.

I beg therefore to submit for your approval, reports on the lands and timber on the Burnt Church, Eelground, Big Hole, Redbank and Tabusintac Reserves. These will be of value, for reference purposes.

A. E. P. Burry

Timber Inspector.

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Ottawa, April 24th.1919. 191

Memo. to the Deputy Minister.

EXAMINATION OF LANDS AND TIMBER ON

ST.CROIX RESERVE N.B.

The total area of this Reserve is 200 acres and the entire reserve being mostly rocky and unfit for cultivation could only be utilised for grazing sheep or goats.There is no land suitable for cultivation.

The timber growth is restricted to birch and maple cordwood mostly of second growth and not attaining any large size.There is approximately 20.000 f.b.m of mixed hemlock,spruce and balsam fir which is scattered through the main timber growth and would be of some little value if taken out with the rest of the timber.

There are no Indians resident on the reserve and none have occupied it for the last 60 years.Owing to its proximity to the International Boundary between New Brunswick and the State of Maine,the guardian of the Reserve ,Mr.Samuel Orr who receives $15.00 per annum for his services informs me that he always has some difficulty if preventing Americans from the town of Vanceborough coming across the ice of Cheputnecticook Lake in the early winter and cutting a load of wood and hauling it across the line.

I beg leave to recommend that the Indian Agent at Fredericton be asked to submit a surrender of the land and timber on this Reserve to the Indians of York county and the reserve be disposed of to the highest bidder.I place a value of $2.25 per acre on this Reserve inclusive of land and timber.

H. F. Bury

Timber Inspector.

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Ottawa, April 24th.1919. 191

Memo. to the Deputy Minister.

EXAMINATION OF LANDS AND TIMBER ON

CANOUS INDIAN RESERVE N.B.

The total area of this reserve is 160 acres, the Canous River dividing the Reserve into two almost equal parts. The land is unsuitable for cultivation being for the most part rock ridges carrying a mixed growth of small coniferous timber with some birch.

There is approximately 75.000 f.b.m of merchantable timber scattered throughout the reserve the remaining timber being, spruce, fir, cedar and birch of cordwood size.

There is no market for cordwood, the saw-log timber being the only asset that the reserve has. The spruce bud-worm has attacked certain sections of the timber but so far to no serious extent although if the timber is not cut at least before the end of next season, it will be worthless.

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The Indian Agent at Fredericton informs me that there are a few Indians still living and resident within Charlotte County and I would suggest that he be instructed to submit a surrender of the entire reserve to these Indians so that the Departmentmay be in a position to dispose of the Reserve by public sale at the earliest possible opportunity.

H. L. Bury

Timber Inspector.

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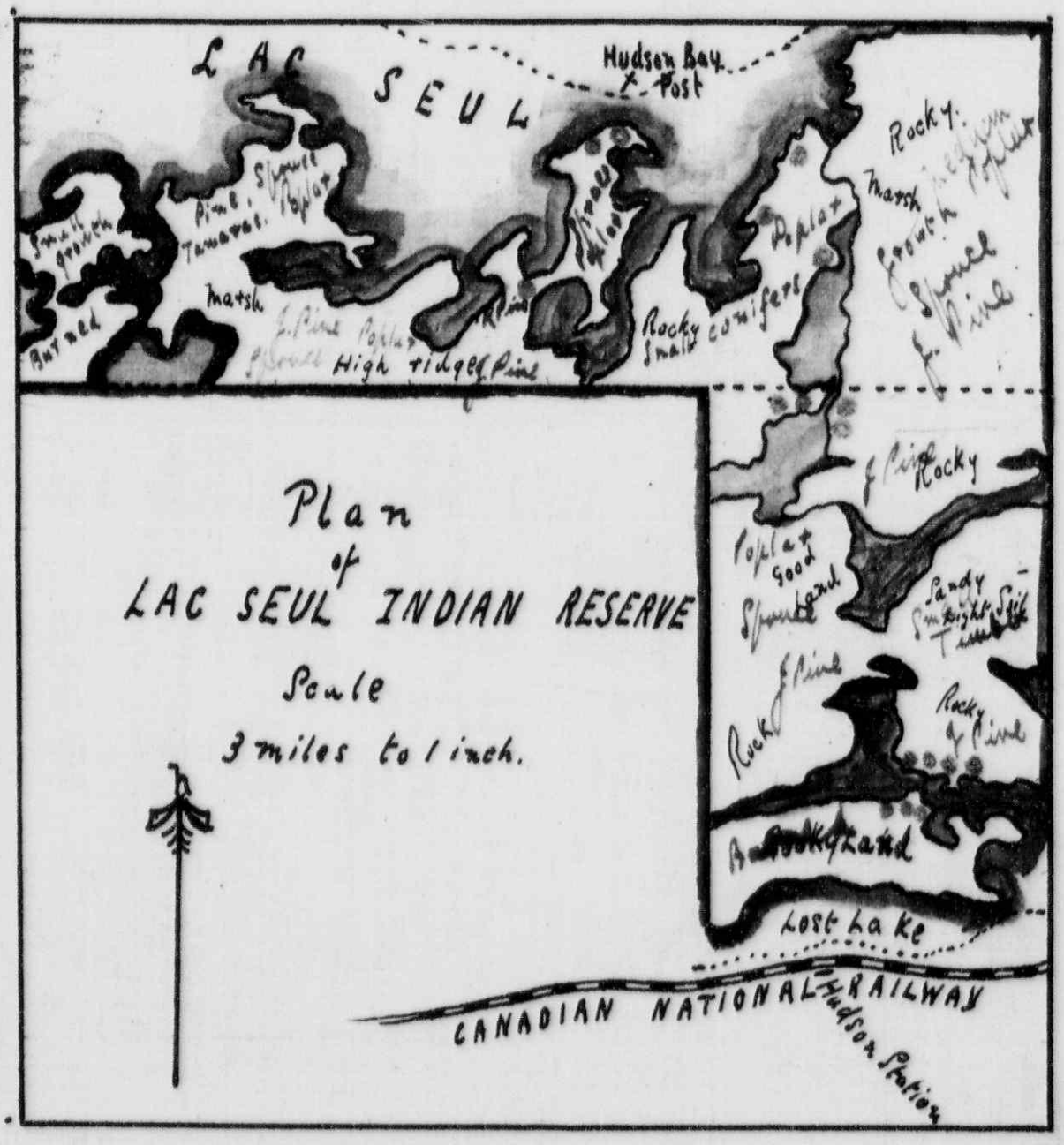
Plan
Lac Seul Reserve



Plan
of
LAC SEUL INDIAN RESERVE

Scale
3 miles to 1 inch.

A. E. Bury
Sept 1919.

Legend

Total area 49000 acres
Area good land 1500 " "
Indian houses thus ●

Timber Estimate
R. W. Pine 1.275.000
J. Pine 10.000.000 incl ties
Spruce - Balsam 20000.000
Poplar 30.000.000 FBM
Birch (wood) 90.000

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EXAMINATION OF LAND AND ESTIMATE OF
TIMBER, LAC SEUL INDIAN RESERVE. ONT.

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The total area of the Lac Seul Reserve is 49.000 acres of which a very small fraction can be termed agricultural land. There are small portions of land in the neighbourhood of Canoe Lake and Frenchman's Head Indian settlements which are productive and are cultivated as gardens by the resident Indians of the Reserve, but the entire reserve as a whole is quite unsuitable for cultivation.

The Reserve itself is of very irregular shape, following the shore line of Lac Seul in the northern section, and the shore lines of lesser lakes adjacent to the National Transcontinental Railway in the southern section.

entered Ledger J 4

The timber on the Reserve is for the most part healthy second growth of about 80 years in age, and consists of coniferous timber of the white & red pine species intermingled with jack pine along the high ridges together with a fairly dense and uniform growth of the two main poplar species (tremuloides & balsamifera) which latter classes of timber comprise the predominant stand.

In my opinion I would not consider it a wise policy in the interest of the Indians to dispose of the timber over the entire Reserve at the present time. The timber on the northern section of the Reserve although carrying the major portion of the valuable species such as white and red pine, could not be profitably logged out to the railroad and would not therefore realise a very high value. There is however a fairly dense stand of medium size poplar, jack pine and spruce growing on the southern section of the Reserve which could be handled at the present time, and would realise a substantial sum for the Indians.

I would therefore recommend that in the event of a sale of the timber on the Reserve, such sale be restricted to the timber on the southern portion of the Reserve, leaving the remainder of the timber to grow in value and be sold at some future date when the conditions are more favourable.

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The estimate of timber on the two sections of the Reserve is :-

NORTHERN SECTION:-

W.&R.Pine	1.000.000 f.b.m.
J.Pine.	6.000.000 " "
Spruce & Balsam	8.000.000 f.b.m.
Poplar..	18.000.000 " "
Cordwood	60.000 cords.

SOUTHERN SECTION:-

W & R.Pine	300.000 f.b.m.
J.Pine.	4.000.000 " "
Spruce etc.	12.000.000 " "
Poplar	12.000.000 " "
Cordwood	30.000 cords.

I place a bonus value on the timber on the southern section of $17.000 over and above dues at the usual tariff rates.

A plan is attached showing the distribution of timber on the Reserve and the location of the Indian Houses.

H. J. Bury
Timber Inspector.

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Lands and Timber Branch

Ottawa, November 18th. 1919

Memo. to the Deputy Minister.

EXAMINATION OF LAND AND ESTIMATE OF TIMBER, RESERVE NO.39 SHOAL LAKE. ONT.

The total area of Reserve No.39 is 8.415 acres very little of which can be classified as land fit for cultivation. There are three or four small Indian holdings in the vicinity of Indian Bay, but the greater portion of the Reserve consists of, rock, swamp, marsh and muskeg.

At one time (about 50 years ago) there must have been a considerable quantity of timber of commercial size on this Reserve, but repeated fires have swept over the entire S.E. portion of the Reserve leaving nothing but bare rocks on which stunted saplings struggle for existence.

A large swamp of an extent of nearly 1000 acres stretches across the Reserve from East to west, and the land rises gradually toward the north line in a succession of rocky ridges and sandy ridges, in many cases devoid of timber growth.

There is still on the Reserve a considerable quantity of second growth timber limited to the coniferous species intermingled with poplar.

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The estimate of timber is as follows:-

W.& R Pine.....	50.000 f.b.m.
Jack Pine.....	500.000 " "
Spruce.....	600.000 " "
Cedar.....	5000 posts & 1500 poles
Poplar.....	850.000 f.b.m.
Tamarac.....	50.000
Cordwood.....	10.000 cords.

A plan showing the distribution of timber and class of land is attached.

H. J. Bury

Timber Inspector.

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Plan of Ingram River Reserve N.S.

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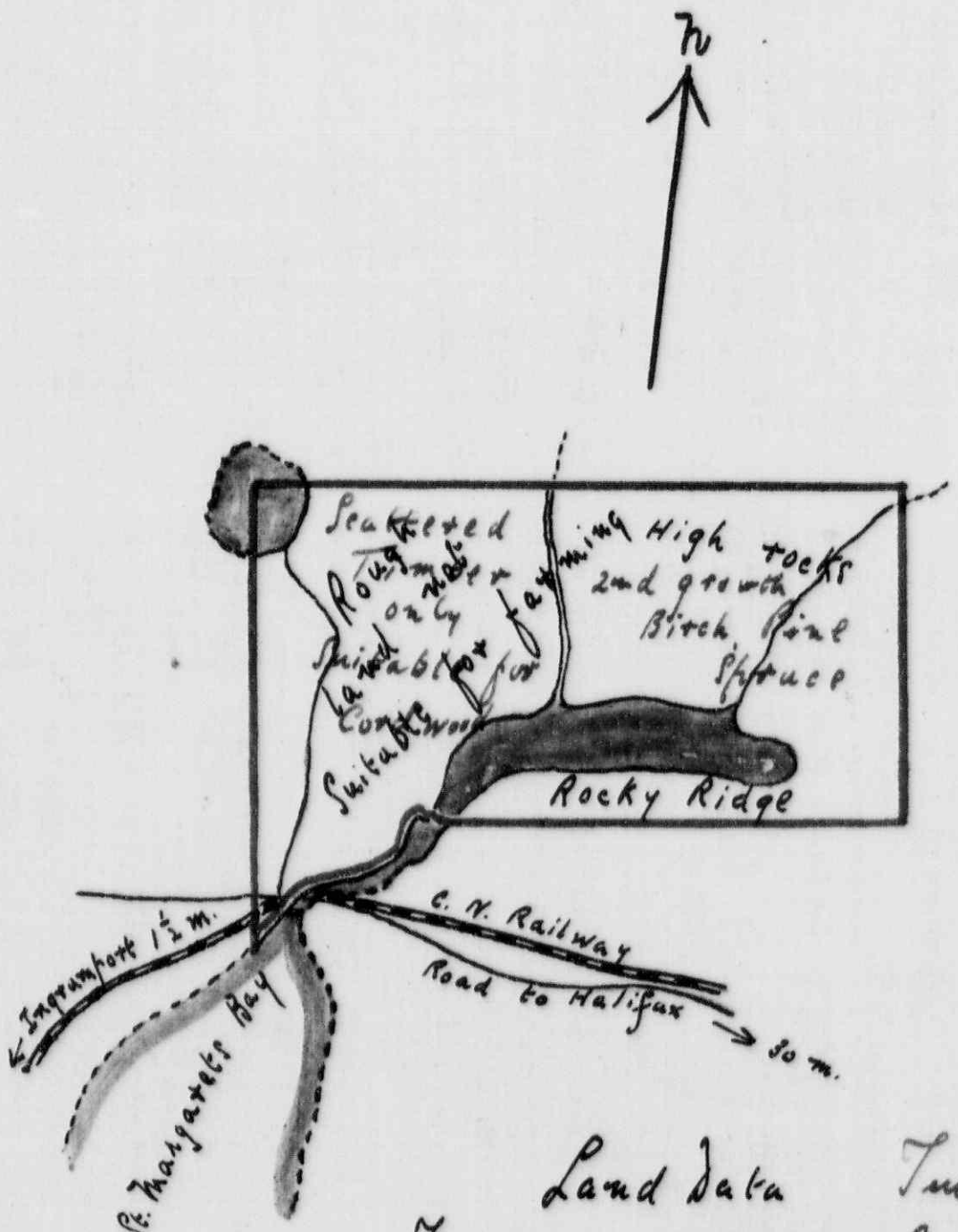

Land Data

Total area	325 acs
Farm land	none
Rock	280 acs
Swamp	40 -"-

Timber Estimate

Cordwood

Birch	300 cds
Spruce	150 -"-
O.S.	200 -"-

H. J. Bury
Sept. 1920.

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Ottawa, April 10th. 1920. 191

Memo. to the Deputy Minister:

EXAMINATION OF LAND AND ESTIMATE OF TIMBER- Ingram River Reserve N.S.

The total area of the Ingram River Reserve is 325 acres of which practically the whole is rocky and unsuitable for cultivation. Forest fires have swept across the northern section and today there is very little timber growth of commercial value, the timber being mostly second growth of inferior woods such as birch, poplar and spruce.

There is no saw-log timber on the reserve and but very little wood. As cordwood is quite plentiful in that section of the country, the wood has no value today.

This reserve appears to have been selected by the Indians in the first instance as a fishing reserve, as in early days (1820) it was noted for large quantities of herring that could be caught at the head of St, Margarets Bay.

Today it is practically of no value at all. There are approximately 600 cords of inferior fire-wood on the Reserve worth at a valuation .50 cents per cord.

H. J. Bury

Timber Inspector.

Plan of Reserve attached.

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Plan
SAMBRO of INDIAN RESERVE

Halifax Co. N.S.

Scale 20 chns to 1 inch.



Land Data
Total area 100 acs
Area good land - nil

Timber Estimate
Cordwood 200 cds

R.J. Bury
Mar. 1920

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Ottawa, April 17th. 1920. 191

Memo. to the Deputy Minister.

EXAMINATION OF LAND AND TIMBER

SAMBRO RESERVE N.S.

The total area of this Reserve is 300 acres of which not any portion can be classified as land fit for agriculture. The reserve consists of a series of rocky ridges and stony ledges and has no agricultural land.

It appears to have been originally selected by the Indians as a reserve on account of the proximity to fairly good herring fisheries but today there is no fish caught in any quantity.

The timber growth is entirely restricted to scrub second growth, spruce, poplar and birch and although some of it is large enough for cordwood, the greater portion of the Reserve is covered with a sapling growth. As the Reserve is somewhat remote from means of communication the small amount of cordwood (200 cords) is practically of no value.

A deposit of good grade sand and gravel along the shore line might be of some value in the future but this is problematical. There are no Indians living on the Reserve nor have any been there since 50 or 60 years ago.

A plan of the Reserve is attached.

Timber Inspector. J. B. [illegible]

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Plan of Langley Reserve No 4. B.C.

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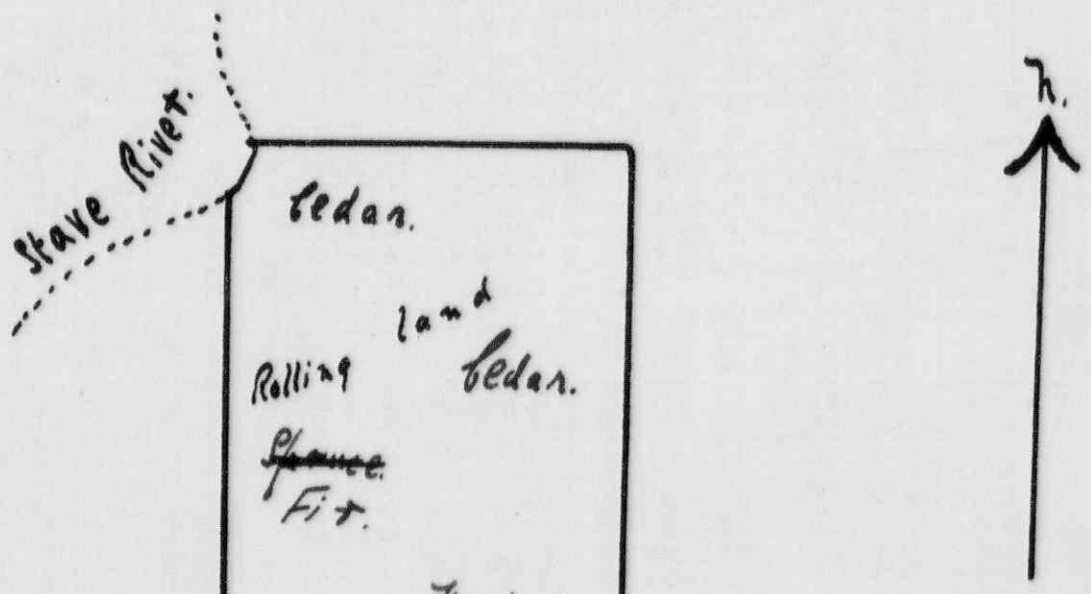

Land Data

Total area 239 acres
Good land 150 ---

Timber Estimate

Cedar. ~~2500.000~~ FBM
~~Spruce~~ Fir 1.500.000 ---
Hemlock. 500.000 ---

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Oct 1920.

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Memo. to Deputy Minister.

Cruise & estimate of timber

Langley Reserve No.4.B.C.

The total area of the Langley Reserve No.4 is 239 acres of which the greater part is suitable for cultivation.The proximity of this Reserve to railroad and water has the effect of enhancing the value of the timber that is on it.The stand comprises cedar, fir and hemlock with some scattered spruce but the merchantable timber is over prime and should be cut as soon as the market permits being subject to conkiness.

The estimate of timber is as follows:-

Cedar 500.000 f.b.m. valued at $2.50 per M.f.b.m.
Fir 1.500.000 " " " " $2.50 " " "
Hemlock 500.000 " " " $2.00 " " "

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Timber Inspector.

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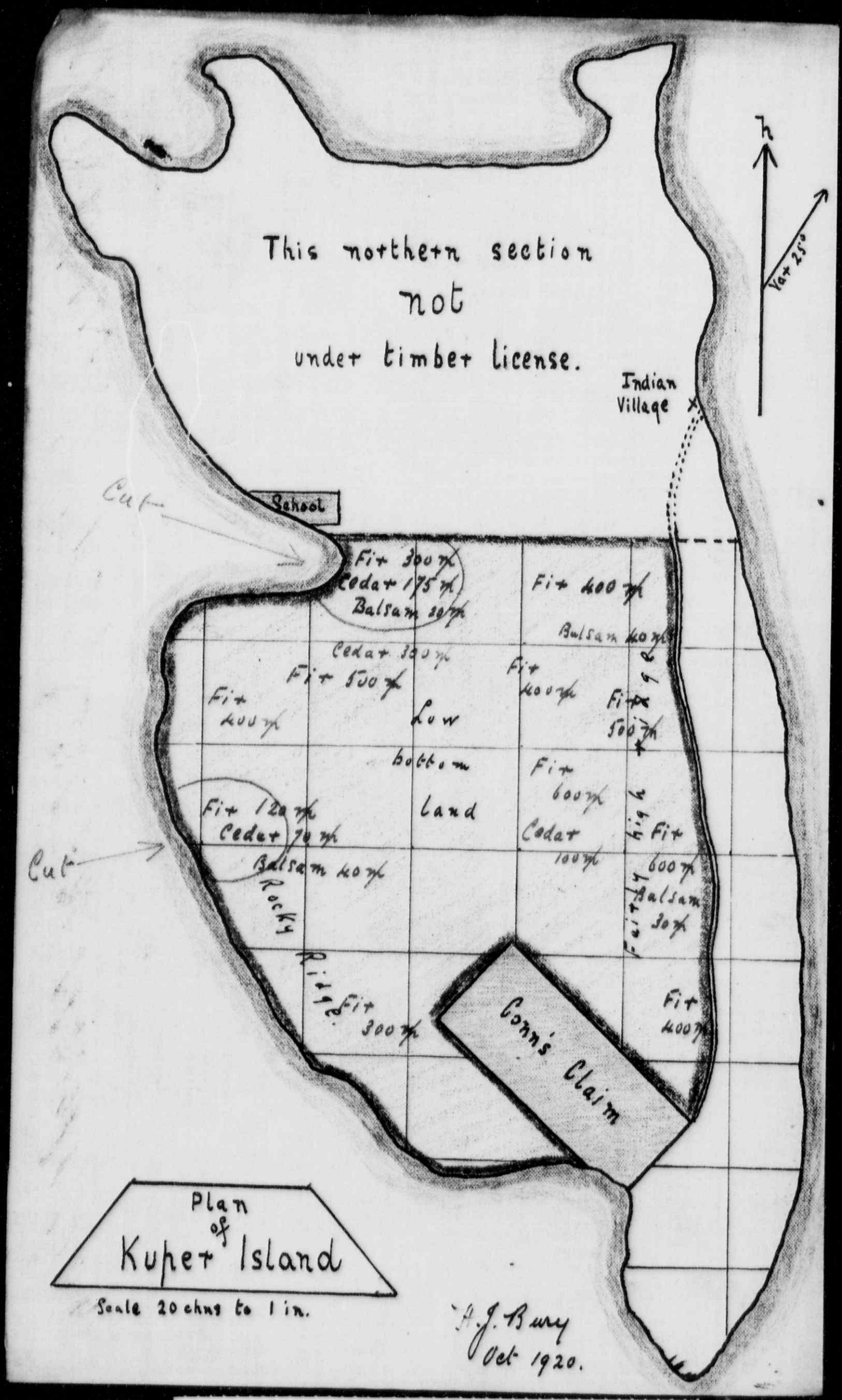

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Memo. to the Deputy Minister.

EXAMINATION & ESTIMATE OF TIMBER

ON KUPER ISLAND, Reserve B.C.

The total area of the Kuper Island Reserve is 2.138 acres of which approximately 1200 acres is fit for cultivation. The soil is for the most part inclined to be light and sandy but could be profitably cultivated in certain sections.

The timber on the Reserve is fairly well distributed although there are isolated stands which would cut out better than the general run. The species of timber consist of fir, cedar and some spruce although the main stand is mostly fir.

Presuming that the whole of the timber is to be logged i.e. everything cut such as ties, poles cordwood etc. in addition to the saw-log timber I would place# the following estimate over the whole island.

FIR.....	12.950.000	f.b.m.	
Cedar.....	3.600.000	" "	
Spruce.&.O.S.	2.000.000	" "	Total18.550.000

The timber on the section of 1000 acres comprising the southern portion of the island is approximately 13.500,000 f.b.m. although of this not more than 5.800.000 runs over 16 inches at the stump. The greater part of the stand is fairly small there being only two stands of timber of good size. One stand is adjacent to the creek near the Indian School and the other is on the west side of the main highway running through the island.

The timber of saw-log size has an average value of $2.75 per M.f.b.m. all over.

H. J. Bury

Supervisor Indian Timber Lands.

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Chehalis Reserve
No. 5

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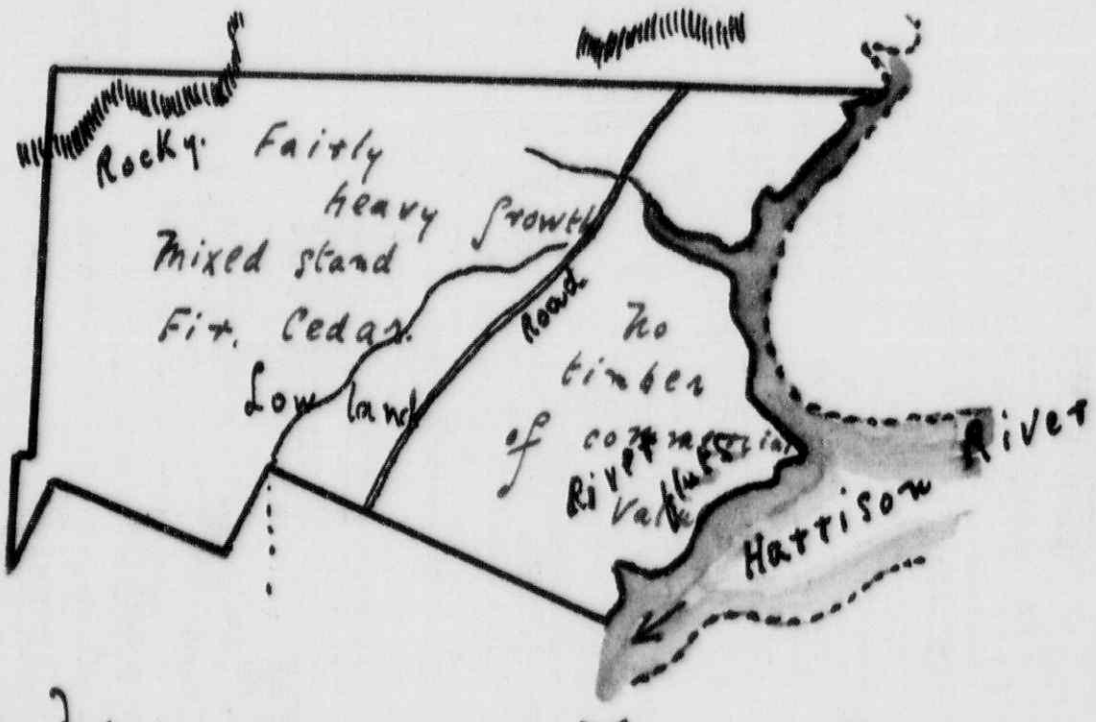

Land Data.

Total area 1440 acres
Timbered area 900 -"-
Ag. land 150 -"-

Timber Estimate

Fir. 14.000.000 FBM
Cedar. 4.000.000 -"-

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Memo. to the Deputy Minister.

EXAMINATION OF LAND AND ESTIMATE
OF TIMBER-CHEHALIS RESERVE No.5 B.C.

The total area of this Reserve is 1440 acres of which only 900 acres is timbered, the rest of the reserve consisting of mud flat and marshy lands.

The timber is fairly accessible to water, but a large portion of the fir is very large and over-prime. In consequence the grade will run heavily to Number three, there being very little timber of even second grade.

The cedar is fairly sound but there is not sufficient on the reserve to make this class of timber valuable for shingle bolts.

The estimate of timber is:-

Douglas Fir.....14.000.000 f.b.m.
Cedar..... 2.000.000 " "

Logging facilities are fairly good, as most of the timber is on level land, and one donkey with small spur of logging railroad will practically handle the most of the stand.

I place a value at the present time of $2.00 per M.f.b.m. inclusive of dues at the rate of $1.00 and would recommend sale be made as soon as possible by public tender, as the log market is inclined to continue to fall and it is not likely that the Department would be justified in postponing the sale.

A plan of the reserve is attached.

H. J. Bury

Supervisor Indian Timber Lands.

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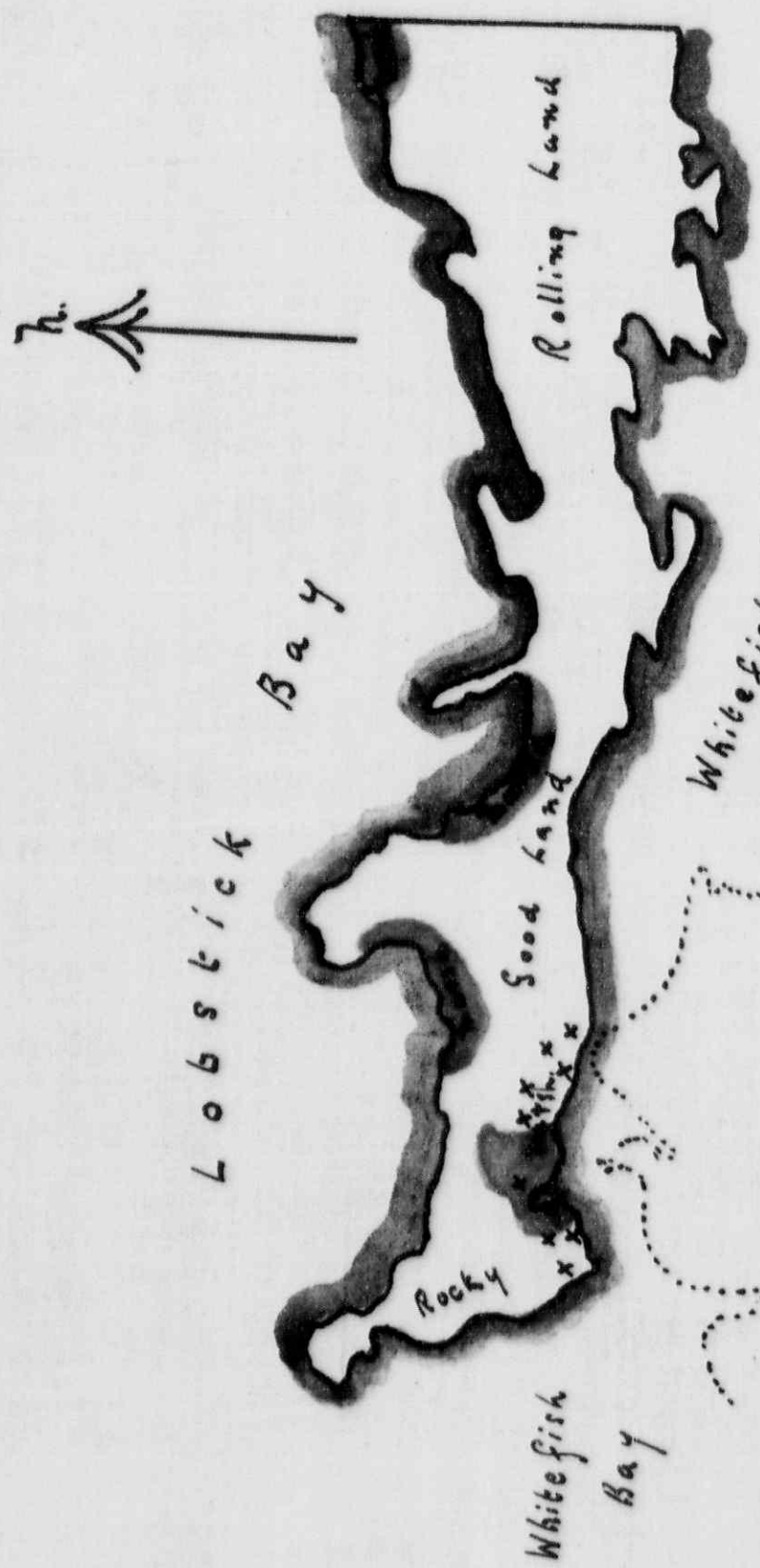

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Timber Estimate

Pine	250.000	F.B.M.
Spruce	500.000	—"—
J. Pine	250.000	—"—
Poplar	6.000.000	F.B.M.
Birch	5.000	cords.

Land Data.

Total area	4865 acres
Good land	1200 —"—
Waste land	2000 —"—
Indian houses	× × ×

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Nov 1920.

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Memo. to the Deputy Minister.

EXAMINATION OF LAND AND ESTIMATE

OF TIMBER, RESERVE No.32 A.Lake of the Woods.

The total area of this reserve is 4.865 acres of which approximately 1200 acres can be regarded as land suitable for cultivation. The greater portion of the reserve is covered with a second growth of poplar and birch which is not large enough at the present time to furnish any large quantity of commercially valuable timber. The timber is fairly accessible to water, although a long tow will be necessary to get it to the mills.

The estimate of timber is:-

Pine R & W.....	250.000	f.b.m.
Spruce.....	500.000	" "
J.Pine.....	250.000	" "
Poplar.....	6.000.000	" "
Birch	5000	cords.

The demand for log timber in this section of the country is considerably less than it was a year ago, lumber conditions having become less promising, but I am of the opinion that if this timber is sold early it will still realise a better value than if held later. The Indians themselves are pressing to have it sold so that they may participate in a distribution of the proceeds.

I would recommend that as the quantity of timber on this reserve is comparatively small, ~~that~~ the sale include the timber on the two adjoining reserves- Nos.33A and 34 A, as the timber has been surrendered on all these reserves and they could be grouped together in one sale.

A plan is attached showing the class of land distribution of timber and Indian houses etc.

I place a bonus value on the three reserves of $3:000 exclusive of dues.

H. J. Bury

Supervisor Indian Timber Lds.

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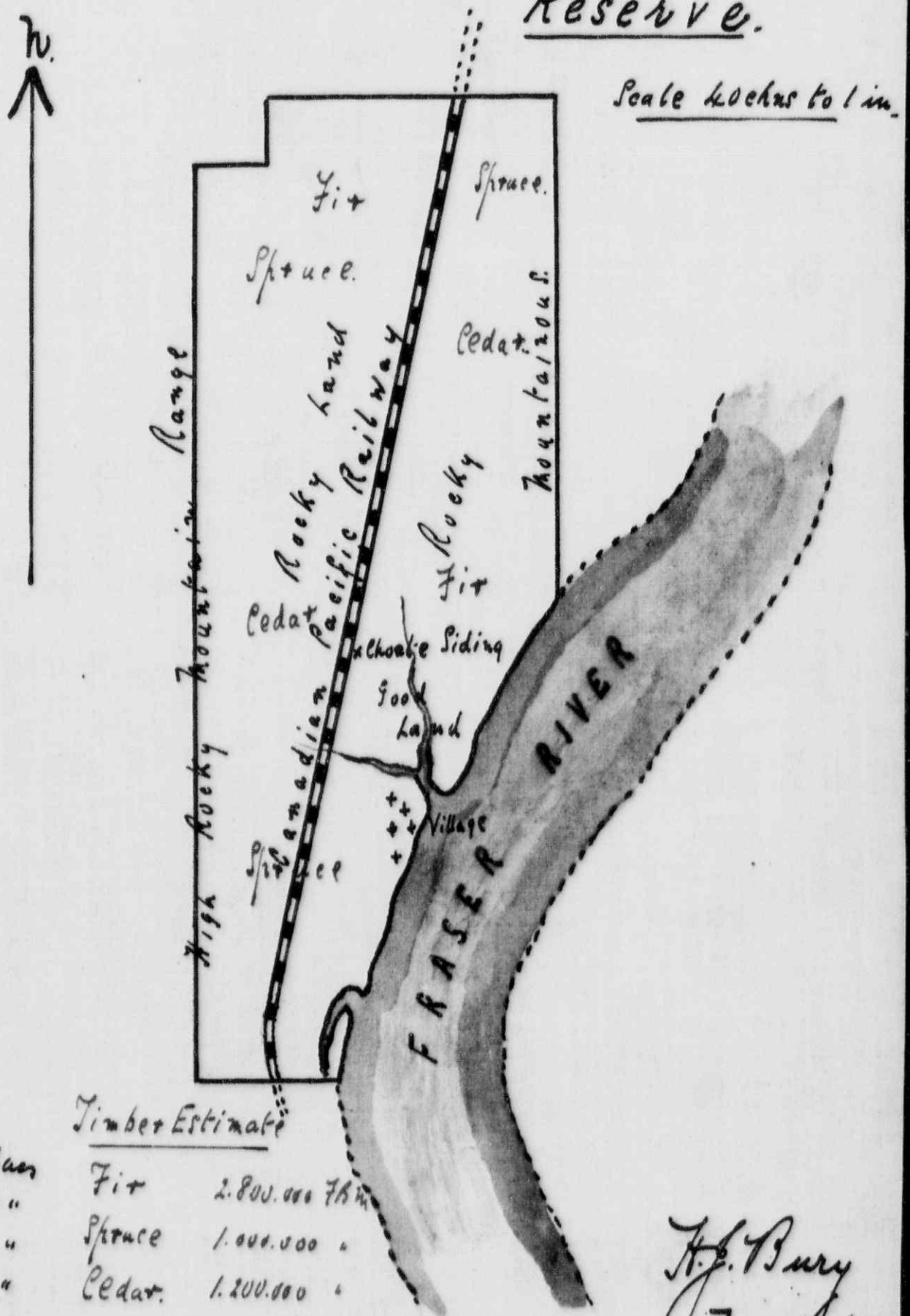
Plan of Puckatholetchin Reserve.



Land Data.

Total area 566 acres
Good land 50 "
Rough " 300 "
Mountainous 216 "

Timber Estimate

Fir	2.800.000 FBM
Spruce	1.000.000 "
Cedar	1.200.000 "

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December 8th.1920.

to the Deputy Minister.

EXAMINATION OF LAND AND ESTIMATE OF

TIMBER ON PUCKATHOLETCHIN RESERVE B.C.

The total area of this reserve is 566.50 acres the greater portion of which is rocky and even mountainous. There is a small section of land near the bank of the Fraser River where the Indian village is located which is good land and suitable for agriculture but the area of such land does not exceed 50 acres.

The timber on the Reserve is a mixed stand of Douglas fir, spruce and cedar averaging about 25 inches on the stump. A great deal of the logging will have to be done along mountain sides and necessity over-head cable or sky line operation, but the timber is adjacent to the main line of the Canadian Pacific Railway and can be readily shipped once it is landed to the railway track.

The estimate of timber is:-

Douglas fir.....	2.800.000	f.b.m.
Spruce.....	1.000.000	" "
Cedar.....	1.200.000	" "
Total:-	5.000.000	" "

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In view of the unsatisfactory state of the lumber market in British Columbia I personally do not think it likely that we would realise the price for this timber that we might have done a year ago, but the local Indian Agent appears to think that it would be advisable to put this sale on as soon as possible and I would therefore recommend that this be done.

I place a bonus value of $2.500 on this timber over and above dues at the rate of $1.00 per M.f.b.m.

Plan of the Reserve is attached.

A. F. Bury

Supervisor Indian Timber Lds.

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Plan of Reserve No. 40 Shoal Lake.



Land Data

Total area 6759 acs
Area good land 1500 "
" waste " 3000 "
Indian houses xxx
Sold to Wpg G. W.

Timber Estimate

J. Pine.	750.000	F.B.M.
Spruce	500.000	—"—
Poplar	1.500.000	—"—
Cordwood	4000	cds
Pulpwood	3000	—"—

H. J. Bury
Dec. 1920

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Memo. to the Deputy Minister.

EXAMINATION OF LAND AND ESTIMATE OF

TIMBER, Reserve No. 40 SHOAL LAKE, ONT.

The total area of this reserve is 6.759 acres of which approx. 355 acres was recently sold to the Winnipeg Great Waterways Supply.

There is a fairly large proportion of good land suitable for farming, although land of this character occurs in patches of about 50 or 60 acres. All lands adjoining Indian Bay or Snowshoe Bay are rocky and not suitable for cultivation. About 30% of the total area consists of swamp or marsh land and approx. 40% is waste land such as rock or sandy ridges.

The timber on the reserve is very scattered, there being occasional stands of average grade jack pine and poplar. There is very little spruce or pine of merchantable size, most of the timber being second growth. Fire has repeatedly swept over this Reserve, the most recent being four years ago.

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The timber estimate is as follows:-

Jack Pine.....	750.000	f.b.m.
Spruce.....	500.000	" "
Poplar.....	1.500.000	" "
Cordwood.....	4000	cords
Pulpwood.....	3000	" "

A plan showing the salient features of the Reserve such as Indian houses, character of soil, stand of timber and area sold to G.W. Water Supply is attached.

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Supervisor Indian Timber Lands

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Plan of Reserve ex —30065-3

Aug.5th.1921.

to Actg.Deputy Superintendent General.

CRUISE AND VALUATION OF MATTAGAMI RESERVE.

In accordance with instructions I recently visited the Mattagami Indian Reserve for the purpose of both making a critical cruise of the timber on the Reserve and also an inspection of the land and foreshore that would be flooded by the operation of a dam constructed by the Northern Canada Power Co.Ltd.

As will be noted hereunder on this file, the Department instructed Timber Inspector Shaw to make a cruise and valuation of this Reserve in October last and he reported the following quantities of timber and value:-

White Pine...	20.000.000 f.b.m.	@ $7.50 per M.
Jack Pine ties	200.000	@ 10¢ each
Pulpwood	8000 cords	@ $1.00 per cd.

exclusive of dues at the tariff rate.

The Department offered the timber for sale by public auction and only two offers were received, i.e.

Triangle Lumber Co. Ltd.....$15.000 bonus
A.B.Gordon.....$10.000 "

The analysis of Mr.Shaw's estimate and valuation established a bonus value of $169.000 and consequently the sale was cancelled.

The two tenderers claimed that both the estimate and valuation of this timber were excessively high.

In the course of my work I made a cruise by blocks of forties and in some cases of 160 acre sections and submit herewith a plan of the Reserve showing:-

1. The distribution of the timber by quantity and kind.
2. The area which will be flooded by the Northern Power Co.
3. The location of Indian houses on the Reserve
4. The class of land.

In the first instance I deemed it advisable to familiarise myself with the topography of the country as would enable me to judge of the accuracy of Mr.Shaw's estimate and valuation. His estimate I consider unduly high when compared with the estimate submitted hereunder. His valuation of $7.50 per M.f.b.m. was doubtless based on the assumption that the pine timber could be watered on the shore of the reserve and driven down to the market at Timmins. In this case he was in all probability not conversant with the plans of the Northern Power Co. (whereby

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they had already backed up the water on the Mattagami River by a 6 foot head dam at Kenogamisee and had also erected dams at Wawaitin and also at Sandy Falls.

The Northern Power Co. are at present engaged in constructing a highger dam at Kenogamisee whereby the water will be raised an additional 10 feet or approximately sixteen feet of a head above the normal level.

The constructions of these dams has the effect of creating practically three extensive bodies of still water without current, divided by dams and totalling 67 miles in length where before there had been a drivable river without obstruction.

I am therefore of the opinion that it would cost at least $6.00 per M. to tow the timber to Timmins and handle it at the respective dams on the way.

My estimate of the timber on the Reserve is as follows:-

White Pine....	8.250.000	f.b.m.
Red Pine	1.300.000	" "
Jack Pine.....	6.450.000	" "
Spruce	12.000	cords
Poplar	1.750.000	f.b.m.
Birch	50.000	cords.

There is at present no market value for the poplar and birch timber on the Reserve nor for any other timber such as soft maple or timber of other deciduous kinds. In view of the difficulty of marketing this timber and the fact that there are still large quantities of more readily accessible timber on provincial lands which are being sold at prices ranging from $3.00 per M. to $5.00 and taking into consideration the wishes of the Indians who desire to realise the present day value owing to the unusually heavy fire risk I submit the following valuation:-

Pine (Red and White) $3.00 per M.....	$28.650
Pine Jack.(to be cut as ties)	9.225
Spruce pulpwood.....@ $1.00	12.000
Total value on the stump:-	$ 49.875.00
Total bonus value ex.of dues:-	$16.700

The pine timber is mostly located on high ridges which are difficult of access and will necessitate heavy expenditure in the way of logging roads, and the reserve is cut up to such an extent by deep ravines, gullies and low swamp lands that the actual cost of delivery of logs to the shore will be approx. $5.00 per M.f.b.m.

I append a sketch plan drawn to scale showing the water route to market.

As the question of the raising of the water level is inseparable from that of the operation of removing the timber I submit the following additional memorandum dealing with this.

RAISE OF LEVEL OF MATTAGAMI RIVER.

The effect of raising the level of the Mattagami River an additional 10 feet will flood the low level lands, certain Indian houses and the Indian cemetery located on provincial land adjoining the reserve.

LOW LEVEL LANDS ON THE RESERVE.

These lands are shown on the attached plan in green and comprise in all a total of 1200 acres. The timber on these low levels consists almost entirely of 2nd. growth

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spruce, cedar and balsam having practically no commercial value as the spruce is under-size for pulpwood and the cedar is of the scrub variety not fit either for square timber or poles.

In my opinion the Department should however insist upon the clearing of occasional landings where the 10 foot contour line approaches the shore, as unless this is done, great difficulty will result in the proper delivery of log timber to the shore line.

These landings are designated on the plan attached and the clearing should consist of falling and burning the shore line timber so that boats can approach the shore line without undue difficulty.

As the land is generally rocky or swampy, it cannot be classed as potential agricultural land and is therefore of no value, the only feature to be considered being the proper clearance of shore approaches as previously described:

INDIAN HOUSES AND HOLDINGS.

The following Indian Houses will be affected by the raise of water:-

Owner.....	House etc.	Value
Thomas Navion	House & garden	$ 450
Chief "	" "	$ 600
Wm. Navion	Garden only.	50
Jimmy Navion Jr.	House only.	$ 500 . $1600

INDIAN CEMETERY.

There are approximately 60 Indians and 4 whites buried on the point occupied by the Hudson's Bay Co. post adjacent to the Reserve and it will be necessary to arrange for the removal of these bodies to a point well above high water level. The best location for a permanent cemetery would be the high land north of the present location of the fire-ranger's house as shown on the attached plan, and I would recommend that application be filed with the Lands Department of the Province of Ontario for permission to occupy 2 acres of land at this point, to be used for burial purposes only.

I would recommend that the Norther Power Co. be asked to bear the expense of compensation to the Indians for their houses as shown above and also be responsible for the entire cost of removing the Indian cemetery to the new location.

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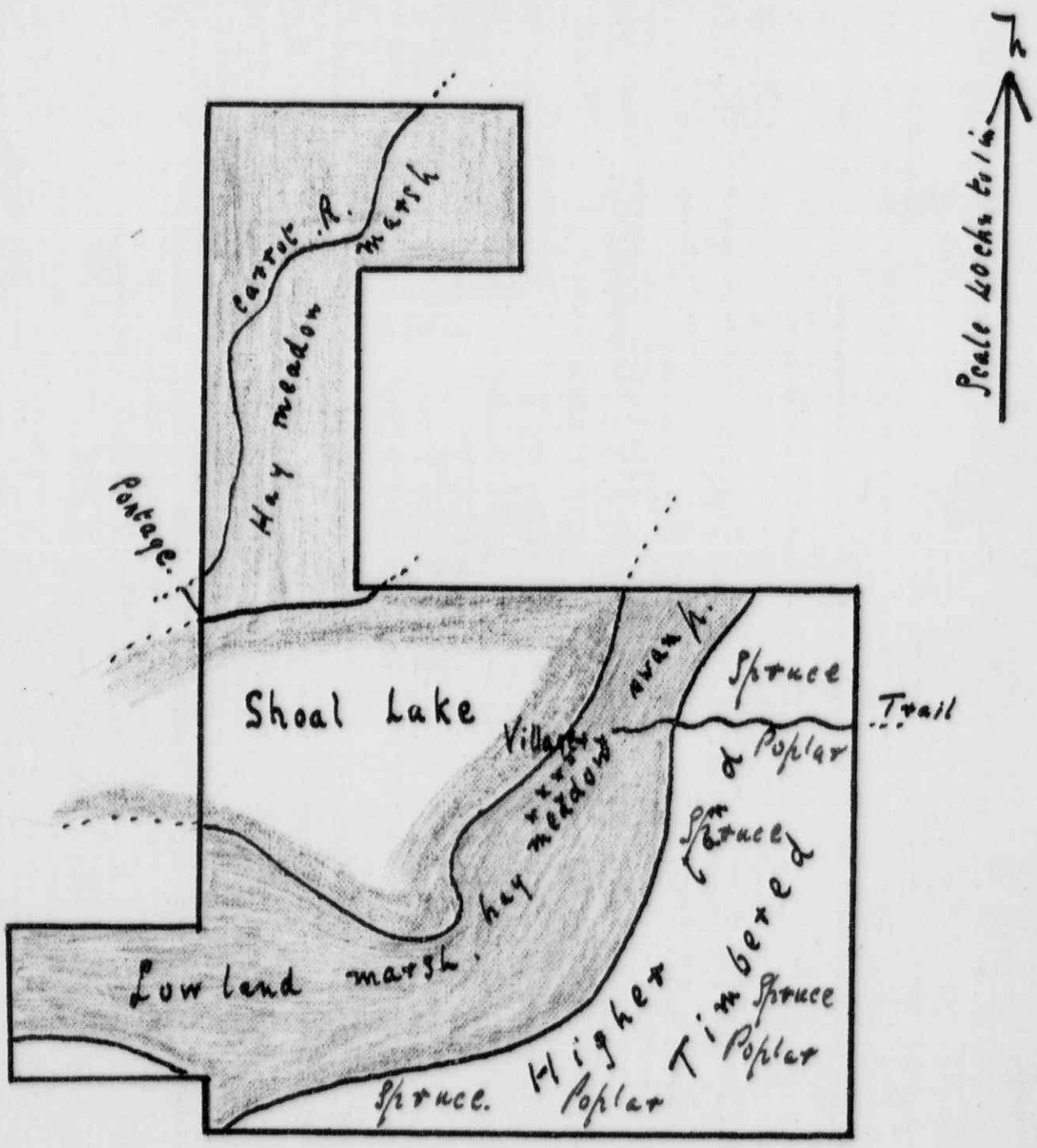
Plan of Shoal Lake Reserve No 28A



Land Data

Total area	3087 acres
Good land	800 -"-
Marsh ete	2000 -"-
Rock	200 -"-

Timber Estimate

Spruce	3.500.000 FBM
Poplar	1.750.000 -"-
Cordwood	10000 cds

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October 7th.1921.

to the Deputy Superintendent General.

Estimate & valuation of timber
Reserve No.28A Shoal Lake.SASK.

The total area of Reserve No.28A Shoal Lake, is 3.037 acres inclusive of the two additions. Of this area only approximately 1000 acres is timbered land the remaining area consisting of lake, swamp, marsh and wild hay meadows.

The timbered area is restricted to the eastern portion of the reserve and the timber can be readily logged to the Carrot river but will have to be driven approximately 100 miles to the mills.

The species of timber on this area include spruce, poplar and birch of cordwood size, but the factor of faultiness is somewhat large as the spruce is largely over prime and is subject to conkiness and rim rot, and the poplar is generally inclined to "black heart" which prohibits its use as lumber.

The estimate of timber is as follows:-

Spruce.....	3.500.000 f.b.m.
Poplar.....	1.750.000 " "
Cordwood.....	10.000 cords.

The poplar and cordwood has no present day value and I place a value of $2.10 per M.f.b.m. on the spruce over and above dues at the rate of $1.25 per M.f.b.m. This represents a bonus value of $7.350 over and above dues.

A plan of the reserve showing the distribution of timber, class of land, roads, trails, Indian houses etc. is on separate file.

H E Bury

Supervisor Indian Timber Lands.

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PLAN
of
INDIAN RESERVE No.18C. STANGECOMING, RAINY LAKE, ONT.

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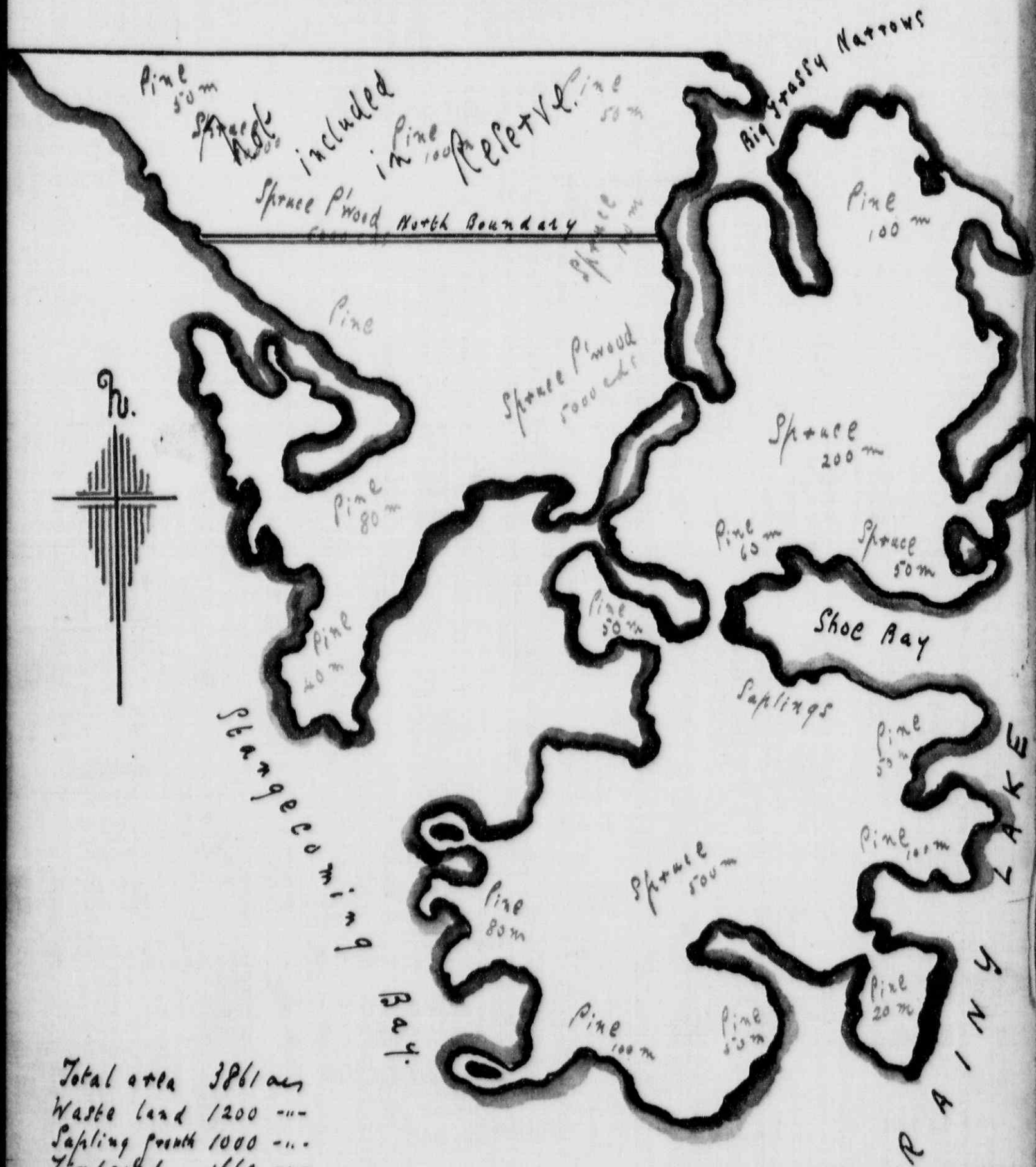

Total area 3861 acs
Waste land 1200 -"-
Sapling growth 1000 -"-
Timbered 1660 -"-

Pine 1.600.000 FBM
Spruce 1.000.000 -"-
P'wood 10 000 cords
Poplar. 500.000 F.B.M.
Tamarac 100 000 -"-

H. J. Bury
6 Sept. 1923.

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Sept.19th.1923.

to the Deputy Minister.

Examination of land and estimate of
Timber-Reserve No.180.Stangecoming.Ont.

The total area of this reserve is 3.861 acres of which 30% is waste land comprising marsh and rock,25% consists of land covered by sapling growth whilst the balance or approx.1600 acres is covered by a thrifty growth of timber mostly of the pine and spruce species. The quantity of land fit for agriculture is almost negligible.

The reserve has never been visited by fire,nor have and extensive lumbering operations been carried on by the Indians.White and red pine are fairly well distributed throughout the Reserve and occurs also in isolated stands varying from 20.000 f.b.m. to 100.000 f.b.m.The spruce, especially of pulpwood size occurs in pronounced areas whilst tamarac is found occasionally in the low land or swamps.

The estimate of timber is as follows:-

Pine (White & Red).....	1.600.000 f.b.m.
Spruce (Log timber).....	1.000.000 " "
Spruce pulpwood.....	10.000 cords
Poplar.....	500.000 f"b"m.
Tamarac.....	100.000 f.b.m.

The stumpage value at the present time of the various kinds of timber is:-
Pine,9.50 per f.b.m.,Spruce 7.50 per M.f.b.m. Spruce pulpwood 1.00 per cord. Tamarac 6.00 per M.f.b.m. and Poplar 3.00 per M.f.b.m.

I would recommend that sale be made as soon as possible under our regulations and that tenders be called for by public advertisement on a basis of per M.f.b.m. or per cord. and that tenderers deposit as security ten per cent of the total estimated value of tender.

Supervisor Indian Timber Lands.

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May 11th.1925.

to the Deputy Superintendent General.

ESTIMATE OF TIMBER

Golden Lake Reserve.ONT.

The total area of the Golden Lake Reserve is 1650 acres of which not more than 1000 acres is timbered and a large proportion of this is covered by sapling and pole growth.

Physical conditions.

Approximately eighty per cent of the land area consists of rolling rocky ridges,unfit for cultivation and only suitable for the growth of forest crops.The soil that is free from stones or rock is light,friable and poor in fertility.

Silvicultural conditions.

The forest floor is comparatively free from debris of an inflammable nature and although the depth of humus is somewhat slight,being only3 or 4 inches,yet the absence of exposed timber stands and the general condition of the subsoils provide fairly satisfactory conditions for forest growth.

The predominating species of timber at present on this reserve is poplar (tremuloides and balsamifera),but the stand originally consisted almost entirely of white and red pine.Successive forest and ground fires have however destroyed the coniferous timber and it has been replaced by the natural reseeding of poplar and birch.

A very small proportion of the timber consists of timber of merchantable size i.e.min.diameter 10 inches, the poplar especially being mostly of sapling or pole size.

The following is the estimate of timber:-

White & Red Pine.....	8000	f.b.m.	
Spruce.....	7000	" " &	400 cords
Poplar (Aspen).....	90.000	" " &	1000 ""
Poplar (Tremuloides).	20.000	"" &	400 "
Elm.....	2.000	"" &	200 "
Birch.....	---		200 "
Balsam fir.....	---		250 "

The volume content of trees 10 ins.and over in diameter is estimated in f.b.m.whilst those under 10 ins.are calculated in cords of 128 cubic feet.

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Characteristics of different species.

White & Red Pine.

This species occur as individual trees scattered generally throughout the reserve.The average diameter is not greater than 10 inches,the type form being pyramidal and therefore unsuitable for lumber.

Spruce. This also occurs in scattered individuals,with average diameter of 9 inches and of no commercial value.

Poplar (Aspen).The larger trees of this species are subject to heart rot and are therefore not suitable for lumber.There are possibly 1200 cords of wood accessible for profitable logging,this quantity being barely sufficient for the Indians' own use.

Poplar.(Balsamifera) or Balm of Gilead. This species would produce approx.500 cords of wood,and is found in small stands intermingled with poplar (aspen).

Elm,Birch and Balsam Fir. There is little timber of these three species which is of commercial or merchantable size. Sapling and pole size timber constitutes the main stand,and will in course of time produce merchantable timber for the future use of the Indians,provided the reserve# is kept free from forest or ground fires.

CONCLUSION.

The present stand of timber on the Reserve is barely sufficient for the domestic needs of the Indians and I consider it would be unwise to authorise the cutting of timber for sale,except in individual cases where the Indians require relief,and are able to find a good market for small quantities of poplar wood.

F. J. Bury

Supervisor Indian Timber Lands.

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Plan of New Brunswick House Reserve ont.

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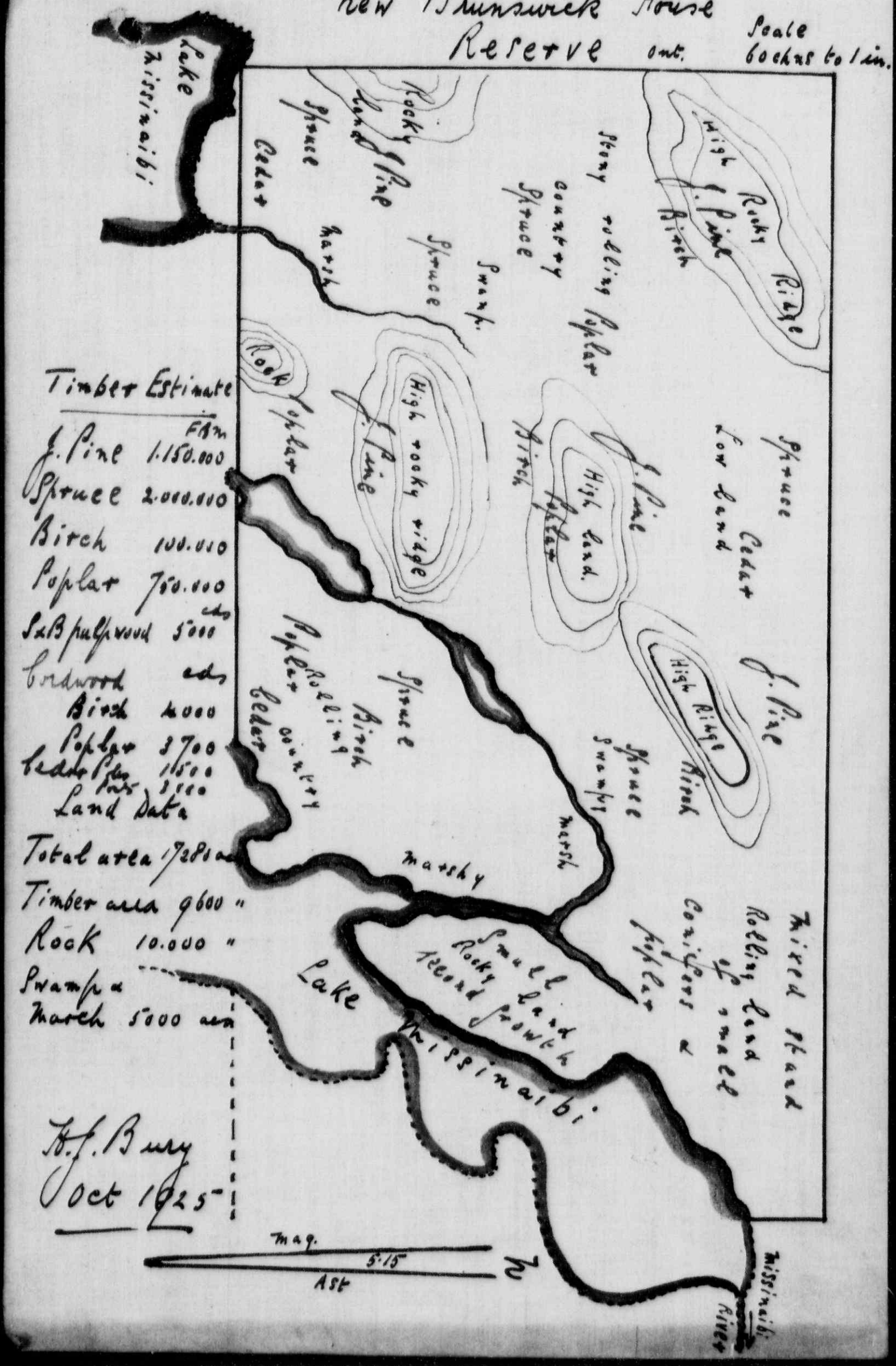

Timber Estimate

	FBM
J. Pine	1.150.000
Spruce	2.000.000
Birch	100.000
Poplar	750.000
S&B pulpwood	5000 cds
Cordwood	cds
Birch	4000
Poplar	3700
Cedar Poles	1500
Posts	3000

Land Data

Total area 17280 acres

Timber area 9600 "

Rock 10.000 "

Swamp & March 5000 acres

H. J. Bury
Oct 1925

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Memo. to the Deputy Superintendent General.

CRUISE & VALUATION OF TIMBER

New Brunswick House Reserve, Missinaibi.ONT.

The total area of this reserve is 17,250 acres of which 8000 acres consists of waste land-rock, swamp and muskeg whilst approx. 9,600 acres carries a medium size growth of mixed coniferous and deciduous timber.

The principal species of timber are jack pine, spruce birch, poplar and cedar. The estimate of timber is as follows:-

Jack pine.....	1,150,000	f.b.m.
Spruce.....	2,000,000	" "
Birch.....	100,000	" "
Poplar.....	750,000	" "
Spruce & Balsam pulpwood.....	5,000	cords
Birch cordwood..	4,000	"
Poplar " " ..	3,700	"
Cedar poles.....	1,500	
" posts.....	3,000	

Jack Pine is found in fairly large quantities on the principal ridges and although not of great size, averaging 14 ins. in diameter, yet is thrifty and quite suitable for tie timber.

Spruce is generally found in mixed stands with birch, poplar and cedar and is of fair size-20 ins. dia. but where it occurs in pure stands along the shore of the lakes or creeks can only be classified as pulpwood, the stand being dense, but small in diameter size i.e. average 9 inches.

Birch occurs generally over the entire reserve, on the high lands and is associated with spruce and poplar. The quantity of log timber is not large, but there is a considerable quantity of cordwood size timber of this species. This species has no present day value.

Poplar, also occurs generally and is of fair size, averaging 16 ins. in diameter, but subject to black heart. It is not commercially valuable at present, and unless a market should develop for poplar pulpwood, this species would not have any commercial value.

Cedar is found in the low lands but owing to its association with other species of timber, has developed branchy structure. A considerable quantity of poles and posts could be utilised, but these would not have any great value at present owing to the fact that there are large supplies of this class of material more readily accessible in the district.

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The situation of the reserve is such that if the timber is to be utilised to the best advantage it must be hauled to the mouth of the Missinaibi River and driven down stream 30 miles to the Canadian National Railway in the vicinity of Peterbell.The erection of a small mill at this point would have to be undertaken in order to manufacture the spruce into lumber,as the market for pulpwood has not yet been developed.

Ties could be profitably cut from the jack pine and driven down stream to the railway,and in my opinion this species of timber constitutes the most valuable on the reserve at the present time.Waste of timber would be avoided by erecting a small portable mill near the outlet of the Missinaibi River.

After a careful examination of the market prospects of the district I place the following valuation on the timber:-

Jack Pine.....	$8.00	per M.f.b.m.
Spruce.....	6.50	" " " "
Pulpwood.....	1.75	" cord.
Cedar poles....	25	cents ea.
"" posts....	4	"" "
Poplar.....	NIL	
Birch.....	""	

The total bonus value,or estimated value of timber based on the above estimate and unit value,is approx.$31.445.00

Supervisor Indian Timber Lands.

A plan of the Reserve showing the distribution of timber and report on form No.1 (Lands & Timber) is attached.

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Mar.29th.1926.

to the Deputy Superintendent General.

Examination of timber.Alnwick Reserve.

The total area of the Alnwick Reserve at present is approx.2956 acres,the original area of 3,283 acres having been reduced to the extent of 12 lots with an area of 326 acres,these lots having been patented to enfranchised Indians of the Alnwick reserve.

The estimate of timber remaining on the Reserve is as follows:-

Pine.....20,000	f.b.m.	
Spruce.....100,000	" "	& 250 cords
Hemlock.....100,000	" "	
Maple.....150,000	" "	& 1000 "
Birch.....250,000	" "	" 800 "
Elm.....200,000	" "	" 1000 "
Oak..... 25,000	" "	" 200 "
Ash..... 10,000	" "	" 100 "
Basswood....150,000	" "	
Poplar.....100,000	" "	" 700 "

There is thus sufficient timber remaining on the Reserve for the domestic needs of the Indians,and although certain Indian locations possess more timber than others,and on this account might produce restricted quantities of timber for sale without endangering the future supply of fuel and building timber,yet in my opinion the cutting of timber for sale should be discouraged.

Agent W.R.Coyle was authorised to issue 6 timber permits during the past winter and in addition to supervising the manner in which these permits were utilised,also encourages the Indians to clear up and cultivate the land out over.

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EAGLE LAKE RESERVE

Aubrey Twp.



Land Data

Total area	8882 acres
Agricultural ld.	1000 "
Timbered Land	6000 "
Waste -"-	1800 "

Timber Estimate

J. Pine.	2000 ties 1800 cds
Spruce	500 cds
Poplar	1000 "
Birch	500 "

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Memo. to D.S.G.I.A.

Cruise and estimate of timber

Eagle Lake Reserve, ONT.

The Eagle Lake Reserve has a total area of 8882 acres of which only 1000 acres can be classed as land suitable for agriculture.The soil is light and sandy,as the reserve comprises for the most part a high ridge over-looking Eagle Lake.There is approx. 1500 acres of waste land and 6000 acres of timbered land.

The timber is mostly,jack pine,poplar,birch and scattered spruce.There is a good stand of jack pine near the north boundary which is large enough for tie timber but over the remaining portion of the reserve,the merchantable size timber is scattered and of no commercial value.A considerable area in the central part of the Reserve is covered only with a sapling growth of poplar and birch.

The estimate of timber is as follows:-

Jack Pine.....2000 ties and 1800 cds.wood
Spruce..... 500 cds.
Poplar.....1000 "
Birch..... 500 "

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Fire has swept this reserve about 20 years ago,but a fairly thrifty stand of mixed conifers and deciduous timber is growing up,which,if fire does not damage,will grow to merchantable size in the future.

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A Plan showing the distribution of timber is attached.

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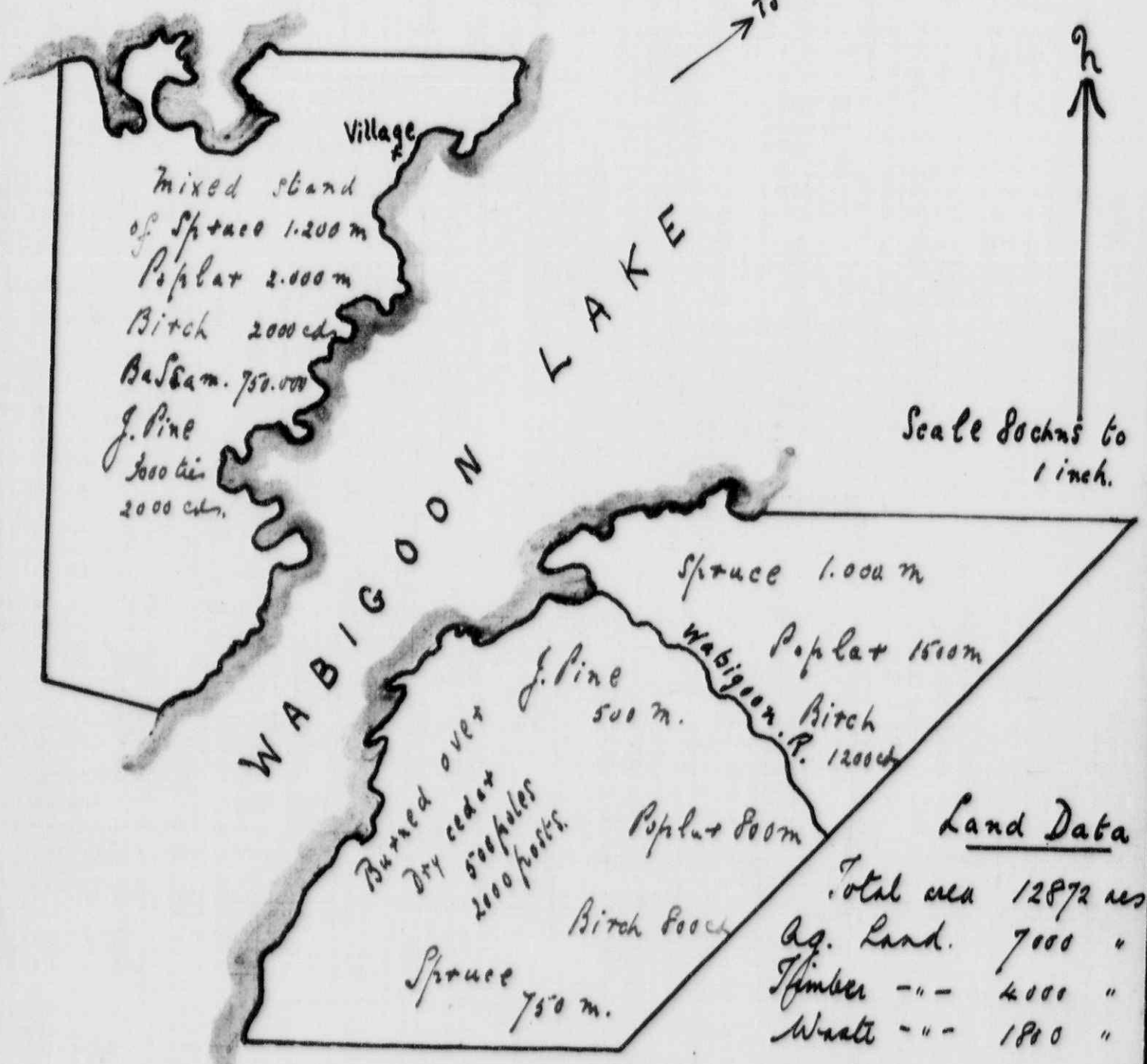
Wabigoon Lake Reserve.

Timber Estimate

Spruce 2.200.000 F.B.M.
J. Pine 750.000. FBM & 2000 cds
Poplar m. 300.000
Birch. 4000 cds. 6 miles



Land Data

Total area	12872 acres
Ag. Land.	7000 "
Timber -"-	4000 "
Waste -"-	1800 "

K.J. Burry
Sept. 1927

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Memo. to the Deputy Minister.

Cruise and estimate of timber

Wabigoon Lake Reserve. ONT.

The total area of the Wabigoon Lake Reserve is 12.872 acres,and is composed of two sections,one on each side of Wabigoon Lake.The greater portion of the reserve is composed of good clay soil but a very dense growth of comparatively young timber entails arduous clearing to make it productive for farm crops.

The reserve is fairly well timbered,although the trees are not large,having an average diameter of 10 inches. Spruce,Poplar,Jack Pine and Birch are the predominant species.

Spruce. This species occurs generally throughout the Reserve.In the low lands,along the lake shore it does not attain large size,rarely reaching 10 inches in diameter, but many trees of good size,(16 to 20 ins.) are to be found scattered among the poplar and birch.

Poplar. This species occurs in all parts of the Reserve,but more especially on the western portion.In size it averages 12 inches,is generally clear of limbs,free from black heart,and makes excellent,stave wood,building material or saw logs.

Jack Pine. This occurs mostly on exposed rocky points and along high sandy ridges.It does not grow large,averaging about 11 inches,but is fairly abundant.There is a good local market for tie timber from this species,and also pulpwood for the Kraft paper mill at Dryden.

Birch. This does not grow large,but there is a considerable quantity on the Reserve which would produce excellent cordwood.

Cedar There is a limited quantity of this species on the eastern portion,especially occuring on an old "brule" near the south end.Approx. 500 telegraph poles and 2000 posts could be cut from this dead and burned timber.

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The timber estimate is as follows:-

Spruce.....	2.200.000	f.b.m.
J.Pine.....	750.000	" "
Poplar.....	4.300.000	" "
Birch.....	4.000	cords.

A plan showing the distribution of timber is attached.

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Oct.14th.1927.

to the Deputy Minister.

Cruise & Estimate of timber

GROS CAP Indian RESERVE. ONT.

In accordance with instructions I visited the Gros Cap Reserve and made a careful cruise and examination of the timber and attach herewith field plan showing division by 40 acre plots and the distribution of timber.A detailed statement of field notes of each 40 acre plot is also attached,and final corrected plan of the reserve reduced to a scale of 40 chains to one inch,for complete record of lands and timber report.

The total area of the Gros Cap reserve was originally 11.017 acres but 1640 acres have been sold to the Algoma Central Ry. and the Lake Superior Power Corporation,so that the present area is 9.377 acres which includes the water area of Dore Lake,that lies within the reserve boundaries.

The land is absolutely unfit for cultivation,consisting for the most part of high rocky ridges and precipitous gullies. Fire swept over about 500 acres on the eastern boundary adjacent to the railway,about 20 years ago,leaving this section barren of timber.An extensive marsh,about 350 acres lies N.E. of the Indian village.

There is a fairly even distribution of spruce,balsam and birch timber over the entire reserve,although certain clear stands of spruce and balsam occur near Dore Lake and along the Dore river. There is a small quantity of cedar intermingled with the spruce and balsam along the low lying lands and gullies,but the quantity is not large,nor is the quality very good.Certain of the ridges show spruce and balsam as the dominant growth,whilst others have a dominant growth of birch with spruce and balsam intermingled.

SPRUCE is the main stand and has an average growth of 12 inch diameter.It is of good quality,straight,and sound,whilst the taper is generally only 1½ inches in 15 feet of length of bole. It is found generally associated with balsam and birch.

BALSAM represents about 40 per cent of the coniferous timber but is not so large as the spruce,having an average diameter of about 9 inches.

BIRCH occurs generally over the whole of the reserve and is of the white variety (betula alba or papyrifera) and has an average diameter of 10 inches.This species has little present day value,although the best of this timber might be utilised for spool or bobbin wood in the American market.

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The following is the estimate of timber on the Reserve:-

Spruce.....12.000 cords
Balsam..... 8.000 "
Birch..... 6.8501000 f.b.m.

The timber can be readily logged to Dore Lake on the West side and that portion on the N.E. corner could be conveniently handled to the Magpie River.

Further notes on the proper utilisation of this timber are given in separate memorandum.File 30013-3.

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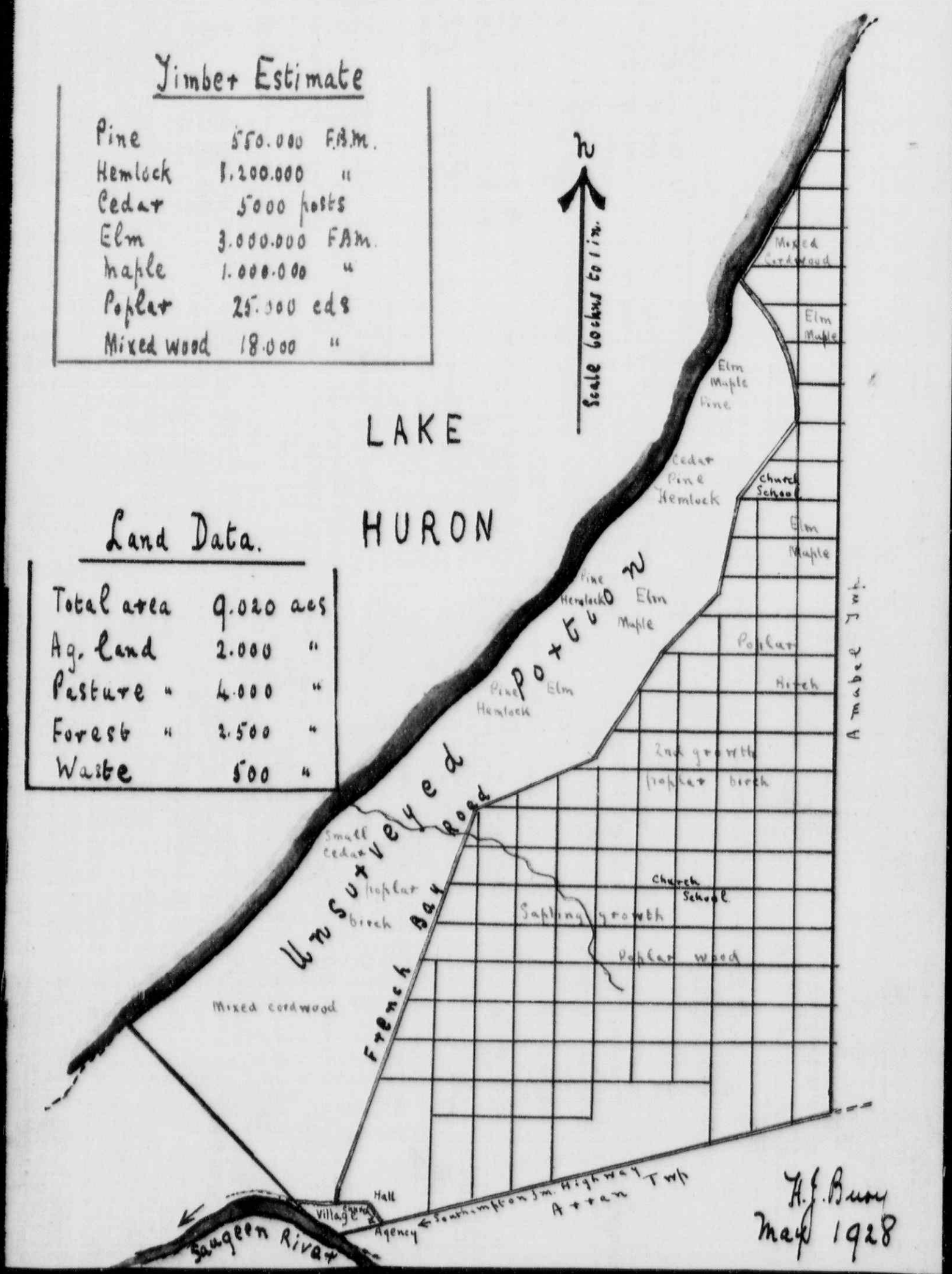
Saugeen Reserve

Timber Estimate

Pine	550.000	F.B.M.
Hemlock	1.200.000	"
Cedar	5000	posts
Elm	3.000.000	F.B.M.
Maple	1.000.000	"
Poplar	25.000	cds
Mixed wood	18.000	"

Land Data.

Total area	9.020	acs
Ag. land	2.000	"
Pasture "	4.000	"
Forest "	2.500	"
Waste	500	"



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May 16th.1928.

to Deputy Superintendent General.

Cruise and estimate of timber
Saugeen Reserve.

The total area of the Saugeen Reserve is 9.020 acres of which 2.000 acres is good agricultural land,-4.000 acres suitable for pasturage only,-2.500 acres suitable for timber growth and the balance of 500 acres is mostly rock and swamp.

Roughly speaking the timber of merchantable size is to be found only in the N.W.section of the unsurveyed portion of the Reserve,although there are isolated stands of good quality hardwood to be found near the east boundary of the sub-divided portion.

My estimate is as follows:-

W,Pine.....	550.000 f.b.m.
Hemlock.....	1.200.000 " "
Cedar.....	5000 posts.
Elm.....	3.000.000 f.b.m.
Maple.....	1.000.000 " "
Poplar.....	25.000 cords.
Mixed wood..	15.000 "".

The PINE is of good quality,averaging about 18 inches in diameter and is distributed throughout the softwood stands in the N.W.portion of the reserve,as shown on the plan attached.The available quantity is barely sufficient for the needs of the Indians,and none of it should be sold or exported off the reserve.

The HEMLOCK constitutes the main stand of building timber and is sufficient in quantity to meet the domestic needs of the Indians for many years.It is somewhat larger than the pine

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but possibly not quite as sound.This species represents the main source of supply of building material on the reserve and no permits to cut for sale should be allowed.

CEDAR This is mostly found along the lake shore and is not of large size but suitable for fence posts and rails,which are in great demand by the Indians.

ELM. This important hardwood could with advantage be sold for the benefit of the Indians,as they are unable to profitably log this species of timber.It is of fair size (approx.20 ins) and with it is associated maple of good quality.As neither of these two species are used for building purposes to any great extent,the Indians would be well advised to give a surrender of the hardwoods and sale to be made for their benefit.

POPLAR. This species is found generally all over the reserve. It is not large in size,but would make excellent pulpwood for which ready sale is found in the vicinity.When the Indians desire to cut timber for sale,as a measure of relief,they should be restricted to this species,or to fire wood from the smaller hardwood growth.

There is also a considerable quantity of dead and fallen timber which should be salvaged by the Indians as soon as possible.

A plan is attached showing the distribution of the timber.

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Plan of Brokenhead Reserve

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Scale 40 chs to 1 inch

Total area 13665 acs
Good land 9000 "
Marsh 3000 "
Waste land 1660 "

marsh & swamp.

Hay land

marsh

Swamp
Small spruce & balsam.
Sapling size.

Village

Scarterbury

2nd growth poplar. balm of gilead

Hay land

mixed growth
Spruce poplar birch
2nd growth.

C. N. Ry.

Good land.

Sapling size poplar.

Brokenhead R.

mixed poplar, spruce balm of gilead.

marsh

2nd growth poplar.

muskeg

Spruce 1000 cds.

Poplar 200 "

High rolling land.

Poplar 150 "

Spruce 250 cds.

Hay meadows

Spruce pulpwood 500 cds.

open hay country

Small spruce & balsam.

Poplar 100 "

W. F. Brown
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August 1st.1928.

to Actg. D.S.G.I.A.

Cruise and examination of Land & Timber

Brokenhead Reserve.MAN.

In accordance with instructions,I visited the Brokenhead Reserve,and made an examination of the land and timber.

The reserve has a total area of 13.665 acres of which approx.9000 acres is good agricultural land,suitable for the growing of crops and hay,3000 acres consists of marsh whilst approx.1660 acres is muskeg or waste land.

The reserve at one time had a large quantity of spruce timber of pulpwood size,but for the past 20 years,the Indians have been cutting this,with the result that today there is not a large quantity left.At the present time,there are approx.2000 cords of spruce pulpwood,and 1.750.000 f.b.m. of poplar,which latter however is not of much value at the present time.

The sub-divided section of the reserve,adjacent to the Brokenhead river,is for the most part good land,but the Indians do not appear to manifest much inclination to clear and work it.

They are content to do a little fishing in Lake Winnipeg in the summer,and trapping in the winter,although some of them continue to cut pulpwood for sale under permit.The supply of pulpwood will shortly be exhausted,and they will then be compelled to work their land,if they are to be self-supporting.

They should at least be encouraged to clear up their hay lands,as hay commands a good price in Winnipeg,and shipments can be readily made from Scanterbury station on the reserve,the distance to Winnipeg being only 42 miles.

The poplar timber on the reserve is not likely to be of much value for many years,although limited quantities of poplar summer wood,could be cut to advantage for sale in the city.

A plan is attached showing the main features of the reserve and the distribution of timber.

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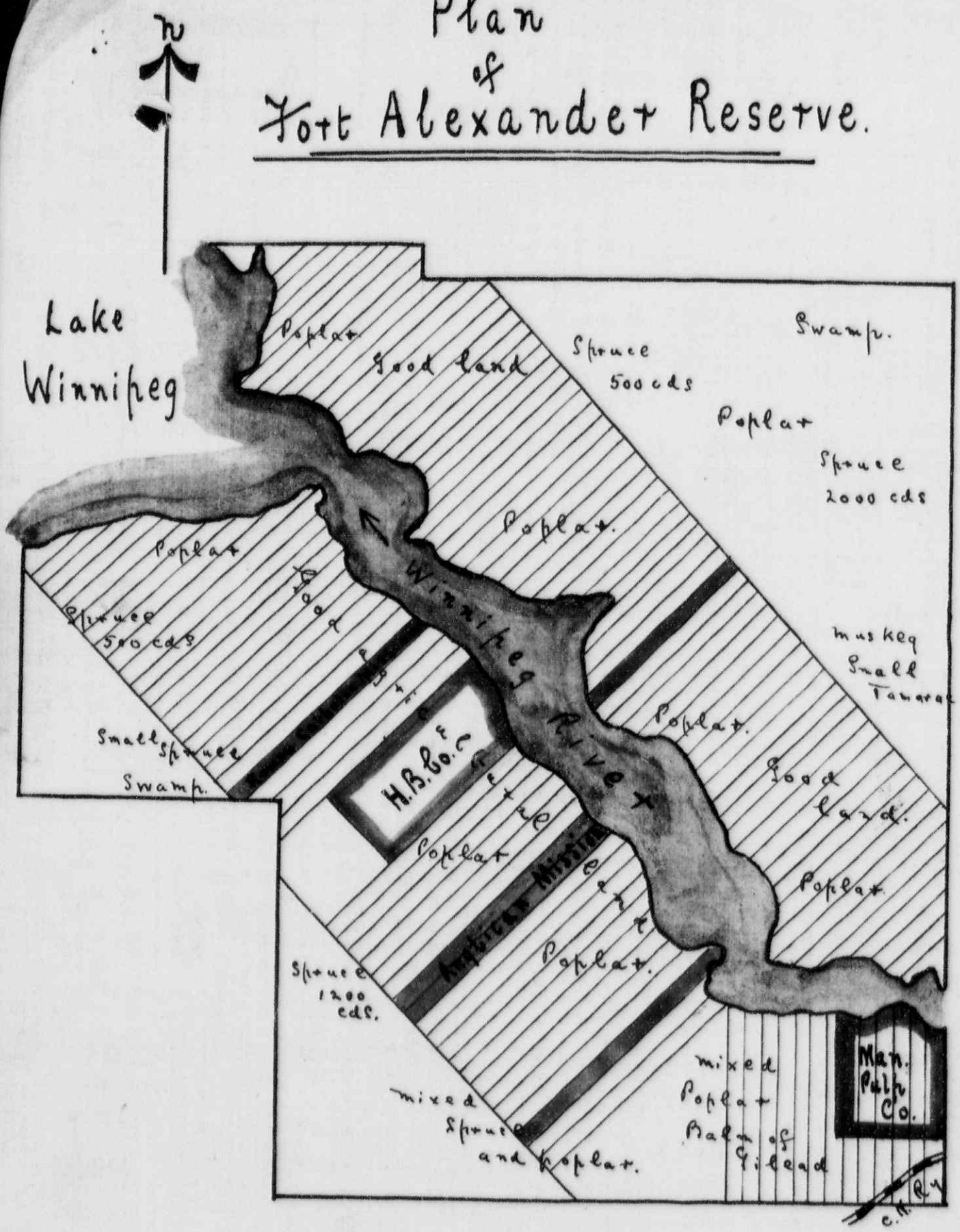
Plan of Fort Alexander Reserve.



Total area	21.670	acs.
Good land	12.500	acs
Swamp.	5.000	"
Marsh	3.000	"
Muskeg.	1.000	"

H. J. Bury
June 1928

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Aug.2nd.1928.

to Actg. D.S.G.I.A.

Cruise and examination of land & timber

Fort Alexander Reserve ,MAN.

In accordance with instructions I visited the Fort Alexander Reserve and made an examination of the land and timber,and at the same time discussed many matters with Indian agent Stevenson,who was at the Reserve during my visit.

The total area of the reserve is 21.760 acres, of which approx.12.500 acres is fit for agriculture,5000 acs. is swamp land,3000 acres,marsh,and approx.1000 acres muskeg.

There is now only 3.700 cords of pulpwood on the reserve,as the Indians have been very prodigal in the cutting of this class of material,owing to the proximity of the Pulp Mill at Pine Falls.They have in the past 15 years cut on an average ## 1500 cords annually,but do not seem to have derived much benefit,having earned merely wages,and have received nothing in the way of stumpage,other than the usual dues at the rate of 40 cents per cord.

There is a quantity of poplar,estimated at 2.500.000 f.b.m. but this has no value at the present time.There is also approx.1000 cords of dry timber which the Indians should be encouraged to salvage,before allowing them to resume pulpwood cutting,as this wood has a market value at present, but if permitted to remain uncut in the bush,much longer,it will deteriorate in quality,and so be of no use.

During my visit,the Indians asked to hold a special council meeting at which various matters were discussed, which are dealt with in separate memoranda.

A plan of the reserve is attached showing the main topographical features and the distribution of timber.

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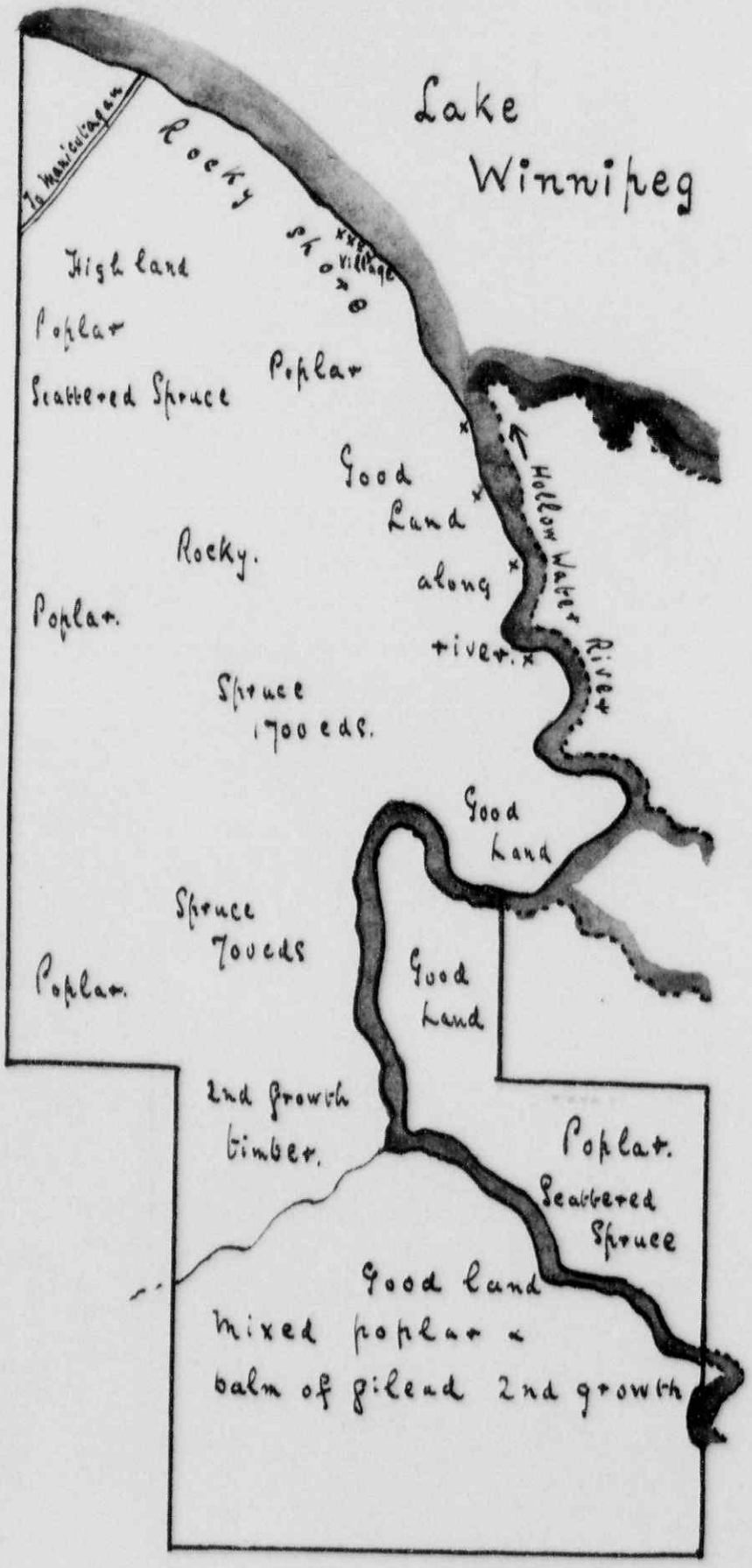
Plan of Hollow Water Reserve



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Total area	3574 acs.
Good land	2000 acs
Marsh.	700 "
Rock.	500 "
Swamp.	300 "

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to Actg.D.S.G.I.A.

Cruise and examination of land & timber

Hollowwater River Reserve.MAN.

The total area of the Hollow-water or Hole River Reserve is 3.574 acres,comprising 700 acres of agricultural land,700 acres of marsh,500 acres of rock and 300 acres swamp land.

The South East portion of the reserve was burned over about 17 years ago,and is now covered by a dense second growth of poplar and white birch.The land in this section is a black loam and highly fertile,but up to the present time the Indians have not taken any steps to place it under cultivation.

There remains approx.2400 cords of merchantable spruce and 2.275.000 f.b.m. of log size poplar,which however is of no value at the present time. There is some scattered spruce throughout the N.W.portion of the reserve,but not in sufficient quantity to be of commercial value.

I found several indications of auriferous rock,as the reserve is practically a continuation of the mining field of Manicotagan.The Chief,(W.Hardisty) informed me that at one time a prospector discovered a rich vein on the reserve but he disappeared,and the Indians have been unable to locate it.

Extensive hay lands (marsh hay) exist along both sides of the river,but the Indians make very little effort to put up hay,as they seem content to merely fish and hunt.

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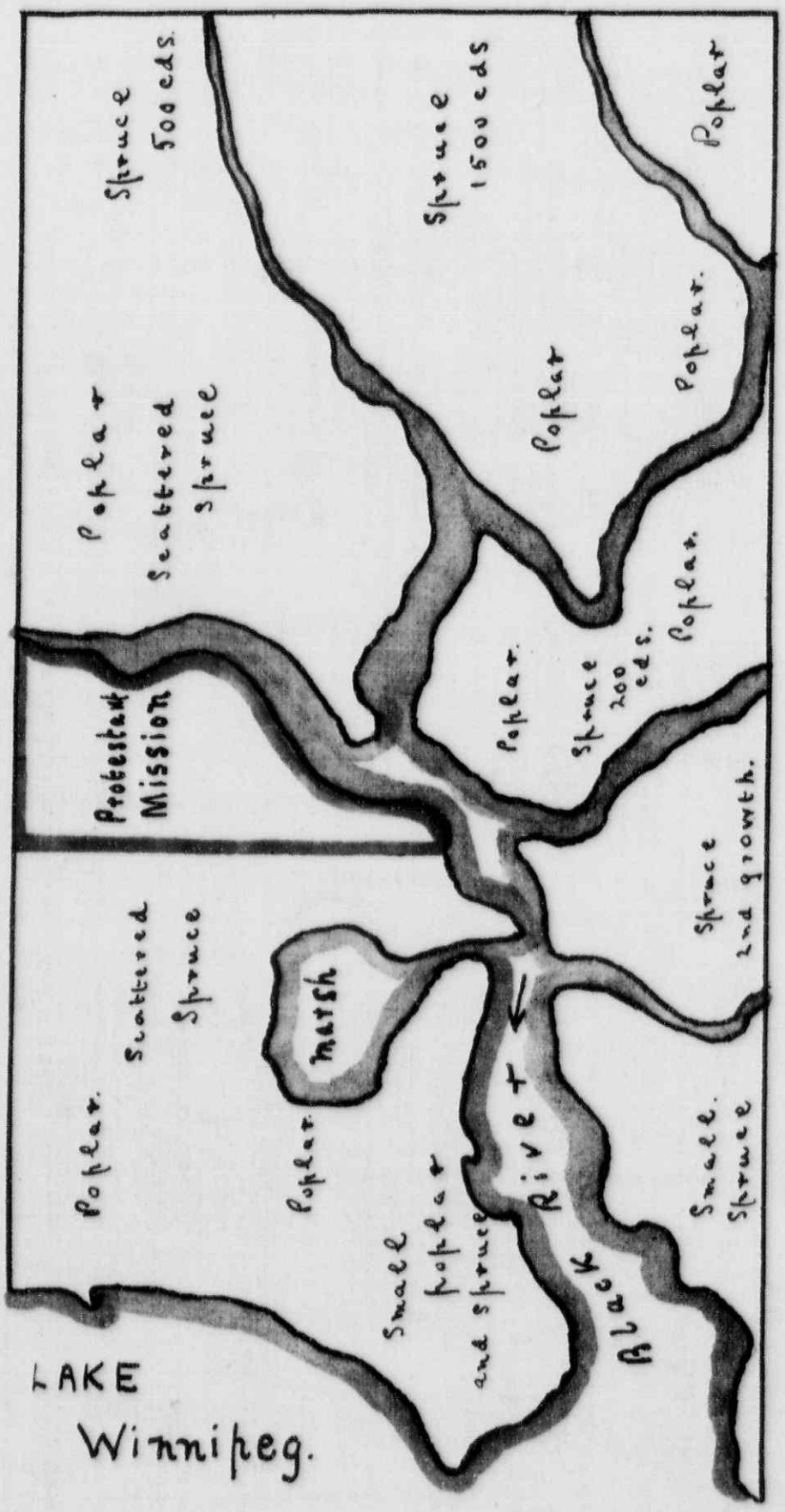
Plan of Black River Reserve



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Total area	2000	acs
Good land	900	"
Marsh	500	"
Swamp.	400	"
Rock.	200	"

H. J. Bury
July 1928.

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to Actg. D.S.G.I.A.

Cruise and examination of land & timber

BLACK RIVER RESERVE. MAN.

The Black River reserve has a total area of ~~5514~~ 2000 acres, of which, ~~1700~~ acres are fit for agriculture, 500 acres comprise swamp land, 400 acres marsh and 400 acres of rock.

The land that is fit for farming is a heavy black loam of good fertility but the Indians do not appear to mke much effort to cultivate it, being content to fish and hunt.

There is very little timber remaining on the reserve that is of present day value. The spruce is restricted to 2.200 cords whilst although there is approx. a quantity of poplar estimated at 1.250.000 f.b.m. yet this species has no value at present.

Some years ago permission was given to erect a small mill on the reserve, and at that time the Indians cut the greater part of the merchantable timber, but there still remains a fairly general thrifty small growth of spruce, which in time to come will attain commercial size.

Chief Gilbert Harry complained to me that the Manitoba Pulp & Paper Co. of Pine Falls had piled a large quantity of pulpwood on his garden plot, two years ago and appeared to make no effort to remove this, thus preventing him from growing his usual crop of potatoes. I would suggest that agent Stevenson be asked to make representations in this matter to the manager of the company, and ask them to pay the chief some adequate compensation for the use of his garden plot as a piling ground, or remove the wood immediately.

Supervisor Indian Timber Lands.

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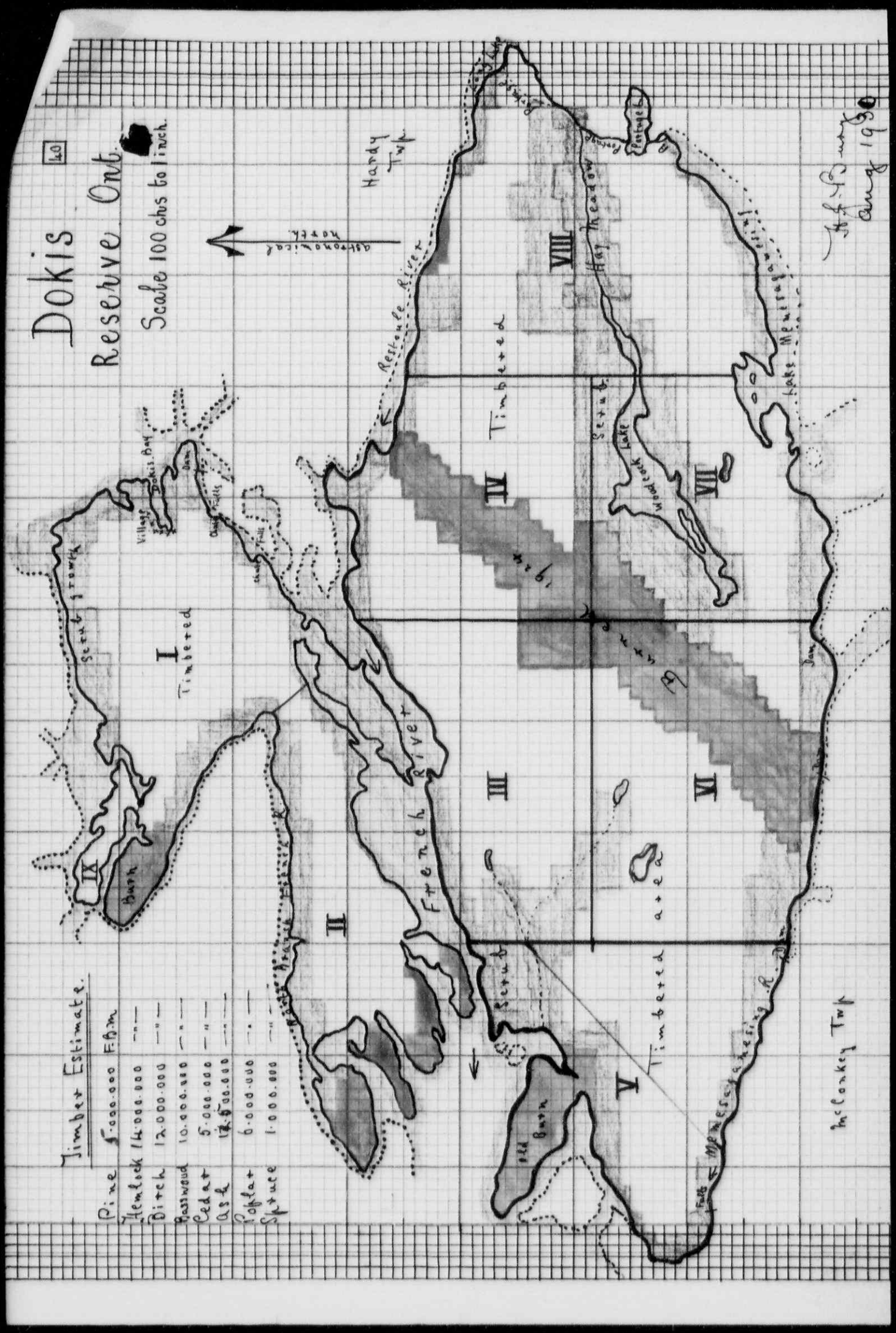

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Ottawa, Aug.18th.1930. 192

Memo. to Deputy Minister.

Cruise and estimate of timber

DOKIS RESERVE.

The Dokis Reserve, situated on the French River, about 20 miles west of Lake Nipissing has a total area of 38.885 acres, the surface of which is gently undulating, and free from deep ravines and high rocky ridges.

LAND CLASSIFICATION

Land burned over (sapling growth)	5.700	acs.
Low land (marsh, swamp)	2.950	"
Rocky land (scrub growth)	6.650	"
Stony Land (second growth)	12.580	"
Timbered land	10.850	"

Good agricultural land only occurs in small isolated patches, although there are extensive areas of wild hay meadow.

TIMBER. This reserve was cut over, about 20 years ago for the pine timber only, and the vast quantity of approx. 120 million f.b.m. was cut from trees of 10 inches and up in diameter. No timber has been cut since that time, except small quantities for the use of the Indians. Notes on the present stand of timber, follow herewith:-

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HEMLOCK. This species is found generally throughout the whole reserve being intermingled with pine, basswood and birch. A total quantity of 14 million fbm. is found, some of which in berth No.7 has been affected with the "hemlock looper" and should be salvaged, as this infestation is spreading through the remaining hemlock.

BIRCH. This species is mostly of the "yellow" or "canoe" variety and has attained good size. In many cases, the trees have reached an over-mature stage of growth and should be cut, as the quality is deteriorating. There is a total quantity of 12 million f.b.m. The smaller variety "papyrifera" or white birch occurs generally, but rarely attains any size.

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Timbered land.....10.	850 "

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MANITOULIN ISLAND
UNCEDED

Scale 2 miles to 1 inch.

640 acres.

Mag. Dev. 8° W of Astr.

Land Data.

Total Area	105.300 acs
Waste land	55.000 — " —
Timber — " —	16.000 — " —
Cleared — " —	10.000 — " —
2nd growth — " —	25.000 — " —

Timber Estimate.

Spruce	12.000.000. F.B.M.
Cedar	2.000.000 — " —
Balsam	4.000.000 — " —
Hemlock	2.000.000 — " —
Oak	1.500.000 — " —
Elm	5.000.000 — " —
Birch	6.000.000 — " —
Ash	3.000.000 — " —
Poplar	4.000.000 — " —
Pine	2.000.000 — " —

MANITOWANING BAY

Land partly cleared & isolated stands of mixed hardwoods.

arable land.

Wikemikong

Smith Bay

farm land partly cleared.

mixed hardwoods

Buzwah

Scattered stands of hardwood mixed

Spruce Balsam

2nd growth hardwoods

Manitowaning Agency

Scattered timber mixed Species

Wikemikonsing

Spruce Balsam Cedar

SOUTH BAY

HURON

Village

Mixed spruce balsam cedar

Tamarac Harbour

Old Trail

Jocko Bay

mixed growth spruce balsam birch. poplar. cedar. pine

2nd growth cedar & pine

Thomas Bay

2nd growth j. pine cedar

Owen Channel

Fitzwilliam Is.

LAKE

H. J. Bury
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Ottawa, Nov.21st.1933. 192

Memo. Dr.McGill:

MANITOULIN ISLAND UNCEDED RESERVE.

This reserve which forms the eastern peninsula of Manitoulin Island,Lake Huron,has an area of 105.300 acres,being the second largest in the Dominion.A large percentage of the land is unfit for cultivation and can only be classed as waste land,-this description applying to approximately 55.000 acres.

Timbered land comprises 16.000 acres of the reserve,whilst the Indians have cleared and cultivate approx.10.000 acres.The balance of the area being 25.000 acres is covered with small second growth timber of mixed coniferous and deciduous species.

At one time there was a large quantity of timber handily accessible to water,but this has all been cut and removed by the Indians,the remaining stands of merchantable timber being found at present in the interior and somewhat remote from the shore line,except in the case of the extreme# southern portion of the reserve.

The present stand of merchantable timber is estimated at 47.500.000 f.b.m. details of which are shown on the attached plan.The conifers such as spruce, pine,cedar and balsam occur in pronounced stands as shown, whilst the hardwoods are generally scattered throughout the entire reserve,especially in the northem area.

The timber resources of this reserve are ample for the future needs of the Indians if reasonable care is exercised in the matter of granting permits,and there is an enormous quantity of thrifty second growth timber, which will attain a fair size in course of time if forest fire is kept away from the Reserve.

In this connection I would observe that the annual employment of at least one Indian to patrol the southern un-occupied portion of the reserve,during hazardous dry seasons,would be advisable,and would recommend the employment of such an Indian next year.

Approved as a charge to band funds.

J. J. Bury

Supervisor Indian Timber Lands.

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Restigouche	"	35 [illegible]	-"-
Ship Harbour	N.S.	35 [illegible]	-"-
[illegible] River	"	33 [illegible] A	-"-
Georgina Is.	Ont	33 B	-"-
Doncaster	Que	34 C & 37 C	-"-
Shawanaga	Ont	37 B & 34 C	-"-
Caradoc	"	St Croix	N.S.
Walpole Is	"	Henvey Inlet	Ont
Garden R.	"	Maganetawan	-"-
Red Rock	"	Naiscoutaing	-"-
Fort William	"	Henvey Inlet	-"-
Christian Is	"	Cape Croker	-"-
Spanish R.	"	Gros Cap	-"-
		Shoal Lake No 39	Ont
		Lac Seul	-"-
Parry Is	"	Bersimis	Que
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17 B. Rainy L.	Ont.	Homalco No 4.	B.C.
35 H & 32 C	L. of Woods	Tsooahdie No 15	-"-
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35 D.	"	Manitoulin Unceded	Ont
Tobique	N.B.	Shoal Lake 28 A	Sask
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R E P O R T

CONCERNING LANDS AND TIMBER ON THE.....INDIAN RESERVE.

DATE..... FILE NO.....

TOTAL AREA OF RESERVE.....

AREA OF AGRICULTURAL LAND.....

AREA OF WASTE LAND.....ROCK.....SWAMP.....MUSKEG.....

AREA OF TIMBER LAND.....

PRINCIPAL SPECIES OF TIMBER AND QUANTITIES.....

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AVERAGE STAND OF TIMBER PER ACRE.....FEET B.M.

AREA OF LAND CLEARED.....FENCED.....AND UNDER CULTIVATION.....

IS THERE ANY SERIOUS FIRE RISK?..... AND OF WHAT NATURE.....

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ARE THERE ANY INDICATIONS OF MINERAL DEPOSITS?.....IF SO

GIVE DETAILS.....

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NUMBER OF INDIAN FAMILIES PERMANENTLY RESIDING ON RESERVE.....

PRINCIPAL MEANS OF LIVELIHOOD.....

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WHAT PROGRESS IF ANY HAS BEEN MADE TOWARD CULTIVATION OF THE LAND AND

BETTERMENT OF CONDITIONS DURING THE PAST FEW YEARS.....

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REMARKS.....

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Form No 1

Signed:-.....
Inspector or Timber Valuator

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS CANADA

Ottawa. Nov.29th.1917.

Memo. Mr. Orr:-

In connection with the examination of lands and timber that is made from time to time of Indian Reserves by officers of the Outside Service or others specially appointed to do this work, I beg to suggest that a standard form be followed so that this information can be of better service to this branch, and ~~so~~ that standardisation of such reports can be effected for purposes of reference.

A specimen form is herewith attached, and I would recommend that 300 hundred copies be printed.

H. J. Bury
Timber Inspector.

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REPORT

Concerning Lands and Timber on the ..... **Indian Reserve**

Date ..... **File No.** .....

Total area of Reserve..... .....

Area of agricultural land..... ....

Area of waste land.....Rock.....Swamp.....Muskeg.....

Area of timber land.....

Principal species of timber and quantities..... .....

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Average stand of timber per acre.....Feet B.M.

Area of land cleared.....Fenced.....and under cultivation.....

Is there any serious fire risk ?.....and of what nature..... .....

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Are there any indications of mineral deposits ?.....If so give details.....

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Number of Indian families permanently residing on Reserve..... .....

Principal means of livelihood..... ....

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What progress if any has been made toward cultivation of the land, and betterment of conditions during the past few years.....

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Remarks.. .....

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Inspector or Timber Valuator.

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REPORT

Concerning Lands and Timber on the COOCOOCACHE Indian Reserve

Date Jan.30th.1914. File No. 359494

Total area of Reserve 380 acres.

Area of agricultural land 300 acres.

Area of waste land 80 acs. Rock 70 acs. Swamp 10 acs Muskeg

Area of timber land 250 acs.

Principal species of timber and quantities W.Pine 250.000 f.b.m Spruce 500.000 f.b.m balsam fir 250.000 f.b.m. Pulpwood 1500 cords.

Average stand of timber per acre 2300 f.b.m Feet B.M.

Area of land cleared None Fenced None and under cultivation Nil

Is there any serious fire risk ? Yes and of what nature

Dry slash of dead and fallen spruce timber

Are there any indications of mineral deposits ? No If so give details

Number of Indian families permanently residing on Reserve None

Principal means of livelihood

What progress if any has been made toward cultivation of the land, and betterment of conditions during the past few years No attempt has ever been made to effect improvements on this Reserve.

Remarks. This Reserve is owned by the band interested in the Weymontachi Reserve and who are resident there.

H.J.Bury.
Inspector or Timber Valuator.

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REPORT

Concerning Lands and Timber on the WEYMONTACHI Indian Reserve

Date Jan.30th. 1914. File No. 410923

Total area of Reserve 7407.95 acres

Area of agricultural land 5500 acres

Area of waste land 2000 acs Rock 700 acs. Swamp 700 acs Muskeg 600 acs

Area of timber land 6000 acres

Principal species of timber and quantities Spruce 5.250.000 f.b.m Birch 3.000.000 Fir 1.000.000 Pulpwood 29.500 cords.

Average stand of timber per acre 1600 Feet B.M.

Area of land cleared 20 acres Fenced 15 acs. and under cultivation 10 acres

Is there any serious fire risk? Yes and of what nature Proximity to Transcontinental R.R. and presence of old cuttings and slash

Are there any indications of mineral deposits? No. If so give details

Number of Indian families permanently residing on Reserve 10

Principal means of livelihood Hunting and trapping.

What progress if any has been made toward cultivation of the land, and betterment of conditions during the past few years Very little.The members of the band follow a nomadic life only staying on the Reserve at intervals such as at Christmas,Easter etc.

Remarks This band might be afforded help in building houses and assistance towards cultivation of the land.

H.J.Bury.
Inspector or Timber Valuator.

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REPORT

Concerning Lands and Timber on the RESTIGOUCHE Indian Reserve

Date Jan.1914. File No. 173658-1a

Total area of Reserve 8519 acres

Area of agricultural land 800 acres

Area of waste land 5000 acs Rock 4000 acs Swamp 1000 acs Muskeg

Area of timber land 4000acres

Principal species of timber and quantities Maple 1.580.000 f.b.m. Birch 2.000.000 Cedar 250.000 Spruce 2.500.000 Fir 625.000 Pulpwood 15.500 cds,

Average stand of timber per acre 1 000 Feet B.M.

Area of land cleared 40 acs Fenced 40 acs. and under cultivation 35 acs.

Is there any serious fire risk ? No. and of what nature

Are there any indications of mineral deposits ? No. If so give details

Number of Indian families permanently residing on Reserve 37

Principal means of livelihood Working in saw-mill on Reserve and loading vessels. Also guiding fishing parties and lumbering in the woods.

What progress if any has been made toward cultivation of the land, and betterment of conditions during the past few years Some little progress has been made in increasing the area of land under cultivation but such progress is very slow and only one or two individual members of the band appear to be progressive.

Remarks

There should be no reasonn why these Indians cannot get along well as they have every opportunity. Inherent unprogressiveness is the only drawback.

H.J.Bury.
Inspector or Timber Valuator.

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REPORT

Concerning Lands and Timber on the SHIP HARBOUR Indian Reserve

Date February 1914 File No. 488052-2

Total area of Reserve 500 acres.

Area of agricultural land 100 acres

Area of waste land 200 acs Rock 50 acs Swamp 100 acs Muskeg 50 acs.

Area of timber land 300 acres

Principal species of timber and quantities Spruce 895.000 f.b.m Fir 98.000 Pine 31.000 Birch 51.000 Hemlock 10.000 Pulpwood 3000 cds.

Average stand of timber per acre 5000 Feet B.M.

Area of land cleared None Fenced Nil and under cultivation Nil

Is there any serious fire risk ? No. and of what nature

Are there any indications of mineral deposits ? No. If so give details

Number of Indian families permanently residing on Reserve None

Principal means of livelihood

What progress if any has been made toward cultivation of the land, and betterment of conditions during the past few years. This Reserve has a fine site on Ship Harbour Lake and might well constitute a good central home for the members of the Halifax County Indians who are at present scattered all over the Province.

Remarks

H.J. Bury.
Inspector or Timber Valuator.

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REPORT

Concerning Lands and Timber on the GOLD RIVER Indian Reserve

Date Feb.1914 File No. 442626

Total area of Reserve 736 acres

Area of agricultural land 130 acres

Area of waste land 400 acs Rock 150 acs. Swamp 50 acs. Muskeg 200 acs

Area of timber land 500 acs.

Principal species of timber and quantities Spruce 2000 cords. Balsam fir 400 cds. Pine 15.000 f.b.m.

Average stand of timber per acre 6 cords F~~#####~~.

Area of land cleared 5 acs. Fenced 4 acs. and under cultivation 2 acs.

Is there any serious fire risk? Yes and of what nature presence of large quantity of fire killed and dead and fallen spruce timber

Are there any indications of mineral deposits? No. If so give details

Number of Indian families permanently residing on Reserve Two.

Principal means of livelihood Working for wages alongshore at loading vessels etc. etc.

What progress if any has been made toward cultivation of the land, and betterment of conditions during the past few years None. Indians of this Reserve are singularly apathetic toward anything resembling progressiveness.

Remarks

H.J.Bury.
Inspector or Timber Valuator.

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REPORT

Concerning Lands and Timber on the GEORGINA ISLAND Indian Reserve

Date Dec.28th.1914. File No. 488010

Total area of Reserve 3800 acres

Area of agricultural land 2500 acres

Area of waste land 800 acs Rock nil. Swamp 600 ac Muskeg 200 ac

Area of timber land 2000 acres

Principal species of timber and quantities Elm 1.800.000 f.b.m. Basswood 860.000
Hemlock 1.375.000 Other species Hardwood i.e.Ash,Birch,etc. 400.000

Average stand of timber per acre 2000 Feet B.M.

Area of land cleared 75 acs Fenced 70 acs and under cultivation 60 acres

Is there any serious fire risk ? No. and of what nature

Are there any indications of mineral deposits ? No. If so give details

Number of Indian families permanently residing on Reserve Eighteen.

Principal means of livelihood Working at saw-mills in summer, in woods in winter also guiding fishing parties etc.

What progress if any has been made toward cultivation of the land, and betterment of conditions during the past few years Considerable progress has been made of recent years. Chief Big Canoe is very progressive and is a good example to the rest of the band. Several of the Indians have good agricultural holdings and have become independent.

Remarks. This band should have every encouragement especially along agriculture lines as their timber is very limited in quantity and barely sufficient for their own needs.

H.J.Bury.
Inspector or Timber Valuator.

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REPORT

Concerning Lands and Timber on the DONCASTER Indian Reserve

Date Dec.11th.1914. File No. 69374-3

Total area of Reserve 18,500 acres

Area of agricultural land 3000 acres farm land 8000 acres grazing.

Area of waste land 8500 ac Rock 7000 ac Swamp 1500 ac Muskeg Nil

Area of timber land 4000 acres

Principal species of timber and quantities Spruce 3500 cords Balsam 500 cds. Cedar 1100 poles Birch 1800 cords Maple 250 cords O.S.Hardwood 200 cords.

Average stand of timber per acre 1½ cords ######.

Area of land cleared 3 acs. Fenced 3 acs. and under cultivation 2 acs.

Is there any serious fire risk? Yes. and of what nature Presence of dry cedar and spruce slash resultant from previous lumbering

Are there any indications of mineral deposits? No. If so give details

Number of Indian families permanently residing on Reserve Three

Principal means of livelihood Hunting and trapping.

What progress if any has been made toward cultivation of the land, and betterment of conditions during the past few years None! The Indians here appear to have no ambition although they have every opportunity of improving their condition. There is ample farm land and nothing should prevent them from soon becoming independent if they chose.

Remarks

This large reserve is practically useless. I would suggest that if possible a portion of it should be sold for the benefit of the Indians ~~if this is at all possible~~.

H.J.Bury.
Inspector or Timber Valuator.

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REPORT

Concerning Lands and Timber on the SHAWANAGA Indian Reserve

Date April 1914. File No. 488022-6

Total area of Reserve 9000 acres

Area of agricultural land 1700 acres

Area of waste land 1000 ac. Rock 300 ac Swamp 400 ac Muskeg 300 ac

Area of timber land 5000 acres

Principal species of timber and quantities Pine 4.700.000 f.b.m. Hemlock 4.430.000 Birch 1.010.000 Beech 75.000 Maple 200.000 Spruce 50.000 Balsam Fir 70.000 Cedar 140.000 Tamarac 70.000

Average stand of timber per acre 2000 Feet B.M.

Area of land cleared 60 acs. Fenced 30 acs and under cultivation 20 acs.

Is there any serious fire risk ? Yes and of what nature Proximity to C.P.R. and presence of large quantity of slash and debris.

Are there any indications of mineral deposits ? No. If so give details

Number of Indian families permanently residing on Reserve 15.

Principal means of livelihood Lumbering in winter and working in saw-mills in summer. The band have every facility for improving their condition but spend there time in idleness to a great extent. No ambition.

What progress if any has been made toward cultivation of the land, and betterment of conditions during the past few years Very little. They have cut and sold a large quantity of their best pine timber without any profit to themselves not even to build decent houses. If this band had better supervision they would possibly do better.

Remarks If timber sold for their benefit, funds would be available wherewith to build houses and assist the Indians to cultivate the land.

H.J.Bury.
Inspector or Timber Valuator.

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REPORT

Concerning Lands and Timber on the CARADOC. Indian Reserve

Date Jan.1915. File No. 488007

Total area of Reserve 10.000 acres

Area of agricultural land 8000 acres

Area of waste land 1000 ac Rock 300 ac Swamp 700 ac Muskeg Nil

Area of timber land 1000 acres

Principal species of timber and quantities Elm 26.000 f.b.m Maple 200 cords
Mixed cordwood i.e.Elm,swamp oak,soft maple,poplar 3.500 cords.

Average stand of timber per acre 3½ cords ~~#####~~.

Area of land cleared 400 acs. Fenced 300 acs. and under cultivation 300 acs.

Is there any serious fire risk? No. and of what nature

Are there any indications of mineral deposits? No. If so give details

Number of Indian families permanently residing on Reserve 55

Principal means of livelihood Working out for wages although a few farm. A pernicious practice on the Reserve consists in the Indians sub-letting or leasing their farm holdings to white men.

What progress if any has been made toward cultivation of the land, and betterment of conditions during the past few years Not perceptible. A large percentage of the land fit for agriculture is low and could not be profitably farmed before a syatem of under-drainage is installed. The Indians are not especially progressive.

Remarks

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Inspector or Timber Valuator.

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Concerning Lands and Timber on the WALPOLE ISLAND. Indian Reserve

Date Jan.1915. File No. 488040

Total area of Reserve 40.000 acres

Area of agricultural land 25.000 acres

Area of waste land 7.000 ac Rock 500 ac Swamp 1500 ac Marsh 5000 acs.

Area of timber land 15.000 ac.

Principal species of timber and quantities Elm. 3.200.000 f.b.m. Oak 500.000 Basswood 250.000 Mixed hardwood 5000 cords.

Average stand of timber per acre 500 @ ½ cord ft. Feet B.M.

Area of land cleared 2000 ac Fenced 1800 ac and under cultivation 2500 ac

Is there any serious fire risk? No. and of what nature

Are there any indications of mineral deposits? No. If so give details

Number of Indian families permanently residing on Reserve 120

Principal means of livelihood Working out for wages and engaging in farming in summer and lumbering in the winter.

What progress if any has been made toward cultivation of the land, and betterment of conditions during the past few years Some progress has been made by a few families but the greater number of Indians do not exhibit much ambition to improve their condition.

Remarks There is great deal of land suitable for agriculture on this Reserve and if cleared up would be very valuable as the soil is exceptionally good.

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Concerning Lands and Timber on the GARDEN RIVER Indian Reserve

Date Feb.26th.1915. File No. 488023

Total area of Reserve 28.510 acres

Area of agricultural land 12.000 acres

Area of waste land 7.000 acRock 6000 ac Swamp 800 ac Muskeg 200 acres

Area of timber land 15.000 acres

Principal species of timber and quantities Pine 400.000 f.b.m. Spruce 1.700.000 Poplar 1.700.000 f.b.m. Birch 200.000 Spruce p'wood 2700 cds. Poplar wood 2400 cds. Birch cordwood 400 cds. Various cordwood 200 cds. Various lumber (cedar etc.)50.000 f.b.m.

Average stand of timber per acre 270 Feet B.M.

Area of land cleared 1200 ac Fenced 1100 ac and under cultivation 1100 acs.

Is there any serious fire risk ? No. and of what nature

Are there any indications of mineral deposits ? Yes If so give details Limestone rock much in evidence also good quarrying stone. Some chalk and general exposure of auriferous rock mostly in the form of quartz.

Number of Indian families permanently residing on Reserve 75

Principal means of livelihood Working out for wages. Lumbering in winter working at Sault Ste Marie during summer. Agriculture on Reserve

What progress if any has been made toward cultivation of the land, and betterment of conditions during the past few years. This band appear to Be fairly progressive Although they do not farm with any great degree of thoroughness yet certain individuals have made excellent progress in the last few years.

Remarks. The Reserve has a number of good buildings erected on it and the general impression received when visiting is one of appreciation at the manner in which efforts appear to be made on the part of the Indians to improve their holdings.

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Concerning Lands and Timber on the RED ROCK. Indian Reserve

Date Feb.1915. File No. 488009-4

Total area of Reserve 468 acres

Area of agricultural land 320 acres

Area of waste land 150 ac Rock 80 ac Swamp 30 ac Muskeg 40 ac

Area of timber land 350 acres

Principal species of timber and quantities Spruce 330.000 f.b.m. Poplar 600.000 Balsam fir 10.000 Birch 100.000 Pulpwood 1000 cds. Cordwood mixed 800 cds. Cedar poles 1800

Average stand of timber per acre 3000 Feet B.M.

Area of land cleared 5 acres Fenced 3 ac and under cultivation 2 ac

Is there any serious fire risk? Yes and of what nature proximity of old lumbering slash and presence of Can.Nor.Ont.Ry.

Are there any indications of mineral deposits? Yes If so give details Iron bearing deposits are frequent occurring mostly in the form of red oxide Fe_2O_3 and Chalybeate sand.

Number of Indian families permanently residing on Reserve Three

Principal means of livelihood Hunting and trapping.

What progress if any has been made toward cultivation of the land, and betterment of conditions during the past few years Practically none.
The Indians of this band do not show any indication of ambition to improve their conditions.

Remarks

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Concerning Lands and Timber on the FORT WILLIAM. Indian Reserve

Date Feb.1915. File No. 488009

Total area of Reserve 8673 acres

Area of agricultural land 1200 acres

Area of waste land 6000 ac Rock 5400 ac Swamp 600 Muskeg Nil

Area of timber land 1500 acres

Principal species of timber and quantities Spruce 400.000 f.b.m. Birch 300.000 Tamarac 20.000 Pulpwood 2600 cds. Birch cordwood 300 cds. Cedar poles 1700

Average stand of timber per acre 150 Feet B.M.

Area of land cleared 500 acs Fenced 300 ac and under cultivation 250 acs

Is there any serious fire risk ? No. and of what nature

Are there any indications of mineral deposits ? Yes If so give details Excellent building stone. Granite

Number of Indian families permanently residing on Reserve 45

Principal means of livelihood Lumbering in winter fishing in summer and working out for wages.

What progress if any has been made toward cultivation of the land, and betterment of conditions during the past few years This band show some little pro gress and indicate some effort to improve their buildings and better their condition.There are several good buildings and some individual members have got good clearings.

Remarks

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Concerning Lands and Timber on the CHRISTIAN ISLAND. Indian Reserve

Date March 1915. File No. 488006

Total area of Reserve 9260 acres

Area of agricultural land 7000 acres

Area of waste land 2000 ac Rock 1200 ac Swamp 700 ac Muskeg 100 ac.

Area of timber land 6000 acres

Principal species of timber and quantities Beech 7.600.000 f.b.m Maple 4.000.000 Hemlock 1.750.000 Elm 325.000 Basswood 200.000 Birch 100.000 Oak 20.000 Ash 30.000 Cedar 7000 poles. Pine 20.000 Mixed cordwood (hardwood) 2500 cds.

Average stand of timber per acre 2500 Feet B.M.

Area of land cleared 450 ac Fenced 150 ac and under cultivation 100 acres

Is there any serious fire risk ? No. and of what nature

Are there any indications of mineral deposits ? No. If so give details

Number of Indian families permanently residing on Reserve 47

Principal means of livelihood Fishing and guiding parties in the summer also working in Saw-mills. Lumbering in winter.

What progress if any has been made toward cultivation of the land, and betterment of conditions during the past few years No. A great deal of land has been cleared and then allowed to grow up into brush and saplings.No noticeable effort is made to farm although there is every opportunity for advancement in this direction.

Remarks Timber of commercial value is getting scarce although there is a large quantity of cordwood sufficient for the needs of the band for many years.In my opinion unless the band have closer supervision by having the Agent live on the island they will never improve their conditions.

H.J.Bury.
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Concerning Lands and Timber on the SPANISH RIVER Indian Reserve

Date Sept.1915. File No. 488036-3

Total area of Reserve 28.000nacres

Area of agricultural land 18.000 acres

Area of waste land 15.000 acRock 10.000 acSwamp 3500 ac Muskeg 1500 ac

Area of timber land 20.000 acres

Principal species of timber and quantities Pine 500.000 f.b.m. Hemlock 600.000 Spruce 1000.000 Balsam 400.000 Beech 1.350.000 Maple 1.800.000 Birch 800.000 Ash 500.000 Elm 820.000 Poplar 1.130.000 Cedar 2500 poles and 5000 posts. Cordwood mixed 3500 cds.

Average stand of timber per acre 500 Feet B.M.

Area of land cleared 120 ac Fenced 80 ac and under cultivation 70 acres

Is there any serious fire risk? No. and of what nature

Are there any indications of mineral deposits? No. If so give details

Number of Indian families permanently residing on Reserve 27

Principal means of livelihood Fishing and guiding in summer also working in sawmills and loading barges. Some trapping and lumbering in winter.

What progress if any has been made toward cultivation of the land, and betterment of conditions during the past few years Very little except along the Spanish River. The settlement at Sagamok on the south side of the Reserve is remarkable for the appearance of suspended action. Farm holdings have been neglected.-houses fallen into decay and become dilapidated and every appearance of idleness and lack of progressiveness.

Remarks.

In my opinion the band should be encouraged to farm the fertile belt of the reserve which lies along the Spanish River. The land in the neighbourhood is sandy and unfit for ~~for~~ farming, but the members of the band living there are too idle to move to better land and moreover resent progressiveness on the part of the Indians at Spanish River.

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Concerning Lands and Timber on the PARRY ISLAND Indian Reserve

Date Oct.1915. File No. 488022-5

Total area of Reserve 18.481 acres

Area of agricultural land 2.500 acres

Area of waste land 10.000 ac Rock 6500 ac Swamp 2500 ac Muskeg 1000 ac

Area of timber land 12.000 acres

Principal species of timber and quantities Maple 7.000.000 f.b.m. Beech 5.750.000 Birch 2.500.000 Ash 1.100.000 Oak 400.000 Pine 1.100.000 Hemlock 1.400.000 Basswood 650.000 Elm 1.300.000 Cedar 4.200 poles Spruce 1.100.000 Tamarac 400.000 Cordwood 6000 cds.

Average stand of timber per acre 2000 Feet B.M.

Area of land cleared 130 ac Fenced 100 ac and under cultivation 80 ac.

Is there any serious fire risk ? No. and of what nature

Are there any indications of mineral deposits ? No. If so give details

Number of Indian families permanently residing on Reserve 35

Principal means of livelihood Working at Parry Harbour and Sawmills A little farming is done in the summer and lumbering in the winter

What progress if any has been made toward cultivation of the land, and betterment of conditions during the past few years Not much.The Indians appear to have locate their houses where theland is poor nd consequently their efforts to farm are considerably discounted by the non-productiveness of the soil. There is a prosperous settlement at Hay bay and another small village on the south side of the Island.

Remarks.

Some of the Indians living along the road between Hay bay and South village are getting along fairly well as they have occupied fertile locations but themajority do not get along very well.

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Concerning Lands and Timber on the CLEARWATER BAY 38A Indian Reserve
Lake of the Woods.

Date Dec.1915. File No. 500029-8

Total area of Reserve 8000 acres

Area of agricultural land 2000 acres

Area of waste land 5000 ac Rock 3500 ac Swamp 1000 ac Muskeg 500 ac

Area of timber land 4000 acres

Principal species of timber and quantities Pine 960.000 f.b.m. Spruce 1.850.000
Poplar 100.000 Birch 600 cds. Tamarac 400 cds.

Average stand of timber per acre 500 Feet B.M.

Area of land cleared 4 ac Fenced 2 ac and under cultivation 1 ac

Is there any serious fire risk? Yes and of what nature from previous lumbering operations that have taken place on adjoining limits.

Are there any indications of mineral deposits? No. If so give details

Number of Indian families permanently residing on Reserve Two

Principal means of livelihood Working for wages in summer and hunting and trapping in the winter.

What progress if any has been made toward cultivation of the land, and betterment of conditions during the past few years Almost no progress.Agric.operations entirely restricted to the cutting of wild hay

Remarks. The greater portion of this Reserve(all south of Washagamis Bay) has been ruined by fire caused by the slash of adjoining operation burning up and sweeping the ridges of land clear of everything of a timber character,leaving a waste of bare rocks behind. Some good land on the north side of the bay could be utilised by the Indians if they were inclined.

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Concerning Lands and Timber on the THESSALON. Indian Reserve

Date March.1916. File No. 488036

Total area of Reserve 2307 acres

Area of agricultural land 500 acres

Area of waste land 300 ac Rock 200 ac Swamp 75 ac Muskeg 25

Area of timber land 1000 acres

Principal species of timber and quantities White Pine 850.000 f.b.m. Red Pine 300.000 Birch 320.000 Maple 415.000 Hemlock 1.250.000 Mixed coniferous cordwood 1800 cds. Cedar posts 5000 Cedar ties 500

Average stand of timber per acre 3000 Feet B.M.

Area of land cleared 500 ac Fenced 100 ac and under cultivation 80

Is there any serious fire risk? Yes. and of what nature Soo branch of C.P.R. traverses reserve and there is also a considerable slash of dead and fallen conifers alongside track.

Are there any indications of mineral deposits? No. If so give details

Number of Indian families permanently residing on Reserve 14

Principal means of livelihood Fishing and working out in the summer Lumbering and trapping in winter.

What progress if any has been made toward cultivation of the land, and betterment of conditions during the past few years Very little although north of the trach there are three families who have got along well ad who appear to be progressive.

Remarks This reserve is well situated close to the R.R.track and the best agric.land is readily accessible.There is a about 1000 acres of second class land excellently suited for cattle and sheep raising.

H.J.Bury,
Inspector of Timber Valuator.

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Concerning Lands and Timber on the MISSISSAGA RIVER Indian Reserve

Date Mar. 1916 File No. 488036

Total area of Reserve 4350 acres

Area of agricultural land 1500 acres

Area of waste land 900 ac Rock 800 ac Swamp 100 ac Muskeg Nil

Area of timber land 2500 acres

Principal species of timber and quantities Maple 2.650.000 f.b.m. Hemlock 1.800.000 Birch 1.500.000 Pine 870.000 Spruce 400.000 Elm 300.000 Ash 100.000 Oak 50.000 Cordwood 5.500 cds. Cedar 2000 poles.

Average stand of timber per acre 3500 Feet B.M.

Area of land cleared 75 ac Fenced 50 ac and under cultivation 40 ac

Is there any serious fire risk ? Yes and of what nature presence of large quantities of dead and fallen timber.

Are there any indications of mineral deposits ? No. If so give details

Number of Indian families permanently residing on Reserve 12

Principal means of livelihood Lumbering, hunting and trapping in winter Working at saw-mills and fishing in summer.

What progress if any has been made toward cultivation of the land, and betterment of conditions during the past few years None! Most of the farm improvements are fast reverting into wild land and the Indians do not appear to make any effort to improve their condition but are content just to exist.

Remarks. The lack of supervision is in this instance the great cause of unprogressiveness on the part of the Indians. There is a large quantity of dead timber on the reserve which is valuable for cordwood but the Indians are too lazy to bother about cutting it.

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Concerning Lands and Timber on the SERPENT RIVER Indian Reserve

Date Mar.1916. File No. 488036-2

Total area of Reserve 27.030 acres

Area of agricultural land 3000 acres

Area of waste land 10.000 acRock 8.000 ac Swamp 1500 ac Muskeg 500 acres

Area of timber land 8000 acres

Principal species of timber and quantities Maple 1.100.000 f.b.m. Birch 1.000.000 Pine 800.000 Hemlock 500.000 Elm 800.000 Ash 350.000 Aspen 250.000 Spruce 500.000 Balsam 300.000 Tamarac 500.000 Cedar 3000npoles Mixed cordwood 5.500 cds.

Average stand of timber per acre 800 Feet B.M.

Area of land cleared 60 ac Fenced 40 ac and under cultivation 35 acres

Is there any serious fire risk ? No. and of what nature

Are there any indications of mineral deposits ? Yes If so give details Great quantity of good building stone adjacent to the Railroad.

Number of Indian families permanently residing on Reserve 23

Principal means of livelihood Working at Cutler saw-mill and lumbering

What progress if any has been made toward cultivation of the land, and betterment of conditions during the past few years Not very much.The band are apathetic toward anything that resembles progress and are content to merely work sufficiently to enable them to live.

Remarks. This Reserve although of large acreage is singularly barren and sterile having been ruined by previous hap-hazard methods of lumbering.Fire has swept along the reserve from end to end leaving bare rocky ridges which will never reforest or be useful for anything The Indians should be encouraged to farm the small quantity of good land that is left.

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Concerning Lands and Timber on the KEJIMKUJIK Indian Reserve

Date OCT. 1916. File No. 113500

Total area of Reserve 1015 acres

Area of agricultural land 300 acres

Area of waste land 600 ac. Rock 400 ac Swamp 175 ac Muskeg 25 acres

Area of timber land 750 acres.

Principal species of timber and quantities Hemlock 3.400.000 f.b.m. Beech 955.000 Birch 1.025.000 Oak 10.000 Pine 25.000 Spruce 15.000 Mixed cordwood 3200 cds.

Average stand of timber per acre 7000 Feet B.M.

Area of land cleared 100 ac Fenced nil. and under cultivation nil.

Is there any serious fire risk ? Yes. and of what nature This reserve is the resort of campers and hunters who are occasionally careless with camp fires etc.

Are there any indications of mineral deposits ? No. If so give details

Number of Indian families permanently residing on Reserve None.

Principal means of livelihood Indians of Queen and Annapolis Counties who own this Reserve are working out for wages and live at different places throughout the Province.

What progress if any has been made toward cultivation of the land, and betterment of conditions during the past few years No.

Remarks The Indians have not for the past 15 years ever lived on or visited this Reserve.The land and timber are therefore so much capital invested for no useful purpose at all.I would recommend that the timber be cut and sold for the benefit of the Indians and if possible an entire surrender of the land also be taken.

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Concerning Lands and Timber on the CLEARWATER LAKE 17B Indian Reserve
Rainy Lake agcy.

Date Nov.1916. File No. 500024-5

Total area of Reserve 2439 acres

Area of agricultural land 600 acres

Area of waste land 1700 ac Rock 500 ac Swamp 1000 ac Muskeg 200 acres

Area of timber land 1200 acres

Principal species of timber and quantities White Pine 100.000 f.b.m. Red Pine 340 M Jack Pine 150.000 Spruce 100.000 Cordwood mixed 2600 cds.

Average stand of timber per acre 700 Feet B.M.

Area of land cleared Nil. Fenced Nil. and under cultivation Nil.

Is there any serious fire risk? Yes. and of what nature Considerable area of dry swamp and marsh hay representing dry inflammable material.

Are there any indications of mineral deposits? No. If so give details

Number of Indian families permanently residing on Reserve None.

Principal means of livelihood

What progress if any has been made toward cultivation of the land, and betterment of conditions during the past few years None.

Remarks. There have been no Indians living on this Reserve for the past 20 years. The Reserve is not suitable for settlement and the value of the standing timber should be realised as soon as circumstances permit.

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Concerning Lands and Timber on the 35H & 32C Indian Reserves
Lake of the Woods.

Date November 1916. File No. 500029-3

Total area of Reserves 1920 acres

Area of agricultural land 220 acres

Area of waste land 1500 ac Rock 1100 ac Swamp 300 ac Muskeg 100 acres

Area of timber land 700 acres

Principal species of timber and quantities Pine 150.000 f.b.m. Poplar 1.000.000
Cordwood 6.200 cds.

Average stand of timber per acre 1500 Feet B.M.

Area of land cleared nil Fenced nil and under cultivation nil

Is there any serious fire risk ? No. and of what nature

Are there any indications of mineral deposits ? Yes If so give details occasional outcroppings of auriferous quartz probably not sufficiently rich to be commercially valuable.

Number of Indian families permanently residing on Reserve None.

Principal means of livelihood

What progress if any has been made toward cultivation of the land, and betterment of conditions during the past few years. Not any. The Reserves are very rough in character and only a small fraction of the total area can be considered as agricultural land. No Indians have ever resided here.

Remarks. These reserves originally had a good valuable stand of timber on them but forest fires almost swept them clean about 17 years ago. Re-afforestration is impossible on account of the lack of humus soil and the rigorous climate of this section of the country.

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Concerning Lands and Timber on the 31A & 35A Indian Reserves
Lake of the Woods.

Date Nov.1916 File No. 500029-3

Total area of Reserves 2560 acres

Area of agricultural land 850 acres

Area of waste land 1200 ac Rock 900 ac Swamp 200 ac Muskeg 100 acres

Area of timber land 1700 acres

Principal species of timber and quantities White Pine 530.000 f.b.m Red Pine 280.000 Jack Pine 475.000 Poplar 2.200.000 Spruce 680.000 Balsam 210.000 Cedar 500 poles Tamarac 10.000 Cordwood 2860 cds.

Average stand of timber per acre 3000 Feet B.M.

Area of land cleared 30 ac. Fenced 10 ac and under cultivation 7 acres

Is there any serious fire risk? Yes and of what nature presence of dry brush and debris resulting from permit operations of the Indians

Are there any indications of mineral deposits? No. If so give details

Number of Indian families permanently residing on Reserve 10

Principal means of livelihood Hunting and trapping in the winter. Fishing and guiding parties in the summer.

What progress if any has been made toward cultivation of the land, and betterment of conditions during the past few years A very little. The band have some good land in the vicinity of their village but do not appear to make much effort to farm it beyond cutting wild hay and growing a few potatoes.

Remarks This band although small would if under closer supervision do a great deal better for themselves. Owing to the large number of Reserves in the Kenora Agency and being scattered over a large tract of country which is difficult to travel over, the Indians do not get the personal encouragement which is usually so productive of results.

Inspector or Timber Valuator.
H.J.Bury.

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Concerning Lands and Timber on the 35D .Crow Portage Indian Reserve
Lake of the Woods.

Date Nov.1916. File No. 500029-3

Total area of Reserve 1280 acres

Area of agricultural land 300 acres

Area of waste land 800 acres Rock 700 ac Swamp 100 ac Muskeg Nil

Area of timber land 1000 acres

Principal species of timber and quantities White Pine 495.000 Red Pine 2.800.000 Spruce 800.000 Poplar 1.250.000 Cordwood 2100 cds. Cedar 1000 posts and 500 poles.

Average stand of timber per acre 4000 Feet B.M.

Area of land cleared 5 ac Fenced 3 ac and under cultivation 2 acres

Is there any serious fire risk ? Yes and of what nature presence of a large quantity of inflammable debris resulting from the permit operations of the Indians.

Are there any indications of mineral deposits ? No. If so give details

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Number of Indian families permanently residing on Reserve 6

Principal means of livelihood Hunting and fishing in the summer and trapping in the winter.

What progress if any has been made toward cultivation of the land, and betterment of conditions during the past few years Very little.The neglected appearance of the houses and improvements illustrate very clearly that this small band have neither ambition or inclination to get on better.Lack of adequate supervision is a great factor in this matter.

Remarks

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Concerning Lands and Timber on the TOBIQUE Indian Reserve

Date Nov. 1914 File No. 488066-2

Total area of Reserve 5797 acres

Area of agricultural land 2000 acres

Area of waste land 2000 ac Rock 800 ac Swamp 800 ac Muskeg 400 acres

Area of timber land 3000 acres

Principal species of timber and quantities Hemlock 1.100.000 f.b.m. Spruce 1.750.000 Maple 1.050.000 Birch 1.150.000 Fir 500.000 Beech 150.000

Average stand of timber per acre 1200 Feet B.M.

Area of land cleared 120 ac Fenced 200 ac and under cultivation 80 acres

Is there any serious fire risk ? Yes and of what nature presence of large quantities of dry fire killed and fallen timber which the Indians are too lazy to cut for firewood .

Are there any indications of mineral deposits ? No. If so give details

Number of Indian families permanently residing on Reserve 28

Principal means of livelihood Lumbering and working for wages winter and summer. Also as guides.

What progress if any has been made toward cultivation of the land, and betterment of conditions during the past few years Not much. A few members of the band display some progressiveness but the majority are content to live in a hand to mouth sort of manner.

Remarks There is no reason why this band should not become affluent They have good land, valuable timber and easy access to markets for their produce. So far they have neglected their ppportunities

H.J.Bury
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Concerning Lands and Timber on the LAC LA CROIX Indian Reserve
Fort Frances Agency.

Date June 1917 File No. 500024-10

Total area of Reserve 15.355 acres

Area of agricultural land 4000 acres

Area of waste land 7500 ac Rock 5000 ac Swamp 1500 ac Muskeg 1000 acres

Area of timber land 12.000 acres

Principal species of timber and quantities W.PINE.4.400.000 f.b.m. R.Pine 5.500.000 Jack Pine 9.000.000 Poplar 6.000.000 Spruce 1.500.000 Cedar 3500 poles.

Average stand of timber per acre 2.500 Feet B.M.

Area of land cleared 25 ac Fenced 3 ac and under cultivation 1½ acres

Is there any serious fire risk ? Yes and of what nature surrounding country logged off and large quantity of dry debris left on the ground.

Are there any indications of mineral deposits ? No. If so give details

Number of Indian families permanently residing on Reserve 28

Principal means of livelihood Hunting and fishing in the summer.Trapping in winter

What progress if any has been made toward cultivation of the land, and betterment of conditions during the past few years None.

Remarks. This band are somewhat remote from civilisation and apart from somewhat abortive efforts to grow a few potatoes they do not follow any agricultural pursuits.Their houses are ill-built and the members of the band are content to follow the nomadic form of life.Their timber wealth should be realised before it is lost to them by fire.There is a large quantity of dry pine on the Reserve which should be salvaged.

Inspector or Timber Valuator.
H.J.Bury.

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Concerning Lands and Timber on the 32B Black Bay Indian Reserve
Lake of the Woods.

Date Aug.1917 File No. 500029-5

Total area of Reserve 4.454 acres

Area of agricultural land 500 acres

Area of waste land 3000 ac Rock 2500 ac Swamp 500 ac Muskeg Nil

Area of timber land 2800 acres

Principal species of timber and quantities Poplar 2.800.000 f.b.m Pine 750.000 J.Pine 700.000 Spruce 1.500.000 Cedar 4000poles Pulpwood 3000 cds Cordwood incl.Birch and tamarac 1700 cds.

Average stand of timber per acre 2200 Feet B.M.

Area of land cleared Nil Fenced Nil and under cultivation Nil

Is there any serious fire risk ? Yes and of what nature debris from adjacent lumbering operations.

Are there any indications of mineral deposits ? Yes If so give details Gold bearing quartz of low grade visible.

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Number of Indian families permanently residing on Reserve None

Principal means of livelihood

What progress if any has been made toward cultivation of the land, and betterment of conditions during the past few years None

Remarks. This Reserve has never been inhabited and is very rough It constitutes a good hunting ground for the Indians but will never be suitable for farming purposes.

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Inspector or Timber Valuator.

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REPORT

Concerning Lands and Timber on the 23B Seine River Indian Reserve
Raimy Lake.

Date Aug.1917. File No. 500024-8

Total area of Reserve 2235 acres

Area of agricultural land 700 acres

Area of waste land 1000 ac Rock 800 ac Marsh 200 ac Muskeg Nil

Area of timber land 1500 ac

Principal species of timber and quantities W.PINE 750.000 f.b.m. R.Pine 1.000.000 J.Pine 250.000 Spruce 75.000 Cedar 2000 poles Tamarac 1000 cds Poplar 2500 cds.

Average stand of timber per acre 1750 Feet B.M.

Area of land cleared 35 ac Fenced 5ac and under cultivation 3ac

Is there any serious fire risk ? Yes and of what nature from inflammable debris from adjacent operations

Are there any indications of mineral deposits ? Yes If so give details auriferous quartz of low grade.

Number of Indian families permanently residing on Reserve 2

Principal means of livelihood Hunting and fishing in summer trapping in winter

What progress if any has been made toward cultivation of the land, and betterment of conditions during the past few years None. About thirty years ago a considerable settlement of Indians were located here and a large area of land was devoted to the growing of potatoes. The Indians have mostly all left and the land has grown up with brush.

Remarks

Most of the band who used to live here have died and the remainder have moved to Wild Potato Lake.

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REPORT

Concerning Lands and Timber on the 35C or Sabaskong Bay Indian Reserve
Kenora Agency.

Date July 1917 File No. 500029-3

Total area of Reserve 1920 acres

Area of agricultural land 200 acres

Area of waste land 1500 ac Rock 1000 ac Swamp 400 ac Muskeg 100 acres

Area of timber land 1700 acres

Principal species of timber and quantities W.Pine 4.140.000 f.b.m. R.Pine 5.366.000
Spruce 1.250.000 Cedar 7000 poles Poplar 500.000 Cordwood 2000 cds

Average stand of timber per acre 9.000 Feet B.M.

Area of land cleared 10 acres Fenced 5 ac. and under cultivation 3 ac.

Is there any serious fire risk ? Yes and of what nature presence in vicinity
of large quantities of inflammable debris left from operations

Are there any indications of mineral deposits ? Yes If so give
details Indications of auriferous bearing rocks mostly quartz

2/18

Number of Indian families permanently residing on Reserve 14

Principal means of livelihood Hunting and fishing in summer trapping in winter

What progress if any has been made toward cultivation of the land, and betterment of conditions during the past few years Very little.

Remarks. Agriculture is restricted to a few potato patches and the dwellings of the Indians here are of a very poor type. Their timber wealth is considerable probably worth $150000 and the wisest policy would be to realise it and then assist the Indian to earn his living by improvements of a permanent character on the Reserve.

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Inspector or Timber Valuator.

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REPORT

Concerning Lands and Timber on the 26C Red Gut Indian Reserve
Rainy Lake.

Date June 1917 File No. 500024-11

Total area of Reserve 2737 acres

Area of agricultural land 500 acres

Area of waste land 2000 ac Rock 1200 ac Swamp 500 ac Muskeg 300 acres

Area of timber land 1500 acres

Principal species of timber and quantities W.Pine 500.000 f.b.m. R.Pine 750.000
J.Pine 800.000 Cedar 1000 poles Spruce 250.000 Poplar 800.000

Average stand of timber per acre 1000 Feet B.M.

Area of land cleared Nil Fenced Nil and under cultivation Nil

Is there any serious fire risk? Yes and of what nature debris of an
inflammable character from adjoining limits

Are there any indications of mineral deposits? Yes If so give
details gold bearing rocks of low grade

Number of Indian families permanently residing on Reserve None

Principal means of livelihood

What progress if any has been made toward cultivation of the land, and betterment of conditions during the past few years None

Remarks. This Reserve is not inhabited and the Indians rarely visit it except to hunt and fish in the summer and trap in the winter
Timber resources should be realised

H.J.Bury
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Concerning Lands and Timber on the 35E Lake of the Woods Indian Reserve

Date July 1917 File No. 500029-6

Total area of Reserve 640 acres

Area of agricultural land 120 acres

Area of waste land 300 ac Rock 150 ac Swamp 100 ac Muskeg 50 acres

Area of timber land 500 acres

Principal species of timber and quantities Poplar 700.000 Birch 75.000 J.Pine 200.000 Spruce 75.000 Balsam 40.000 Ash 35.000 Cedar 1500 poles 10.000 posts

Average stand of timber per acre 2000 Feet B.M.

Area of land cleared Nil Fenced Nil and under cultivation Nil

Is there any serious fire risk ? Yes and of what nature A large quantity of dry timber (cedar) is on the Reserve and constitutes a serious fire menace.

Are there any indications of mineral deposits ? No. If so give details

Entered 5/12/17

Number of Indian families permanently residing on Reserve None

Principal means of livelihood

What progress if any has been made toward cultivation of the land, and betterment of conditions during the past few years Indians at one time lived on this Reserve but since 1880 have not resided here. It has an exposed situation of the Lke of the Woods at the mouth of Little Grassy R.

Remarks The dry cedar on this Reserve should be cut and removed as as soon as possible both in order to realise its value and eliminate the fire hazard

H.J.Bury
Inspector or Timber Valuator.

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REPORT

Concerning Lands and Timber on the 35G Big Grassy R. Indian Reserve

Date July 1917 File No. 500029-6

Total area of Reserve 8960 acres

Area of agricultural land 2500 acres

Area of waste land 3500 ac Rock 2000 ac Swamp 500 ac Marsh 1000 ac

Area of timber land 6000 acres

Principal species of timber and quantities W.Pine 150.000 f.b.m J.Pine 800.000 R.Pine 200.000 Poplar 3.500.000 Spruce 750.000 Cedar 2000 poles 5000 posts Balsam 20.000 Elm & Ash 50.000 Cordwood 6000 cds.

Average stand of timber per acre 1000 Feet B.M.

Area of land cleared 45 ac Fenced 20 ac and under cultivation 10 acres

Is there any serious fire risk? Yes and of what nature presence of large quantities of fire killed timber which should be cut and removed

Are there any indications of mineral deposits? No. If so give details

Entered 8/7/17

Number of Indian families permanently residing on Reserve 4

Principal means of livelihood Hunting and fishing in summer. Trapping in winter

What progress if any has been made toward cultivation of the land, and betterment of conditions during the past few years None. Spasmodic efforts are being made to grow a few potatoes but the results are not encouraging

Remarks The land is fertile, conditions are excellent but the Indians have a distaste for work of this nature.

It is the usual story - Indians preferring to live their own lives apart from white men. Meantime their resources of timber are plundered or burnt up, their land is idle and the Indian content to live on in a state of almost abject poverty.

The remedy is obvious.

Inspector or Timber Valuator.

H.J.Bury

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REPORT

Concerning Lands and Timber on the 33A & 34A Whitefish B Indian Reserve
Lake of the Woods.

Date July 1917 File No. 500029-5

Total area of Reserve 4.478 acres

Area of agricultural land 2000 acres

Area of waste land 1500 ac Rock 1000 ac Swamp 500 ac Muskeg Nil

Area of timber land 3500 acres

Principal species of timber and quantities Poplar 2.500.000 f.b.m. Pine 355.000 Spruce 750.000 Balsam 100.000 Birch 50.000 Cedar 1000 poles 3000 posts Cordwood 4000 cds.

Average stand of timber per acre 1200 Feet B.M.

Area of land cleared Nil Fenced Nil and under cultivation Nil

Is there any serious fire risk ? No. and of what nature

Are there any indications of mineral deposits ? No. If so give details.

Whitefish 2/7/15

Number of Indian families permanently residing on Reserve None

Principal means of livelihood

What progress if any has been made toward cultivation of the land, and betterment of conditions during the past few years This reserve is only used for hunting and fishing purposesThe Indians have never resided thereon.

Remarks The Indians owning these Reserve live on the adjacent Reserve 34C whilst the band 33 belong to the other side of the Lke of the Woods and never visit here.

H.J.Bury
Inspector or Timber Valuator.

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REPORT

Concerning Lands and Timber on the 33B. Lake of the Woods Indian Reserve

Date Aug.1917. File No. 500029-11

Total area of Reserve 3228 acres

Area of agricultural land 1500 acres

Area of waste land 1500 ac Rock 700 ac Swamp 500 ac Marsh 300 acres

Area of timber land 2500 acres

Principal species of timber and quantities Poplar 2.250.000 f.b.m. J.Pine 200.000 Spruce 750.000 Cedar 2000 poles 5000 posts Tamarac 400.000 Balsam 100.000 Birch 75.000 Cordwood 4000 cds.

Average stand of timber per acre 1250 Feet B.M.

Area of land cleared 10 ac Fenced 5ac and under cultivation 3 acres

Is there any serious fire risk ? No. and of what nature

Are there any indications of mineral deposits ? No. If so give details

Number of Indian families permanently residing on Reserve 6

Principal means of livelihood Hunting and fishing.Trapping and wood cutting in the winter.

What progress if any has been made toward cultivation of the land, and betterment of conditions during the past few years Very little.Small clearings of the Indians have grown up into brush and been allowed to drop back into wild land again.

Remarks Conditions,reasons,and remedy same as for Reserve 35G

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Concerning Lands and Timber on the 34C & 37 C N.W.Angle Indian Reserve
Lake of the Woods.

Date Aug.1917. File No. 500029-11

Total area of Reserve 1440 acres

Area of agricultural land 1000 acres

Area of waste land 250 acres Rock 50 ac Swamp 120 ac Muskeg 80 acres

Area of timber land 500 acres

Principal species of timber and quantities Poplar 1.000.000 f.b.m Spruce 25.000
Pine (jack) 10.000 Cordwood 3000 cds.

Average stand of timber per acre 2300 Feet B.M.

Area of land cleared 60 ac Fenced 40 ac and under cultivation 35 acres

Is there any serious fire risk ? No. and of what nature

Are there any indications of mineral deposits ? No. If so give details

Number of Indian families permanently residing on Reserve 8

Principal means of livelihood Fishing,hunting,and some farming .Trapping in winter.

What progress if any has been made toward cultivation of the land, and betterment of conditions during the past few years Considerable progress has been made.The improvements appear neat and indicate that the Indians are honestly trying to better their conditions.They should receive more encouragement.

Remarks There is ample land of good quality for the needs of this band and I would certainly recommend that the Indians should receive more encouragement than they are getting at present.

H.J.Bury.
Inspector or Timber Valuator.

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REPORT

Concerning Lands and Timber on the 37B & 34C N.W.Angle Indian Reserve
Lake of the Woods.

Date Aug.1917. File No. 500029-11

Total area of Reserve 1959 acres

Area of agricultural land 900 acres

Area of waste land 800 ac Rock 100 ac Swamp 300 ac Muskeg 400 acres

Area of timber land 1200 acres

Principal species of timber and quantities Poplar 2.000.000 f.b.m. Spruce 2.200.000
Tamarac 750.000 Cedar 8000 poles 15000 posts Cordwood 2000cds

Average stand of timber per acre 2500 Feet B.M.

Area of land cleared Nil Fenced Nil and under cultivation Nil

Is there any serious fire risk ? Yes and of what nature presence of large quantities of inflammable brush and debris in the woods and in adjacent cuttings.

Are there any indications of mineral deposits ? No. If so give details

Number of Indian families permanently residing on Reserve None

Principal means of livelihood

What progress if any has been made toward cultivation of the land, and betterment of conditions during the past few years None

Remarks This Reserfe has never been residéd upon by the Indians and is very low and wet. Since the flooding of the Lake of the Woods a large portion of the Reserve front is under water.

H.J.Bury.
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Concerning Lands and Timber on the St.Croix N.S. Indian Reserve

Date Oct.1917. File No. 488051

Total area of Reserve 268 acres

Area of agricultural land 150 acres

Area of waste land 100 ac Rock 80 ac Swamp 20 ac Muskeg

Area of timber land 200 acres

Principal species of timber and quantities Hemlock 350.000 f.b.m. Spruce 100.000 Balsam 75.000 Birch 300.000 Pine 10.000 Maple 2000 Cordwood 500 cds

Average stand of timber per acre 5000 Feet B.M.

Area of land cleared Nil Fenced Nil and under cultivation Nil

Is there any serious fire risk ? No. and of what nature

Are there any indications of mineral deposits ? Nil If so give details

Entered 2/7/18

Number of Indian families permanently residing on Reserve None

Principal means of livelihood

What progress if any has been made toward cultivation of the land, and betterment of conditions during the past few years None

Remarks. No improvements on this Reserve. Indians never visit it and it is too rough for general agricultural purposes although there are some patches of land which could be profitably farmed.

H.J.Bury.
Inspector or Timber Valuator.

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Concerning Lands and Timber on the Henvey Inlet. Indian Reserve

Date Dec.4th.1917. File No. 48022-2

Total area of Reserve 23.810 acres.

Area of agricultural land 10 %

Area of waste land 90 % Rock 75 % Swamp Muskeg Sand and gravel 15 %.

Area of timber land Twenty five.

Principal species of timber and quantities The Reserve was burnt over some years ago and is growing up with second groth Jack pine, some White Pine. Poplar, White Birch, and Balsom, There are six small bunches of hemlock containing about two thousand ties and twenty five thousand feet board measure of logs. I have marked on the map the location of the Hemlock stands.

Average stand of timber per acre Feet B.M.

Area of land cleared Fourty one Fenced Thirty five and under cultivation Thirty five.

Is there any serious fire risk ? None. and of what nature

Are there any indications of mineral deposits ? If so give details The Indians say that do not know of any and have not heard anyone say of finding any on the Reserve.

Number of Indian families permanently residing on Reserve Seventeen.

Principal means of livelihood Cultivating their land and working at lumbering and other occupations.

What progress if any has been made toward cultivation of the land, and betterment of conditions during the past few years The clearances they have seemed to have been made for some time. But the Indians appear to be quite thrifty they have very comfortable houses and out buildings for their stock.

Remarks In making this report would say as I was not able to get any place to stay at the Reserve and as it was to far to drive from Byng Inlet I have made this report from one half days visit to the Reserve But from my observation while there would say that this report is practically correct, If the department thinks it nessary I could take my outfit and make a closer examination in the spring.

Geo Shaw *Inspector or Timber Valuator.*

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Yes! Report again

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REPORT

Concerning Lands and Timber on the Maganetawan. Indian Reserve

Date Dec.4th.1917. File No. 488022-4

Total area of Reserve 8670 Acres.

Area of agricultural land 20 %

Area of waste land 80 % Rock 75 % Swamp 5 % Muskeg

Area of timber land

Principal species of timber and quantities The Reserve has been burnt over at one time and is grwing up with second groth Jack Pine, some white Pine. But mostly with Poplar, White Birch, and Balsom, There are about two hunbred merchantable White Pine trees. The heaviest timbered land lies to the West of the C.P.R. track. The crick showing on the map lies to the West of the C.P.R. track.

Average stand of timber per acre One Feet B.M.

Area of land cleared Eighteen Fenced Eighteen and under cultivation Eighteen.

Is there any serious fire risk ? None and of what nature

Are there any indications of mineral deposits ? If so give details There was to much snow to see any indications but from inquiring from the Indians they said that they had never saw any or heard of any being found.

Number of Indian families permanently residing on Reserve Five.

Principal means of livelihood The younger Indians follow lumbering and the older Indians cultivate there cleared land on the Reserve.

What progress if any has been made toward cultivation of the land, and betterment of conditions during the past few years From appearances the land that they are Cultivating has been cleared for some time, But the Indians appear to be quite thrifty they have very comfortable houses and out buildings for their stock.

Remarks

Geo Shaw
Inspector or Timber Valuator.

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Concerning Lands and Timber on the NAIS-COU-TAING. Indian Reserve

Date Feb.8th.1918. File No. 488022-4.

Total area of Reserve 2650.

Area of agricultural land 10 %.

Area of waste land 90 % Rock 88 % Swamp 2 %. Muskeg

Area of timber land No merchantable timber.

Principal species of timber and quantities In the flat along the river banks and small vallys thruugh the rocks are timbered with Poplar, White Birch. and Balsom, the rocky porton is timbered with very small Jack Pine. acattered White Pine, and some Balsom, the above timber is all second groth.

Average stand of timber per acre None. Feet B.M.

Area of land cleared None. Fenced None. and under cultivation None.

Is there any serious fire risk? None. and of what nature

Are there any indications of mineral deposits? No. If so give details

Number of Indian families permanently residing on Reserve None.

Principal means of livelihood

What progress if any has been made toward cultivation of the land, and betterment of conditions during the past few years

Remarks. The land is of a light sandy nature that after a crop or two it would take a lot of dressing to make it to produce any crop. The Reserve has been burnt over some years ago and the timber is all second growth.

Geo Shaw
Inspector or Timber Valuator.

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REPORT

Concerning Lands and Timber on the Henvy Inlet. Indian Reserve

Date June 4th.1918. File No. 48022-2

Total area of Reserve 23.810

Area of agricultural land 10 %

Area of waste land 90 % Rock 80 % Swamp 3 % Sand & gravel 7 %

Area of timber land 25 acres with Hemlock and Hardwood.

Principal species of timber and quantities Two thousand Hemlock ties and twenty five thousand logs, two hundred cords of hardwood, twenty five thousand ft, scattered white and red pine, The reserve is mostly timbered with second growth Jack Pine, Poplar, White birch, and scattered Balsom and White pine.

Average stand of timber per acre Feet B.M.

Area of land cleared 41 Fenced 35 and under cultivation

Is there any serious fire risk? No. and of what nature

entered Ledger 78

Are there any indications of mineral deposits? No. If so give details

Number of Indian families permanently residing on Reserve Fourteen.

Principal means of livelihood Working in the lumber woods in the winter and drives in the spring and saw mills in the summer, and cultivating their gardins and some of them do trapping in the winter.

What progress if any has been made toward cultivation of the land, and betterment of conditions during the past few years It appears to be at a stand still for on my recent visit on the 16th. of May they had done nothing towards working their lands for this season, and I urged on them that it was necesary for them to do all they could in the cultivation of their land.

Remarks

Geo Shaw
Inspector or Timber Valuator.

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Concerning Lands and Timber on the Cape Croker Indian Reserve

Date July 8th 1918. File No. 315530-2

Total area of Reserve 15.586 Ac.

Area of agricultural land 15%.

Area of waste land 85%. Rock 82%. Swamp 3%. Muskeg

Area of timber land 50 Ac.

Principal species of timber and quantities 50 Ac.of cull hardwood bush fit only for wood,the balance of the waist land is timbered with second growth Maple.Beach,and White Birch,

Average stand of timber per acre Feet B.M.

Area of land cleared 1228. Fenced 840. and under cultivation 470.

Is there any serious fire risk? Yes. and of what nature On range 8.9.10. and 11.West side of Reserve there is a big slash of timber that was blowen down but of no danger to balance of reserve.

Are there any indications of mineral deposits? None. If so give details

entered Ledger

Number of Indian families permanently residing on Reserve Eighty four,

Principal means of livelihood Working their land,Fishing,and a number of them go out to work on the farms in the harvest time.

What progress if any has been made toward cultivation of the land, and betterment of conditions during the past few years They have very good houses and seem to to take quite an interest in cultivating their land,The most of the land is a heavy red clay and stony but it is to much like hard work for the Indians.

Remarks There have been large tracts of this land cleared and fenced and some fair sized orchards planted and have been abandoned and grown up with second growth timber.

Geo S Rae
Inspector or Timber Valuator.

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Concerning Lands and Timber on the Gros Cap. Indian Reserve

Date July 8th. 1918. File No. 315530-2

Total area of Reserve 11.017 Ac.

Area of agricultural land None.

Area of waste land 100% Rock 95% Swamp 5% Muskeg

Area of timber land 60%

Principal species of timber and quantities Mostly second growth White Birch with small patches of Spruce and Balsom on the Mountains and the swamps are timbered with a small run of Spruce, There are five hundred cords of merchantable sized Spruce and Balsom pulp wood standing along the West side of the Reserve.

Average stand of timber per acre Feet B.M.

Area of land cleared None. Fenced None. and under cultivation None.

Is there any serious fire risk? None. and of what nature

Entered Ledger 5/14

Are there any indications of mineral deposits? I did not see any If so give details But there are mining lrn ore in that section of the District the rock is covered with a very heavy coating of moss so that it would take a lot of work to prospect it thoroughly.

Number of Indian families permanently residing on Reserve Seven.

Principal means of livelihood Hunting, trapping, fishing, working in the lumber camps and working on the Algoma Central railway.

What progress if any has been made toward cultivation of the land, and betterment of conditions during the past few years None as they have no land fit for cultivation, but the Indians appear to be quite comfortable.

Remarks

Geo Shaw
Inspector or Timber Valuator.

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REPORT

Concerning Lands and Timber on the Shoal Lake No. 39 Indian Reserve

Date Nov. 18th. 1919. File No. 500029-2

Total area of Reserve 8415 acres

Area of agricultural land 500 "

Area of waste land 93% Rock 61% Swamp 20% Muskeg 12%

Area of timber land 1200 acres

Principal species of timber and quantities W.& R.Pine 50.000 f.b.m. Jack Pine 500.000 f.b.m. Spruce 600.000 f.b.m. Cedar 5000 posts & 1500 poles Poplar 850.000 f.b.m. Tamarac 50.000 f.b.m. Cordwood 10.000 cords.

Average stand of timber per acre 240 f.b.m. Feet B.M. over whole Reserve

Area of land cleared 5 acs Fenced 2 acs and under cultivation 2 acs

Is there any serious fire risk? Yes and of what nature Presence of considerable of dry timber of no commercial value.

Are there any indications of mineral deposits? No. If so give details

Entered 2/7/20

Number of Indian families permanently residing on Reserve Three

Principal means of livelihood Trapping, fishing and hunting. Also cutting small quantities of tie timber and firewood for sale under permit.

What progress if any has been made toward cultivation of the land, and betterment of conditions during the past few years Very little. Their houses are kept in a fairly good state of repair and some little effort is made in the direction of gardening.

Remarks This band show much the same characteristics as the rest of the Indians living in the vicinity of the Lake of the Woods. They have very little agricultural land which is accessible and are content to hunt, fish and trap.

H. J. Bury
Inspector or Timber Valuator.

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REPORT

Concerning Lands and Timber on the LAC SEUL Indian Reserve

Date Nov.13th.1919. File No. 500030-6

Total area of Reserve 49.000 acres

Area of agricultural land 1500 acres

% Area of waste land 97 % Rock 63% Swamp 28% Muskeg 6%

Area of timber land 22.000 acres

Principal species of timber and quantities W.& R.Pine 1.300.000 f.b.m. J.Pine 10.000.000 f.b.m. Spruce & Balsam fir 20.000.000 f.b.m. Poplar 30.000.000 f.b.m. Cordwood 90.000 cords.

Average stand of timber per acre 17.000 Feet B.M.

Area of land cleared 50 acs. Fenced 10 acs and under cultivation 20 acs

Is there any serious fire risk ? No and of what nature

Railroad on South of Reserve separated by Lost Lake 1¼ miles wide

Are there any indications of mineral deposits ? Yes If so give details isolated out-croppings of auriferous quartz but probably not sufficiently rich to be of commercial value.

Entered

Number of Indian families permanently residing on Reserve Seventeen

Principal means of livelihood Mostly hunting and trapping in winter and fishing in summer.Lac Seul has large supply of good fisheries

What progress if any has been made toward cultivation of the land, and betterment of conditions during the past few years Very little indication of progress. The Indians are well satisfied to follow the pursuits of their predecessors,hunting,trapping,fishing.Some of them grow a few potatoes,but no serious effort to cultivate land is made.

Remarks This band has a total membership of 458 Indians but very few of them stay permanently on the Reserve.They hunt and trap as far north as the Albany River and owing to the high price of furs have recently been fairly prosperous.Their houses are in fairly good condition,but in the event of the sale of a portion of their timber,lumber might be provided them.

Inspector or Timber Valuator.

H.J. Bury

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Concerning Lands and Timber on the BERSIMIS Indian Reserve

Date Aug. 1919. File No. 488003

Total area of Reserve 63.000 acres

Area of agricultural land 5.000 ""

Area of waste land 20.000 ac Rock 23% Swamp 7% Muskeg 5% 35%

Area of timber land 40.000 acs

Principal species of timber and quantities Spruce 60.000.000 f.b.m. & 260.000 cords pulpwood. Balsam fir 50.000 cords Birch 40.000 cords Poplar 20.000 cords.

Average stand of timber per acre 1500 Feet B.M.

Area of land cleared 200 ac Fenced 125 ac and under cultivation 100 acs

Is there any serious fire risk? No. and of what nature

There is a certain degree of risk along N.W line due to old slash

Are there any indications of mineral deposits? No. If so give details

Entered 2/7/19 6

Number of Indian families permanently residing on Reserve 80

Principal means of livelihood Trapping and fishing

What progress if any has been made toward cultivation of the land, and betterment of conditions during the past few years Very Little. Their houses are in a fairly good state of repair and recently owing to the high price of all kinds of furs the Indians have experienced good times.

Remarks This band have in past years been able to support themselves as individuals from the proceeds of trapping and fishing, but the community has been neglected owing to lack of funds for assistance. Now that the sale of their timber has realised a large sum, there is no reason why judicious assistance will not result in great benefits to the band, and cause them to become a prosperous community.

Inspector or Timber Valuator.

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REPORT

Concerning Lands and Timber on the Qwa-ee No 7 Indian Reserve

Date Nov 12th 1919 File No. 468789

Total area of Reserve 432 acres

Area of agricultural land 380 acres

Area of waste land 52 Rock - Swamp - Muskeg -

Area of timber land 432 acres

Principal species of timber and quantities

No 2 Spruce	2,882,040	Ft. B.M.
No 3 Spruce	1,925,360	" "
Hemlock	1,073,980	" "
Cottonwood	173,620	

Average stand of timber per acre 14,016 Feet B.M.

Area of land cleared ½ acre Fenced none and under cultivation ½ acre

Is there any serious fire risk? no and of what nature —

Are there any indications of mineral deposits? no If so give details

entered Ledger Q2

Number of Indian families permanently residing on Reserve 46

Principal means of livelihood fishing & logging

What progress if any has been made toward cultivation of the land, and betterment of conditions during the past few years none

Remarks The waste land is steep hill side along the East boundary of the Reserve

C. L. McCammon
Inspector or Timber Valuator.

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REPORT

Concerning Lands and Timber on the GIBSON Indian Reserve

Date 3rd July 1919. File No. 488022 - 1.

Total area of Reserve About 15,000 Acres.

Area of agricultural land 20%

Area of waste land 80% Rock 75% Swamp 5% Muskeg

Area of timber land About 11,000 Acres.

Principal species of timber and quantities Hemlock 28,130,600 ft. B.M. Birch 2,000,000 ft. B.M. Elm 500,000 ft. B.M. Ash 300,000 ft B.M. Quantity of Maple fit only for firewood. Owing to location and distance from shipping points, the Hardwood timber on this Reserve is of little commercial value.

Average stand of timber per acre 2, 600 Feet B.M.

Area of land cleared 683 acres Fenced 879 acres and under cultivation 400 acres

Is there any serious fire risk? No. and of what nature

Are there any indications of mineral deposits? No. If so give details

Number of Indian families permanently residing on Reserve 36 families

Principal means of livelihood Farming, Lumbering, Trapping.

What progress if any has been made toward cultivation of the land, and betterment of conditions during the past few years About 400 acres of land under cultivation.

Remarks

Geo Shaw
Inspector or Timber Valuator.

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REPORT

Concerning Lands and Timber on the Paul's Basin Coldwater No.2 B.C. Indian Reserve

Date August 1918 File No. ### 501386

Total area of Reserve 1594 acs.

Area of agricultural land 600 "

Area of waste land 30% Rock 20% Swamp 10% Muskeg nil.

Area of timber land 1000 acres

Principal species of timber and quantities 8.400.000 F.B.M. Yellow Pine
600.000 f.b.m. Fir.

Average stand of timber per acre 3.000 Feet B.M.

Area of land cleared 100 acs Fenced 20 acs and under cultivation 80 acs.

Is there any serious fire risk? Moderate and of what nature great risk from bark beetle infestation, which unless checked will destroy all merchantable timber.

Are there any indications of mineral deposits? No. If so give details

Entered L/T 12

Number of Indian families permanently residing on Reserve Four

Principal means of livelihood Working out for wages and cultivation of farm crops.

What progress if any has been made toward cultivation of the land, and betterment of conditions during the past few years Some little progress is evident in the direction of farming, but these Indians require substantial assistance in the form of implements and stock if they are to make any appreciable degree of progress.

Remarks These Indians are fairly industrious but work to bad advantage most of the time. If their timber is sold before it is entirely destroyed by beetle pest, funds will be available for their assistance.

H. E. Bury

Inspector of Timber Valuator.

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REPORT

Concerning Lands and Timber on the Coldwater No.1 B.C. **Indian Reserve**

Date August 1918. **File No.** 501386

Total area of Reserve 4640 acres

Area of agricultural land 900 ""

Area of waste land 70% Rock 60% Swamp 10% Muskeg Nil

Area of timber land 3000 acres

Principal species of timber and quantities Yellow Pine 19.000.000 f.b.m.
Fir 1.300.000 f.b.m.

Average stand of timber per acre 6.000 Feet B.M.

Area of land cleared 450 acs. Fenced 100 acs and under cultivation 80 acs.

Is there any serious fire risk? Yes and of what nature proximity of railroad and presence of beetle pest on north portion.

Are there any indications of mineral deposits? No. If so give details

Entered 2/7/20

Number of Indian families permanently residing on Reserve 20

Principal means of livelihood Farming and working for wages.

What progress if any has been made toward cultivation of the land, and betterment of conditions during the past few years Some progress is evident but more would be achieved if the Indians were afforded some assistance.

Remarks This band is fairly progressive but require substantial assistance in the form of implements and stock. When their timber is sold funds will be available for this purpose.

H. J. Bury

Inspector or Timber Valuator.

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REPORT

Concerning Lands and Timber on the Coquitlam Indian Reserve No 2.

Date Nov 22nd/19 File No. 286 880

Total area of Reserve 202.5 acres

Area of agricultural land 202.5 acres

Area of waste land - Rock - Swamp - Muskeg -

Area of timber land 121 acres

Principal species of timber and quantities

Cedar 483,000 ft BM.
Hemlock 229000 " "
Spruce 134000 " "

Average stand of timber per acre 4,178 Feet B.M.

Area of land cleared 2 Fenced 2 and under cultivation 2

Is there any serious fire risk? no and of what nature -

Are there any indications of mineral deposits? none If so give details

entered Ledger C 25

Number of Indian families permanently residing on Reserve 9

Principal means of livelihood fishing & laboring

What progress if any has been made toward cultivation of the land, and betterment of conditions during the past few years none

Remarks subject to overflow at high water will require dyking before use can be made for agricultural purposes

C. L. McCammon.
Inspector or Timber Valuator.

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Concerning Lands and Timber on the Ho Mal-Ko Indian Reserve
Orford Bay No 4

Date March 6th 1920 File No.

Total area of Reserve 735 Acres

Area of agricultural land 585

Area of waste land 150 Rock 150 Swamp - Muskeg -

Area of timber land 585

Principal species of timber and quantities

Cedar 750000 ft-Bul
Spruce 3,175000 " "
Hemlock 1175,000 " "

Average stand of timber per acre 6939 Feet B.M.

Area of land cleared 1 acre Fenced 1/3 acre and under cultivation 1/3 acre

Is there any serious fire risk? no and of what nature

Entered Ledger D7

Are there any indications of mineral deposits? no If so give details

Number of Indian families permanently residing on Reserve Eighteen +

Principal means of livelihood Fishing

What progress if any has been made toward cultivation of the land, and betterment of conditions during the past few years None

Remarks

+ The Eighteen families referred to as permanently residing on the Reserve live a considerable portion of the year on Reserves No 5 & 6

C. L. McCammon.
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REPORT

Concerning Lands and Timber on the Skwahdee Indian Reserve
No 15

Date Mch 27th 1920 File No.

Total area of Reserve 724.5

Area of agricultural land 575

Area of waste land 149.5 Rock 149.5 Swamp — Muskeg —

Area of timber land 701.

Principal species of timber and quantities No 2 Fir 2,863.5 17 Ft Bill
No 3 Fir 2563.5 16 Ft Bill. No 2 Spruce 1,064.625 Ft Bill
No 3 Spruce 1064.625 Ft Bill. Cedar 3.5 85.410 Ft Bill
Hemlock 1024.107 Ft Bill.

Average stand of timber per acre 17783 Feet B.M.

Area of land cleared 3 acres Fenced — and under cultivation 3 acres

Is there any serious fire risk? no and of what nature

Entered Ledger 7/4/20

Are there any indications of mineral deposits? yes If so give details reported outcroppings of Copper ore in the South West part of Reserve

Number of Indian families permanently residing on Reserve

Principal means of livelihood Fishing & Logging

What progress if any has been made toward cultivation of the land, and betterment of conditions during the past few years

Increasing the garden areas
building six new frame houses

Remarks

C. L. McCammon
Inspector or Timber Valuator.

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Concerning Lands and Timber on the South part Chemainus Indian Reserve No 13

Date Apr 17th 1920 File No.

Total area of South part of Reserve 1804 acres

Area of agricultural land 1500

Area of waste land 304 Rock 294 Swamp – Muskeg – Water 10

Area of timber land 1751

Principal species of timber and quantities No 2 Fir 9259480 Ft Bm No 3 Fir 13,239,690 Ft Bm Cedar 11,635,380 Ft Bm. Balsam 669250 Ft Bm. Piling 50,000 L. Ft Tie Timber 25,600 L. Ft Props 32,000 L. Ft

Average stand of timber per acre 19293 Feet B.M.

Area of land cleared 43 Fenced 35 and under cultivation 15

Is there any serious fire risk? no and of what nature

Are there any indications of mineral deposits? no If so give details

Entered Ledger C 26 HB

Number of Indian families permanently residing on Reserve 49

Principal means of livelihood Fishing & logging

What progress if any has been made toward cultivation of the land, and betterment of conditions during the past few years none

Remarks

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C. L. McCammon
Inspector or Timber Valuator.

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Concerning Lands and Timber on the Manitoulin Unceded. Indian Reserve

Date May 1921 File No.

Total area of Reserve 105.300

Area of agricultural land 10%

Area of waste land 90 % Rock 85 % Swamp 5 % Muskeg

Area of timber land

Principal species of timber and quantities White Birch & Poplar with Balsom, Spruce and Cedar scattered through it, there are two small sections where there is Birch & Maple, no stands of merchantable timber but the Indians would be able to get of timber such as pulp wood and ties of the Reserve but no quaity at any one place as it is scattered timber.

Average stand of timber per acre Feet B.M.

Area of land cleared 16.000 Fenced 8.000 and under cultivation 4.500

Is there any serious fire risk? Nill. and of what nature

Are there any indications of mineral deposits? Only crude oile. If so give details There has been several wells drilled out of which they got a quantity of oil but the wells have been all plogged and there has been nothing done with them for some years.

Number of Indian families permanently residing on Reserve 131.

Principal means of livelihood Farming lumbering, fishing and working around saw mills in the summer and trpping in the winter.

What progress if any has been made toward cultivation of the land, and betterment of conditions during the past few years A number of the Indians have large clearances well fenced good buildings and good stocks of animals and appear to be prosperous

Remarks Take the Indians as a whole on the reserve are well housed and appear to be thrifty. On the Southernly portion of the reserve there are some good stands of small second growth pine

Geo Shaw

Inspector or Timber Valuator.

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Concerning Lands and Timber on the Shoal Lake No.28A Sask. **Indian Reserve**

Date Oct.15th.1921. **File No.**

Total area of Reserve 3087 acs.

Area of agricultural land 800 acs.

Area of waste land 2113 acs Rock 200 acs. Swamp 1000 ac Muskeg Marsh 1013 acs

Area of timber land 900 acs.

Principal species of timber and quantities Spruce 3.500.000 f.b.m. Poplar 1.750.000 acs. Cordwood mxd.10.000 cds.

Average stand of timber per acre 5000 f.b.m. Feet B.M.

Area of land cleared 1000 acs Fenced 20 acs. and under cultivation 10 acs.

Is there any serious fire risk ? Yes and of what nature proximity of old logging operation.

Are there any indications of mineral deposits ? No. If so give details

Number of Indian families permanently residing on Reserve 18

Principal means of livelihood Raising hay and cattle. Trapping and hunting

What progress if any has been made toward cultivation of the land, and betterment of conditions during the past few years Some slight increase in hay crops and number of cattle, but living conditions very bad owing to the fact that entire village is built on marshy or low land.

Remarks Would recommend that timber licensee be ordered to burn all brush and tree tops resulting from operation and the Indians then encouraged to farm and reside on the high land

H. J. Bury

Inspector of Timber Valuator.

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Concerning Lands and Timber on the Hunaechin Indian Reserve

Date Aug 31/22 File No.

Total area of Reserve 240

Area of agricultural land 15 acres after timber taken off.

Area of waste land 45 hillside Rock 100 Swamp Nil acres Muskeg Nil.

Area of timber land 200 acres

Principal species of timber and quantities Spruce 3400000 Clear 50 per cent 30 Per cent No 1. 20 Per cent No 2. Fir 40 Per cent Clear 35 Per No 1. 25 Per cent No 2. Cedar 40 Per cent Clear 30 " " 1. 20 " " " 2. Hemlock 20 " " " 30 " " 1. 20 " " " 2.

Average stand of timber per acre 34000 Feet B.M.

Area of land cleared 4 acres Fenced Nil. and under cultivation 3 acres

Is there any serious fire risk? Very little and of what nature 100 acres in the East has been logged of. Brush may catch fire

Are there any indications of mineral deposits? Yes If so give details a little Copper. I am a ledge running 1 Half mile

Entered H.D.

Number of Indian families permanently residing on Reserve 15

Principal means of livelihood Fishing & Logging

What progress if any has been made toward cultivation of the land, and betterment of conditions during the past few years Two acres of firm cut and put into potatoes

Remarks Some 40 acres has been logged off by a Jap. 3 years ago. all Spruce & Cedar.

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Frank F. White.
Inspector or Timber Valuator.

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Concerning Lands and Timber on the Tobacco Plains B.C. Indian Reserve

Date October 1922. File No. 30.153-3

Total area of Reserve 10.560 acres

Area of agricultural land 2.000 acres

Area of waste land 8.000 ac Rock Nil Swamp 115 acs Muskeg None

Area of timber land 5.500 acres. Logged 27 acs.

Principal species of timber and quantities Douglas fir 3.528.000 f.b.m.
Yellow Pine 8.348.000 f.b.m. Western larch 554.000 f.b.m.

Average stand of timber per acre 2.260 Feet B.M.

Area of land cleared 4945 Fenced 1.700 and under cultivation 350

Is there any serious fire risk? slight and of what nature Grass fire which would destroy young pine and fir.

Are there any indications of mineral deposits? None found If so give details

Entered 1/2

Number of Indian families permanently residing on Reserve 16

Principal means of livelihood Laborers in logging camps and small farmers

What progress if any has been made toward cultivation of the land, and betterment of conditions during the past few years Quite and amount of ploughing but very little crop raising has been done. lack of proper irrigation due to the Indians not keeping their irrigation ditch in proper shape in the main reason for poor crops. The Indians have some stock mostly of inferior breeds.

Remarks The Indians appear to be very shiftless. With proper cultivation a large portion of the Reserve would be valuable, although summer frosts are known. Nearly the entire reserve is good range during the late spring and summer.

Ryan McIntosh Timber Co. Ltd.
R.Hibberson Pres.
W.L.McIntosh. Sec.

Inspector or Timber Valuator.

SUPERVISOR DEC 13 1922 Indian Timber Lands

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Concerning Lands and Timber on the Nanoose Harbour Indian Reserve

Date Nov.16th.1922. File No. 30152-12

Total area of Reserve 209 Acs.

Area of agricultural land 169 acs. Railroad & Island Highway.

Area of waste land 20 acs Rock Swamp Muskeg

Area of timber land 156 acs

Principal species of timber and quantities Douglas Fir 396.000 f.b.m. Red Cedar 158.500 Fir piling 40 X 16 55

Average stand of timber per acre 3609 Feet B.M.

Area of land cleared 33 acs Fenced and under cultivation

Is there any serious fire risk ? Yes and of what nature Land clearing operations, railway, mills. S.E. corner fire swept in 1922.

Are there any indications of mineral deposits ? If so give details

Number of Indian families permanently residing on Reserve Three

Principal means of livelihood Logging & fishing

What progress if any has been made toward cultivation of the land, and betterment of conditions during the past few years None. No cattle, horses or farm implements on Reserve. One ford car, launch and canoes.

Remarks. This Reserve is suitable for farming land, except S.E.40 Timber is scattered in a growth of alder and picket fir. Evidence of old burn. Of no value as a logging operation except to nearby mills or adjacent settlers.

J.A.Hibberson.
Inspector or Timber Valuator.

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REPORT

Concerning Lands and Timber on the Chats-cah B.C. Indian Reserve
Western Portion.only.

Date May 1919 File No. 30162-10

Total area of Reserve W.portion 236 acs.

Area of agricultural land 60 acs.

Area of waste land 100 Rock 80 Swamp Muskeg

Area of timber land 200 acs.

Principal species of timber and quantities Spruce 2.830.000 f.b.m. Cedar 40.000
Hemlock 21.000 Cottonwood 110.000

Average stand of timber per acre 20.000 Feet B.M.

Area of land cleared 5 acs Fenced 6 acs and under cultivation 3 acs

Is there any serious fire risk? Yes and of what nature
Railroad

Are there any indications of mineral deposits? No. If so give details

Entered 1/28

Number of Indian families permanently residing on Reserve None

Principal means of livelihood

What progress if any has been made toward cultivation of the land, and betterment of conditions during the past few years

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Remarks

Jas.Moloney.
Inspector or Timber Valuator.

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REPORT

Concerning Lands and Timber on the Chehalis # 5 Indian Reserve

Date Nov.1920. File No. 30153-12

Total area of Reserve 1440 acs.

Area of agricultural land 300 acs.

Area of waste land 500 acs. Rock 200 acs. Swamp 100 acs. Muskeg --

Area of timber land 900 acs.

Principal species of timber and quantities Fir.14.000.000 f.b.m. Cedar 2.000.000 Hemlock 1.000.000.f.b.m.

Average stand of timber per acre 15.000 Feet B.M.

Area of land cleared Nil Fenced Nil and under cultivation Nil

Is there any serious fire risk ? Yes and of what nature adjacent old logging areas.

Are there any indications of mineral deposits ? No If so give details

Number of Indian families permanently residing on Reserve None

Principal means of livelihood

What progress if any has been made toward cultivation of the land, and betterment of conditions during the past few years

Remarks

H. E. Bury
Inspector or Timber Valuator.

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REPORT

Concerning Lands and Timber on the Stangecoming Indian Reserve

Date Aug. 1923. File No. 30124-6

Total area of Reserve 3.861 acs.

Area of agricultural land 700 acs.

Area of waste land 1000 ac Rock 650 Swamp 200 Muskeg 150

Area of timber land 2.500 acs.

Principal species of timber and quantities W.Pine. 100.000 f.b.m. R.Pine.1.500.000 Spruce 100.000 Pulpwood 10.000 cords J.Pine ties 35.000 Poplar 500.000 f.b.m. Cordwood 10.000 cds.

Average stand of timber per acre 1200 Feet B.M.

Area of land cleared None Fenced None and under cultivation None

Is there any serious fire risk? No and of what nature

Are there any indications of mineral deposits? No If so give details

Number of Indian families permanently residing on Reserve None

Principal means of livelihood Occasional residents in winter, trapping and fishing in summer.

What progress if any has been made toward cultivation of the land, and betterment of conditions during the past few years None. The reserve is generally not fit for agriculture but only suitable for the growth of forest crops. If timber is sold, brush disposal, by burning and piling

Remarks shaab should be enforced.

H.J.Bury.
Inspector or Timber Valuator.

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REPORT

Concerning Lands and Timber on the Golden Lake. Indian Reserve

Date May 9th.1925. File No. 300011

Total area of Reserve 1650 acres

Area of agricultural land 200 acres

Area of waste land 500 acs Rock 450 Swamp 50 Muskeg Nil.

Area of timber land 1000 acres

Principal species of timber and quantities White & Red Pine 6000 f.b.m. Spruce 7000 f.b.m. & 400 cords,Poplar 90.000 f.b.m. & 1000 cords,Balm of Gilead 20.000 f.b.m. & 400 cords,Elm 2000 f.b.m. & 200 cords,Birch 200 cords,Balsam Fir 250 cords.

Average stand of timber per acre 200 f.b.m. Feet B.M.

Area of land cleared 30acs Fenced 50 acs and under cultivation 20 acs

Is there any serious fire risk ? Yes and of what nature proximity to Canadian National Ry. (Ottawa-Parry Sound & Pembroke)

Are there any indications of mineral deposits ? No. If so give details

Number of Indian families permanently residing on Reserve 32

Principal means of livelihood Working out for wages,conducting fishing parties, trapping and agriculture.

What progress if any has been made toward cultivation of the land, and betterment of conditions during the past few years None.

Remarks These Indians are not in very good circumstances.The land on the reserve is sterile,there is no timber left of any great value and the slight efforts they make to farm are not very productive.

H.J.Bury.
Inspector or Timber Valuator.
Supervisor Indian Timber Lands.

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Concerning Lands and Timber on the New Brunswick House Indian Reserve

Date Oct.27th.1925. File No. 30065-5

Total area of Reserve 17,280 acres.

Area of agricultural land 200 acs.

Area of waste land 8000 acs. Rock 3000 acs. Swamp 2000 acs. Muskeg 3000 acs.

Area of timber land 10,000 acs. Approx.

Principal species of timber and quantities J.Pine..1.150.000 f.b.m. Spruce 2,000,000 f.b.m. Birch 100,000 f.b.m. Poplar 750,000 f.b.m. Spruce & Balsam pulpwood 5,000 cords, Birch cordwood 4,000 cds. Poplar cordwood 3,700 cds. Cedar poles 1,500 Cedar posts 3,000

Average stand of timber per acre 40 Feet B.M.

Area of land cleared Nil Fenced Nil and under cultivation Nil

Is there any serious fire risk? Yes and of what nature adjacent lo ging operations and resulting debris

Are there any indications of mineral deposits? No. If so give details

Number of Indian families permanently residing on Reserve None

Principal means of livelihood Hunting fishing and trapping

What progress if any has been made toward cultivation of the land, and betterment of conditions during the past few years None.

Remarks This reserve is quite unsuitable for agriculture and is only used for the purpose of hunting and tra pping

H. J. Bury

Inspector or Timber Valuator.

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REPORT

Concerning Lands and Timber on the Point Grondine Indian Reserve

Date June 18th 1928. File No. 30160

Total area of Reserve 10,115 Acres

Area of agricultural land This Reserve is unfit for agricultural purposes.

Area of waste land 8600 Acres Rock 1450 Acres Swamp ------ Muskeg .....

Area of timber land 10,052 Acres of young undersized growth

Principal species of timber and quantities White Pine, 25 M and young growth $5.00

Birch, 45 M.f.b.m. @ $4.00 per M.F.B.M

Maple, 35 " @ $3.00 "

Poplar 75 " @ $2.50 "

Average stand of timber per acre (Young growth) Feet B.M.

Area of land cleared 63 Acres Fenced 41 Acres and under cultivation 63 Acres of hay

Is there any serious fire risk? No and of what nature -

Are there any indications of mineral deposits? No If so give details

Number of Indian families permanently residing on Reserve Four families

Principal means of livelihood Fishing and Lumbering

What progress if any has been made toward cultivation of the land, and betterment of conditions during the past few years None

Remarks

Thos. G. Wiggs
Inspector or Timber Valuator.

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I turned to one of the councilor and asked. "How are we going to settle this." r John Niganiwina then started quarreling and went away angry saying that I was not fit to settle anything on the reserve. He went out the door one of his Son says you will know what is going on the reserve very soon."

as we see it. John Niganiwina tresspassed on Joseph Sampson's property, because his father never cultivated nor looked after the field nor did John niganiwina himself ever do any thing to it. We do not see how he could take away the field from Joseph Sampson when it had been overgrown by brush wood and a new growth of trees before Joseph Sampson took it. He ought to return the 1½ Ton of hay or pay its worth to Joseph Sampson

I have told Mr H. W. Baxter. Indian agent. Cove Bay a number of times and asked him to settle of this trouble. He always says "the next time I come I will settle it."

I can not wait for him any longer because I cannot depend on him. He never does what he promises.

I am notifying the Department about this trouble. to see what you advice about it. Do you wish me to settle the trouble the way I see it or place it in the hands of the Police Magistrate Price of Little Current.

Very respectfully yours.

Mr. Wilson Sampson
Chief

To the Secretary of the Department
of Indian affairs
Ottawa

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Account of Counsil

I called a meeting of the band on the 4th inst. to settled a quarrel between John Niganinina and Joseph Sampson Concerning a field. I asked John Niganinina why he tresspassed on Joseph Sampson's farm. He answered me that I need not bother with that because it had been settled before He said. " I thought Joseph Sampson was satisfied that I should take the hay from the field belonging to Jabine and the old woman alongside my father's old farm."

" I once heard my father say that Jabine gave him this field when he left for West Bay. My father gave me his farm when he died."

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I Joseph Sampson. wish to tell you that John Niganiwina
came to my place last August and asked me if I was going
to farm anymore in that field. I told him "yes: He said
to me. "I am going to claim that field.. It is mine." I asked
him which field he meant. He answered my." my fathers
old field. and with this he left the house

When I went to the field to cut my hay I found it had
been cut and taken away by John Niganiwina to is
stable.

There was about one and a half ton of hay in that
field. I begged of the chief to make John Niganiwina
give me my hay or pay me for it but before the chief
had a chance to settled the question John Niganiwina
left the councel angry. I have cleared and worked this
old field of Jabine and the woman and I wish to keep it
and beg the Department to forbid John Niganiwina to
tress pass again on it. and of my hay to give me or Pay me
for it. I do not want his fathers form that is along side

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To The Secretary of The Department
of Indian affairs
Ottawa

FEB 24 1914

Dear Sir.

I wish to tell you about the trouble concerning that has arison in the Reserve between Joseph Sampson and John Niganiwina The land was used by a man named Jabine and an old woman, both of them left this reserve and Settled in West Bay Indian Reserve 60 years ago. In years new bush grew in the place until it looked as though it had never been farmed.

About 20 years ago Joseph Sampson cleared and ploughed it and used it for a number of years. Lately he seeded it down and has been taking of hay every Summer until last Summer.

That is all we have been about the old farm

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Ottawa, February 26, 1914.

Dear Chief,-

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 12th instant, in regard to dispute between Joseph Sampson and John Niganiwina as to land on the Sheshegwaning reserve, and in reply to say that the local agent has been written in the matter and you should confer with him.

Your obedient Servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Chief Wilson Sampson,
Morrisville,
Ont.

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Ottawa, February 26, 1914.

Sir,-

I beg to inform you that a communication has been received from Chief Wilson Sampson in regard to a dispute between Joseph Sampson and John Niganiwina as to land on the Sheshegwaning reserve, and in connection therewith have to request that you will be good enough to investigate this matter at once and favour the Department with a full report. I may say that the Chief has been advised that you have been instructed to investigate this dispute.

Your obedient Servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

F. W. Baxter, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Gore Bay, Ont.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

Gore Bay

March 19 1914

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 555
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

444087

Sir

In reply to Department letter number 442771 under date of February 26th 1914 I have the honor to enclose an agreement signed by Joseph Sampson and John Negonnewinah and witnessed by three other members of the sheshigwaning band in which they each agree to take a half each of the piece of ground in dispute between them, trusting that this agreement will be satisfactory to you

Your obedient servant
F. W. Baxter
Indian agent

The Secretary
Dept of Indian affairs
Ottawa

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Sheshegwaning Indian Reserve
March 14 Th 1914
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We The undersigned each agree to take half each of the Piece of Land which has been in dispute between us and hereby agree to except the division in the lot as made this 14 Th day of March 1914 by F. W. Baxter Indian agent as a final settlement between us

Signed John his x Negonnewinah mark
Joseph Sampson

Witness

John Simon
Peter Negonnewenah
Wilson Sampson

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442 771.

OTTAWA, March 25, 1914.

Sir,-

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 17th. Inst. No. 555 enclosing agreement entered into between Joseph Sampson and John Negonnewinah, as to division of land in dispute on the She-shi-gwaning Reserve, and in reply to say that you have omitted to advise the Department as to the division of the land made by you, and you will be good enough therefore, to furnish a description of the portion allotted to each, under the agreement.

Your obedient servant,

W. A. Orr.

In charge Lands & Timber Branch.

F. W. Baxter, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
GORE BAY,
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In your ...ply refer to above letter number if an answer is desired.

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DEPARTMENT OF SURVEYS

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
OCT 27 1930
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Toronto, October 25th 1930.

Dear Sir,

I understand there has been a re-survey made of the Township of Allan, Manitoulin Island, and I would be pleased if you would forward to me a copy of the field notes and plan. The only notes on file in this office are those made by Francis Bolger in 1867.

Yours truly,

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
OCT 30 1930
SURVEYS

Surveyor-General,
Deputy Minister.

MP/VS.

A.F. MacKenzie Esq.,
Act. Asst. Deputy & Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
OTTAWA. Ont.

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Ottawa, 4th November 1930

Sir,-

In reply to your letter of the 25th ultimo, I am enclosing photostat copies of the field notes of survey of the North part of the Township of Allan, made by J.W. FitzGerald, P.L.S., in 1880. These are the only field notes of this Township of record in the Department and, in addition to a partial resurvey, consist of a subdivision of the portion not covered by the Bolger survey of 1867.

Your obedient servant,

T.R.L. MacInnes

(T.R.L.MacInnes)
Acting Secretary

L.V.Horke Esq.,
Surveyor General &
Deputy Minister,
Department of Surveys,
Toronto, Ont.

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Indian Office, Brantford,
February 21st, 1914.

Sir,-

I beg to enclose the minutes of Council held on February 3rd and subsequent dates and to report thereon as follows:-

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No. 12.

The Council refused an application for $25.00 to repair an Orange Hall in the South part of the Reserve, because no grants are made for repairing old public buildings. I beg to recommend your approval of this decision.

x x x

Gordon J. Smith,
Supt.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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Oshweken Council House,

February 6th 1914.

The adjourned meeting of the Six Nations opened in due form by Chief David John one of the Fire Keepers.

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12.

Grant for repairs refused.

The Council refused to grant $25.00 for repairing an Orange Hall in the South East part of the Reserve, on the grounds that no grants are made for repairs to old public buildings.

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Joshia Hill,

Sec'y S.N.C.

Read and approved,

J. S. Johnson,

Deputy Speaker, S.N.C.

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Ottawa, 6th March, 1914.

E. X.

Sir:-

Referring to your letter of the 21st. ultimo, I beg to say that the Department approves of the resolution passed by Six Nations' Council refusing to grant the application to the effect that repairs, to the value of $ 25.00, be made to the Orange Hall on the south-east portion of the Six Nations Reserve.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN.

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Gordon J. Smith, Esq.,
Indian Superintendent,
Brantford, Ont.

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MINUTES OF OHSWEKEN COUNCIL MEETING HELD ON DECEMBER 4/47

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Moved by Leonard Staats seconded by Frank Doxtator, that in the dispute over the sale of the Garlow Line Orange Lodge Hall, that same be dismissed.

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Lt.Col. E. P. Randle,
Indian Superintendent.

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ORANGE HALL S.E. PART OF RESERVE

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FROM Feb/47 TO 10 Dec/47

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No. 443482

Department of Indian Affairs.

March 1914

Maniwaki

Lot 89. Notre Dame St.
Townplot of Maniwaki

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

Maniwaki

March 6th 1914

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 9
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

Sir,— 443482

Wilfrid Lepine has made application to purchase lot 89 Notre Dame Street, Town Plot Maniwaki; said lot was leased to him under Lease # 128, which expired on 1st August 1913, he is willing to pay the rent to the date of sale, the upset price on this lot is $125.00/44

Your humble servant

E. S. Gauthier
Indian agent,

J. H. McLean Esq.
Asst. Dept Secy
Indian Affairs
Ottawa

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OTTAWA, 11th March, 1914-

Sir-

Referring to your letter of the 6th Instant, regarding the desire of Wilfrid Lepine to purchase Lot 89 Notre Dame Street, Maniwaki, I beg to say that, upon payment of rental thereof, under Lease No 128, to date of purchase, there would be no objection to carrying out sale in the usual way.

Your obedient servant

W. A. Orr.

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In charge Lands & Timber Branch.-

E.S.Gauthier,Esq.,
Indian Agent,
MANIWAKI,
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Agreement of sale of horse by J. L. Maudobab to Livingston Kahgee.

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Chippewa Hill

Saugeen Agency Mar 12 / 1914

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I have the honor to
forward to the Dept an agreement
between Livingston Kahgee Band no 197
and T. S. Neandowenh Band no 69
re purchase of Horse which Livingston Kahgee
agrees to pay from his Interest payments
as per agreement

I would recommend that the Dept
Authorizes the payment of same as
he has no house and needs a house

Secretary Dept-
Indian affairs
Ottawa

LANDS BRANCH
MAR 17 1914

I have the honor to be Sir
your Obedient Servant
T. D. Sloat
Agent

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Indian Agents Office
Chippawa Hill
Saugeen Agency March 4th
1914

Agreement

This agreement between
The Parties named T. S. Mandowoub Band No 69
and Livingston Kahgee Band No 187
Both members of the Saugeen Band
of Indians

T. S. Mandowoub is selling
a small frame House to Livingston Kahgee
for the sum of 40.00 Forty Dollars
and Livingston Kahgee agrees to remove
the said frame House from its
present location and agrees to
pay for the House as follows
Twenty Dollars 20.00 to be retained from
his Interest payment March 31st 1914
Twenty Dollars 20.00 from his Interest
payment September 1914

signed before me
at Chippawa Hill
This 4th Day of March
1914

T. A. Stout
Agent

Livingston Kahgee

T. S. Mandowah chief

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OTTAWA, 26th March, 1914-

ACCOUNTANTS
MAR 27 1914
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Sir-

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 12th Instant, enclosing agreement for sale of a house from T.S.Mandowah to Livingston Kahgee, the purchase price of $40.00 to be paid from Interest in March and September 1914, and in reply to say that said agreement is hereby approved.

Your obedient servant

Sgd. D. C. Scott

Assistant Deputy & Secretary-

T.A.Stout, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
CHIPPEWA HILL,
Ontario.-

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Lot 6. Con 7. Sp Mills.

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Immigration Branch,
Department of the Interior,

Gore Bay, Feb. 2, 1914..

W. R. Smyth, M.P.,
Ottawa, Ont.

444051

Dear W. R.-

There is a lot, in Mills township,. that was transferred from a Mrs. Orford to Wm. Robinson, the present owner. The timber was stripped off before he got it and as a farming proposition is only good for grazing land when cleared. Mr. Robinson has paid about $70 on it since he bought and wants to know if you could have the Department write off the balance. I could have the Forest Bailiff run out and report on it if necessary.

Let me have a line to say what can be done.

Yours very truly,

A. E. Graham.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
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Lands and Timber Branch

Ottawa March 19, 1914.

MEMO.

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To the Deputy Minister,

In regard to Lot 6 Concession 7, Mills Township referred to in letter addressed to Mr. Smythe M. P.. by Mr. A. E. Grahm, I beg to say that this Lot which contains 100 acres, was sold on the 8th. July 1879 for $100 to William Robertson, who assigned his interest therein to Robert Radcliffe, who assigned the west half of the Lot to Alice Robinson, so that the East Half of the Lot stands now, in the name of Robert Radcliffe, and the West Half, in the name of Alice Robinson. There has been paid on account, of the purchase price, the sum of $52.05, leaving a balance of principal due and unpaid of $47.95, and interest thereon at 6% from the 8th. July 1879.

Remission of the interest as requested, could only be made under authority of the Governor in Council, upon it being considered that the sum was excessive, under Section 88 of the Indian Act, sub-section 1, a return of such remission being required under sub-section 2 to be submitted to Parliament.

If it is considered advisable to take action in the matter, it will be necessary to have a sworn report as to the valuation of the land, which could be made by Mr. Griffith, the Land Valuator of the Department, at Gore Bay.

Your obedient servant,

W. A. Orr

In charge Lands & Timber Branch.

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March 21, 1914.

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Dear Mr. Smyth,-

With reference to letter from Mr. A. E. Graham, Gore Bay, Ont., to you, which you left with me a few days ago, regarding Lot 6, Concession 7, Mills township, I beg to say that this lot, which contains 100 acres, was sold on the 8th July, 1879, for $100 to William Robertson, who assigned his interest therein to Robert Radcliffe, who assigned the west half of the lot to Alice Robinson, so that the East half of the lot stands now in the name of Robert Radcliffe, and the West half in the name of Alice Robinson. There has been paid on account of the purchase price the sum of $52.05, leaving a balance of principal due and unpaid of $47.95, and interest thereon at 6% from the 8th July, 1879.

It does not seem to me that your correspondent makes a very good case for remission of the balance due on the above lot, and, in any case, such privilege

W. R. Smyth, Esq., M.P.,
House of Commons,
Ottawa.

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would have to be afforded under authority of His Royal Highness the Governor General in Council. It seems to me that there is no case to present.

Incl. I return Mr. Graham's letter herewith.

Yours sincerely,

Deputy Superintendent General.

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Reserves &c	Dr's Name	Address	Salary per annum	Date of appointment.
ONTARIO.				
Alnwick Tp. of Alnwick Co. Northumberland.	F.A.Aylesworth,	Roseneath,	$300.00	Aug. 1910.
Caradoc & Muncey Institute, Co. Middlesex, Oneida, Tp. of Delaware, Co. Middlesex.	W. H. Woods,	Mount Brydges	$650.00	July, 1913.
Cape Croker, Tp. Albermarle, Co. Bruce.	H. Wigle,	Wiarton,	$500.00	April, 1912.
Christian Is. On Christian Island.	Indians call any Dr.		Paid on accts.	
Chapleau, " Bdg. School South Village of Chapleau.	J. J. Sheahan,	Chapleau,	$300.00	Oct. 1908.
Fort William, Near West end of Lake Superior.	J.M.McGrady,	Fort William	$125.00	April, 1903.
Garden River, 4 miles east of Sault Ste. Marie,	A. S. McCaig,	Sault Ste. Marie,	$500.00	Nov. 1902.
Batchewana, West shore of Goulais Bay, Tp. of Kars,	A. S. McCaig,		Paid on accounts,	
Gros. Cap, 17 miles west of Sault Ste. Marie,	M. E. Grimshaw,	Helen Mine,	Paid on accounts,	Apr. 1906.
Michipicoten, Mouth of Michipicoten River, North Shore of Lake Superior,	M. E. Grimshaw,		Paid on accounts,	
Georgina Snake Is.) South shore of Lake Simcoe,	W. H. Pringle,	Sutton West,	$150.00,	June, 1903.
Shequiandah, Sucker Creek) Whitefish River)	Manitoulin Island, North Sh. of Georgian Bay. P. J. McDonald,	Little Current	$500.00	Mch., 1912.

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		(Ontario Continued.)		
Gore Bay Manitoulin Island	Jas. A. Baker,	Gore Bay,	$250.00,	Jan'y, 1913.
Golden Lake On Golden Lake Co. of Renfrew,	Jas. Reeves,	Eganville,	$200.00	Jan. 15, 1907.
Manitowaning & Vicinity, Manitoulin Island	R. W. Shaw,	c/o Indian Agent Manitowaning,	$1000.00	1st July, 1909.
West Bay-Manitoulin Is.	Dr. R.W.Davis,	West Bay,	$600.00	22, Mar. 1912.
Whitefish Lake 12 Miles from Sudbury,	R. H. Arthur,	Sudbury,	$350.00,	April, 1908.
Serpent River N. Shore of Lake Huron,	T. O. Hutton,	Cutler,	$225.00,	July, 1912.
Spanish River N. Shore of Lake Huron,	" " "	"		
Mattawa, Co. Nipissing,	M. James,	Mattawa,	$200.00,	April, 1905.
Mississaugas of the Credit, Tp. Tuscarora, Co. Brant,	R. McDonald,	Hagersville,	$350.00,	Aug. 1895.
Moravians of The Thames, Tp. of Oxford, Co. Kent,	D. P. McPhail,	Highgate,	$350.00	Sept., 1896.
Parry Island E. Shore Georgian Bay.	Dr. Limbert,	Parry Sound,	Pd. on accts.	Dec., 1911.
Shawanaga 23 mls. from Parry Sound,	" "	" "	" " "	
Henvey Inlet,	" "	" "	" " "	
Georgian Bay,	S. B. Biehn,	" "	" " "	Dec. 1908.
Six Nations Counties Brant & Haldimand,	Walter Davis, " " employs and pays an assistant For drugs.	Ohsweken	$2850.00, $ 300.00	May 1912.
Moose Factory, James Bay,	Vacant.			
Thessalon 6 miles E. of town of Thessalon	J. Baxter,	Thessalon,	$225.00	May, 1909.
Mississagi River E. Shore of Georgian Bay,	Dr. T. M. Robb,	Blind River,	$225.00,	July, 1912.

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Tyendinaga, E.	S.D.Vandervoort,	Deseronto,	$250.00,	Jan. 1909.
Tp. Tyendinaga, Co. Hastings, Tyendinaga W. " "	John Moore,	Shannonville,	$250.00	Jan. 1909.
Rice Lake Co. Peterborough,	Dr. C.F.Ross,	Keene,	$185.00	Feb. 1913.
Rama, Eastern shore of Lake Couchiching,	W. Gilpin,	Brechin,	$300.00	April, 1912.
Mud Lake Co. of Peterborough,	F.W.Blakeman,	Lakefield,	$5.00 each visit not to exceed 50 visits a year $1 for office consultations.	Jan. 1912.
Saugeen, E. Shore of Lake Huron,	P.J.Scott,	Southampton,	$400.00	April, 1912.
Sarnia, S. of Tpwn of Sarnia,	Thos. P. Bradley,	Sarnia,	$450.00,	April, 1912.
Kettle Point) Near Sarnia, Stony Point) " "	C. A. Patterson,	Forest,	$250.00,	May, 1910.
Scugog, 8 mls. from Port Perry,	J. D. Berry,	Port Perry,	$2.50 per annum for each member of the Band attended,	March, 1896.
Walpole Island, Head of Lake St. Clair,	J.P.S.Cathcart,	Courtright	$600.00,	August, 1913.
Watha, Tp. of Gibson, Muskoka District,	V. S. Cartwright,	Gravenhurst,	Pd. on accts.,	Jan., 1911.
	A. M. Burgess,	Bala,	" " "	Jan., 1908.
	QUEBEC.			
Betsiamits, N. Shore of St. Lawrence,	Jos. F. X. Bosse,	Bersimis,	$1000.00,	April, 1912.
Escoumains, N. Shore of St. Lawrence,	" " "	"	& drugs not to exceed $250.00	
St. Urbain & Baie St. Paul,	Ernest Allard,	Baie St. Paul,	$100.00,	Sept. 1908.
Gaspe, Lower St. Lawrence,	F. W. McCartney,	Gaspe,	$ 80.00 ,	July 1898.
Lorette, 9 mls. N. of Quebec City,	Alex. Boucher,	Lorette,	$600.00	25 Apr. 1912.
" " " "	Dr. Verrette,	Indian Lorette,	Pd. on accts.	Oct. 1912.
Maniwaki, Co. of Wright,	E. A. Mulligan,	Maniwaki,	$200.00	Feb., 1893.
Maria, Bonaventure Co.,	Arthur Lucier,	Maria,	Pd. on accts.,	Nov. 1904.
Oka, Ottawa River,	F. G. Wilson,	Oka,	$100.00	June 14, 1913.

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	(Quebec Continued)			
Chicoutimi, Saugenay River,	E. A. Claveau,	Chicoutimi,	$200.00,	March 1902.
Pointe Bleue, 5 miles from Roberval,	Jules Constantine,	Pointe Bleue,	$500.00	March 1902.
Pierreville, Co.Yamaska,	P. Gelinas,	Pierreville,	Pd. on accts.,	Dec. 1911.
Restigouche, Opposite Campbellton, N.B.,	Dr. Frenette,	Causapscal,	$200.00,	March, 1912.
Temiscamingue, Co.Pontiac,	Jos. Ayotte,	Guigues,	Pd. on accts.	Feb. 1907.
Viger,Near Village of Cacouna,	E.S.Leprohon,	Cacouna,	" " "	Sept. 1896.
	Dr. Picard,	Fraserville,	" " "	Feb. 1899.
	" E. Pettigrew,	"	" " "	Feb. 1911.
Moisie and Seven Island, Lower St. Lawrence	C. A. McDougall,	Seven Islands,	$450.00	May 1911.
Mingan Shallop River, Lower St. Lawrence,	S. McDuff,	Esquimaux Pt.	$200.00	May 1911.
Becancour, Co.Nicolet,	V.P.Landry,	Bacancourt,	Pd. on accts.,	March, 1905.
St. Augustine, Lower St. Lawrence,	Mather Hare,	Harrington Harbour Canadian Labrador,	Without salary,	Dec. 12, 1910.
	N E W B R U N S W I C K.			
Tobique, Victoria Co.,	G.B.Peat,	Andover,	$400.00	July 1913.
Edmunston,Madawaska,	J.A.Guy,	Edmunston	Pd. on accts.,	Dec. 1893.
Richibucto, Kent Co.,	Robert Girvan	Rexton,	$300.00	Dec. 1911.
" " "	Wallace G. King,	Buctouche	$ 40.00,	Feb. 1908.
Eel Ground & Red Bank, Northumberland Co.,	F. J. Desmond,	Newcastle,	$300.00	Sept. 1897.
Burnt Church, " "	J. D. McKenzie,	Loggieville,	$200.00	Aug. 1907.
Eel River,Restigouche,	A. C. Ferguson,	Dalhousie,	$ 50.00	Apr. 1896.
Westmoreland Co.	H.H.Coleman	Moncton,	$200.00	Apr. 1911.
"	J. A. Leger,	Shediac	$200.00	July 1902.
Fort Folly,Near Dorchester,	J. E. Teed,	Dorchester,	$150.00,	April 1909.
Gloucester Co.,	J.N.Michaud,	Bathurst,	$100.00,	June 1909.
Woodstock, Carleton Co.,	T. F. Sprague,	Woodstock,	$150.00	Jan. 1897.
Kingsclear & St. Mary's Ferry, York Co.,	B. M. Mulligan,	St. Mary's Ferry, York Co.,	$300.00	Feby. 1912.

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	(New Brunswick Continued.)			
St. Mary's(Summer Camp) York Co.,	F. P. Patterson,	Westfield,	Pd. on accts.	June 1899.
Oromocto, Right bank of River St. John,	J.H.Peake,	Fredericton,	$125.00	Mch. 1908.
King's Co.	H.C.Folkins,	Norton,	$200.00,	Sept. 1912.
Queen's Co.	J. A. Caswell,	Upper Gagetown,	Pd. on accts.,	June 1894.
" "	M.H.McDonald,	Hampstead,	" " "	Sept. 1900.
St. John, St.John Co.,	Mayes Case,	St. John,	" " "	Nov. 1906.
	N O V A S C O T I A.			
Lequille, Annapolis Co.,	Russell Withers,	Annapolis,	$ 50.00	Dec. 1897.
Middleton, " "	S.N.Miller,	Middleton,	$ 50.00	July 1903.
Antigonish Co.	W.F.McKinnon,	Antigonish,	$250.00	March 1912.
Eskasoni, Sydney, North Sydney,& Cariboo Marsh, in Cape Breton Co.,	C. J. Sparrow,	Sydney, C.B.	$350.00	Aug., 1912.
Colchester Co.,	H.V.Kent,	Truro,	$150.00	March 1912.
Cumberland Co.,	Vacant,		$200.00	
Bear River, Digby Co.	C. C. Archibald,	Bear River,	$250.00	1, Jan. 1912.
Weymouth, " "	E. O. Hallett	Weymouth	$100.00	1, Jan. 1912.
Digby Neck, " "	F.E.Rice,	Sandy Cove,	Pd. on accts.	March 1913.
Guysboro Co.,	C. E. Buckley,	Guysboro,	Pd. on accts.	June 1897.
" "	P. A. McCarry,	Canso,	" " "	April, 1909.
Martook, Hants Co.	C. H. Morris,	Windsor,	$ 75.00	Dec., 1908.
Hants Co.	A. Culton,	Shubenacadie,	$150.00	Nov. 1912.
Elmsdale, Halifax Co.,	G. B. Kennedy,	Elmsdale,	Pd. on accts.	Feb. 1910.
Sheet Harbour, " "	J. M. Gourlay,	Sheet Harbour,	" " "	" 5, 1912.
Dartmouth " "	M.A.B.Smith,	Dartmouth,	" " "	----- 1896.
Bedford, " "	A. McD. Morton,	Bedford,	" " "	March, 1901.
Malagawatch, Inverness Co.	J.A.MacAuley,	Malagawatch,	$100.00	June, 1906.
Whycocomagh, " "	H.N.McDonald,	Whycocomagh,	$175.00	May, 1912.
King's Co. W. Half,	Geo. McNally,	Berwick,	$200.00	Nov. 1912.
" " E. "	W.B.Moore,	Kentville,	$200.00	Nov. 1912.
Lunenburg, W.	C.S.Marshall,	Bridgewater,	$ 60.00	Feb. 1912.
" "	W. H. Cole,	New Germany,	$ 50.00	Feb. 1912.
" E.	A.M.Hebb,	Chester,	$ 50.00	Feby. 1912.

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		(Nova Scotia Continued.)		
Lunenburg, Lunenburg Co.	Thos. de.Brisay,	Lunenburg,	For Emergency Work,	Feb. 1912.
Mahone, " "	W.N.Cochrane,	Mahone,	" "	" " "
River Port, " "	W.H.MacDonald,	Riverport,	" "	" " "
Petite Riviere," "	Dr. Barnhill,	Petit Riviere,	" "	" " "
Pictou Co.,	Jno. McKenzie,	Pictou,	$200.00	June, 1907.
Milton, Queen's Co.,	F.R.Ford,	Liverpool,	$100.00	Apr. 1913.
Queen's Co., " "	Freeman Smith,	Mill Village,	Pd. on accts.	June 1898.
Caledonia, " "	A. C. McLeod,	Caledonia,	" " "	June 1912.
Richmond Co.,	J. A. McDonald,Sr.,	St. Peters,	$250.00	Jan. 1912.
Shelbourne Co. W.,	J.D.Denemore,	Port Clyde,	50¢ a mile one way and medicine,	Sept. 1912.
" " E.,	L.O.Fuller,	Shelbourne,	" " " "	Sept. 1912.
Yarmouth Co.,	V.L.Miller,	Tusket,	Pd. on accts.	Dec., 1906.
" "	G.W.T.Farish,	Yarmouth,	50¢ a mile one way & medicine,	Oct. 1912.
" "	C.E.Walsh,	Port Maitland,	" " "	June, 1913.
Victoria, Co.,	J.L.Bethune,	Baddeck,	$325.00	Dec., 1911.
		PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND.		
Kensington,	Gillies,E.G.	Kensington,	$ 50.00	June 1913.
P.E.Island,	J.A.Stewart,	Tyne Valley,	$450.00	May, 1912.
do.	P. Conroy,	Charlottetown	Pd. on accts.	June, 1893.
do.	J.G.Toombs,	Mount Stewart,	" " "	March, 1903.
do.	E.D.McLaughlin,	St. Peters,	" " "	May, 1903.
		MANITOBA.		
Brandon School,Brandon,	C.P.Templeton,	Brandon,	$450.00	Sept. 1912.
Bird Tail Sioux)12 mls.S.of Birtle, Rolling River) 8 " N. "Basswood, Birtle Hospital) Birtle,	Dr. Harrison,	Birtle,	Pd. on accts.,	Aug. 1913.
Oak Lake,5 ml.N. of Pipestone,	C.O.Banting,	Pipestone,	" " "	Oct., 1912.
Waywayseecappo's Band 5 mls. W. of Rossburn,	J.W.Evans,	Rossburn,	" " "	Nov. 1911.
Oak River Sioux	Dr. Blanchard,	Griswold,	" " "	Oct., 1912.
Clandeboye,Near Selkirk,	J.R.Steep,	Winnipeg,	$900.00	Feb., 1897.

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		(Manitoba Continued.)		
Ft. Frances, Near Ft. Frances Ont.,	R. Moore,	Fort Frances,	$300.00	March 1897.
" " Bdg. School,	" "		$150.00	
Manitou Rapids, N. bank of Rainy River,	F.H.Bethune,	Emo, Ont.,	Pd. on accts.	Nov. 1912.
Hungry Hall, Mouth Rainy River,	R.M.Charlton,	Rainy River,	" " "	Nov. 1912.
Elkhorn Sch'l, Elkhorn, Man.,	R. Goodwin,	Elkhorn,	$350.00	Dec., 1894.
Pine Creek, W.Shore Lk. Winnipegosis, Shoal River, do. Waterhen " S.Waterhen Lake Pine Creek W.Shore, Lk. Bdg.School, Winnipegosis	A.E.Medd,	Winnpegosis,	$500.00	Aug. 1912.
Shoal River, Lake Winnipegosis,	Oscar Rice,	Swan Lake,	$15.00 a day call system,	Dec. 1909.
Fairford, & Lt. Saskatchewan, Fairford R. East of Lake Manitoba,	Vacant.			
Lake St. Martin, on Lk. Manitoba,	"			
Keeseekoowenine,	Cameron Smith,	Straitholair,	Call system,	Oct., 1912.
Sandy Bay & Bdg. School S.W.Shore Lake Manitoba,	H.J.Hassard,	Portage la Prairie,	$500.00	April, 1912.
Sch.& Sioux Village, Portage la Prairie, in City Portage la Prairie,	do.	do.	$200.00	April, 1912.
Rosseau River, Near Dominion City,	D.B.Houston,	Dominion City,	$ 80.00	April, 1910.
Swan Lake, Near Indian Springs,	C. Pennyfather,	Holland,	$ 60.00	July, 10, 1912.
Indian Gardens, Near Indian Fort,	M.G.Dundas,	Trehern,	50¢ a mile one way,	Jan. 1912.
The Pas, The Pas, Man.	R.D.Orok, also clerk,	Le Pas,	$75.00	1/7/ 1912.
Rat Portage & Savanne, on Lake of the Woods,	T.Hanson,	Kenora,	$1000.00	1887.
Norway House, Norway House,	H. Norquay,	Transcona,	$1500.00	July, 1913.
York Factory, Ft. Churchill, On Hudson Bay,	P.E.Doyle,	Fort Churchill,	$300.00	Nov. 29, 1912.

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			SASKATCHEWAN.		
Assiniboine,	Near Sintaluta,	Cecil D. Hewitt,	Sintaluta,	$ 7.50 a visit,	Feb. 1912.
Battleford,	" Battleford,	S.T.Macadam,	Battleford,	$600.00	Feb. /89.
Battleford School,	" "	" " "	"	$300.00	
Carlton,	Mistawasis,	James D. Duncan,	Mistawasis,	$900.00 with house and rations,	June 1911.
Crooked Lake, E. ½,	N.W.of Broadview,	Dr. G.H.Craig,	Broadview,	$300.00	Dec. 1912.
Crooked Lake W. ½,	" " " "	A. W. Allingham,	"	$300.00	Jan. 1896.
Duck Lake,	Near Village of Duck Lake, C.N.R.,	A.E.McRichie,	Duck Lake,	$350.00	July 1913.
Duck Lake, Boarding School,	do.	do.		$150.00	" "
John Smiths,	14 mls. from Prince Albert,	N.W.Strong,	Prince Albert,	$300.00	July, 1912.
Jas. Smiths,	Near Fort a la Corne,	W.A.Stewart,	Kinistino,	$15.00 a day call system,	Aug. 1912.
Nut Lake,	Tps. 38,39,40, R.12,W. of 2M.	L.F.Ainley,	Wadena,	do.	June /08.
Kinistino,	Tp.42,R.16,W. of 2nd M.	A.S.Shadd,	Melfort,	do.	March /13.
File Hills,	Near Balcarres,	Dr. Hall,	Fort Qu'Appelle,	Call system,	April 1912.
Qu'Appelle,	West of Ft. Qu'Appelle,	H. Knoke,	Lemberg,	$ 10.00 a day call system,	April 1912.
Standing Buffalo reserve,	do.	Dr. McInnes,	Lipton,	$5.00 a trip call system,	Sept. /09.
Qu'Appelle School,	do.	W. Hall,	Fort Qu'Appelle,	$600.00	April 1912.
Moose Mountain,	Near Carlyle,	Vacant,			

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Reserves &c,		Dr's Name	Address,	Salary per annum,	Date of appointment.
		(Saskatchewan Continued)			
Moose Woods,	Near Nutana,	P.D.Stewart,	Saskatoon,	Pd. on accts.	Jan. /03.
Moosejaw,	Near Moosejaw,	B.M.Bayley,	Moosejaw,	" " "	Sept. /12.
Onion Lake,	Near Lloyd-minster,	Mrs. J.R.Matheson, M.D.,	Onion Lake,	$300.00	Oct./98
Onion Lake,	do.	Jno. S. Hill,	" "	$10 a day and horse hire, call system,	Nov./11.
Pelly, Crowstand Sch.	Near Kamsack, "	Chas. E. Tran, "	Kamsack,	$600.00	Aug./12.
Valley River reserve,	On valley River,	B. McGregor,	Roblin, Man.	50¢ a mile one way and medicines call system,	March, 1912.
Touchwood,	Near Kutawa,	A.C.Phillips,	Punnichy,	$10.00 a day call system,	Nov. 1907.
Fishing Lake,	On Fishing Lake,	Dr. Ainley,	Wadena,	Pd. on accts.	May 1908.
		ALBERTA.			
Blackfoot & Bdg. School,	50 miles E. of Calgary,	Wm. Rose,	Gleichen,	$700.00	December 1911.
Sarcee Bdg. School,	In Calgary Dist.	Harold W.McGill,	Calgary,	$400.00	December 1911.
Stony,	40 miles W. of Calgary,	A.W.Park,	Cochrane,	$600.00	March 1912.
St. Joseph's Industrial Sch.	Davisburg,	A.E.Ardiel,	Okotoks,	$300.00	February 1912.
Blood,	Between Pelly and St. Mary's river,	O.C.Edwards,	MacLeod,	$1500.00	Sept. 1897.
Peigan,	On Oldman River W. of MacLeod,	J.J.Gillespie,	Pincher Creek,	$500.00	December 1911
St. Albert Bdg. School,	St. Albert,	Arthur Giroux,	St. Albert,	$200.00	April 1908.
Paul's & Alexis Res.	W. of Edmonton,	D.R.Harwood,	Edmonton,	$10.00 a day, call system,	May 1912.
Alexander Res.	11 mls. from St. Albert,	Dr. Ferguson,	Morinville,	$10.00 a day, call system,	May 1910.
White Whale Lake,		Vacant.			
Enoch's Band,	8 mls. W of Edmonton,	J. Park,	Edmontono	$10 a day, call system,	July 1908.

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Reserve &c.		Dr's Name,	Address,	Salary per annum,	Date of appointment.
		(Alberta Continued)			
St. Joseph's band of Lac Ste. Anne,	On Lac St.Anne,	Tillson Harrison,	Edmonton,	50¢ a mile one way,	February /10
Hobbema and Ermineskin Bdg. School,	Near Hobbema,	H.C.Walker,	Wetaskiwin,	$10 a day, call system, $1 Consultations.	June 1912.
Red Deer Sch.,	Near Red Deer,	Henry George,	Red Deer,	$480.00	September 1912.
Saddle Lake,	50 miles from Vegreville, on C.N.R. east of Edmonton.	H.S.Monkman,	Vergreville,	$1500.00	May 1912.
Fort Smith,	On Great Slave R. and at Fort Chipweyan,	Dr. A.L.McDonald,	Fort Smith,N.W.T.	$500.00	April 1912.
Lesser Sl. Lake,		W.B.L.Donald, also Agent,	Grouard,	$1500.00	April 1912.
" " "		J.J.Boulanger, (to act in Dr.Donald's absence,)	"	$1200.00	April 1908.
Vermillion,		H.G.Baldwin,	Vermillion,	Pd. on accts.,	June 1910/
		BRITISH COLUMBIA.			
Babine,	On Skeena R.,	H.O.Wrinch,	Hazelton,	$660.00	May 1901.
"	" " "	E.R.Ardagh,	Kitwanga,	Pd on accts.,	Nov. 1911.
Naas,	On Naas River,	Vacant,		$500.00	
Pupils of Ind'l Schools,	" "				
Skeena River,	On Skeena R.	S. Traynor,	Terrace,	Pd. on accts.,	March 1912.
West Coast,		D.M.Dixon,	Clayoquot,	$510.00	May 1913.
Port Simpson and Metlakatla,	Tsimpsean Peninsula,	R.W.Large,	Port Simpson,	$1080.00	Feb.1911.
"		R. Tart,		$400.00	
Port Essington,	S. bank of Skeena,	Vacant,		$600.00	
Naas River,	On Naas River,	D.J.McDonald,	Kibolut,	$720.00	April 1912.
Massett,	Coast District,	C. A. Graves,	Massett,	$500.00	Jan. 1913.
Skidegate,	" "	J.C.Spencer,	Skidegate,	$400.00	Nov. 1911.

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			(British Columbia, Continued)		
Bella Bella				$600.00	
Bella Coola &c,	Burkes Channel Coast District,	T.F.Kavanagh,	Bella Coola,	$500.00	April 1912.
Stickine,	Telegraph Creek,	F. Inglis,	Telegraph Creek,	$750.00	Dec. 1912.
Atlin,	Comox Atlin District,	E.H.Harrison,	Atlin,	Pd. on accts.,	Feb. 1912.
Sliamon, Homalco & Klahoose,	New Westminster District,	Dr. Henderson,	Powell River,	$300.00	March 1913.
Nicola,	Kamloops Div. Yale Dist.	Dr. Tutill	Nicola Lake,	$480.00	Nov. 1902.
Lytton,	Kamloops Div. Yale Dist.	Dr. Baines,	Lytton,	$600.00	June 1912.
Lytton Ind. school,	" " "	do.	Lytton,	$120.00	" "
Kelowna,	At Kelowna,	J.C.McNaughton,	Kelowna,	$300.00	Jan. 1912.
Lake Knamaplix, Yale, Cariboo,	Okanagan District,	J.W.Arbuckle,	vernon,	$500.00	May 1913.
Penticton &c,	Osoyoos Div. of Yale Dist.	R.B.White,	Fairview,	$420.00	July 1902.
Prince Rupert,		A.T.Phillipson,	Prince Rupert,	$900.00	" "
Ashnola &c.,	Osoyoos div. of Yale Dist.	Dr. McEwen,	Hedley,	$180.00	April 1910
Enderby & Salmon R.	Kamloops Dist.	A.C. Thompson,	Armstrong,	$210.00	June 1912.
St. Mary's & Tobacco Plains also Kootenay Sch)	E. Kootenay Dist.,	Dr. F.W.Green,	Cranbrook,	$500.00	March 1913.
St. Mary's,	"	J.K.R.Bell,	"	Pd. on accts.	December 1912.
Lower Kootenay,	On Kootenay River,	Geo. B. Henderson,	Creston,	$300.00	January 1913.
" Columbia L. No. 3 & Columbia Kootenay,	" "	D.P.Hanington,	Wilmer,	$300.00	May 1910.
Ft. George,	On Fraser River,	D.B.Lazier,	South Fort George,	$400.00	Dec. 1911.
Stella, Fraser L) Stony Creek, Stuart L) and Charlotta,)	N. Part of Yale Cariboo & E. part of Comox Atlin,	H.C.Chisholm,	Fort Fraser,	$600.00	Jan. 1913.
Lillooet,	Lillooet Dist.,	Dr. Christie,	Lillooet,	Pd. on accts.	April 1909.
Quesnel & Alexandria,	Cariboo Dist.	Gerald Baker,	Quesnel,	" " "	March 1912.
Alkali L. Dog Creek, Kenim L. Williams L.Sch.)	Soda Creek, In Lillooet Dist.	W.R.Feare,	150 Mile House Cariboo,	$600.00	July 1913.

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		(British Columbia, Continued,)			
Toosey &c.,	Lillooet Dist.	J.H.Wright,	Alexis Creek,	$400.00	Feb. 1913.
Ashcroft &c.,	Kamloops Div. Yale Dist.	Geo. Sanson,	Ashcroft,	$420.00	Oct. 1893.
Adams L. & Little Shuswap,	"	W. Scatchard,	Chase,	Pd. on accts.	Dec. 1910
Kamloops, Deadman's Creek, N.& S. Thompson,	Kamloops Div. Yale Dist.	A.E.H.Bennett,	Kamloops,	$780.00	Aug. 1912.
Cowichan Valley,	Cowichan Dist.	Watson Dykes,	Duncans Station,	$600.00	April 1906.
Chemainus,	Chemainus Dist.	Dr. Ewing,	Ladysmith,	$300.00	January/12.
Nanaimo,	Near Nanaimo,	W.F.Drysdale,	Nanaimo,	$500.00	April/02.
Comox,	Comox Dist.	E. C. Foote,	Comox,	$249.00	Jan. 1912.
Victoria,	Near Victoria City,	C.M.Jones,	Victoria,	$500.00	Jany./02
Saanich,	N.Saanich & Cowichan Dists.	W.C.Cumming,	Sidney,	$300.00	March/08.
Opitchesaht Tschahe &c Alberni Bdg.Sch.	Alberni Dist.	A.D.Morgan,	Alberni,	$540.00	Aug./06
Nitinat & Pacheena,	On San Juan River,	E.C.Whitehouse,	Port Renfrew,	Pd. on accts.	Nov. 1911.
Oniat, Ucluelet, Uchucklisit,	Clayquot Dist.	Dr. McLean,	Ucluelet,	$510.00	Nov. 1901.
Kwawkewlth,	Rupert Dist.,	M.D.Baker,	Alert Bay,	$400.00	Aug. 1909.
Alert Bay Schools.,	" "	do.	do.	$200.00	" "
Quatsino,	" "	Dr. H.E.Cox,	Quatsino,	$240.00	Jan. 1912.
Toosey, Red Stone and Anaham,	Lillooet Dist.	J.H.Wright,	Alexis Creek,	$400.00	Feb. 1913.
Harrison Hot Springs,	New Westminster District,	Robt. Elliott,	Harrison Hot Springs,	$750.00	Oct./09.
Nicomen & St. Mary's Bdg. school,	On Thompson River 88 mls. from Yale,	A.J.Stewart,	Mission City,	$500.00	Sept./05.

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Reserves &c.	Dr's Name,	Address,	Salary per annum,	Date of appointment.
		(British Columbia, Continued,)		
Mew Westminster) Coquillam &c)	6 miles from New Westminster,	Drs. Drew & Hall,	New Westminster,	$1200.00	Dec./02.
Mission,False Creek,Musqueen, &c.	New Westminster Dist.	T.A.Wilson,	" "	$1200.00	March,/12.
Sechelt,Bdg.Sch.	do.	do.	do.	$25. a trip.	
Tsawassen,	do.	A.A.King,	Ladner,	$300.00,	July, 1905.
Cannaries,near Steveston and North Arm.		W.G.Hepworth,	Steveston,	$500.00	March, 1910.
Chilliwack,Cheam) & Cultus L.)	New West-minster Dist.	J.C.Henderson,	Chilliwack,	$400.00	Feb./04.
		YUKON.			
Whitehorse & Carcross Schs.	Yukon Territory,	W.B.Clark,	Whitehorse,	$1200.00	Sept. 1912.
Dawson & Mooseshide,	3 ml.S of Dawson,	J.O.LaChappelle,	Dawson,	$1200.00	Jan. 1913.
Fort Smith,	Fort Smith, N.W.T.	A.L.MacDonald,	Fort Smith,via Edmonton, Alta.	$500.00	May 1912.
Fort Resolution,	Near Fort Resolution,	Vacant.		$500.00	
York Factory Dist		Rev. R. Faries,	York Factory,	$100.00	Nov. 1911.

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LIST OF HOSPITALS

Maintained by

The Department of Indian Affairs.

O N T A R I O.

Moose Fort Hospital, James Bay

Grant of..... $450.00 per Ann.

Q U E B E C.

The Sacred Heart Hospital, Caughnawaga, Que.

Grant of..... $600.00 " "

M A N I T O B A.

Birtle Hospital, Near Birtle, Man.

Dr. R.H. Wheeler (also attends Indians on Reserves in Birtle Agency) Birtle Man. $600.00 " "

Nurse..... $600.00 " "

A L B E R T A.

Blood Hospital, Near Macleod, Alta.

Dr. O.C. Edwards, (Also attends Indians on Blood Res.) $1500.00 " "

Matron..... $ 180.00 " "

2 nurses..... $ 120.00 " "

Cook..... $ 120.00 " "

Blackfoot Hospital. Near Gleichen, Alta.

Dr. Wm. Rose, (Also attends Indians on Blackfoot Agency, Gleichen, Alta.) $700.00 " "

BRITISH COLUMBIA.

Assistance is given to the following hospitals at the rate of $1.00 per diem, (for Indians only) up to 1000 days, and 75¢ per diem over that number.-

Lytton Hospital		Lytton, B.C.
St. Georges "	Columbia Coast Mission, Alert Bay, B.C.,	Also grant of $400,00 per annum.
Bella Coola "		Bella Coola, B.C.
Prince Rupert Hospital,		Prince Rupert, B.C.
Port Simpson "		Port Simpson, B.C.
Hazelton "		Hazelton, B. C.

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BRITISH COLUMBIA, continued.

Clayoquot Hospital,	Clayoquot, B.C.,
Bella Bella, Rivers Inlet,	Bella Bella, B.C.
Telegraph Creek,	Telegraph Creek, B.C.

NOTE Accounts sent in from hospitals in the Dominion (other than those above mentioned) for treatment and maintenance of Indians are paid at the rate charged the poorest class of White Patients.

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Memorandum,- March 3, 1922.

Hon. Charles Stewart.

With reference to your telephone inquiry, I beg to say that we have in the Battleford electoral district an Indian agency, namely, the Battleford agency, which comprises 8 reserves. In this agency we employ the following officials : -

S. L. Macdonald,	Agent,	$1740. per annum,	
H. C. Norquay,	Doctor,	2900. " "	
R. E. Osborn,	Clerk,	1500. " "	
Alexander Logan,	Teamster,	720. " "	employed for only 6 months per year
Gordon Henry,	Farmer,	720. " "	
S. S. Moore,	Farmer,	960. " "	
Walter Taylor,	Farmer,	840. " "	
A. Suffern,	Farmer,	840. " "	to be retired May 1, 1922.
Mrs. A. E. Brown,	Field Matron	480. " "	
Mrs. E. V. Bird,	Field Matron	300. " "	

On May 1 there will be a vacancy for a Farming Instructor at the Thunderchild's reserve, owing to the retirement on superannuation of Mr. Suffern; this position has been advertised by the Civil Service Commission, the applications were to be made to Commissioner Graham, and were receivable by him up to February 9. So far, we have

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not received the applications, nor his report thereon, but they will probably be received in an early mail.

For the last two or three years we have not employed a Farmer for the Moosomin reserve, but the Indian Commissioner reports that it would be in the interests of the Indians to have one there; the position was not established in the Position List of the Department, and there is now before the Treasury Board a recommendation to Council, establishing the position. Just as soon as the Order passes, we will take the necessary action to have the position advertised by the Civil Service Commission for permanent appointment.

All of the above officials come under the jurisdiction of the Civil Service Commission, and are permanent employees, with the exception of the Field Matrons.

With reference to Mr. Chatellaine, the Overseer at the Meadow Lake reserve, I have to say that in September, last, Commissioner Graham reported that he had received a letter from the Agent at Battleford, to the effect that Mr. Chatellaine was of no real use on the reserve, that he never replied to letters addressed to him, and recommended that the supplies and equipment on the reserve be turned over to the Councillor, who might be allowed $10. per month as dispenser. Mr. Chatellaine was paid $240. per annum.

In November the Commissioner again brought to the attention of the Department the inadvisability of retaining Mr. Chatellaine's services, and on December 28, 1921, we wrote to Mr. Graham that, as recommended by him, necessary action might be taken to dispense with Mr. Chatellaine, he to be given one month's notice, and the Councillor to undertake the duties of the position at a remuneration of $10. per month. Mr. Chatellaine's services terminated on February 15.

Deputy Superintendent General.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS CANADA.

Ottawa, 10th March 1922

Reserves in electoral district of Battleford

Reserves		Agency	Agency Headquarters
Small portion of Red Pheasant	No.108	Battleford	Battleford
Mosquito	No.109		
Grizzly Bear's Head No.	110		
Lean Man	No.111		
Sweet Grass	No.113		
" "	113A		
" "	113B		
Poundmaker	No.114		
Little Pine	No.116		

Reserves in electoral district of North Battleford

Reserves		Agency	Agency Headquarters
Muskeg Lake	No.102	Carlton	Leask
Mistawasis (Snake Plain)	No.103		
Sturgeon Lake	No.101		
" "	No.101A		
Small portion of Little Red River	No.106A		
Atahkakoop (Sandy Lake)	No.104		
Witchekan	No.117		
Big River	No.118		
Canoe Lake	No.165	Isle a la Crosse	
" "	No.165A		
" "	No.165B		
Meadow Lake	No.105	Battleford	Battleford
" "	No.105A		
Thunderchild	No.115B		
"	No.115C		
"	No.115D		
Moosomin	No.112		
"	No.112A		
"	No.112E		
"	No.112F		
Saulteaux	No.159		
Waterhen Lake	No.130		
Chiteck Lake			
See-kas-kootch	No.119	Onion Lake	Onion Lake
Ministikan	No.161		
"	No.161A		
Big Head	No.124		
Makwa Lake	No.129		
"	No.129A		

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Dr Carlton agt

Reserves.

Muskeg Lake.
Stuyjin Lake
Ahtahkakoop (Sandy Lake)
Montreal Lake. Res 106.

} Dr. J. D. Duncan. Leask. Sask.

Pd. regular charges according to distance travelled & time occupied - $10 & $15.00 a visit.

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Muskeg Lake. No. 102 — [illegible] no farmer.
Shoal River Res. No. 103 - L.R. H. Nash.
Stingem Lake. No. 101 - J. Dreaver
Little Red River 106 A. - no farmer
Atahkakoop (Sandy Lake) - Ed. Hoar
Witchekan, No. 117. - no farmer
Big River No. 118 - no farmer.

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Doctors Onion Lake Agy.

Onion Lake Res. R.C. & C. of E. Bdg. Schools	Dr. J. J. Hill - Lloydminster Sask	# 20 a day to Cover all expenses
Frog Lake Res.	Dr. F. G. Miller Elk Point Alta	# 15- a day + Provides transpt.
Long Lake (Kehewin) Cold Lake, Islands Lake Reserves	Dr. A Dubourdin Bonnyville Alta	# 15- a day + Provides transpt

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Memorandum,-

Mr. J. E. Featherston. March 13, 1922.

With reference to your memorandum of March 7, I beg to give you the following information, regarding the employees of this Department in the Electoral Districts of Battleford and North Battleford : -

RIDING OF BATTLEFORD :

Battleford Agency.	Position.	Salary.	Appt. by C.S.Commission.	Permanent	Remarks.
S.L.MacDonald,	Agent,	$1740. yr.	"	"	
H. C. Norquay,	Physician,	2900. "	"	"	
R. E. Osborn,	Clerk,	1500. "	"	"	
Gordon Henry,	Farmer,	720. "	"	"	
S. S. Moore,	Farmer,	960. "	"	"	
Walter Taylor,	Farmer,	840. "	"	"	
*Mrs.E.V. Bird,	Field-Matron,	300. "	"	"	
Alex. Logan,	Teamster,	720. "	"	Temporary	(Only employed in winter while Agent cannot run motor, and has to use teams, usually 6 months

RIDING OF NORTH BATTLEFORD :

Battleford Agency.					
Vacant,	Indian Farming Instructor, Part time.		Appt. by Departmt.	Permanent	(A. Chatelaine, Overseer, Meadow Lake, retired
A. Suffern,	Farmer,	$ 840. yr.	Appt. by C.S.Commission.	"	(This position will be vacant May 1, and is now being advertised by C.S. Commission.
Vacant,	Farmer,	720. "	"	"	(To be advertised by C.S.Commission when Order in Council passes, establishing position.
*Mrs. A.E.Brown,	Field-Matron,	480. "	"	"	

*These persons are temporary employees.

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RIDING OF NORTH BATTLEFORD Continued:

Onion Lake Agency.	Position.	Salary.	Appt.by C.S.Commission.	Permanent.	Remarks.
Lang Turner,	Agent,	$1500. yr.	"	"	
Miss Louie Turner,	Clerk,	480. "	"	"	
Frank Booth,	Farmer,	720. "	"	"	
* P. Dufresne,	Interpreter,	660. "	Appt.by Dept.	"	
J. T. Hill, M.D.,	Physician,	$20.per day when employed.	"		Employed on call system.
Isle a la Crosse Agency.					
W. R. Taylor,	Agent,	$1800. yr.	Appt.by C.S.Commission.	"	
Carlton Agency:					
John Weir,	Agent,	$1740. yr.	Appt.by C.S.Commission	"	
C. S. Bell,	Clerk,	$1080. yr.	"	"	
L.R.H. Nash,	Farmer,	$ 960. "	"	"	
Vacant,	Farmer,	$ 720. "	"	"	This position is now being advertised by C.S. Commission.
Vacant,	Farmer,	$720. "	"	"	" "
* Donald Sanderson,	Interpreter,	$660. "	Appt.by Dept.	"	
J. D. Duncan,M.D.,	Physician,	$10.to$15. a visit,	"		Employed on the call system.Pd. regular charges according to distance travelled and time occupied.
# Mrs. H.Hutchinson,	Field-Matron,	$480. yr.	Apptd.by C.S.Commission.	"	
# Mrs. H. A. Shaw,	" "	$480. "	"	"	

Duncan Scott

Deputy Superintendent General.

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LIST OF TEACHERS PAID BY THE DEPARTMENT AND THE AMOUNT OF SALARY PAID. SEPTEMBER 30.1913.

School	Teacher	Date of Appointment	Salary Paid,
	NOVA SCOTIA.		
Bear River	Miss Agathe McGinty	Sept. 3,1912.	$400.00
Eskasoni	James MacNeil	" 1,1911	375.00
Indian Cove	Miss Gert.McGirr	" 1,1907.	350.00
Malagawatch	Arsene Burns	Jan. 10,1910,	400.00
Middle River	Mrs.Annie MacNeil	Apr. 1,1907,	300.00
Millbrook	Miss Jessie Scott	Oct. 1,1901.	400.00
New Germany	Miss E.B.Julian	July, 23,1913.	400.00
Salmon River	Ernest L.Macneil	Jan. 1,1913.	350.00
Sydney	Miss Marg.B.McLellan	Oct. 1,1912.	400.00
Whycocomagh	John A. Gillis	Oct. 9,1909.	500.00
Shubenacadie	Miss Mary E.Ahern	Mch. 12,1912.	400.00
	NEW BRUNSWICK		
Burnt Church	Miss Laura C.Geraghty	Aug. 29,1910.	400.00
Big Cove	" Kathleen E.Sutton	Sept. .1,1911.	400.00
Eel Ground	" Marg. Isaac	Feb. 1,1910.	400.00
Mel River	" Mary LeBlanc	Jan. 3,1913.	400.00
Kingsclear	" Rena A. Donahoe	Sept. 1,1908	400.00
St. Mary's	" Mary T. Hughes	Aug. 28,1911	350.00
Tobique	" Ethel F.McGrand	Jan. 1,1911	450.00
Woodstock	" Genevieve Brophy	Aug. 29,1911	350.00
Oromocto	" Blanch McCaffrey	Sept. 7,1909	350.00
Edmundston	" Virginie Dionne	Jan. 1,1911	400.00
	PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND		
Lennox Island	John J. Sark	Aug. 16,1909.	400.00

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	QUEBEC		
Bersimis	Sr.Ste.Fmancis Xavier	Aug. 15,1908.	$300.00
Caughnawaga (BOys)	Peter Delisle (Prin)	Sep. 1,1900	500.00
	Peter Williams(Asst)	Jan. 26,1903.	450.00
Caughnawaga (Girls)	Miss Mary E.Burke (prin)	Sep. 1,1909.	500.00
	" Sadie Burke (Asst)	Oct. 13,1909.	400.00
Caughnawaga (Bush)	Mrs.A.Beauvais	Sep. 1,1906.	400.00
Caughnawaga (Missi ion)	Miss Mary L.Decaire (Bal.of salary paid by Methodist Church.)	Mch. 1,1913.	275.00
Caughnawaga (St.Isidore)	Miss E.E.Gallagher	Feb. 14,1912.	400.00
Congo Bridge	Miss Helen J.White	Oct. 1,1911,	350.00
Cornwall Island	Miss Katie Roundpoint	Sep. 1,1907.	400.00
Lorette	Sr.Ste.Jeanne de.Chantel (Prin)	" 1,1912.	250.00
	Sr.Ste Agathe (Asst)	" 1,1912.	250.00
Maniwaki	Miss Margaret McCaffrey	Jan. 1,1907.	400.00
Maria	Miss Josephine Audette	Feb. 21,1910	400.00
Oka (Country)	Miss Mildred C.Lunan	Jan. 23,1913.	150.00
Oka (Village)	Mrs. L.L.Smith (Balance of salaries for Oka schools paid by Methodist church)	Apr. 1.1910.	250.00
Pointe Bleue	Sr.M.du St.Rosaire(prin)	Jan. 1,1912.	300.00
	Sr. St. Raphail (Asst)	" 1,1912.	250.00
Restigouche	Sr.Mary of the Holy Rosary (Prin)	Sep. 1,1903.	400.00
	Sr. M.St.Joseph (Asst)	July. 1,1909	300.00
St.Frances (Prot)	Henry L.Masta	Jan. 2,1909.	500.00
St.Frances (R.C.)	Sr. St. Albert and three nuns as assts.	Sep. 1,1912.	1,200.00
St. Regis Village	Miss Nellie Keon	Sep. 3,1913.	400.00
St. Regis Island	Miss Minnie P.White	Oct. 1,1911.	350.00
Timiscaming	Sr. Monica	Sep. 1,1910.	400.00
Chenail	Mrs. Sarah Back	Sep. 23,1909.	350.00

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	ONTARIO		
Abitibi (summer school)	Miss Mary McDonald	June 1.1912.	$175.00
Albany Mission	Rev. J.T.Griffin	Oct. 1,1910.	300.00
Alnwick	Frances J.Joblin	Aug. 1907	500.00
Back Settlement	Lyman W. Fisher	Jan. 1,1906	300.00
Bear Creek	Miss Minerva McDougall	Apr. 1,1908	400.00
Cape Croker	Miss Mary Moffitt	Aug. 1904.	500.00
Christian Island	James Oliver, M.A.	Sep. 2,1909.	500.00
French Bay	T.J.Wallace	Feb. 5,1900	700.00
Garden River (R.C.)	Rev. V.Renaud, s.j.	Spe. 1,1910	650.00
Garden River (C.E.)	Lucius F.Hardyman	Mch. 1,1903.	600.00
Garden Village	Miss Jeannie McDermott	Aug. 16,1909	400.00
Georgina Island	Geo. Cork	Sep. 1,1909	450.00
Gibson	Miss Rowlinson	Sep. 6,1913.	400.00
Golden Lake	Miss Leona M.Schruder	Jan. 1,1908.	500.00
Goulais Bay	Miss Annie Kehoe	Jan. 1,1913.	400.00
Henvey Inlet	Joseph Partridge	Mch. 9,1908.	[illegible]
Hiawatha (white school)	Miss Mina E.Throop	Jan. 1,1913.	150.00
Kettle Point	Mrs. Angus George	Jan. 1,1907.	400.00
Lake Helen	Miss C. Harrison	Sep. 13,1909	400.00
Mattawa (white school)	Sr. St. Peter	Sep. 1,1912.	250.00
Michipicoten	Miss Annie O'Conner	Mch. 1,1910	450.00
Mission Bay	Miss Rose Cheput	Sep. 4,1913.	400.00
Mississagi River	Miss Lillian McCoey	Mch. 14,1912.	400.00
Moose Fort	Miss Lucy I.Baker	Oct. 1,1911.	350.00
Moraviatown	A. Beith Gardiner	Sep. 3,1912.	550.00
Mud Lake (Chemong)	H.C.Buffam	Jan. 3,1913.	550.00
New Credit	Gilbert Monture	Jul. 10,1913.	500.00
Nippissing	Miss Katie Tackney	Sep. 1,1911.	400.00

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	ONTARIO cont.		
Oneida No.2	Herbie C.Jamieson	Jan. 1,19X3.	$350.00
" No.3	Levi Williams	Jan. 1,1905.	350.00
Pic River	Miss Isebelle Peltier	Apr. 23,1912..	350.00
Port Elgin	Thomas Jones	Oct. 1,1912.	400.00
Rama	Miss Eva McBain	Nov. 30,1906.	500.00
River Settlement	Miss Mary E. Vinisg	Sep. 1,1911.	500.00
Ryerson	Mrs.Mary L.Yarwood	Nov. 15,1909.	500.00
Sagamook	Miss Rose Fagan	Aug 15,1903.	450.00
Saugeen	Miss Isabelle Ruxton	Dec. 6,1909.	500.00
Scotch Settlement	Mrs. B. Robb	Jan. 1,1911.	500.00
Serpent River	Mrs. J.H.McKay	Nov. 1,1904.	400.00
Shawanaga	Miss Carolyn H. Tutt	Jan. 3, 1913	500.00
Sheguiandah	Harry Cartlidge	Feb. 1,1913.	350.00
Sheshegwaning	Miss E C.Leusch	Sep. 1,1902.	400.00
Sidney Bay	Miss Isabelle McIver	Sep. 1,1907.	400.00
Six Nations No.1	Miss Cora J.Macpherson		450.00
" " No.2	John Clark Clark (prin) Ai. Abbott (Asst)	1889	600.00 500.00
" " No.3	Miss Daisy Masters	Oct. 1,1910.	450.00
" " No.4	S.A.Anderson	Jan. 1,1911.	400.00
" " No.5	Jas. D. Moses	Apr. 1,1913.	400.00
" " No.6	John R. Lickers	1892.	400.00
" " No.7	Miss Anna F.Almas (prin) Jessie VanEvery (asst)	Apr. 1,1913 Apr. 1,1913.	400.00 325.00
" " No.9	Miss Rosa B. Russell	Apr. 1,1913	400.00
" " No.10	Miss J.L.Jamieson	Oct. 1,1912.	400.00
" " No.11	Thos.W.Draper	Jan. 1,1901	500.00
South Bay	Miss Emily Frawley	Feb. 16,1912.	450.00

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Spanish River	C.H.Young	Oct. 1,1908	$400.00
Stony Point	Miss Agnes A.Weaver	Sep.11,1911.	400.00
St. Clair	Miss Alice M.Matthews	Jan. 1,1901.	500.00
Sucker Creek	Mrs. Seymour Fairbanks	Jan. 1,1913.	350.00
Tyendinaga(Eastern)	T.Irvine Brant	Feb. 1912.	400.00
" (Western)	Miss Ethel M.Picard	Sep. 3,1912.	450.00
" (Central)	Miss Florence Fletcher	Sep. 3,1912.	450.00
" (Mission)	Alexander Leween	Aug. 1,1907.	350.00
Walpole Island No.1	Miss Florence Silver	Sep. 5,1913.	400.00
" " No.2	Joseph Sampson	Oct. 1,1900.	300.00
West Bay	Miss Clot. Laferriere	Sep. 1,1911.	400.00
Whitefish Lake	Miss Mary M.Plean	Sep. 3,1912.	400.00
Wikwemikong	Miss Adele Duhamel	Sep. 1,1902.	400.00
Wikwemikongsing	Miss Mercier	Sep. 1,1913.	450.00
Mountain Village	Miss Marg. O'Brien	Feb.10,1913.	450.00
Biscotasing(white)	Miss Losette Coughlan	Jan. 1,1912.	50.00
Thessalon	Miss Lor.C.Shaddeau	Dec. 1,1910.	450.00
French Post	Fred Marks	Oct.23,1911.	300.00
Batchewana	Miss Marg. Mallon	Nov.15,1912.	400.00
Osnaburg	S.N.Dixon	Jul. 1,1912.	300.00
Fort Hope	Rev. E. Richards	Jul. 1,1912.	300.00
	MANITOBA		
Berens River	Joseph Jones	Nov. 1912.	600.00
Big Eddy	Joseph Chamberlain	Dec.12,1912.	400.00
Brokenhead	Ida N.Favell	Nov.22,1912.	300.00
Chemawawin	Rev.S.C.Deacon	Sep. 1,1912	300.00

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	MANITOBA cont.		
Cross Lake (prot)	Miss A.L.Cunningham	Oct. 1,1912.	$500.00
" " (R.C.)	Miss Jane Ramsay	Nov. 1912.	400.00
Black Rkver	Jeremiah Henderson	Feb. 1912.	300.00
Cumberland	John A. Keddie	Oct. 1,1910	300.00
Ebb and Flow Lake	Miss Nora Shannon	Jan. 1,1909.	300.00
Fairford (Upper)	Rupert Bruce	Apr. 1,1909.	300.00
" (Lower)	Colin Sanderson	Jan. 1,1909.	300.00
Fort Alexander ((Upper)	Rev. Chas.H.Fryer	Oct. 1,1911	500.00
Fisher River	Emily N.Royan	Sep.1,1913.	500.00
Grand Rapids	Chas. MOrris	Sep.10,1912.	400.00
Hollowwater River	Rev. G.C.Smith	Oct.14,1912.	500.00
Jack River	Mrs. Mabel Marshall	Jan. 1,1912.	500.00
Lake Manitoba	L.E.Martel	Jul. 1,1901.	300.00
Lake St. Martin	John E. Favell	Oct. 1,1908.	400.00
Little Saskatchewan	Peter Anderson	Nov. 3,1910,	300.00
Manitou Rapids	Robt. R. Gill	Dec. 1,1909.	400.00
Moose Lake	Miss Rowena Harvard	May,19,1913.	500.00
Poplar River	Miss Eveline Stedman	Sep. 1,1912.	500.00
Red Earth	J.G.Kennedy	Sep. 1,1905.	400.00
Roseau Rapids	Miss Rose Godon	Dec. 1,1907	400.00
Rossville	Miss Annie M.DeWolfe	Apr. 1,1912.	400.00
Shoal Lake	Louis Young	Oct. 1,1912.	400.00
Shoal River	Rev. T.H.Dobbs	Aug.15,1904	450.00
St. Peters (North)	Peter Harper	Jan. 1,1908.	300.00
" " (South)	Miss Marg. Isbister	Oct. 1,1910.	350.00
Swan Lake	Miss Jessie G. Bruce	Oct. 1,1910.	500.00

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	MANITOBA conl.		
Waterhen River	Miss Bernadette Adams	Mch.15,1913.	$300.00
Peguis (North)	Angus Prince	Nov.20,1911	300.00
" (South)	Henry J.Frances	Nov.13,1911.	500.00
Lower Rosseau River	Mrs.Jerome Madin	Sep.15,1913.	400.00
	SASKATCHEWAN		
Ahtahkakoops	H.Hutchéson (Teacher)	Jan. 3,1911.	600.00
	Mrs. H.Hutcheson (Field Matron)	Jan. 3,1911.	300.00
Big River	Louis Ahenakew	Sep. 4,1904.	300.00
Day Stars	Miss Sophia E.Smythe	- 1897.	400.00
James Smith	Miss Anna A.Hawley	Sep. 1,1909.	700.00
John Smith	Rev. R.F.Macdougall Teacher	Jan. 1,1911.	600.00
	Mrs.R.F.Macdougall Field matron	Jan.1,1911.	300.00
Keys	Cyril G. Markham	Aug.5,1912.	400.00
Little Pines	Miss Jean Warden	May,5,1913.	300.00
Meadow Lake	Albert Ducharme (discharged Sep.15-13.)	May,20,1913.	300.00
Mistawasis	C.W.Bryden	Oct. 1,1906.	400.00
Montreal Lake	John R.Settee	Jun, 1,1900	400.00
Nut Lake	Rev. Geo. Goodson	Sep. 1,1913.	400.00
Sioux Mission	Johnathan Beverlym	Oct.17, 1905	300.00
Sturgeon Lake	Wm.Godfrey (teacher)	Jan.27,1912.	500.00
	Mrs.Wm.Godfrey (Field matron)	Nov. 9,1903.	300.00
White Bears	A.M.McKay (teacher)	Feb. 1,1912	400.00
	Miss A.Innis (asst)	Sep. 1,1910.	300.00
Assiniboine	Miss Gertrude Lawrence	Sep.12,1910.	720.00
Valley River	Miss Claire Rattlesnake	Aug. 1,1910	400.00
Murray Lake (Moosomin)	Albert E.Rotsay	Oct.26,1912.	300.00

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	ALBERTA		
Goodfish Lake	Mrs. Watters	Sep. 1913.	$400.00
Samsons	Miss Abbie Aylwin	Apr. 1,1912.	500.00
Upper Peace River	Miss L. Millen	Jan. 1,1905.	300.00
Lesser Slave Lake (R.C.)	W.E.Kent	Sep. 1,1911.	500.00
	BRITISH COLUMBIA		
Andimaul	Duncan Rankin	Apr. 1,1909.	400.00
Alert Bay	Geo. H. Moody	Sep. 1,1912.	500.00
Bella Bella	Miss Kate Tranter	1891.	500.00
Bella Coola	Miss Adeline Gibson	Apr. 1,1912.	500.00
Cape Mudge	Rev. J.E.Randle	Jan.,1,1904.	400.00
China Hat	Rev.Geo.Read (teacher)	Oct. 1,1907.	300.00
	Mrs.Harriet Read (Field matron)	Apr. 1910	200.00
Clayoquat (R.C.)	Rev. Jos. Schlinder	Oct.31,1910.	300.00
Gitwangak	Miss F.B.Kemp	Oct. 1,1911.	500.00
Glen Vowell	Miss Agnes Law	Aug.29,1910.	600.00
Hazelton	Miss E.J.Soal	Sep. 1,1908	600.00
Homalco	Miss K.B.Richards (teacher)	Sep. 1,1912	600.00
Kincolith	Miss E.M.Collison	Apr, 1,1910	400.00
Kitamaat	Rev.Frances Swann	Oct. 1,1912.	400.00
Kitkahtla	Miss M.F.Gurd	Oct. 1,1908	400.00
Kitsegukla	Miss Susan Edgar	Oct. 1,1911.	300.00
Kispiax	Mrs. Fakeley	Sep. 1,1913.	500.00
Kisgegas	Joshua J.Harvey	Oct. 1,1910.	300.00
Lytton	Miss Lillie Blackford	Oct. 7,1907.	500.00
Massett	H.L.Clayburg	Oct.21,1912.	900.00
Meanskinisht	Rev. Robt Thomlinson	Sep. 1,1910.	450.00

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	BRITISH COLUMBIA cont.		
Metlakahtla	Miss S.Klippert	Feb.24,1913.	$500.00
Nanaimo	Miss Mamie Rogers	Oct. 1,1912.	400.00
Nitinat (Cla-oose)	John Givson	Nov.16,1909.	500.00
Ohiaht	Joseph Samuel		300.00
Port Essington	Miss Fannie J.Noble	Oct.14,1912.	500.00
Port Simpson	J.H.Young	Sep. 1,1912	600.00
Sholus	F.B.Eteson	Oct. 1,1912.	600.00
Skidegate	A.C.Brown	Jul. 1,1913.	500.00
Sliammon	Edgar J.Biggar	Apr.25,1912.	600.00
Songhees	Rose A.Quigley	Sep. 1,1913.	500.00
Telegraph Creek	W.S.P.Thorman	Nov. 1,1912.	500.00
Tsartlip	Miss L.H.Hagan	Oct. 1,1910.	300.00
Ucluelet	Hugh W.Vanderveen	Mch. 1,1910	400.00
Koksilah	C.A.Dochstader	Oct. 1,1910	400.00
Tahltan	Rev.Fred.P.Thorman	Oct. 1,1912.	500.00
Wyah	Chas.W.James	Nov. 1912.	600.00
Kitselas (New Town)	Louis Edgar	Aug.31,1912.	300.00
	NORTHWEST TERRITORIES		
Fort George	Rev. W.G.Walton	Oct. 1,1911.	300.00
Oxford House	John W. Niddie	Jul. 1,1889.	500.00
York Factory	Rev. R.Farries	Apr. 1,1906.	300.00
Ruperts House	Rev. C.E.Woodall	Apr. 1,1909	300.00
Fort Simpson	Rev. James R.Lucas	Dec. 1,1909	300.00

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	YUKON		
Moosehide	Rev. Benjamin Totty	Jul. 1,1906	$720.00
Champagne Landing) Teslin Lake)	Rev. Chas. C.Brett	Sep.22,1910.	720.00
Whitehorse	Wm. G. Blackwell	Nov. 1910.	720.00
Selkirk	A.C.Field.	Oct. 1,1910.	720.00

ELKHORN INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL

.Wilson	Principal	$83.33 per month,	Jan. 1890
is Ingram	Asst. Principal	45.00 " "	Jun. 1903.
E.M.Vidal	Matron	35.00 " "	Nov. 1905.
M.V.Tapp	Sen.teacher	35.00 " "	Nov. 1912.
M.Wilson	Jun.teacher	25.00 " "	Sep. 1911.
McCarriston	Nurse and Asst.Matron,	30.00 " "	Feb. 1913.
Councilman	Seamstress	25.00 " "	Apr. 1913
F. Underwood	Cook	30.00 " "	Jul. 1913.
Teresa Russkos	Laundress	20.00 " "	May. 1913.
ldie	Carpenter and Mechanic	40.00 " "	Oct.1905.
nce	Farmer	40.00 " "	Nov. 1910.
	Asst.farmer and gardener	25.00 " "	Apr. 1913.
M.D.	Physician	29.16 " "	Jan. 1895.

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C A R E T A K E R S.

Agency	Name	Address	Salary	Date of Engagement.
Portage la Prairie,	T. Jackson,	Portage la Prairie,	$60.00,	Feb.1913.

L A B O R E R S.

Pelly,	John Pelly,	Kamsack,	$420.00,	Oct. 1912.
"	Robert Brass,	"	300.00,	Feb. 1913.
Hobbema,	Lazarus Potts,	Hobbema,	240.00,	Nov. 1912.
"	Albert Rattlesnake,	"	180.00,	July, 1912.
File Hills,	L. Creeley,	Balcarres,	420.00,	Sept.,1911.
Carlton,	Wm. Dreaver,	Mistawasis, Sask.	480.00,	July,1906.

M A I L C A R R I E R S.

Blood,	J. Gladstone,	McLeod,	$180.00,	Oct. 1912.

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ENGINEERS.

Agency	Name	Address	Salary	Date of Engagement.
Battleford,	R. G. Whyte,	Battleford,	$600.00,	Sep't, 1912.
Carlton,	D. Johnston,	Mistawasis, Sask.	720.00,	July, 1912.

MILLERS.

Onion Lake,	Joseph Taylor,	Onion Lake,	$600.00,	1895.

MATRONS.

Blood,	S. M. des Sept, Douleurs,	MacLeod,	$180.00,	Aug.,1912.

BLACKSMITHS.

Stony,	D. Wildman,	Morley,	$540.00,	Feb. 1913.
Peigan,	Thos. Routledge,	Brocket, Alta.	660.00,	Sep't.1912.
Hobbema,	G. P. Ferguson,	Hobbema, Alta.	900.00,	July,1905.

TEAMSTERS.

Touchwood,	Alex. Geddes,	Kutawa,	420.00,	Nov. 1911.
Qu'Appelle,	T. W. Johnson,	Edgeley, Sask.	480.00,	July,1912.

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Issuers of Relief and Dispensers of Medicine.

Agency	Name	Address	Salary	Date of Engagement.
Manitowapah,	Rev. P. Bonsquet,	Sandy Bay, Man.	$50.00,	July, 1906.
"	L. E. Martel,	Portage la Prairie,	50.00,	Aug. 1901.
Isle a la Crosse,	Rev. M. Rossignol,	Isle a la Crosse,	50.00,	April, 1908.
" " "	Rev. M. B. Edwards,	Lac la Ronge,	50.00,	Jany, 1910.
" " "	Rev. L. J. Eganolf,	Le Pas, Man.	50.00,	April, 1908.
" " "	Rev. N. Guilloux,	Pelican Narrows,	50.00,	April, 1911.
" " "	Rev. J. I. Renaud,	Le Pas, Sask.	50.00,	March, 1913.
" " "	Mrs. E. Brown,	Isle a la Crosse via. Prince Albert, Sask.	50.00,	Nov. 1913.

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Sioux Outlook Ont 50.00 Aug 13

Issuers of Rations on Reserves.

Blood,	J. A. Webb,	McLeod,	$600.00,	June, 1902.
Manitowapah,	L. E. Martel,	Portage la Prairie,	150,00	Aug., 1901.

N U R S E S.

Blood,	S. M. de L'Eucharist,	McLeod,	$120.00,	Sep't, 1911.
"	S. de Esprit,	"	$120.00,	" , 1911.
"	Sr. Le Blanc,	"	$120.00,	July, 1904,
Birtle,	Jeanette Highet,	Birtle,	$600.00	Dec.,1910.

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MANITOBA.

Clandeboyne	V.W.Kennedy	Selkirk	900.	I9'I
Birtle	T. Bell	Birtle	2.50 day	Dec. II.
Griswold	T. Blacksmith	.Griswold	60.	Feb. 07
	C. Wakapa	"	60.	Mch. II.
	S. Wachanta	"	60.	Oct. I2.
Portage la Prairie Sioux	P. Ross	Ptge la Prairie	60.	Apr. I0.

BRITISH COLUMBIA.

Kootenay	F.C.Ryckman	Cranbrook	900.	Nov. I2
Cowichan	T. O'Connell	Nanaimo	I000.	Apr. 06.
Okanagan	J. Cawston	Penticton	420.	Sep. II
Naas	A.J.Phillipson	Prince Rupert	960.	July II.
	R. Tait	Pt. Simpson	400.	Apr. I3.
Bella Coola	C. Tucker	Bella Coola	900.	Apr. I2.
Queen Charlotte		Massett	900.	
Babine	S. F. Calkin	Aldermere	900.	Apr. I2.
Lytton	A.O.Daunt	Lillooet	900.	June I3.

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ONTARIO.

Headquarters	J.A.Robertson	Ottawa	1020.	Feb.09.
Manitoulin Island	A. McGowan	Manitowaning	300.00	Feb. 12
Moose Factory	G. McLeod	Moose Factory	25.	Oct. 11
Red Rock	A. Alexis	Nipigon	240.	Feb. 09.
Ft. Frances	P. Jourdain	Ft. Frances	120.	Apr. 11.
Kenora	H. Hansen	Kenora	780.	Feb. 13.
Massey	E. Bassaw	Massey	168.	Feb. 12.
Cape Croker	P. Akiwenzi	Cape Corker		May 13.

QUEBEC.

Seven Islands	P.C.Blouin	St. Jean	360.00	Apr. 10
	W. Levesque	Seven Islands	60.	Sep. 11
	J. Gamache	" "	60.	Apr. 11
St. Augustine	P. Vigneault	Natasquan	300.	July 12.
Restigouche	W. Savoie	Cambelton N.B.	660.	Mar. 13.
Birsimis	A. Lepage	Birsimis	440.	Dec. 09.
Caughnawaga	M. Two Axe	Caughnawaga	460.	Feb. 05.
Pierreville	E. Wawanolet	Pierreville	25.	Nov. 09.
Maniwaki	L. Bernard	Maniwaki	50.	Jan. 13.

NEW BRUNSWICK.

Eel Ground	J. Brown	Buctouche	50.	June 11.
Tobique	J. Ellis	Andover	150.	Oct. 05.
Burnt Church	J. Swasson	Burnt Church	24.	Jan. 13.
EEl River	W. Narvie	Dalhousie	20.	June 09.
Big Cove	W.P.Levi	Big Cove	25.	Apr. 10.
Red Bank	L. P. Paul	Red Bank	25.	Nov. 11
St. Marys	S. Brook	St. Marys	150.	July 10.
Whycocomagh	S. Googoo	Whycocomagh	80	Nov. 11
Antigonish	J. Prosper	Heatherton	2. a day	Sep. 12.

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INTERPRETERS

MANITOBA.

Norway House	J. Clark	Aug. 1912	480.00
Ft. Frances, Ont	J.H.Lyons	Nov. 1907	600.00
Griswold	L. Sioux	May 1912	480.00
The Pas	F. Young	1912	600.00

SASKATCHEWAN.

File Hills	E. Goforth	Sept. 1911	420.00
Crooked Lakes	H. Cameron	Feb. 1886	480.00
Duck Lake	F. Bruce	March 1913	420.00
Carlton	S. Dreaver	Nov. 1912	480.00
Battleford	R. Taylor	March 1913	176.00
Onion Lake	J. Bangs	1907	480.00
	R. Pratt (asst)	1879	360.00
Qu'Appelle	T. Johnspn		

ALBERTA.

Blood	J. Eley	Jan. 1913	420.00
	D. Mills (asst)	Nov. 1905	180.00
Blackfoot	A. White Elk	Feb. 1913	420.00
Edmonton	J. White	Nov. 1912	420.00
Hobbema	A. White	April 1911	420.00
Peigan	C, Provost	Nov. 1912	360.00
Stony	E. Schmidt	March 1913	213.00
Saddle Lake	C. Whitford	July 1912	480.00
Ft. Smith	W. Brown	July 1911	540.00

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FARM INSTRUCTORS - ALBERTA.

Blood	H.F.Baker (stockman)	Nov. 1911	600.00
	L.R.Nash "	Jan. 1911	600.00
	T. Graham "	Jan. 1910	600.00
	E.G.Hillier "	April 1905	720.00
Blackfoot	J.E.Ostrander	April 1912	720.00
	F. J. Clarke	July 1912	720.00
	A.E.Jones (stockman)	June 1885	720.00
	L.D.Brereton	July 1909	720.00
Edmonton	A.E.Pattison	July 1902	540.00
	H. Hope	May 1907	540.00
Hobbema	I.W.Lucas	Feb. 1903	720.00
Peigan	F. Parker	April 1911	720.00
	C.H.Clarke(stockman)	March 1885	780.00
Ft. Smith	R.S.Salmon	April 1911	720.00
Sarcee	G. Hodgson	Jan. 1882	600.00
Stony	J. Mackenzie	Dec. 1909	540.00

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FARMER INSTRUCTORS - SASKATCHEWAN.

Qu'Appelle	J.H.Harris	Nov. 1912	600.00
	A.H.Oswald	June 1910	450.00
File Hills	J.T.Nixon	July 1911	900.00
	T. Gibson	Feb. 1913	600.00
Touchwood	W.B.H.Robinson	Feb. 1904	600.00
	L.A.Golden	Dec. 1912	600.00
	H.W.Holyoak	Aug. 1910	600.00
	A.E.Hicks	March 1912	600.00
Pelly	A.E. Mills	May 1912	450.00
	C.J.Dixon	June 1913	600.00
	G.B.Stanton(overseer)	Oct. 1912	600.00
Cotes	D.M.Anderson	Aug. 1913	600.00
Crooked Lakes	J.A.Sutherland	May 1898	660.00
	R.F.Hillhouse	April 1911	600.00
	J. Pollock	April 1912	600.00
Moose Mountain	E.O.Williams	April 1908	540.00
Duck Lake	W. Kennedy	April 1912	450.00
	H.E.Robertson	Nov. 1912	600.00
	L. Marion	1885	300.00
	J. McCloy	Jan. 1908	750.00
	Rev. R.F.MacDougall (Overseer)	Sept. 1910	200.00
	M. Lepine	April 1908	600.00
	P J Hamilton	Sept. 1877	800.00
Carlton	R. Campbell	July 1909	600.00
	L. Larock	May 1911	450.00
	J. Beverley	Oct. 1905	300.00
	J. R. Settee(overseer)	Oct. 1905	60.00
Battleford	H. Pink	Jan 1912.	600.00
	P.J.Boudreault	Nov. 1912	600.00
	G.M.Young	April 1910	600.00
	A. Suffern	July 1906	600.00
	D. Vilbrun	July 1906	450.00
	H.Pruden(stockman)	April 1912	420.00
	J.U.Paquet(overseer)	Aug. 1910	240.00
Onion Lake	T.J.Slater	June 1905	450.00
	A. Martineau	March 1913	450.00
Moose Woods	C.R.Eagle(overseer)	April 1909	120.00

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FARM INSTRUCTORS - MANITOBA.

Fisher River	W.N.White	July 1912	600.00
Portage la Prairie & Manitowapah	M. Campbell	April 1889	520.00
	J.C.Scott	1912	400.00

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CLERKS - ALBERTA.

Blood	L. E. Bourne	Oct. 1910.	900.00
	C.F. Underwood (stenographer)	May 1912	600.00
Blackfoot	J.W.Jowett (acct)	March 1884	1000.00
Edmonton	J.E.Pugh	Dec. 1912	840.00
Hobbema	Blanche E. Mann	Oct. 1895	600.00
Peigan	W. Black	May 1903	900.00
Stony	P. E. Stocken	June 1910	600.00
Saddle Lake	W. E. Gulleon and farmer	July 1913	660.00
Treaty No. 8.	L. H. LaMothe	April 1910	1200.00

BRITISH COLUMBIA.

New Westminster	W. O'Malley (Miss)	Nov. 1912	600.00
Cowichan	Miss C. Robertson	Sept. 1905	600.00
West Coast	Grace Cox	Dec. 1912	600.00
Naas	Mrs C.C.Perry	July 1913	600.00

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CLERKS - SASKATCHEWAN.

Qu'Appelle	S.M. Dickinson	Dec. 1887	900.00
File Hills	Alice W. Tye	" 1903.	780.00
Touchwood	E. Stanley R.D.Wilson (asst)	Oct. 1892	840.00 780.00
Pelly	F. Love	March 1902	780.00
Crooked Lakes	A. Boyer	June 1910	780.00
Assiniboine	Lillian Grant	Oct. 1908	600.00
Duck Lake	A. J. Campbell	June 1913.	780.00
Carlton	C.W.Rogers N. Matthews (asst)	June 1912 Oct. 1912.	900.00 540.00
Battleford	C.J.Johnson	May 1891.	840.00
Onion Lake	L. Turner	Aug. 1906	840.00

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CLERKS - MANITOBA.

Winnipeg Office	H. Richardson	Dec. 1894.	1500.00
	G. A. Betournay	Dec. 1887.	1400.00
	Lily Last	May 1912	540.00
Clandeboyne	H.O.Latulippe	June 1912.	1000.00
Portage la Prairie & Manitowapah	F. Colbert	April 1913.	1000.00
The Pas	Ruth Taylor	March 1913	480.00
Griswold	M. McDonald	Aug. 1912	300.00

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CLERKS - ONTARIO

Treaty No. 9.	W. J. McLean paying Officer	March 1911	1500.00
Six Nations	H.M. Hill	Nov. 1904.	700.00
"	Miss E.P.Hill stenographer	Nov. 1904.	400.00
Manitowaning	R. W. Neilson		720.00
Chippewas of the Thames,.- clerk employed by Agent			200.00

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INSPECTORS.

OLDER PROVINCES.

Parker, W.C. Ottawa.	Ontario & Quebec	I900.00	25 Sept. I912.
Shaw, Geo. Thessalon, Ont.	Timber Insp. Manitoulin (and expenses)	I200.00	3 Feb. I912.
Ryan, Rev. J.J.R. St. Marys, N.B.	Insp. of Schools	400.00	5 Aug. I908.
Boyd, A. J. Riviere Bourgeois, N.S.	Maritime Provinces	I500.00	I4 May I907.

NORTHEWST PROVINCES AND TERRITORIES.

Campbell, Glen. Winnipeg, Man.	Chief Inspector	3000.00	I April I912.
Bunn, J.R.	Inspector (Winnipeg)	2000.00	I April I912.
Chisholm W. J. Prince Albert, Sask.	"	2000.00	I July I897.
Graham, W. M. Balcarres, Sask.	"	2000.00	I3 July I897.
Jackson, S. J. Stonewall, Man.	"	2200.00	I Dec. I902.
Markle, J. A. Red Deer, Alta.	"	2300.00	I July I886.
Semmens, Rev. J. Winnipeg, Man.	"	2200.00	I April I901.
Swinford S. Winnipeg, Man.	Insp. of accts. for Alta. & Sask.	2200.00	7 July I897.
McKenna, J.A.J. Winnipeg, Man.	Insp. R.C.Schools	2600.00	II March I886.

BRITISH COLUMBIA.

Cummiskey, T.J. Vernon	Inspector	2200.00	30 Nov. I9II.
Ditchburn, W.E. Victoria	"	2200.00	25 May I9I0.
Tyson, A.M. Vancouver	"	2200.00	I April I9II.
Wilson, T. Vancouver	Insp. Orchards	I500.00	I June I9II.
Green Rev. A.E. Vancouver.	Insp. Schools	I500.00	

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INDIAN AGENTS - BRITISH COLUMBIA.

Brown, J. R.	Vernon	I200.00	23 Dec. I9I0.
Byrne, P.	New Westminster	I200.00	30 April I9II.
Cox, C.A.	Alberni	I200.00	I Jan. I9I3.
Deasy, Thos.	Massett	I200.00	I3 May I9I0.
Fougner, I.	Bella Coola	I200.00	6 Dec. I909.
Galbraith, R.L.T.	Steele	I200.00	7 March I894.
Graham, H.	Lytton	I200.00	4 July I9I2.
Halliday, W. M.	Alert Bay	I200.00	3I May I906.
Loring, R. E.	Hazleton	I200.00	II July I889.
McAllen W. J.	Fraser Lake	I200.00	23 Dec. I9I0.
Ogden, I	Lac la Hache	I200.00	28 June I909.
Perry, C.C.	Metlakatla	I200.00	6 Dec. I909.
Robertson, W. R.	Duncan	I200.00	I6 April I900.
Simpson, W.S.	Telegraph Creek	800.00	I Aug. I9II.
Smith, J. F.	Kamloops	I200.00	23 Dec. I9II.

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INDIAN AGENTS - NORTHWEST PROVINCES AND TERRITORIES.

Bell, A. J.	Fort Smith Alta.	I400.00	8 Feb. I9II.
Blewett, W. G.	Kamsack, Sask.	I300.00	25 May I907.
Borthwick, T. A.	Mistawasis, Sask	I200.00	I0 May I906.
Butlin, J.	Hobbema, Alta.	I200.00	I Nov. I9I2.
Harris, T. W.	Ft. Simpson, N.W.T.	I400.00	I0 July I9I3.
Carter, T. H.	Hodgson, Man.	II00.00	I7 Jan. I9I3.
Colclough, F.W.R.	Selkirk, Man	I200.00	24 May I9I2.
Cory, T.	Carlyle, Sask.	I000.00	20 April I906.
Donald, W. B. L.	Grouard	I500.00	2I Jan. I906.
Donnelly, T.	Sintaluta, Sask.	I200.00	3 Feb. I9I2.
Fleetham, T. J.	Calgary	$I200.00	I Feb. I904.
Gooderham, J. H.	Gleichen, Alta	I400.00	I Feb. I904.
Hughes, C. E.	Saddle Lake Macleod, Alta	II00.00	I Nov. I9I2.
Laird, H. (Asst)	Grouard, Alta	I200.00	I5 Dec. I909.
Logan, R.	Portage la Prairie	I200.00	I April I905.
Mann, G. (In advisory capacity to Agent Butlin)	Hobbema, Alta	600.00	I4 Dec. I886.
McDonald, J.	Griswold, Man	II00.00	26 Aug. I9I2.
McKenzie, R. S.	Kenora, Ont.	I200.00	27 Oct. I887.
Millar, M.	Broadview, Sask.	I400.00	3I Dec. I904.
Murison, W.	Kutawa, Sask.	I200.00	I July I903.
Nichol, H.	Edgeley, Sask.	I000.00	23 April I906.
Race, G. H.	Edmonton, Alta.	I200.00	I2 Sept. I9I2.
Rowland, J. A.	Battleford, Sask.	I200.00	I2 Feb. I9I2.
Schmidt, C. P.	St. Louis, Sask.	I300.00	7 Oct. I9I2.
Sibbald, W.	Onion Lake, Sask.	I200.00	5 July I897.
Stewart, J. G.	Norway House, Man.	II00.00	I3 May, I9I2.
Taylor, W. R.	The Pas, Man.	I200.00	25 Nov. I9I2.
Waddy, J. W.	Morley, Alta	II00.00	I6 Dec. I9II.
Wheatley, G. H.	Birtle, Man	I200.00	I3 July I897.
Wright, J. P.	Fort Frances, Ont	I200.00	26 Oct. I88I.
Yeomans, E. H.	Brocket, Alta	II00.00	I May I907.

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INDIAN AGENTS - PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND.

J. A. MacDonald (Supt)	Grand River	400.00	25 Aug. 1913.
Arsenault, J. O. (Asst. Supt.)	Higgins Road	200.00	2 July 1878.

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INDIAN AGENTS - NOVA SCOTIA.

Beckwith, C. E.	Steam Mills	50.00	21 June 1888.
Chisholm, D.	Sheet Harbour	100.00	29 March 1906.
Chisholm, W. C.	Fredericton	100.00	5 March 1912.
Freeman, N. P.	Bridgewater	100.00	15 June 1912.
Harlow, C.	Caledonia	100.00	20 Oct. 1897.
Harris, R. A.	Bear River	100.00	13 May 1912.
Hipson, J.	Shelbourne	50.00	13 Dec. 1905.
Hoyt, G. S.	Lequille	50.00	13 May. 1912.
Johnson, J. A.	Parrsboro	50.00	28 Sept. 1912.
McDonald, A. R.	Christmas Island	100.00	25 Jan. 1911.
McDonald, Rev. R. L.	St. Peters	100.00	3 Feb. 1912.
Mackintosh, Rev. D. J.	Baddeck	100.00	31 Oct. 1912.
McLeod, Rev. J.D.	New Glasgow	100.00	3 Jan. 1901.
McPherson, Rev. D.	Glendale	100.00	1 April 1902.
Smith, R. H.	Truro	50.00	6 April 1906.
Sparrow, C. J.	Sydney	100.00	12 Sept. 1912.
Stephens, J.	Windsor	50.00	17 Dec. 1912.
Wallace, A.	Shubenacadie	50.00	6 Nov. 1896.
Whelan, W. H.	Yarmouth	50.00	30 Sept. 1898.

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INDIAN AGENTS - NEW BRUNSWICK.

Irving, R. A.	Buctouche	600.00	I4 April I905.
Smith, N. J.	Fredericton	450.00	I2 Feb. I9I2.
Waite, S. P.	Andover	350.00	I2 Feb. I9I2.

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INDIAN AGENTS - QUEBEC.

Bastien, A. O.	Jeune Lorette	425.00	I July I886.
Bertrand, C. F.	Oka	200.00	7 Oct. I9I2.
Blain, J.	Montreal	600.00	I9 Nov. I902.
Bosse, F. X.	Birsimis	500.00	3 April I9I2.
Cote, J.	Pierreville	400.00	2 March I9I2.
Doyle, F	Esquimaux Point	200.00	I5 July I9II.
Herbert, D	Becancour	I00.00	I4 July I9I3.
LeBel, N.	Cacouna	I50.00	7 Jan. I9I3.
Letourneau, L. (Asst)	St. Constant	400.00	I9 April I9I0.
Morin, Rev. J. D.	Grand Cascapaedia	I25.00	I Jan. I905.
McCaffrey, W. J.	Maniwaki	600.00	20 March I907.
McDougall, C. A.	Seven Islands	300.00	I5 July I9II.
Pitre, J.	Restigouche	500.00	8 Feb. I898.
Renaud, J. A.	N. Temiscamingue	425.00	2I June I909.
Taillon, F. E.	St. Regis	250.00	I April I9II.
Tessier, A.	Poi te Bleue	500.00	30 Nov. I906.

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INDIAN AGENTS - ONTARIO.

Baxter, W. W.	Gore Bay	600.00	I3 May, I9I2.
Beattie, E. T.	Highgate	500.00	3 Feb. I9I3.
Bouchier, J. R.	Sutton West	350.00	9 Mar. I9I2.
Cockburn, G. P.	Sturgeon Falls	I600.00	23 Feb. I904.
Duncan, A. J.	McIvor	500.00	I5 Jan. I9I2.
Hagan Samuel	Thessalon	600.00	9 Feb. I892.
Lean, W. T.	Roseneath	325.00	27 May I9II.
Logan A.	Parry Sound	900.00	25 March I9I2.
McDougall, J. B.	Walpole Island	500.00	30 Jan. I902.
McCamus, R. J.	Keene	350.00	I4 July I9I3.
McKnight, R.	Port Arthur	600.00	5 Feb. I9I2.
McLeod, W.	Manitowaning	900.00	5 June I9I2.
McNabb, A.D.	Sault Ste. Marie	625.00	I5 June I9I2.
Myers, C.W.	Atherney	400.00	27 April I9I2.
Palmer R. A.	Sarnia	500.00	I Feb. I9II.
Picotte, J. C.	Penetanguishene	500.00	I5 Jan. I9I2.
Rankins, P.	Ruby	I20.00	4 July I9I2.
Smith, G. J.	Brantford	I600.00	II March I907.
Donnelly, T.	Deseronto	700.00	27 June I9I3.
Stout, G. A.	Port Elgin	600.00	6 Feb. I9I3.
James, H. G.	Delaware	I800.00	9 July I9I3.
Van Loon, W. C.	Hagersville	600.00	23 Feb. I904
Chaplain	Chapleau		
Williams, A. W.	Port Perry	I00.00	9 Feb. I897.
Sutherby, J. E.	Wiarton	250.00	20 May I9I2.

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Surveys Branch.

Bray, S.	I B.	Chief Surveyor	I July 05.	2600.	I4 June 54.
White, W.R.	I B	Surveyor	IApl. I3.	2I00.	I Apl. II.
Robertson, D.F.	2 A	"	9 May I2.	I750.	30 Mar. 04.
Fabien, H.	2 B.	Chief Draughtsman	I Sept. 05.	I600.	I Feb. 05.
Orr, R.G.	3 A	Draughtsman	I Apl. 09.	II00.	I Sept. 05.
Macfarlane, G.	3 B	Clerk	I Feb. I2.	500.	I Feb. I2.

Records Branch.

Matheson, G.M.	I B.	Registrar	I Apl. I3	2I00.	2I June 88.
Phelan, P.N.L.	2 B	Clerk	5 July 09.	950.	5 July 09.
Cooke, C.A.	3 A	"	I July 0I.	I200.	I Apl. 93.
Sangster, S.E.	"	"	I Apl. 03.	I200.	I Apl. 03.
Hooper, H.	"	"	I Aug. 06.	I200.	I Aug. 06.
St. Louis, A.	3 B	"	29 June I2.	500.	29 June I2.
Fee, J.H.	"	"	I5 June I2.	500.	I5 June I2.
Seale, W.		Messenger	I8 Mar. 93.	800.	I8 Mar. 93.

Temporary Clerks in the Department.

Masta, A.F.	3 B	Clerk	March 29 I3.	500.	
Owens, B.	"	"	Nov. I5. I2.	500.	
Langdon, L.	"	"	Apr. 22. I3.	500.	
Bristow, A.	"	Messenger	Feb. I5. I3.	500.	
O'Reilly, J.H.	"	Clerk	Sept. I5. I3.	500.	

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Accountant's Branch.

Scott, D.C.	I A	Chief Accountant & Supt. of Indian Education.	I July 93. I Apl. 09.	3300.	5 Oct. 60.
Paget, F.H.	II B	Accountant	I Apl. 08.	2650.	I June 82.
McKay, H.	I B	Asst. Accountant	I Apl. I3.	2I00.	9 July 60.
Shore, J.W.	2 B.	Clerk	I Apl. 09.	I800.	24 Mar. 04.
Jean, E.	2"A	"	I Apl. 09.	I800.	I0 Nov. 56.
Hobart, S.W.	"	"	I Apl. 09.	I800.	2 Jan. 00.
Ogilvie, R.M.	"	Achkitect	I Apl. 09.	I800.	I Sept. 04.
Maxwell, M.D.	2 B.	Clerk	I Aug. 06.	I600.	3I May 90.
Awrey, H.N.	"	"	I Apl. II.	I300.	2I Jan. 02.
Conley, G.A.	2 A	"	I Apl. I3.	I600.	30 Jan. 03.
O'Grady, S.M.	3 A.	"	I July 0I.	I200.	I July 0I.
Morin, D.	"	" "	I July 04.	I200.	I July 0I.
Pringle, R.	"	"	20 Apl. 06.	I200.	20 Apl. 06.
McLatchie,E,	"	"	I Aug. 06.	I200.	I July 0I.
McIntosh, M.M.	"	"	I July 07.	I200.	3I July 05.
Graham,H.	"	"	I Jan. 08.	I200.	26 Mar. 06.
Findlay, E.I.	"	"	29 Apl. 08.	II5C.	I Feb. 06.
Caddy, G.	"	"	I Apl. I3.	900.	I Sept. 08.
Coghlan, M.H.	3 B	"	25 Sept. 09.	650.	25 Sept. 09.
Bailey, E.B.	"	"	20 July I0.	600.	20 July I0.
Sleeth, A.E.	"	"	I Feb. I2.	550.	I Feb. I2.
McAllister, J.M.		Messenger	I Sept. 08.	600.	I0 Oct. 05.
Downing, W.A.		"	29 May 09.	650.	29 May 09.

Lands and Timber Branch.

Orr. W.A.	I B.	Clerk of Landsand Timber & Registrar of Land Patents	6 Feb. 06.	2650.	24 Nov. 53.
Kemp. A.E.	2 A	Asst. Clk. Lands & Timber	2 Aug. 02.	2I00.	I Feb. 54.
Chitty, G.L.	"	Timber Inspector	I Apl. 09.	I800.	2I June 93.
O'Connor,P.J.	"	Clerk	I April 09.	I800.	I5 Feb. 98.
Ogilvie, H.G.	3 A	"	I July 00.	I200.	30 June 90.
Martin, M.S.	"	"	I July 00.	I200.	II Sept. 94.
Russell, H.G.	"	"	I Jan. I2.	950.	I Aug. 06.

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Pedley, [illegible]nk		Deputy. Supt. General	2I Nov. 02.	5000.	I Sep. 97.

Secretary's Branch.

MacLean, J.D.	I A.	Asst. Dep. Supt. Genl. & Secy. of the Dept.	I Sept. 05	3350.	I Oct. 76.
Laird. Hon. D.	"	Ind. Commissioner	I Apl. 09.	3500.	4 Oct. 98.
Stewart, S.	I"B.	Asst. Secy.	30 Dec. 98.	2500.	I July 79.
Conroy, H.A.	"	Inspector	I Sep. 05	2750.	II May 99.
Williams, A.S.	"	Law Clerk	I6 June 09	2400.	I6 June 09.
McGibbon, C.	"	Inspector	27 July I2.	2I00.	27 JulyI2.
McGirr, J.	2 A.	Clk. of Supply.	I4 Oct. 9I	2I00.	I Aug. 77.
Ross, H.C.	"	Clk. of Printing & Translation	I Aug. 06	I950.	I0 Jan. 83.
Moffat, R.B.	"	Privy Council Clerk	I Aol. 09	I500.	7 Feb. 9I.
Robins, S.J.	"	Private Secy. to the Supt. Genl.	25 Jan. I3.	I600.	25 Jan. I3.
Cogswell, E.B.	2 B.	Clerk	I Apl. I2.	850.	I Apl. I2.
O'Donahoe, H.M.	3 A	Secy. to Deputy Supt. General.	I July 04	I200.	2 Jan. 0I.
Brennan, M.	"	Clerk	I July 05.	I200.	I9 Nov. 96.
Gorrell, G.	"	Clerk	I0 May 06	I200.	26 May 99.
Phelan, B.	"	"	I Jan. I2.	950.	I Jan. 07.
Doyle, A.	3 B.	"	I Sept. 05	800.	24 Jan. 05.
McRitchie E.L.	3 A	"	I Apl. I3.	900.	25 Apl. 04.
Churchill, W.	3 B	"	I5 June I2.	500.	25 Nov. II.
Hayter, B.		Packer	26 July 92.	800.	26 July 92.
Munro, F.		Messenger	I Sept. 05	800.	20 Aug. 04.
Bradley, J.		"	I Sept. 05.	800.	I Jan. 05.
McDonald, C.G.	3 B	Stenographer	I3 Sept. I3	500.	I Oct. I2.

Schools Branch.

Benson,M.	2 A	Clerk of Schools	25 May 07.	I900.	I Apl. 76.
Sutherland J.D.	"	Clerk	I Apl. II.	I700.	II Jan. 99.
McKenzie, A.F.	"	"	I Apl. I3.	I600.	I3 Nov. 02.
Back, M.J.	3 A	"	I Apl. I3.	900.	I Sept. 05.
Darby, M.E.	"	"	I Apl. I3.	900.	29 Sep. 09.

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The Federal Plan Commission of Ottawa & Hull

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
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Herbert S. Holt, Chairman
Sir Alexander Lacoste
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The Mayor of Ottawa
The Mayor of Hull

Phone Queen 3021 165 Sparks Street

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OTTAWA, CANADA. April 15th./14.

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Mr.J.D.McLean,
Asst.Deputy, Indian Affairs Dept.,
Booth Bldg.,
Ottawa,Ont.

Dear Sir:-

Will you be good enough to furnish us with figures showing the number of persons, both permanently and temporarily employed in Ottawa by the various branches of your Department for:-

1-March 1914, - Permanent 78 Temporary 10

2-Average month 1910. " 76 " 2

3-Average month 1900. " 54 " 9

4-Average month 1890. 40 " 5

5-Average month 1880. 12 " 3

We are anxious to obtain the figures for 1914 quickly, therefore if you have not the figures for the back years on hand we will appreciate your forwarding those for 1914 now, the others to follow.

Yours very truly,

A.E.K.Bunnell

Asst.Engineer.

AEKB:B.

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Ottawa, 17th April, 1914.

Sir,-

In reply to your letter of the 15th instant, I beg to submit the following statement showing the number of permanent and temporary officials respectively belonging to this Department in the years mentioned in your letter, namely:-

		Permanent	Temporary
1.	March 1914	78	10
2.	Average month 1910	76	2
3.	Average month 1900	54	9
4.	Average month 1890	40	5
5.	Average month 1880	12	3

Your obedient servant,

F. D. McLean

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

The Asst. Engineer,
The Federal Plan Commission of Ottawa & Hull,
165 Sparks St.,
Ottawa, Ont.

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September 5th, 1918.

MEMORANDUM

Mr. Mitchell -

I am sending you herewith a complete record of the employees of this Department, corrected to date. You will find on the first page a recapitulation. The inscription on the cover is not quite appropriate, inasmuch as it states that it is a record of the employees paid from Parliamentary Appropriation. As the recapitulation shows some of the employees are paid from Trust Funds.

A J M.

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NORTH SASKATCHEWAN INSPECTORATE :

W. M. Crombie, Inspector, Regina, Sask.

Treaty.	Agency.	Agent.	Address.
6	Duck Lake,	Schmidt, C.P.,	Duck Lake, Sask.
6	~~Duck Lake,~~	~~Jones, Joseph,~~ Weir, J. sub-Agent, Jas. Smith's reserve,	~~Fort a la Corne, Sask.~~
6	Carlton,	~~Milligan, Silas A.,~~ Weir, J.	Leask, Sask.
6	Battleford,	~~Rowland, J. A.,~~ MacDonald, D. L.	Battleford, Sask.
6	Onion Lake,	~~Stibbald, W.,~~ Turner, L.	Onion Lake.
6	~~Moose Wood Sioux, (Whitecap Sioux)~~	~~Mr. Chas. Eagle, (Farmer)~~	~~Sundurn, Sask.~~

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ALBERTA INSPECTORATE :

J. A. Markle, Inspector, Red Deer, Alta.

7	Blood,	~~Dilworth, W. J.,~~ Pugh, J. E.	~~Macleod,~~ Cardston, Alta.
7	Blackfoot,	Gooderham, J. H.,	Gleichen, Alta.
6	Edmonton,	Race, C. H.,	Edmonton, Alta.
6	Hobbema,	~~Butlin, Jos.,~~ Askey, W. G.	Hobbema, "
7	Peigan,	~~Graham, Thos.,~~ Arthur, C. A. Actg. ~~Sub~~-Agent,	Brocket, "
7	Sarcee,	~~Gordon, Wm.,~~ Murray, J. F.	Calgary, "
7	Stony,	~~Tecumseh, E. H.,~~ Pringle, R.	Morley, "
6	Saddle Lake,	~~Hughes, Chas.,~~ Gullion, W. E.	Saddle Lake"

Fort Smith,	Card, Gerald,	~~Fort Smith~~, Fort McMurray, N.W.T. Alta.
Fort Simpson, Fort Resolution	Harris, T. W., Bourget, D.C.	Fort Simpson, N.W.T. Fort Resolution, N.W.T.

8 ~~Inspector, N. A. Conroy, Ottawa.~~

Lesser Slave Lake, Laird, H., (Acting) Grouard, Alta.

~~W. J. McLean, Officer in charge of Indian Dept. Stores, Winnipeg.~~

~~Dr. O. I. Grain, Chief Medical Officer for Indians,~~
~~Indian Department, Winnipeg, Man.~~

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MANITOBA, SASKATCHEWAN & ALBERTA :

LAKE WINNIPEG INSPECTORATE.

J. R. Burn, Inspector of Indian Agencies, Winnipeg, Man.

Treaty	Agency	Name	Address
	Norway House,	Gordon, W. Templeman. H.G.B.	Norway House, Man.
	Fisher River,	Carter, T. H.,	The Halfway, Man.
1	Clandeboye,	Stevenson. C.A. F.W.R. Colclough,	Selkirk, Man.

LAKE OF THE WOODS INSPECTORATE :

Edwards. F.

	Kenora & Savanne,	R. S. McKenzie,	Kenora, Ont.
	Fort Frances,	Spencer. A. J. P. Bright,	Fort Frances, Ont.

LAKE MANITOBA INSPECTORATE :

S. J. Jackson, Inspector, Stonewall, Man.

3	Portage la Prairie Manitowapah,	Waite. S. J. Ogletree, Arch.	Portage la Prairie
2	Birtle,	Lazenby. P.G. Wheatley, C. H.	Birtle, Man.
2	Oak River Sioux,	Clarke F.J. McDonald, Jno.	Griswold, Man.
5	Le Pas,	Waddy. J.W. Macdonald, S.J.	Pas, Man.

SOUTH SASKATCHEWAN INSPECTORATE :

Commissioner W. M. Graham, Regina, Sask.

4	Qu'Appelle,	Davis. R.S. H. Christianson,	Fort Qu'Appelle, Sask.
4	File Hills,	Dodds. G.A. C.B. Stanton, Actg. Agent,	Balcarres, Sask.
4	Touchwood,	Moore. S.J. Harison, W.,	Punnichy, Sask.
		Farmer J.P. Hamilton,	Overseer, Nut Lake Reserve, Perigord, Sask.
4	Pelly,	McKenzie. E.A.W.R. J. H. Wells,	Kamsack, Sask.
4	Crooked Lakes,	Ostrander. J.P.B. Taylor, W.	Broadview, Sask.
4	Assiniboine,	Caldwell. J.D. Donnelly, T.M.	Sintaluta, Sask.
2	Moose Mountain,	Stephenson. E.W. Thos. Cory,	Carlyle, Sask.
	Wood Mountain,	Brown. G.T. J. H. Thomson,	Overseer, Wood Mountain.

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BRITISH COLUMBIA :

A. Megraw, Vernon, B.C.

Agent	Address	Agency
Small. E. H. ~~R. L. T. Galbraith,~~	Cranbrook ~~Fort Steele,~~	Kootenay
Ball. F.J.C. ~~J. Robert Brown,~~	Vernon ~~Summerland,~~	Okanagan
Macleod. E ~~John P. Smith,~~	Kamloops,	Kamloops
Taylor. H.E. ~~Isaac Ogden,~~	Clinton ~~Lac la Hache,~~	Williams Lake
Moore. R.H. ~~Wm. J. McAllan,~~	Vanderhoof ~~Fort Fraser,~~	Stuart Lake
H. Graham,	Lytton,	Lytton

W. E. Ditchburn, Victoria, B.C., (Chief Inspector).

Dayut. A.O'N. ~~Peter Byrne,~~	New Westminster,	New Westminster
Lomas. A. H. ~~W. R. Robertson,~~	Duncan's Station,	Cowichan
W. M. Halliday,	Alert Bay,	Kwawkewlth
Frost. E.E. ~~Chas. A. Cox,~~	Port Alberni,	West Coast
Gillett. Rev Jas. ~~Thos. Deasy,~~	Massett, Graham Is.	Queen Charlotte
Iver Fougner,	Bella Coola,	Bella Bella
Collison. W.E. ~~Chas. C. Perry,~~	Prince Rupert. ~~Prince Rupert,~~	Skeena. ~~Naas River~~
Reed. T.F.H. ~~W. S. Simpson,~~	Telegraph Creek,	Stikine
Hyde. E. ~~R. E. Loring,~~	Hazelton,	Babine
Barber. A. H.	Merritt.	Nicola

R. H. Cairns,
Inspector of Indian Schools,
Room 42, P.O. Building,
Vancouver, B.C. (Residence 817, 8th Ave. E.

Rev. John Hawksley, Indian Superintendent, Dawson, Y.T.

W. B. Anderson,
Inspr. Indian Orchards,
1225 Pleasant Ave.,
Victoria.

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NOVA SCOTIA.

NAME	ADDRESS	AGENCY.
Prince. W.J. ~~Beckwith, C.E.~~	Kentville. ~~Steam Mills~~	Kings Co.
Chisholm, Daniel	Sheet Harbour ~~Dutch Village~~	Halifax Co.
Cameron, W.J. ~~Dougald (Acting)~~	Heatherton	Antigonish & Guysboro
Chisholm. J.S. ~~Freeman, H.P.~~	Mahone Bay. ~~Bridgewater~~	Lunenburg Co.
~~Harlow, Chas.~~	~~Caledonia~~	~~Queens Co.~~
Chalmers. F.A. ~~Harris Rupert A.~~	Bear River	Digby Co.
Jackson. F. ~~Coutanche, Chas.~~	Granville Ferry. ~~Shelburne.~~	Shelbourne Co.
Doyle. P. ~~Harnish, Mrs. A.~~H.(Act'g)	Granville Ferry. ~~Lequille~~	Annapolis Co.
Lavers. H.A. ~~Johnson, J.A.~~	Parrsboro	Cumberland Co.
Boudreau L.A. ~~McDonald, Rev. R.L.~~	St. Peters	Richmond Co.
McDonald, Rev. A.R. ~~R. Angus~~	Christmas Island	Eskasoni Res. C.B.
Campbell R.S. ~~John E.~~	Iona. ~~Baddeck, C.B.~~	Victoria Co.
MacGillivray. Rev. R.C. ~~McLeod, Rev. J.D.~~	New Glasgow	Pictou Co.
McLennan, Rev. John - Acting -	Glendale	Inverness Co. Whycocomagh & Malagawatch Res.
Kennedy. R.H. ~~Smith Robt. H.~~	Hilden. ~~Truro~~	Colchester Co.
Muggah. S.E. ~~Sparrow, C.J., M.D.,~~	Sydney. ~~Reserve Mines P.~~O.	Cape Breton Co. Cariboo Marsh, Sydney and North Sydney.
Lawler. D.B. ~~Wallace, Alonzo~~	Shubenacadie	Hants Co.
Maxner. J.W. ~~Stephens, Joe~~	Windsor	Hants & vicinity
Babine. C.H. ~~Whelan, W.H.~~	Yarmouth	Yarmouth Co.
Boyd, A.J. (Supt)	River Bourgeois	

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NAME.	ADDRESS	AGENCY
Bastien, Maurice ~~(acting)~~	Indian Loretto	Hurons of Loretto
Berube. Jos. ~~LeDoh, Deraisse~~	Cacouna	Amelecites of Viger
Maurault. B. ~~Riquet, Henri~~	Pierreville	Abenakis of St.Francis
Barolet. Dr W. ~~Bosse, Jos. F. X. (M.D.)~~	Bersimis	Bersiamits, Lower St. Lawrence.
Letourneau. L. ~~Brosseau~~	St. Constant	Iroquois of Caughnawaga
Hebert, Denis	Becancour	Abenakis of Becancour
MacGibbon. W.A. ~~Taillon, Francis X.~~	St.Regis	Iroquois of St.Regis
Gauthier E.S.	Maniwaki	Algonquin of River Desert, Maniwaki Res.
Nadeau. E. ~~Morin, Rev. J.B.~~	Grand Cascapedia	Micmacs of Maria.
Harbour F. ~~Bertrand, Chas. F.~~	Oka	Lake of Two Mountains
Pitre. E.E. ~~Pitre, Jeremie~~	Restigouche	Micmacs of Restigouche
Caza. Z. ~~Lemay, J.A.~~	N. Temiskaming	Temiskaming
Laboissierre. de. A. ~~Cassiar, Armand~~ (acting)	Pointe Bleue	Montagnais of Lake St. John.
Michaud. Dr L.H. ~~Casgrain, S.M., M.D.~~	Seven Islands	Seven Islands & Moisie
Maloney ~~Maple, Frank~~	Esquimaux Pointe	Shallop River, Mingan.
Hodd Dr W.G. Vacant	Harrington Harbour Canadian Labrador	Natashquan to Blanc Sablanc

NEW BRUNSWICK.

Hudson. C ~~Coz~~. ~~Sheridan, John S.~~ (Supt)	Richibucto ~~Buctouche~~	North Eastern Div.
Griffiths, B.J.	Fredericton Carlton Co.	South Woodstock, Kingsclear St.Mary's Oromocto.
~~Vacant~~ ~~Cotton, H.J.~~	Perth Victoria Co.	Northern Div. Edmundston and Tobique.
~~Ryan, Rev. J.J.~~ Ryan, Rev. F.C.	~~Supt. Indian Schools Woodstock. N.B.~~ Maliseet, Vic. Co. N.B.	

PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND.

McDonald, Rev. John A.	Grand River, Lot 14	Superintendent.
~~Crepeault J.O.~~	~~Box 25 St. Chrysostome~~,	Asst. Supt.

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NAME.	ADDRESS.	AGENCY.
Cockburn, Geo. P.	Sturgeon Falls	Dokis, French River, Nipissing & Temagami
~~Sutherby J.A.~~	~~Warton~~ (Indian Lands (Agent)	
Rothera, C. H. ~~Hagan, Samuel~~	Thessalon	Thessalon
Burk, J. G. ~~Brown, J.A.~~	Port Arthur	Ojibewas of L. Superior Western Division
Anderson, A. S. ~~Lyons, Chas.~~	Longford Mills, ~~Atherley~~	Chippewas of Rama
Daly, J. M. ~~Logan, Alex.~~ (Supt.)	Parry Sound	Parry Sound
Stone, N. ~~Beattie, J.~~	Highgate R.R. #1	Moravians of Thames
Eastwood, V. M. ~~McCamus Robt.~~	Peterborough. ~~Keene~~	Rice & Mud Lakes.
Sims, G. H. ~~McRae, Alex. N.~~	Sault Ste. Marie	Objibewas of Lake Superior, Eastern Div.
Rankins, Patrick	Ruby	Golden Lake
Campbell G.M.	Deseronto	Mohawks Bay of Quinte
Moore, A. P. ~~Kennon, J.~~	Cape Croker	Chippewas of Nawash
Paul, Thos.	Sarnia	Chippewas of Sarnia & Chipps. & Potts of Walpole Island.
Robertson, D. ~~Stout, Thos. J.~~	Port Elgin ~~Chippewa Hill~~	Chippewas of Saugeen
Lewis R. J.	Manitowaning	Manitowaning
Morgan, C. E. ~~Smith G.A.~~ (Supt)	Brantford,	Six Nations
~~Vacant~~ McGookin, G. Thos. - Retiz	Muncey	Chippewas, Munceys & Oneidas of Thames
Eade, H. J. ~~Ricotte, J.C.~~	Christian Island	Christian Island
Priddle, E. H. ~~McGregor, J.R.~~	Gore Bay	Gore Bay
Winger, M. ~~Van Leon, W.G.~~	Hagersville	Mississaugas of Credit
Slade, F. J. ~~Coyle, W.R.~~	R.R. No. 1 Hastings	Mississaugas of Alnwick
Godfrey, T. J. ~~Godfrey J.T.~~	Chapleau	Missanabie, Chapleau Biscotasing, Flying Post, Brunswick House.
Gerrow, W. ~~Frozier, J.W.~~	Port Perry ~~Scugog R.R. No. 3~~	Mississaugas of Scugog
Silver, O. J. ~~Bouchier J.B.~~	Sutton West	Georgina & Snake Isld.
~~Shaw, Geo.~~	~~Timber Inspector & Valuator,~~ Thessalon.	
Parker, Chas.	Inspector of Indian Agencies Ottawa.	
~~Abraham, R.H.~~	~~Field Agent R.R. No. 1, Chatham.~~	
vacant		Walpole Island.

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December 11th. 1918.

MEMORANDUM

Mr. Mitchell -

With reference to my memorandum of November 26th. sending you a list of the names and addresses of Indian Agents and Inspectors, will you please make the following changes:-

The address of Daniel Chisholm should be changed from Dutch Village, to Sheet Harbour, N. S.

Thomas McCookin is to be Acting Indian Agent at Muncey for the Caradoc Reserve.

D.S.G.I.A.

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April 5, 1919.

Dear Sir,-

In reply to your letter of the 2nd instant, regarding the number of returned soldiers who are or have been employed in this Department. I beg to advise you that the following officers of the Department of Indian Affairs held permanent appointments previous to their enlistment:-

H.P. Freeman.	Indian Agent.	Lunenburg. Co.N.S.
J.W. Waddy.	do	Morley. Alta.
J.M. Pugh.	Clerk.	Edmonton. Alta.
C.J. Sparrow.	Indian Agent.	Sydney. C.B.
J. Jones.	Indian Agent.	Duck Lake. Sask.
L.R. Nash.	Stockman.	McLeod. Alta.
A.O. Daunt.	Constable.	Lytton B.C.

The following held non-permanent positions at the time of enlistment:-

J.J. Gillispie.	Medical Officer	Pegan Agency. Alta.
Dr. Orok.	do	Pas. Man.

The following officers of the Inside Service held permanent appointments at the time of their enlistment:-

D.F. Robertson.	Surveyor.	Ottawa.
E.B. Cogswell.	Clerk.	"
E.J. Morgan.	Clerk.	"
A.E. Bourinot	Clerk	"

Wm. Foran, Esq.,
Secretary,
Civil Service Commission,
Ottawa.

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Civil Service Commission.

The following Officers, Returned Soldiers, have been appointed to permanent positions on the Outside Service:-

Jos. Havenor,	Farming Instructor,	Babine, B.C.
Wm. Archambault,	Orderly,	Pas, Man.
T. McGookin,	Indian Agent,	Muncey, Ont.
J. Osborne,	Clerk,	Battleford, Sask.
R. Mast,	"	Carlton, Sask.
C. Morton,	"	Duck Lake, "
C. Dyer,	Farming Instructor,	QuAppelle, "
E.C. Potts,	" "	Crooked Lake, "

F. Johnson, a returned soldier has been appointed to the Inside service at present temporarily

J. Ackland, has also been appointed temporarily to the Inside Service. Mr. Ackland had been but was not at the time of his enlistment an officer of this Department.

Drs. Lasnier and D.R. Hooper, Medical Officers, who were appointed to non-permanent positions on the Outside Service have since left the Department.

Yours truly,

Duncan C. Scott

Deputy Superintendent General.

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Civil Service Commission

Canada

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
APR 2 1919
REGISTRY

RP/MW

Office of the Secretary

Ottawa, March 31st, 1919.

Dear Mr. Scott:

The Commission has been requested by Major Redman, M.P., to furnish him with "a list of all the Dominion Government positions within the Province of Alberta; - giving the name of the party holding the position; the amount of remuneration, the nature of the work, and the date of the appointment; - special mention being made of returned soldiers."

I have advised Major Redman that this will entail considerable work but as he considers it very important that he should have this information I am to ask that you will be so good as to have the same prepared and submitted to the Commission so far as it concerns your Department at the earliest convenient time so that Major Redman's request may be answered with as little delay as possible.

Yours very truly,

Secretary.

D. C. Scott, Esq., F.R.S.C.,
Deputy Superintendent General
of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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April 2nd. 1919.

Dear Sir,-

I have your letter of the 31st ult'mo. asking for a list of all the positions in the Department of Indian Affairs in the Province of Alberta.

I am attaching hereto a schedule giving the information which you desire.

I wish to point out however, that it is rather difficult to describe the varied duties of an Indian Agent: perhaps it would be sufficient to say that he has general supervision over all the business of the reserve. The clerks besides general clerical duties, have in many cases considerable outside work.

Yours truly,

Duncan C. Scott

Deputy Superintendent General.

Wm. Foran, Esq.,
Secretary,
Civil Service Commission,
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LIST OF INDIAN AGENTS IN ONTARIO.

NAME OF AGENT	ADDRESS
Cockburn, George P.	Sturgeon Falls
Rothera, C. F.	Thessalon
Burk, J. G.	Port Arthur
Anderson, A. S.	Longford Mills.
Daly, John M.	Parry Sound.
Stone, Nelson	R.R. No. 1, Highgate
McCamus, Robert.	Keene.
McNabb, Alex. D.	Sault Ste. Marie.
Rankin, Patrick	Ruby.
Campbell, G. M.	Deseronto.
Paul, Thomas	Sarnia.
Moore, A. D.	Cape Croker.
Putnam, Saul	Chippewa Hill.
Lewis, R. J.	Manitowaning.
Morgan, Lieut.-Col. C.E. (Indian Superintendent)	Brantford.
McCookin, Thomas	Muncey
Gregoire, Laurent	Christian Island.
McGregor, J. R.	Gore Bay.
Van Loon, W. C.	Hagersville
Coyle, W. R.	R.R. No. 1, Hastings
Godfrey, T. J.	Chapleau
Gerrow, Wilson	Port Perry
Kay, W. J.	Sutton West

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August 9, 1926.

Dear Sir,-

Replying to that portion of your letter of the 2nd instant in which you ask for information regarding those in charge of the Blood and Peigan Indian Agencies, Alberta, I beg to say that Mr. J. E. Pugh is Indian Agent at Cardston, for the Blood agency, and Mr. C. A. Arthur Indian Agent at Brocket, for the Peigan agency.

Yours truly,

Deputy Superintendent General.

Joseph Ford, Esq.,
Box 274,
Missoula, Montana, U.S.A.

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May 23, 1927.

Dear Sir,-

In reply to your letter of the 21st instant, I beg to state that in compliance with your request I simply sent you a list of our Indian Agents.

If you purchase or sell goods to the Indians in any of the Indian agencies, the agents can in no way become responsible for payment.

Yours very truly,

F. D. McLean

Acting Deputy Superintendent General.

R.W.R. Cowie, Esq.,
Manufacturer and Importer,
77 York Street,
Toronto, Ont.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

CANADA

Ottawa, December 28, 1927.

Memorandum.

Employees of the Indian Department
in the Northwest Territories.

Dr. C. Bourget - Indian Agent, Grade 4 and Physician, Fort Resolution. Salary $1920 per annum, house, fuel, light and rations as Indian Agent and $1560 as Physician. Dr. Bourget is also employed by the Department of the Interior as Medical Health Officer, Mackenzie district at salary of $50 per month.

Rev. Sr. St. Cyr - Graduate Nurse, Ft. Providence Boarding School. Present salary $1260.

Rev. Sister Dosithee - Graduate Nurse, Ft. Resolution Boarding School. Present salary $1260.

George Beaudry - Interpreter, Fort Resolution. Salary $100 a ~~year~~ and rations. Employed temporarily, also acts as Labourer.

T. W. Harris - Indian Agent, Grade 4, Ft. Simpson. Present salary $2040 per annum, house fuel, light and rations.

Joseph Villeneuve - Interpreter, Fort Simpson. Salary $960 per annum, house, fuel, light and rations.

W.A.M. Truesdell, M.D. - Physician (Part time) Fort Simpson. Salary $2100 per annum, house, fuel, light and rations. In addition Dr. Truesdell is paid $600 per annum by the Northwest Territories Branch of the Department of the Interior; $25 a month by the R.C.M.P. for attendance

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to members of their force stationed at Fort Simpson; $10 per month by the Dept. of National Defence for medical service to the Royal Canadian Signal Corps stationed at Fort Simpson.

A.E.Ward, M.D. - Aklavik, N.W.T. Physician to Indians and Eskimo of Mackenzie River and Herschel Island, salary $700 per year, employed temporarily. Dr. Ward is Acting Assistant Surgeon of the R. C.M.P. of the Arctic Sub-Division.

Dorothy M. Bradford - Graduate Nurse, Hay River,N.W.T. Salary $1080 per annum.

Miss Minnie Hackett - Graduate Nurse, Aklavik; salary $1080 per annum.

Catherine Lillian Gibson - Graduate Nurse, Lac la Ronge; salary $1080 per annum.

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Miss O'Donahoe

In re employees N. W. T's.

There are also -

Eskimo

Dr. L. D. Livingstone. Physician (P.T.) Pangnirtung. Cumberland Gulf - Salary at rate of $2100 per annum. Also employed by Dept. of Interior. (Appt. file is with D.M.)

Rev. Lionel Ducharme. O.M.I. - Dispenser. Chesterfield Inlet - salary $120 per annum.

Rev. H. Pigeon. O.M.I. - Dispenser. Eskimo Point, salary $120 per annum.

Rev. Arthur Thibert. O.M.I. - Dispenser. Southampton Island. Salary $120 per annum.

Rev. A. Clabant. O.M.I. - Dispenser. Pond's Inlet. Salary $120 per annum.

Indians

J. Durocher. (Seasonal) Engineer. schooner & tractor. Great Slave Lake Agency. Fort Resolution. during Season 1927 at $125 a month.

E.M.G.

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December 29th, 1927.

Memorandum:

Dr. Scott.

With reference to your memorandum of the 28th instant, I attach a statement giving the information requested regarding the teachers employed in the day schools in the Northwest Territories.

Supt. of Indian Education.

School	Teacher	Salary
Aklavik	Ethel G. Cott	$3. a teaching day.
Fort Simpson R.C.	Sister A. Gamache	$650.
Fort Smith	Sister Gadbois	$650.

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Name	Title of Position	Place of Residence	Present Salary
J.DUROCHER	Engineer of Schooner & Tractor, Great Slave Lake Agency, (Seasonal)	Ft.Resolution	Employed during season of 1927 at $125.00 per month
DR.L.D.LIVINGSTONE	Physician (Part time) (Dr.Livingstone also employed by Dept. of Interior)	Pangnirtung, Cumberland Gulf	$2100.00 per annum.
REV.LIONEL DUCHARME	Dispenser	Chesterfield Inlet	$120.00 per annum
REV.H. PIGEON	Dispenser	Eskimo Point	$120.00 "
REV.A.THIBERT	Dispenser	Southampton Island	$120.00 "
REV.A.CLABANT	Dispenser	Pond's Inlet	$120.00 "

Eskimo

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Name	Title of Position	Place of Residence	Present Salary
DR.C.BOURGET (Dr.Bourget also employed by the Department of Interior as Medical Health Officer,Mackenzie district at salary of $50.00 per month)	Indian Agent,Grade 4 and Physician	Ft. Resolution	$1920. per annum plus allowances:house,fuel, light and rations, as Agent. $1500. per annum as Physician
REV.SR.ST.CYR	Graduate Nurse	Ft. Providence Boarding School	$1260.00 per annum
REV.SR.DOSITHEE	Graduate Nurse	Ft. Resolution Boarding School	$1260.00 per annum
GEORGE BEAUDRY	Interpreter (Also acts as Labourer)	Ft. Resolution	$1200.00 per annum and rations.
T.W.HARRIS	Indian Agent,Grade 4	Ft.Simpson	$2040.00 per annum; allowances:house,fuel, light and rations.
JOS. VILLENEUVE	Interpreter	Ft. Simpson	$960.00 per annum; allowances: house, fuel, light and rations.

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Name	Title of Position	Place of Residence	Present Salary
DR.W.A.M.TRUESDELL	Physician (Part time)	Ft. Simpson	$2100.00 per annum; allowances:house,fuel light and rations
	(Dr.Truesdell is paid $600.00 per annum by the Northwest Territories Branch of the Dept. of Interior; $25.00 a month by the R.C.M.Police for attendance to members of their force stationed at Ft.Simpson; $10.00 per month by Dept.of National Defence for medical service to the Royal Canadian Signal Corps stationed at Ft.Simpson)		
DR.A.E.WARD	Physician to Indians and Eskimo of MacKenzie River and Herschel Island	Aklavik	$700.00 per annum (Employed temporarily)
	(Dr.Ward is Acting Asst.Surgeon of the R.C.M.Police of the Arctic Sub-Division)		
DOROTHY M.BRADFORD	Graduate Nurse	Hay River	$1080.00 per annum
MINNIE HACKETT	Graduate Nurse	Aklavik	$1080.00 per annum
ETHEL G. COTT	Teacher	Aklavik	$3.00 a teaching day
REV.SR.A.GAMACHE	Teacher	Ft.Simpson	$650.00 per annum
REV.SR.GADBOIS	Teacher	Ft.Smith	$650.00 per annum

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Name	Title of Position	Place of Residence	Present Salary
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DR.L.D.LIVINGSTONE	Physician (Part time) (Dr.Livingstone also employed by Dept. of Interior)	Pangnirtung, Cumberland Gulf	$2100.00 per annum.
Eskimo			
REV.LIONEL DUCHARME	Dispenser	Chesterfield Inlet	$120.00 per annum
REV.H. PIGEON	Dispenser	Eskimo Point	$120.00 "
REV.A.THIBERT	Dispenser	Southampton Island	$120.00 "
REV.A.CLABANT	Dispenser	Pond's Inlet	$120.00 "

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DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
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January 5, 1928.

Dear Sir,-

In compliance with the request contained in your letter of the 23rd ultimo, I have pleasure in sending you herewith a statement showing the Employees of this Department in the North West Territories with their titles and salaries.

Yours very truly,

A. F. MACKENZIE

Acting Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

O.S.Finnie, Esq.,
Director, North West Territories and Yukon Branch,
Department of the Interior,
Ottawa.

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BRITISH COLUMBIA

Name	Address	Agency
Ditchburn, W. E.	Victoria	Indian Commissioner
Perry, C.C.	Victoria	Assistant Indian Commissioner
Pragnell, Lt.Col. G.E.	Kemloops	Inspector of Indian Agencies

Ball, F. J. C.	Room 415, Winch Bldg., Vancouver	Vancouver
Barber, Alfred H.	Merritt	Nicola
Coleman, James	Vernon, Box 693	Okanagan
Collison, W.E.	Prince Rupert	Skeena and Nass River
Daunt, A. O'Neil	New Westminster	New Westminster
Frost, Edward E.	Port Alberni	West Coast
Gillett, Rev. J.	Massett, Graham Island	Queen Charlotte
Graham, H.	Duncan	Cowichan
Halliday, W. M.	Alert Bay	Kwawkewlth
Levelton, T.A.	Bella Coola	Bella Coola
MacLeod, E.	Kamloops	Kamloops
Moore, R. H.	Vanderhoof	Stuart Lake
Mortimer, Gordon C.	Hazelton	Babine
Reed, T.F.H.	Telegraph Creek	Stikine
Small, E. H.	Cranbrook	Kootenay
Strang, A. (Clerk in charge)	Lytton	Lytton
Taylor, H. E.	Williams Lake	Williams Lake

YUKON

Hawksley, Rev. John	Dawson	Yukon

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Name	Address	Agency
Askey, W. G.	Hobbema	Hobbema
Card, Gerald	Fort McMurray	Fort Smith
Gooderham, G. H.	Gleichen	Blackfoot
Gullion, W. E.	Saddle Lake	Saddle Lake
Hinton, Raymond	Morley	Stony
Lancaster, H. C.	Brocket	Peigan
L'Heureux, N.P.(Acting)	Driftpile	Lesser Slave Lake
Murray, T.F., M.D.	Calgary	Sarcee
Pugh, J. E.	Cardston	Blood
Race, G. H.	Edmonton Winterburn in summer.	Edmonton

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NORTH WEST TERRITORIES

Bourget, C., M.D.	Fort Resolution	Resolution
Harris, T. W.	Fort Good Hope	Good Hope
Truesdell, W.A.M., M.D.	Fort Simpson	Simpson

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Name	Address	Agency
Bunn, J. R.	Winnipeg	Inspector of Indian Agencies
Clarke, F. James	Griswold	Griswold
Gordon, Wm.	Norway House	Norway House
Lazenby, P. G.	Birtle	Birtle
McPherson, E.	Selkirk	Clandeboye
Vacant	Hodgson	Fisher River
Tweddell, W. G.	The Pas	The Pas
Waite, S. J.	Portage la Prairie	Portage la Prairie and Manitowapah.

SASKATCHEWAN

Graham, W.M.	Regina	Indian Commissioner
Christianson, M.	Regina	Inspector of Indian Agencies
Hamilton, A.G.	Regina	ditto
Murison, W.	Regina	"

Booth, Frank	Sintaluta	Assiniboine
Davis, R.S.	Muscow	Qu'Appelle
Dodds, G. A.	Balcarres	File Hills
Macdonald, S. L.	Battleford	Battleford
McKenzie, E.A.W.R.	Kamsack	Pelly
Ostrander, J.P.B.	Broadview	Crooked Lakes
Schmidt, C.P.	Duck Lake	Duck Lake
Stephenson, E. W.	Carlyle	Moose Mountain
Turner, Lang	Onion Lake	Onion Lake
Waddy, J. W.	Punnichy	Touchwood
Weir, John	Leask	Carlton
Vacant		Isle a la Crosse

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NOVA SCOTIA

Name	Address	Agency
Babine, Chas.	Cliff St. Yarmouth	Yarmouth
Boudreau, Leo. A.	St. Peters	St. Peters, Richmond Co.
Brown, Cecil A.	Milton	Queens County
Cameron, W. J.	Heatherton	Antigonish & Guysboro
Chisholm, D. A.	Armdale	Halifax County
Cochran, W. M., M.D.	Mahone Bay	Lunenburg County
Kennedy, R. H.	Hilden	Colchester County
Lavers, Henry A.	Parrsboro, Box 22	Cumberland County
Lawlor, D. B.	Shubenacadie	Hants Co. (Indian Brook)
MacDonald, A. (Acting)	Whycocomagh	Inverness County
MacGillivray, Ref. R.C.	Pictou	Pictou County
McDonald, Rev. A. R.	Christmas Island	Eskasoni, C.B.
Miller, H. H.	Newport Station	Hants County and Vicinityof Windsor
Muggah, Sydney, E.	Sydney	Sydney
Nicholl, Arthur H.	Lequille	Annapolis County
Prince, W. S.	Kentville	Kings County
Rankin, Rev. D. J.	Iona, C.B.	Victoria County
Wessell, R. A.	Shelbourne	Shelbourne County
McNeill, C. J.	Main Street, Antigonish	Inspector of Indian Agencies
Maxner, J. W.	Windsor	Inspector of Indian Agencies.

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QUEBEC

Name	Address	Agency
Lavallee, Dr. E. (Acting)	Bersimis	Bersimis, Lower St. Lawrence.
Berube	Cacouna	Amalecites of Viger
Caza, Zotique	Notre Dame du Nord	Temiskaming
Gauthier, E. S.	Maniwaki	Algonquins of River Desert.
De la Boissiere, A.	Pointe Bleue	Montagnais of Lake St. John.
Harbour, Francois	Oka	Lake of Two Mountains
Hebert, Denis	Becancour	Abenakis of Becancour
Hodd, Donald G., M.D.	Harrington Harbour	St. Augustine
Letourneau, L.	St. Constant	Iroquois of Caughnawaga
MacGibbon, W. A.	St. Regis	Iroquois of St. Regis
Maloney, John	Mingan	Shallop River, Mingan
Maurault, Benj.	Pierreville	Abenakis of St. Francis
Nadeau, E. W.	Grand Cascapedia	Micmacs of Maria
Picard, Pierre Albert	Jenne Lorette	Hurons of Lorette
Richard, Arthur, M.D.	Restigouche	Micmacs of Restigouche
Lavallee, J.H., M.D.	Seven Islands	Seven Islands & Moisie

NEW BRUNSWICK

Griffiths, B. J.	Fredericton	South Woodstock, Kingsclear, St. Mary's Oromocto
Hudson, Chas.	Richibucto	Northeastern Division
McPhail, N. H.	Red Rapids	Northern Division, (Edmundston & Tobique)

PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND

McDonald, Rev. J.A.	Richmond, R.R.	

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ONTARIO

Name	Address	Agency
Anderson, A. S.	Longford Mills	Chippewas of Rama
Burk, James G.	Port Arthur	Ojibwas of L.Superior West Division
Campbell, G. M.	Deseronto	Mohawks of Bay of Quinte
Daly, John M.	Parry Sound	Parry Sound
Cockburn, Geo. P.	Sturgeon Falls	Dokis, French River, Nipissing & Temagami
Eade, H. J.	Christian Island	Christian Island
Eastwood, V. McC.	377 Park St., N., Peterborough	Rice and Mud Lakes
Edwards, Frank	Kenora	Kenora
Crozier, Norman	R. R. No.3. Port Perry	Scugog
Godfrey, T. J.	Chapleau	Missanabie, Chapleau, Biscotasing, Flying Post, N.B. House.
Hamilton, B.H., M.D.	Moose Factory	James Bay
Highfield, Archibald	Walpole Island	Chippewas & Pottawattamies of Walpole Island.
Lewis, R. J.	Manitowaning	Manitowaning
Morgan, Lt. Col. C. E.	Indian Supt., Brantford	Six Nations
Moore, Alex. D.	Muncey	Chippewas, Muncies & Oneidas of Thames.
Gardiner, Peter (Acting)	Sarnia	Chippewas of Sarnia
Poste, Arthur C.	Cape Croker	Chippewas of Nawash
Priddle, E. F.	Gore Bay	Gore Bay
Rankins, Patrick	Ruby	Golden Lake
Robertson, Donald	Chippewa Hill	Chippewas of Saugeen
Rothera, C. F.	Thessalon	Thessalon
Silver, Oliver J.	Sutton West	Georgina & Snake Is.
Sims, G. H.	Sault Ste. Marie	Ojibwas of L.Superior East Division
Spencer, A.	Fort Frances	Fort Frances
Slade, F. J.	Fenella	Mississaugas of Alnwick
Stone, Nelson	Highgate	Moravians of Thames
Winger, Maurice	Hagersville	Mississaugas of Credit

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Dismissals, Department of Indian Affairs, since August 7, 1930 : -

Name	Position	Date	Reason
F. A. Chalmers,	Indian Agent, Grade 2, Digby County, N.S.,	Oct. 31/30,	On instructions from the Minister's office
W. A. Hewat, M.D.,	Indian Agent, Grade 2, Lunenburg Co., N.S.,	Oct. 7/30,	On instructions from the Minister's office
Wilson Gerrow,	Indian Agent, Grade 1, Scugog Agency, Ont.,	Sept. 22/30,	Unsatisfactory services
G.D. Shortreed, M.D.,	Physician on the call system, Pelly Agency, Sask.,	Sept. 27/30,	On instructions from the Minister's office
A.S. Gorrell, M.D.,	Eye, Ear, Nose & Throat Specialist, Regina, on the call system,	Oct. 13/30,	On instructions from the Minister's office
H. A. Lavers,	Indian Agent, Grade 1, Cumberland Co., N.S.,	Feb. 4/31,	On instructions from the Minister's office
J.J. Gillis, M.D.,	Physician (part time,) Nicola Indian Agency, B.C.	Jan. 31/31,	Political partizanship
J.H. Digout, M.D.,	Physician, (part time,) Richmond Co., N.S.,	Jan. 1/31,	" "
P. A. Picard,	Indian Agent, Grade 2, Lorette Agency, Que.,	Feb. 7/31,	" "

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Name	Position	Date	Reason
A. H. Lomas,	Indian Agent, Grade 5, Cowichan Agency, B.C.,	Oct. 1/30,	Grave irregularities in administration of agency.
G.W.Whitman, M.D.,	Physician, (part time,) Pictou Co., N.S.,	Apr.16/31,	Political partizanship
S.E.Mostyn Hoops,	Physician, (part time,) Cowichan Agency, B.C.,	Apr. 1/31,	Advancing age and ill health.
G.H. Thompson,	Farmer, Muscowpetung Reserve, Qu'Appelle Agency, Sask.,	Apr.22/31,	Unsatisfactory services.
G. H. Dunn,	Farming Instructor, Portage la Prairie Agency, Man.,	May /31,	Unsatisfactory services.
H. H. Miller,	Indian Agent, Grade 1, Hants Co., N.S.,	Apr. 1/31,	Advanced age.
F.S.Messenger, M.D.,	Physician, (part time,) Annapolis Co., N.S.,	Feb. 1/31,	On instructions from the Minister's office.
W.H.G.Gibbs, M.D.,	Medical Treatment, Call system, indigent Indians, Selkirk, Man.,	Nov.30/30,	On instructions from the Minister's office
M.R.McCharles, M.D.,	Winnipeg, Medical Attendant, Call system, Indians at Winnipeg,	Jan. 1/31,	On instructions from the Minister's office
J.D.Adamson, M.D.,	Winnipeg, Medical Attendant, Call system, Indians at Winnipeg,	Jan. 1/31,	On instructions from the Minister's office
A.Moyse, M.D.,	Winnipeg, Medical Attendant, Call system, Indians at Winnipeg,	Jan. 1/31	On instructions from the Minister's office

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Name	Position	Date	Reason
J. B.Cloutier,M.D.,	Letellier,Man., Medical Attendant, Call system,Rosseau River & Rosseau Rapids reserves,	Jan.31/31,	On instructions from the Minister's offic
Dr. Coppock,	Rosthern,Sask., Medical Attendant on call for hospital or other treatment,	Jan. 9/31,	On instructions from the Minister's offic
T.W.H.Young,M.D.,	Physician,(part time,)Mud Lake Indian Reserve,Rice & Mud Lakes Indian Agency, Ont.,	Jan. 31/31,	Unsatisfactory services
A.B.Martin,M.D.,	Mount Stewart,P.E.I., Medical Attendant, Call system,Mount Stewart,St.Andrews & Morell, P.E.I.,	Nov. 1/30,	On instructions from the Minister's office
F.A.Corbett,M.D.,	Regina, Sask., Medical Attendant on the call system for Indians at Regina,	Oct. 1/30,	On instructions from the Minister's office
Mrs. R. Howe,	Graduate Nurse, File Hills Hospital,	Sep.11/30,	Unsatisfactory services
P. V. Doyle,	Indian Agent, Grade 1, Annapolis Co.,N.S.,	Sep.15/30,	Political partizanship.

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Name	Position	Date	Reason
Louis Leclerc,M.D.	Loretteville,Que., Medical Attendant on call for indigent Indians,Lorette Agency, Que.,	Nov. 1/30,	On instructions from the Minister's office
C.S.Hennigar,M.D.,	Liverpool, N.S., Medical Attendant on the call system for indigent Indians,Queens Co., N.S.,	Nov.15/30,	On instructions from the Minister's office
R.W.L.Earle,M.D.,	Andover,N.B., Physician,(part time,)Tobique Reserve,N.B., on the call system,	Jan.31/31,	On instructions from the Minister's office
J.D.McGuigan,M.D.,	Charlottetown,P.E.I., Medical Attendant to indigent Indians, P.E.I., on accounts.	Sep.20/30,	On instructions from the Minister's office
G.L.Bell,M.D.,	Sioux Lookout,Ont., Medical Attendant to the Indians at Sioux Lookout and the pupils of the 2 residential schools near there,	Apr. 1/31,	On instructions from the Minister's office
R.H.Morrissey,M.D.,	Newcastle,N.B., Medical Attendant on the call system to the Indians,Burnt Church Reserve,N.B.,	Jan.31/31,	On instructions from the Minister's office
C. L. Mitchell,	Farming Instructor, Portage la Prairie Agency,	Oct.31/30,	On instructions from the Minister's office

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Name	Position	Date	Reason
# J.C.Bradley,M.D.,	Pembroke, Ont., Medical Attendant on call for indigent Indians, Golden Lake Agency, Ont.,requiring medical treatment in Pembroke,	Nov.15/30,	On instructions from the Minister's office #
# J.J.Trudel,M.D.,	Winnipeg, Eye,ear,nose & throat Specialist, on accounts,	Apr., /31,	On instructions from the Minister's office
# J.S.Ferguson,M.D.,	Chatham, Ont., Physician on call for the treatment of indigent Indians in Chatham, Ont.,	Nov. 1/30,	On instructions from the Minister's office
# Shirley Holmes,M.D.	Chatham, Ont., Physician on call system for indigent Indians,Chatham, Ont.,	Nov. 1/30,	On instructions from the Minister's office
# Septimus Thompson, M.D.,	London, Ont., Eye,Ear,Nose & Throat Specialist, on call,	Mar. /31,	On instructions from the Minister's office
W.J.Knox, M.D.,	Kelowna, B.C., Physician on the call system for the Indians of Westbank, Mission & Duck Lake Reserves,Okanagan Agency, B.C.,	Oct. 1/30,	On instructions from the Minister's office

The instructions from the Minister's office to employ certain doctors involved discontinuing the services of these doctors.

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Name	Position	
F. Harbour,	Indian Agent, Grade 2, Oka Agency, Que.	Accused of political partizanship. Case investigated. Charges proved. Memorandum being forwarded to Council to dispense with his services.
John Maloney,	Indian Agent, Grade 2, Mingan, Que.,	Charged with political partizanship. Case now being investigated by Mr. L. P. Cote, Matane, Que.

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List of employees of the Department of Indian Affairs who were requested to tender their resignations : -

Name	Position	
D.H. McAllister,M.D.,	Sussex, N.B., Medical Attendant to the Indians of Kings Co., N.B.,	Resignation received, services discontinued Jan. 1/31.
W. Barolet, M.D.,	Indian Agent & Physician, Bersimis, Que.,	Resignation received, services discontinued Dec. 15/30, allowed 2 months' retiring leave after this.
F. J. Slade,	Indian Agent, Grade 2, Alnwick Agency, Ont.,	Resignation received as of June 1/31, to be allowed 2 months' retiring leave.

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April 25, 1931.

Memorandum,-

Mr. Buskard.

Incl.

With reference to your verbal inquiry of yesterday, I beg to inclose herewith a memorandum regarding the dismissals in this Department since August 7, 1930.

D.C. Duncan Scott

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GOVERNMENT OF THE PROVINCE OF SASKATCHEWAN
CANADA
DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
JUN 12 1931
RECORDS

W. N. FINLAY, B.A.
INSPECTOR OF SCHOOLS

WEYBURN, SASK. June 8,1931.

SUPPLY
JUN 16 1931
BRANCH

The Dept. of Indian Affairs
Ottawa; Ont.

Gentlemen

We would appreciate your giving us a list of the names and addresses of the Indian Agents in Northern Saskatchewan(North of Lat.53°.

Respectfully Yours

W.N.Finlay

P.S.Would you also gibe us the estimated Indian Population ## north of lat 53° in Saskatchewan ?

Onion Lake - (attn) - W.N.F.
Battleford
Carlton
Duck Lake
The Pas
Isle a la Crosse

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Battleford Agency

South of 53

Little Pi[illegible]
Poundmaker
Sweet Grass
Grizzly Bear Heat
Lean Man
Mosquito.
Red Pheasant

Carlton Agency South of 53.

Muskeg Lake
~~[illegible]~~ Duck Lake Agency
All South of 53.
except
James Smith (Fort a la Corne
Muskodaq (John Smith)
Cumberland. (100 A)

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Ottawa, June 6th, 1931.

Sir,-

I beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 3th instant with reference to the Indian Agents and Indian population in Northern Saskatchewan, North of Latitude 53°.

In reply I have to state that the following is a list of Agencies, Agents and reserves in Agencies North of Latitude 53° together with the population thereof:-

AGENCY	AGENT	RESERVES North of Lat.53°		POPULATION
Battleford	Mr.S.L.Macdonald P.O.,Battleford, Sask.	Meadow Lake	96	
		Moosomin	148	
		Saulteaux	98	
		Thunderchild	177	
		Waterhen Lake	107	
				626
Carlton	Mr. John Wier P.O.,Leask, Sask.	Big River	201	
		Mistawasis	186	
		Montreal Lake	317	
		Pelican Lake	29	
		Sandy Lake (Ahtahka Koops)	249	
		Sturgeon Lake	194	
		Wahpaton	45	
				1,221
Duck Lake	Mr.C.P.Schmidt P.O.,Duck Lake, Sask.	Muskoday (John Smith)	155	
		Fort a la Corne (James Smith)	287	
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AGENCY.	AGENT	POPULATION
Ile à la Crosse (All North of Lat. 53°)	(No Agent)	2,309
Onion Lake (All North of Lat. 53°)	Mr. Lang Turner (Saskatchewan 474 (Alberta 578 P.O. Onion Lake, Sask.	1,052
The Pas (All North of Lat. 53°)	Mr. W. G. Tweddell (Manitoba 1,613 (Saskatchewan 344 P.O. The Pas, Man.	1,957

Your obedient servant,

(Sgd) A. F. MacKenzie

A. F. MacKenzie,
Secretary.

W. N. Finlay, Esq., B.A.,
Inspector of Schools,
Weyburn, Sask.

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INDIAN AGENTS

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	Address	Agency
Anderson, A. S.	Longford Mills	Chippewas of Rama
Burk, James G.	Port Arthur	Ojibwas of L.Superior West Division
Campbell, G. M.	Deseronto	Mohawks of Bay of Quinte
Cockburn, Geo. P.	Sturgeon Falls	Dokis, French River, Nipissing & Temagami
Daly, John M.	Parry Sound	Parry Sound
Eade, H. J.	Christian Island	Christian Island
Eastwood, V. McC.	377 Park St., N., Peterborough	Rice and Mud Lakes
Edwards, Frank	Kenora	Kenora
Crozier, Norman E.	Port Perry, R.R.No.3	Scugog
Godfrey, T. J.	Chapleau	Missanabie, Chapleau, Biscotasing, Flying Post, N.B.House.
Grieve, J. O.	Roseneath	Mississaugas of Alnwick.
Highfield, Archibald	Walpole Island	Chippewas & Pottawattamies of Walpole Island.
Lewis, R. J.	Manitowaning	Manitowaning
McCormick, J.C.	Sarnia	Chippewas of Sarnia
Morgan, Lt.Col. C. E.	Indian Supt., Brantford	Six Nations
Moore, Alex D.	Muncey	Chippewas, Muncies & Oneidas of Thames
Peste, Arthur C.	Cape Croker	Chippewas of Nawash
Priddle, E. F.	Gore Bay	Gore Bay
Rankins, Patrick	Ruby	Golden Lake
Robertson, Donald	Chippewa Hill	Chippewas of Saugeen
Rothera, C. F.	Thessalon	Thessalon
Silver, Oliver J.	Sutton West	Georgina & Snake Is.
Sims, G. H.	Sault Ste. Marie	Ojibwas of L.Superior East Division
Spencer, A.	Fort Frances	Fort Frances
Stone, Nelson	Highgate	Moravians of Thames
Tyrer, W. L.	Moose Factory	James Bay
Winger, Maurice	Hagersville	Mississaugas of Credit

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87, Caerphilly Road,
Gabalfa,
Cardiff.
S. Wales.

INDIAN AFFAIRS
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4/10/31.

Dear Sir,

I am writing to ask you would you kindly let me have the names and addresses of the agents of the following agencies, as I am very interested in the Indians under their supervision.

Blackfoot, Sarcee, Stony, Alberta.
Queen Charlotte Islands, Stikine, Br. Columbia.
Birtle, Griswold, Manitoba.
Assiniboine, Carlton, Moose Mountain, Saskatchewan.
Northeastern, New Brunswick.
Ft Resolution, N.W. Territories.
Victoria County, Nova Scotia.
Ft Frances, Six Nations, Walpole Island, Ontario.
Lorette, Quebec.
Yukon, Yukon.

Yours Sincerely,
Edward W. Murphy.

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EMPLOYEES OF THE DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
IN THE
NORTHWEST TERRITORIES

Position	Name	Address
Indian Agent, Grade 4 and Physician	Dr. C. Bourget	Fort Resolution, N.W.T.
Indian Agent, Grade 4 and Physician (part time)	Dr. W.A.M. Truesdell	Fort Simpson, N.W.T.
Physician (part time)	Dr. J.A. Urquhart	Aklavik, N.W.T.
Indian Agent, Grade 4	T. W. Harris	Fort Good Hope, N.W.T.
Indian Interpreter	G. Castonguay	Fort Resolution, N.W.T.
Indian Interpreter	J. Villeneuve	Fort Simpson, N.W.T.
Indian Interpreter	T. R. Harris	Fort Good Hope, N.W.T.
Graduate Nurse	Miss K. Brownlee Substituting for Miss	All Saints Hospital, Aklavik, N.W.T. Bradford.
Graduate Nurse	Rev. Sr. St. Dosithe	Fort Resolution Boarding School, Fort Resolution, N.W.T
Graduate Nurse	Rev. Sr. Aubertin	Fort Providence Boarding School, Fort Resolution, N.W.T.
Graduate Nurse	Miss W.M. Neville	Hay River, N.W.T.

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E.X'L.

February 10, 1932.

Sir:-

I have to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 15th ultimo, and in reply thereto I have to advise you that the names and addresses of the Indian Agents requested by you are as follows:-

Lang Turner, Onion Lake Sask.,
W.E.Gullion, Saddle Lake,Alberta.
G.C.Laight, Edmonton,Alberta.
G.C.Mortimer, Hazelton, B.C., (Babine)
H.Graham, Duncan, B.C., (Cowichan)
Dr. W.A.Truesdell, Fort Simpson, N.W.T.,
W.M.Halliday, Alert Bay, B.C., (Kwawkewlth)
E.E.Frost, Port Alberni,B.C., (West Coast)
E.McPherson, Selkirk, Man., (Clandeboye)
Frank Edwards, Kenora, Ont.,
S.J.Waite, Portage la Prairie, Man.,
N.P.L'Heureux, Driftpile,Alta (Lesser Slave Lake)
Rev.Angus R.McDonald, Christmas Island,(C.B.)N.S.,
S.E.Muggah, Sydney, N.S., (Cape Breton.)
D.B.Lawlor, Shubenacadie, N.S., (Hants)
W.N.Cochrane, Mahone Bay, N.S. (Lunenburg)
Rev. Angus MacNeil, Glendale, N.S.,(Inverness)
A.D,Moore, Muncey, Ont., (Caradoc)
H.J.Eade, Christian Island, Ont.,
J.M.Farrell, Ruby, Ont., (Golden Lake)
G.H.Sims, Sault Ste Marie, Ont.,
Norman Crozier, R.R. #3, Port Perry,Ont., (Scugog)
G.M.Campbell, Deseronto, Ont., (Tyendinaga)
Rev. J.A.McDonald, R.R.Richmond Grand River Lot 14, P.E.I.
Alexis Michaud, Cacouna, Que.,
E.S.Gauthier, Maniwaki, Que.,

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S.J.MacDonald, Battleford, Sask.,
J.P.B.Ostrander, Broadview, Sask., (Crooked Lakes)
C.P.Schmidt, Duck Lake, Sask.,
G.A.Dodds, Balcarres, Sask., (File Hills)
E.A.W.R. MaKenzie, Kamsack, Sask., (Pelly)
R.S.Davis, Muscow, Sask., (Qu'Appelle)
J.W.Waddy, Punnichy, Sask., (Touchwood)

Your obedient servant,

A.F.MacKenzie.
Secretary.

Edward W.Murphy,Esq.,
87 Caerphilly Road,
Gabalfa,
Cardiff,
South Wales, England.

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Ottawa, October 15, 1931.

Dear Sir,-

Replying to your enquiry of the 7th instant, I beg to say that the following are the names and addressed of our Indian Agents at the points indicated :-

Agency	Agent	Address
Blackfoot	C. H. Gooderham	Gleichen, Alta.
Sarcee	T. F. Murray, M.D.	Calgary, Alta.
Stony	Raymond Hinton	Morley, Alta.
Queen Charlotte Islands	Rev. J. Gillett	Massett, Graham Is., B.C.
Stikine	T.F.H. Reed	Telegraph Creek, B.C.
Birtle	P. G. Lazenby	Birtle, Man.
Griswold	F. J. Clarke	Griswold, Man.
Assiniboine	Frank Booth	Sintaluta, Sask.
Carlton	John Weir	Leask, Sask.
Moose Mountain	E. W. Stephenson	Carlyle, Sask.
Fort Resolution	C. Bourget, M.D.	Fort Resolution, N.W.T.
Victoria County	Rev. D.J. Rankin	Iona, C.B., N.S.
Fort Frances	A. Spencer	Fort Frances, Ont
Six Nations	Lt. Col. C.E. Morgan, Supt. Six Nations.	Brantford, Ont.
Walpole Island	Archibald Highfield	Walpole Island, On
Lorette	Maurice Bastien, Jr.	Village des Huron Que.
Yukon	Rev. John Hawksley	Dawson, Y.T.

Yours truly,

A. F. MacKenzie.
Secretary.

Edward W. Murphy, Esq.,
87 Caerphilly Road,
Gabalfa, Cardiff,
South Wales.

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Name of Indian Agent.	Address	Indian Agency
Morgan, Lieut.-Col.C.E., Indian Superintendent,	Brantford	Six Nations.
Godfrey, T.J.,	Chapleau	Missanabie, Chapleau, Biscotasing, Flying Post, Brunswick House.
Robertson, Donald.	Chippewa Hill	Chippewas of Saugeen.
Eade, H.J.,	Christian Island.	Christian Island.
Campbell, G.M.,	Deseronto.	Mohawks Bay of Quinte (Tyendinaga)
Farrell, J.M.,	Golden Lake.	Golden Lake.
Priddle, E.F.,	Gore Bay.	Gore Bay.
Winger, Maurice.	Hagersville.	Mississaugas of Credit.
Stone, Nelson, R.R.No.1,	Highgate.	Moravians of Thames
Anderson, A.S.,	Longford Mills.	Chippewas of Rama.
Lewis, R.J.,	Manitowaning.	Manitowaning.
Tyrer, Dr.W.L.,	Moose Factory via Cochrane.	James Bay Agency.
Moore, A.D.,	Muncey.	Caradoc Agency, Chipps. Munceys & Oneidas of Thames (Caradoc Res.)
Daly, John M.,	Parry Sound.	Parry Sound.
Eastwood, V.M., 377 Park St., N.,	Peterboro.	Rice & Mud Lakes.
Burk, J.G.,	Port Arthur.	Ojibewas of L.Superior Western Division.
Crozier, Norman, R.R.#3,	Port Perry.	Mississaugas of Scugog
Grieve, James Oswald.	Roseneath	" " Alnwick.
McCormick, J.C.,	Sarnia.	Chippewas of Sarnia.
Sims, G.H.,	Sault Ste.Marie.	Ojibewas of L.Superior Eastern Division.
Cockburn, Geo.P.,	Sturgeon Falls.	Dokis, French River, Nipissing & Temagami.
Silver, Oliver.	Sutton West.	Georgina & Snake Isld.
Rothera, C.F.,	Thessalon.	Thessalon.
Highfield, Archibald.	Walpole Island.	Chippewas & Potts. of W.I.
Poste, Arthur, R.R.#5,	Wiarton.	Chippewas of Nawash.

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Copy of letter from Acting Secretary of
Treasury Board, dated 5th December, 1931.

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"The Treasury Board has had before it sundry submissions recommending changes in the organization of various Departments.

After giving the matter its consideration, the Board is of the opinion that at this time increases in the cost of personnel in the Public Service are not in the public interest, whether such increases are effected by the creation of new positions, reclassifications, or promotions.

I am directed, accordingly, to return submissions of your Department as per the attached list, providing for such changes in organization. The Board's decision concerning increases will, of course, apply to the Estimates for 1932-33."

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January 26, 1932.

Memorandum:

Mr. Buskard.

With reference to your memorandum of the 26th instant, I beg to say that the only Engineer employed by this Department is Mr. J. D. Chene, who is classified as Engineer, Department of Indian Affairs. His present salary is $3300.00 and he is located at Headquarters in Ottawa. His work consists of the supervision and direction of the road work through Indian reserves, bridge work, drainage and sanitation generally on Indian reserves, septic tanks and sanitary equipment at residential schools. It is necessary to have an Engineer on hand constantly for consultation and action in such matters and I do not consider that this work could be satisfactorily performed by a consolidated engineering service.

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Name	Class Title	Present Salary	Location
	Deputy's Branch		
A. S. Williams	Assistant Deputy Superintendent General and Departmental Solicitor	$4920	Headquarters, Ottawa.
	Secretary's Branch		
Henri Z. Fabien	Principal Translator	$3000	ditto

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January 26, 1932.

Memorandum:

Mr. Buskard.

With reference to your memorandum of the 25th instant, I beg to enclose, herewith, a statement with reference to the Departmental Solicitor and Translator employed by this Department. You have asked for my views as to whether the translation and legal work of this Department could be satisfactorily provided by a consolidated Translation Service and Legal Service. My answer would be in the negative in both cases, with a certain qualification as to the Translator. Legal questions which are technical and peculiar to the Department constantly arise in the ordinary course of duty and it would entail loss of time and perhaps to a certain extent, lack of uniform treatment or policy in dealing with questions where professional advice is needed.

The Translator for this Department is occupied from day to day in translating correspondence, memoranda etc., and for that portion of the work I think it would be inconvenient and great delay would be caused if we had to send our ordinary correspondence to a central bureau. The other section of his work is the translation of the Annual Report from English into French This, of course, could be undertaken by a central Translation Staff and if this were done I think we would not require the services of a Principal Translator. The ordinary current work could be done by a less expensive official.

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Details of Government Employees

Service - Salaries. Vote - Civil Government.

	Number of employees		Total of salaries and wages
1. Salaries and wages at rates now in effect, of all persons employed at this date			
On permanent basis	83	$	180,505.00
On temporary basis paid from Civil Government Contingencies	1	($420.00)	
2. Seasonal and casual employees, not included in #1, at rates now in effect and based on average requirements			
On permanent basis			
On temporary basis (number not required)			
3. Vacancies provided in estimates for 1932-33	1		1,620.00
4. Increases provided in estimates for 1932-33 (number not required)			
(a) Statutory increases			2,880.00
(b) Other increases			295.00
Grand total		$	185,300.00
Decreases			910.00
Net total		$	184,390.00

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DETAILS OF GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES

Service - Salaries **Vote - Nova Scotia**

	Number of employees	Total of salaries and wages
1. Salaries and wages, at rates now in effect, of all persons employed at this date		
On permanent basis	42	$ 14,410.00
2. Seasonal and casual employees, not included in #1, at rates now in effect and based on average requirements		
On permanent basis	-	-
On temporary basis (number not required)	-	-
3. Vacancies provided in estimates for 1932-33	-	-
4. Increases provided in estimates for 1932-33 (number not required)		
(a) Statutory increases		30.00
(b) Other increases		-
Grand total		14,440.00
Decreases		-
Net total		$ 14,440.00

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DETAILS OF GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES

Service - Salaries

Vote - New Brunswick General Vote.

	Number of employees	Total of salaries and wages
1. Salaries and wages, at rates now in effect, of all persons employed at this date		
On permanent basis	(17 N.B.$6,555.00) (1 Gen. 1,680.00)	$ 8,235.00
On temporary basis	-	-
2. Seasonal and casual employees, not included in #1, at rates now in effect and based on average requirements		
On permanent basis	-	-
On temporary basis (number not required)	-	-
3. Vacancies provided in estimates for 1932-33	-	-
4. Increases provided in estimates for 1932-33 (number not required)		
(a) Statutory increases (General Vote)		120.00
(b) Other increases (N.B. Vote)		79.00
Grand Total		$ 8,434.00
Decreases		-
Net total		$ 8,434.00

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DETAILS OF GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES

Service - Salaries

Vote - Prince Edward Island.

	Number of employees	Total of salaries and wages
1. Salaries and wages, at rates now in effect, of all persons employed at this date		
On permanent basis	2	$ 1,530.00
On temporary basis	-	-
2. Seasonal and casual employees, not included in #1, at rates now in effect and based on average requirements		
On permanent basis	-	-
On temporary basis (number not required)	-	-
3. Vacancies provided in estimates for 1932-33	-	-
4. Increases provided in estimates for 1932-33 (number not required)		
(a) Statutory increases		120.00
(b) Other increases		-
Grand total		1,650.00
Decreases		-
Net total		$ 1,650.00

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DETAILS OF GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES

Service Outside

Vote Ontario & Quebec

	Number of employees	Total of salaries and wages.
1. Salaries and wages, at rates now in effect, of all persons employed at this date.		
On permanent basis	95	$97,445.00
On temporary basis	--	- - -
2. Seasonal and casual employees, not included in No.1, at rates now in effect and based on average requirements.		
On permanent basis	8	$ 5,268.00
On temporary basis ..... (number not required)	- -	- - -
3. Vacancies provided in estimates for 1932-33.	--	- - -
4. Increases provided in estimates for 1932-33 (number not required).		
(a) Statutory increases	--	1,860.00
(b) Other increases.	--	5,820.00
Grand Total	103	$110,393.00
Decreases	1	1,680.00
Net Total.	1o2	$108,713.00

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DETAILS OF GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES.

Service - Outside — Vote - Man., Sask., Alberta & N.W.T.

	Number of employees	Total of Salaries and Wages.
1. Salaries and wages, at rates now in effect, of all persons employed at this date.		
On Permanent Basis	275	$ 285,012.00
On Temporary Basis		
2. Seasonal and casual employees, not included in #1, at rates now in effect and based on average requirements		
On Permanent Basis	20	$ 5,171.00
On Temporary Basis		
3. Vacancies provided in Estimates for 1932-33	1	$ 1,260.00
4. Increases provided in Estimates for 1932-33 (number not required) ...		
(a) Statutory Increases		$ 6,195.00
(b) Other increases		$ 270.00
Grand Total	296	$ 297,908.00
Decreases		
Net Total	296	$ 297,908.00

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DETAILS OF GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES.

Service Outside

Vote British Columbia

	Number of employees	Total of salaries and wages.
1. Salaries and wages, at rates now in effect, of all persons employed at this date.		
On permanent basis ...	119	$145,160.00
On temporary basis.	-	- - -
2. Seasonal and casual employees, not included in No. 1, at rates now in effect and based on average requirements.		
On permanent basis ...	14	6,753.00
On temporary basis (number not required.)	-	- - -
3. Vacancies provided in estimates for 1932-33.	3	900.00
4. Increases provided in estimates for 1932-33. (number not required.)		
(a) Statutory increases	-	1,740.00
(b) Other increases.	-	1,560.00
Grand Total	136	$156,113.00
Decreases	-	- - -
Net Total.	136	$156,113.00

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DETAILS OF GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES.

Service - Outside Vote - Yukon.

	Number of employees.	Total of Salaries and Wages
1. Salaries and wages, at rates now in effect, of all persons employed at this date		
On permanent basis	3	$ 5,520.00
On temporary basis	-	
2. Seasonal and casual employees, not included in #1, at rates now in effect and based on average requirements		
On permanent basis	.....	
On temporary basis	.....	
(number not required).....	.....	
3. Vacancies provided in estimates for 1932-33.....	.....	
4. Increases provided in estimates for 1932-33 (number not required).....	.....	
(a) Statutory Increases	.....	
(b) Other increases	.....	
Grand Total	3	$ 5,520.00
Decreases	.....	
Net Total	3	$ 5,520.00

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DETAILS OF GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES.

Service._____ Vote. Indian Education.

	Number of employees.	Total of salaries and wages.
1. Salaries and wages, at rates now in effect, of all persons employed at this date.		
On permanent basis	2	$ 2,700.
On temporary basis	419	260,224
2. Seasonal and casual employees, not included in #1. at rates now in effect and based on average requirements.		
On permanent basis	–	
On temporary basis (number not required).	–	9,000.
3. Vacancies provided in estimates for 1932-33	–	–
4. Increases provided in estimates for 1932-33 (number not required)	–	–
(a) Statutory increases	–	–
(b) Other increases	–	–
Grand Total	421	$271,924.
Decreases	–	–
Net total	421	$271,924.

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Estimates 1931-1932

Printing and Stationery

Civil Government Contingencies	Vote	$7,000.00
General Vote		8,000.00
Indian Education	Vote	14,000.00
		$ 29,000.00

In addition there is estimated in the Indian Education Vote, $24,000.00 for text-books and other books for Indian Schools.

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ONTARIO AND QUEBEC

	Increase	Decrease
ALNWICK AGENCY: Difference between salary of new and old Agent.....	$600.00	-
JAMES BAY AGENCY: Do	$1,140.00	-
KENORA AGENCY: To provide for probable reclassification of position of Indian Agent.....	$1,000.00	-
THESSALON AGENCY: To provide for reorganization of medical service.....	$800.00	-
TREATY 9: To provide increase for Physician at Cochrane, Ont.....	$300.00	-
HERSIMIS AGENCY: Difference between salary of new and old Agent.....	$360.00	-
CAUGHNAWAGA AGENCY: To provide for reclassification of Physician in charge.....	$1,620.00	-
	$5,820.00	
Cancellation of one position of Graduate Nurse..... (Public Health Nurse)		$1,680.00

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ONTARIO AND QUEBEC - Continued

SEASONAL EMPLOYEES:

Ontario		
Brantford	Extra Female help.....	$900.00
Treaty 9	Physician	468.00
James Bay	Engineer and Mechanic.....	1,200.00
	Captain of Boat.....	1,200.00
	Deck hand.....	540.00
Quebec	Physician on C.N.R.....	960.00
		$5,268.00

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MAN., SASK., ALBERTA & N.W.T.

	Increase
PORTAGE LA PRAIRIE AGENCY, MAN.-	
Increase provided for Physician.....	$200.00
TOUCHWOOD AGENCY, SASK.-	
Increase in salary of Dispenser.....	70.00
	$270.00

CLANDEBOYE AGENCY, MAN.-
Vacancy - Nurse.....$1,260.00

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MAN., SASK., ALBERTA & N.W.T.

SEASONAL EMPLOYEES:

Fort Simpson, N.W.T.	Engineer, 6 mos. @ $125.	$750.00
	Labourer	250.00
Great Slave Lake	Engineer	675.00
	Pilot	375.00
	Clerk, Treaty payments	100.00
Pas Agency, Man.	Physician, Treaty payments	200.00
	Physician, Treaty payments	300.00
Sarcee Agency, Alta.	Seamstress	80.00
Carlton Agency, Sask.	Physician, treaty payments	100.00
Norway House, Man.	Clerk, Annuity payments	300.00
Manitowapah.	Labourer, seeding and haying	20.00
Assiniboine Agency	Threshing	80.00
	Haying	60.00
Duck Lake Agency	Do	50.00
Ile a la Crosse	Treaty paying Agent	600.00
Lesser Slave Lake	Clerical Assistance	1,000.00
Fort McMurray	Treaty payments, Clerical assistance	50.00
Birtle	Clerk	16.00
Battleford	Sam Brown, Caretaker	60.00
	Mrs. Davis, "	105.00
		$5,171.00

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BRITISH COLUMBIA

BELLA COOLA
To provide for reclassification of position Physician in charge.....$500.00

LYTTON
Difference between salary of new and old Agent..... 400.00

NICOLA
Difference between new and old Constable..... 180.00

QUEEN CHARLOTTE ISLANDS
Difference between salary of Field Matron and Nurse..... 480.00
$1.560.00

Seasonal or Casual employees:

		Extra
Indian Commissioner's Office -	Clerical Assistance....	$300.00
	Field Engineers (Dept. of the Interior)....	$5,000.00

Queen Charlotte	Mrs. Gillet, Clerk Indian Office.....	300.00
Skeena River	Asst. Physician, Port Essington.....	240.00
Williams Lake	Mrs. Taylor, Indian office clerk.....	300.00
New Westminster	Duncan MacRae, Constable.....	91.00
	Mrs. Moroney, extra field matron work hopfields	50.00
	Extra medical work, hopfields.....	200.00
Lytton	Constable.....	210.00
	Matron at hop fields.....	62.00
		$6,753.00

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Employees
of
Department of Indian Affairs
in the
Northwest Territories

Name	Designation	Location
T. W. Harris	Indian Agent, Grade 4	Fort Good Hope
	Appointed on July 3, 1913, as Indian Agent at Fort Simpson, N.W.T., but on the creation of the position, Indian Agent, Grade 4, Fort Good Hope, he was transferred thereto on September 1, 1930.	
W.A.M. Truesdell, M.D.	Indian Agent, Grade 4 and Physician (part time)	Fort Simpson
	Appointed July 1, 1926, as Physician; September 1, 1930, as Indian Agent, Grade 4 and Physician (part time) (T.W. Harris was formerly Indian Agent at this point, but was transferred to Fort Good Hope)	
C. Bourget, M.D.	Indian Agent, Grade 4 and Physician	Fort Resolution
	Appointed May 1, 1923. New appointment. (Also employed by Dept. of the Interior)	
T. R. Harris	Indian Interpreter	Fort Good Hope
	Appointed September 16, 1930. New appointment.	
Joseph Villeneuve	Indian Interpreter	Fort Simpson
	Appointed July, 1911.	
C. Stockeley	Indian Interpreter	Fort Resolution
	Appointed July 1, 1930. Left June 4, 1931.	
G. Castonguay	Indian Interpreter	Fort Resolution
	Appointed June 5, 1931, to succeed C. Stockeley.	
Rev. Sister St. Cyr	Graduate Nurse	Fort Providence Boarding School, N.W.T.
	Appointed September 1, 1921. Resigned July 31, 1930, as she was moved by her community to another location.	
Rev. Sister Aubertin	Graduate Nurse	Fort Providence Boarding School, N.W.T
	Appointed August 1, 1930, to succeed Sister St. Cyr.	
Rev. Sister St. Dosithee	Graduate Nurse	Fort Resolution Boarding School, N.W.T.
	Appointed April 1, 1922.	

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Name	Designation	Location
Valerie Lillian Ottaway	Graduate Nurse	Hay River, N.W.T.

Appointed June 15, 1925.
Resigned August 23, 1926. New appointment.

Dorothy M. Bradford	Graduate Nurse	Aklavik, N.W.T.

Appointed August 24, 1926, to succeed Miss Ottaway, Hay River.
Transferred to All Saints Hospital, Aklavik, N.W.T., July 14, 1928.
At present on furlough. Miss K. Brownlee substituting for her.

Minnie Hackett	Graduate Nurse	Aklavik

June 1, 1926 to July 14, 1928, when she was transferred to Hay River. Left Hay River August 21, 1930.

Winifred Mary Neville	Graduate Nurse	Hay River

Appointed August 1, 1930, to succeed M. Hackett.

P. E. Doyle, M.D. (Employee R.C.M.P.)	Physician for Indians and Eskimo, Mackenzie River and Herschel Island.	Fort MacPherson, N.W.T.

Employed from September, 1919, to September, 1921, when he left the district owing to the illness of his wife. Returned March 1, 1923. Left July, 1924.

D. E. Scott, M.D.	Physician for Indians and Eskimo, Mackenzie River and Herschel Island.	Fort MacPherson

Appointed to succeed Dr. Doyle August 5, 1924.
Services ceased June 30, 1925.

A. J. Cook, M.D. (Employee R.C.M.P.)	Physician for Indians and Eskimo, Mackenzie River and Herschel Island.	Fort MacPherson

Appointed July 1, 1925, to succeed Dr. Scott.
Left service July 12, 1927.

A. E. Ward, M.D. (Employee R.C.M.P.)	Physician for Indians and Eskimo, Mackenzie River and Herschel Island.	Aklavik

Appointed July 7, 1927, to succeed Dr. Cook.
Left service July 7, 1928.

J.A. Urquhart, M.D. (Employee Interior Dept.)	Physician for Indians of Mackenzie River and Herschel Island.	Alkavik.

Appointed August 18, 1928, to succeed Dr. Ward.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA

Ottawa, 8th June 1932

Memorandum

Miss O'Donahoe,-

The reserves in the Electoral District of Athabasca are,-

Onion Lake Agency

Part of Makaoos No.120
Unipoheos (Frog Lake) No.121
Puskiakiwenin (Frog Lake) No.122
Kehiwin No.123
Cold Lake No.149, 149A, 149B

Saddle Lake Agency

Saddle Lake No.125, 125A
Whitefish Lake No.128
Beaver Lake No.131
Heart Lake No.167

Fort Smith Agency

Fort McKay No.174
Namur River No.174A
Namur Lake No.174B
Clearwater River No.175
Gregoire Lake Nos.176, 176A, 176B.
Janvier No.194

Grouard Agency

Wabiskaw Nos.166, 166A, 166B, 166C.
Calling Lake No.183

J. Roberton
Chief Surveyor.

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May 17, 1932.

Memorandum:

Mr. Buskard.

The Indian Agencies in the electoral district of Athabaska are as follows,- Saddle Lake, Fort Smith, a small part of Lesser Slave Lake and part of the Onion Lake Agency.

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A.S.W.

Saddle Lake
Fort Smith
Small part of Grouard

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May 20, 1932.

Memorandum:

Mr. Buskard.

With reference to verbal request from your office, I beg to say that the names and addresses of the Indian Agents in the electoral district of Athabaska are as follows :-

W. E. Gullion, Saddle Lake Indian Agency, Saddle Lake, Alta.

N. P. L'Heureux, Lesser Slave Lake Indian Agency, Driftpile, Alta. { only a small part of Agency in Athabasca

Gerald Card, Fort Smith Indian Agency, Fort McMurray, Alta.
(To relinquish duties July 31 on retiring leave prior to superannuation)

Part of the Onion Lake Indian Agency is in the above electoral district, but at the present time, Lang Turner, the Indian Agent, is on retiring leave prior to superannuation.

A.S.W.

A. S. Williams

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Ottawa, May 14, 1932.

Sir,-

(Incl.)

In compliance with request in your letter of the 10th instant, I beg to transmit herewith a list giving the names and addresses of the Indian Agents in Ontario. The list indicates also the Bands under the respective care of the Agent's named.

It is noted you have stated that the foregoing information is required in connection with the administration of unemployment relief.

Your obedient servant,

A.F.Mackenzie
Secretary.

J.D.Anderson,Esq.,
Christie St.Hospital,
Toronto 4, Ont.

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Minister's Office

MEMORANDUM

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April 20, 1932.

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MR. WILLIAMS.

The Minister has a letter from a Vancouver correspondent who would like to obtain the names of the Indian Agents and Medical Officers of the Agencies in the neighbourhood of Georgian Bay and close to Manatoulin Island. The list might go back a few years,-say ten.

Can you let me have such a list, together with the dates of service of the Agents and Medical Officers?

Private Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA

Ottawa, April 22, 1932.

Memo.

Surveys.

Please let me know what Indian Agencies are in the neighbourhood of Georgian Bay and close to Manitoulin Island.

H.D

Miss O'Donahoe,-

Indian Agencies in the neighbourhood of Georgian Bay and Manitoulin Island are,-
Gore Bay, Thessalon, Parry Sound and Manitowaning.

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Immediate

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA

Ottawa, April 25, 1932.

Dr. Stone,-

I am in receipt of a request from the Minister's Office for the names of the Indian Agents and Medical Officers of the agencies in the neighbourhood of Georgian Bay and close to Manitoulin Island, the list to go back for 10 years, dates of the services to be included. The agencies affected will be Gore Bay, Thessalon, Parry Sound and Manitowaning. Will you kindly let me know whether, in any of these agencies, there are any doctors employed on the call system and, if so, give me the information regarding them. We can deal with the doctors on salary from the Establishment book.

A. S. Williams

Acting D.S.G.I.A.

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April 25th, 1932.

Memorandum,

MR. WILLIAMS:

With reference to attached memorandum of April 25th regarding Doctors employed on the call system during the past 10 years for Indians of the Gore Bay, Thessalon, Parry Sound and Manitowaning Agencies, the following is the information which I think is desired:

THESSALON AGENCY:
File No. 9-36

Dr. J.N.P. LANGLOIS.
In addition to salary for services at the Mississauga Reserve, Doctor Langlois has been paid on accounts (Departmental Schedule of Fees) since April 10th, 1929, for Serpent River.

PARRY SOUND AGENCY:
File No. 9-22

Dr. W.R. MASON.
January 15th, 1919 to date.
Henvey Inlet — Nainscoutaing
French River — Parry Island
Gibson — Shawanaga Nos. 17 & 17 B.
Maganetawan
and transients from Christian Island.

Dr. F.G. DAVIS, Bala, Ontario.
February 23rd, 1931.
Stragglers from Gibson Band.

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MANITOWANING AGENCY:
File No. 9-19 ✓

Dr. S.S. POLACK.
April 1st, 1932.
Whitefish Lake Band of Indians. Paid on accounts (Departmental Schedule of Fees) not to exceed $350 per annum.

Note: Transient Indians from the Agencies referred to have been treated at Espanola, Blind River, Sudbury and Parry Sound by Doctors Harvie, Langlois, Arthur, and Denholm and have been paid under Departmental Schedule of Fees. Of late years Doctor Arthur has been absent from Sudbury owing to ill health, but has arranged with his business associates to carry on in his place.

E.L. Stone

E.L. Stone, M.B.
Director of Medical Services

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Ottawa, April 26, 1932.

Memo.
Miss Moodie.

Are there any accounts for medical attendance for the Sheshegwaning Indians, Gore Bay agency - 1923-1927? Who attended the stragglers from Gibson Band before February, 1931?

H.D.

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April 27th, 1932.

Memorandum,

MISS O'DONAHOE:

With reference to accounts for medical attendance for Indians of the Gore Bay Agency and stragglers from Gibson Reserve since 1922:

The Indians of the Parry Sound Agency (which includes Gibson Reserve), the Agencies on Manitoulin Island and the district surrounding Sudbury and Sault Ste. Marie frequently visit all these reserves and districts, and in the summer sell baskets and other wares. The Doctors on salary in the Manitoulin Agency have submitted accounts for many years when it has been necessary to treat transients from other Agencies. The same is true of Sudbury and the Parry Sound District. The custom seems to be that if an Indian becomes ill in a village the nearest Doctor is sent for, without the knowledge of the Department, and later, after inquiry is made, if the Indian is a recognized member of any Band and unable to pay his own account, it is paid by the Department. Frequently only one account is received from a Doctor for services to an Indian who happens to be passing through his district.

In the memorandum submitted a day or two ago in this connection Doctors authorized on the call system were dealt with, but it must be recognized that Doctors whose names would appear "on salary" have also submitted accounts when necessary, and other small accounts have also been received.

H. M.

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Medical Attendants

Agency		Date of appointment.
Manitowaning	R. W. Shaw, Manitowaning, Ont. Physician (part time) Manitowaning and vicinity, Manitoulin Island Unceded and South Bay Band. On salary.	July 1, 1909.
"	C. R. Young, Little Current, Ont. Physician (part time) Whitefish River, Sheguiandah and Sucker Creek Bands. On salary.	March 1, 1920.
"	R. H. Arthur, Sudbury, Ont. Physician (part time) Whitefish Lake Band. On Salary -	Appointed in 1897 Services Discontinued March 31, 1932. owing to Age
"	S. S. Polack, Sudbury, Ont. Physician (part time) Whitefish Lake Band. Paid on accounts.	April 1, 1932.
Parry Sound	W. R. Mason, Parry Sound, Ont. Physician (part time) Henvey Inlet, Nainscoutaing, French River, Parry Island, Gibson, Shawanaga Nos. 17 & 17 B., Maganetawan and transients from Christian Island. Paid on accounts.	January 15, 1919.
" "	F. G. Davis, Bala, Ont. Physician (part time), Stragglers from Gibson Band. Paid on accounts.	February 23, 1931.
Thessalon	W. B. Sproule, Thessalon, Ont. Physician (part time) Thessalon River Band. On salary.	October 1, 1914.
"	J. J. McDermott, Massey, Ont. Physician (part time) Spanish River Reserve and Serpent River Reserve.	August 1, 1922.
	Spanish Industrial School	May 1, 1928.
	Died - - -	September 10, 1928.
"	G. R. Jones, Massey, Ont. Physician (part time) Spanish Industrial School	July 1, 1921 to April 30, 1928.
"	H. H. Harvie, Espanola, Ont. Physician (part time) Spanish River Reserve, Spanish Industrial School	December 19, 1928.
	Serpent River Reserve	December 19, 1928 to April 10, 1929.
"	J.N.P. Langlois, Blind River, Ont. Physician (part time)	
	On salary for Mississauga River Reserve.	January 1, 1927.
	On accounts for Serpent River Reserve.	April 10, 1929.

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Medical Attendants

Agency	Name	Date of appointment
Gore Bay	R. W. Davis, West Bay, Ont. Physician (part time) West Bay Band. On salary.	April 1, 1912
" "	F. A. Strain, Gore Bay, Ont. Physician (part time) Sheshegwaning Band. On salary.	February 15, 1927

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Indian Agents

Agency		Name	Date of appointment
Parry Sound	✓	John M. Daly, Indian Agent, Grade 4 Present Agent.	September 22, 1922.
Gore Bay	✓	J. R. McGregor, Indian Agent, Grade 4	July 4, 1916 to March 31, 1927
" "	✓	William Jackson, Employed temporarily as Agent, pending permanent appointment by Civil Service Commission after competition.	April 5, 1927 to July 3, 1927
" "	✓	D. M. Thomson, Big Lake P.O., Ontario. Appointed by Civil Service Commission - Resigned -	July 4, 1927 October 14, 1927
" "	✓	E. F. Priddle - Present Agent.	October 15, 1927
Manitowaning	✓	R. J. Lewis, Indian Agent, Grade 4 Present Agent.	November 3, 1915
Thessalon	✓	C. F. Rothera, Indian Agent, Grade 3 Present Agent.	May 1, 1921

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April 25, 1932.

Memorandum:

Mr. Buskard.

With reference to your memorandum of the 20th instant, I beg to say that the Indian Agencies in the neighbourhood of Georgian Bay and close to Manitoulin Island are as follows,-

Gore Bay
Thessalon
Parry Sound
Manitowaning.

I am enclosing, herewith, the information regarding the Indian Agents and Medical Officers of these Agencies, as requested.

D. S. Williams

H.D.W.

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CANADA

Ottawa, December 28, 1932.

MEMORANDUM

DR. MCGILL.

The following are the employees at the Indian day school, Bersimis, P.Q., together with the salaries paid:

Sister Marie du Carmel - Principal - $600 per year,
Sister St. Jeanne - Asst. Teacher - $500 per year,
Sister St. Fidele de Jesus - Junior Teacher - $200 per year.

There are a number of white children who attend, and the white parents provide the balance of the third teacher's salary. All the above salaries are subject to the deduction of 10 percent during the present fiscal year.

We have no teachers employed at Seven Islands and Escoumains. The Indian children at these points attend the local white schools and this Department pays a tuition grant for them.

The Department has no schools at St. Augustine, Mingan, Natashquan and Romain.

J. D. Sutherland

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

List of Employees in the County of Saguenay, Quebec.

Name	Position	Salary	Place of Residence
BERSIMIS AGENCY			
Eugene Lavallee, M.D.	Indian Agent Grade 3 and Physician	- $720.a yr.) - $1500.a yr.) and house)	Bersimis
Georges Rock	Indian Interpreter	- $240. a yr.	"
Paul Rock	Labourer	- $540. a yr.	"
Mrs.V.Murphy	Housekeeper,(Hospital)	- $600. a yr. and maintenance.	"
Julia Thibault	Asst.Housekeeper "	- $10. a mth.	"
Sister Marie du Carmel	Principal, Indian Day School	$600. a yr.	"
Sister St. Jeanne	Asst. Teacher,	- $500. a yr.	"
Sister St.Fidele de Jesus	Junior Teacher,	- $200. a yr.	"
MINGAN AGENCY			
M. G. Hamilton	Indian Agent,Grade 2	- $420. a yr.	Mingan
SEVEN ISLANDS AGENCY			
J.H.Lavallee,M.D.	Indian Agent,Grade 2, and Physician (Part time)	- $575. a yr.,house) fuel and light) - $1500. a yr.)	Seven Islands
ST. AUGUSTINE			
D.G.Hodd,M.D. (Absent during winter of 1932-33; Dr.H.Forsythe substituting).	Indian Agent,Grade 1	- $200. a yr.	Harrington Harbour

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December 29, 1932.

Memorandum:

Mr. Buskard

With reference to your memorandum of the 27th instant, I attach hereto a list showing the employees of this Department in the County of Saguenay, Quebec. In addition to those shown on the list under the Bersimis Agency, we pay occasional accounts for medical attendance to Indians of the Escoumains Reserve and transients from Dr. A. Leclerc, of Baie Mille Vaches, Que., and from Dr. J. Paquin, of Les Escoumains, Que.

There are no reserves in the Counties of Montmorency and Charlevoix and we have no employees in these Counties.

Deputy Superintendent General.

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DETAILS OF EMPLOYEES ON PREVAILING RATES

Classification	Locality	No. of Employees	Gross Rate of Pay	Authority and effective date for such rates	Were such rates approved by Dept. of Labour, if so, date of such approval	Total paid during fiscal year 1932-33
Example						
Labourer	Toronto	50	40¢	O.C. Mar. 15, 1932 effective Apr. 1,1932	Yes - Mar. 25,1932	$60,000
	"	20	35¢	Departmental Order effective Apr. 1,1932	No	25,000
	Ottawa	40	35¢	" "	No	35,000
	"	10	30¢	Departmental Order effective Apr. 1,1933	Yes - Mar. 15,1933	8,000

Treasury Board

Ottawa, 7th June, 1933.

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The Deputy Superintendent General,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Canada.

Dear Sir,

The Treasury Board has had under consideration a submission respecting application of the terms of the Salary Deduction (Continuance) Act to employees paid at prevailing rates.

In order that complete information may be available, I am directed to request submission, by classifications, of details of all employees of your Department, as of March 31,1933, paid on the prevailing rates basis and tabulated in the form of the attached.

Yours truly,

For Secretary.

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Ottawa, June 13th, 1933.

Comptroller of the Treasury:

With reference to Treasury Board letter of the 7th instant (T.149,088 B) requesting details of the employees paid on the prevailing rate basis, I beg to advise that the information required cannot be furnished by this Department for the following reasons.

(a) Payments for casual labour and prevailing rate employees are not kept under names of individuals or class of labour, but are charged along with other expenditure incurred in connection with buildings and works, maintenance repairs or construction.

(b) There are isolated cases of foremen employed in the overseeing of repair or construction work being performed by Indian labour, but the wages of such foremen are shown as part of the cost of the job which is chargeable to the sub-allotment for buildings and works.

(c) It is the policy of the Department to make Indians who are receiving Relief perform repair or construction work that is necessary around an Agency, and for which no special funds are ~~allowed~~, a nominal rate of pay which they receive in the form of provisions or clothing. The cost of the work performed is, therefore, charged to the Relief Allotment, not as wages, but as relief issues.

(d) During "Treaty Payment Trips" Agents are often required to employ canoe-men and Indian labourers for the transporation of supplies, etc., and such charges are included in the Agent's account under the "Travelling Expenses Sub-allotment".

From the foregoing it will be seen that it is practically impossible to provide the information requested by

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the Treasury Board without dislocating the daily routine duties of this office.

The time and labour required to get this information would be very considerable indeed as it would entail searching through thousands of vouchers and the preparation of a synoptic in order to obtain the classifications desired.

Representative of the Treasury.

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DETAILS OF EMPLOYEES ON PREVAILING RATES AS OF MARCH 31ST, 1933.

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Labourer	Bersimis, Que.	1	$ 540.00	O.C. 43/1601 dated August 22nd, 1929.	No.	$ 486.00
	Ohsweken, Ont.	1	540.00		No.	486.00
	Griswold, Man.	1	480.00	Do	No.	432.00
	Saddle Lake, Alta.	1	720.00	Do	NO.	648.00
	Battleford, Sask.	1	180.00	Do.	No. (6 Months,Pt.Time)	81.00
Farm Hand	Sintaluta, Sask.	1	720.00	Do.	No.	648.00
	Dundurn, Sask.	1	360.00	Do	No.	324.00
	Carlyle, Sask.	1	720.00	Do	No.	648.00
	Kamsack, Sask.	1	540.00	Do	No.	486.00
	Broadview, Sask.	1	600.00	Do.	No.	540.00
	Gleichen, Alta.	1	360.00	Do.	No.	324.00
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Cook.	Gleichen, Alta.	1	480.00	Do	No	432.00
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/O'C

Ottawa, June 27th, 1933.

Dear Sir:

I have to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 7th instant, No. T.149,088 B, and in reply to inclose a statement, by classifications, of details of all employees of this Department as of March 31st, 1933, paid on the prevailing rates basis.

Yours truly,

Deputy Superintendent General.

The Secretary,
The Treasury Board,
O T T A W A,
Ontario.

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LIST OF INDIAN DAY SCHOOL TEACHERS IN NOVA SCOTIA.

Name	P. O. Address	Salary
Miss Christine M. Kennedy	Bayfield Road	$750 less 10%
Mrs. Rose L. Ford	Bear River	$700 " "
Miss Agnes MacNeil	Eskasoni Chapel	$800 " "
Miss Gertrude McGirr	Pictou Landing	$800 " "
Mr. Colin Kennedy	Big Harbour Island	$700 " "
Mr. Arsene Burns	Nyanza	$650 " "
Mrs. Elizabeth Smith	Truro	$650 " "
Miss Tina MacDonald	Soldier's Cove West	$700 " "
Miss Catherine Gallagher	Sydney	$850 " "
Mr. Alexander Macdonald	Whycocomagh	$750 " "

LIST OF JANITORS AND TRUANT OFFICERS AT INDIAN SCHOOLS IN NOVA SCOTIA.

Name	P. O. Address	Salary
Wm. Young (Janitor)	Big Harbour Island	$60 a year less 10%
Levi Poulett (Tr. Officer)	Whycocomagh	$60 " " " "
Michael Joe (Janitor)	Whycocomagh	$100 " " " "
Joseph Marshall (Janitor)	Sydney	$60 " " " "
John Gould (Truant Officer)	Sydney	$25 " " " "
Tom Johnson (Janitor)	Barra Head	$45 " " " "
Jas. Basque (Truant Officer)	Barra Head	$25 " " " "
Tom Francis (Janitor)	Pictou Landing	$72 " " " "
Mrs. M. Harlow (Janitor)	Bear River	$30 " " " "
Wm. Stevens (Janitor & Truant Officer)	Truro	$70 " " " "
Simon Denny (Truant Officer)	Eskasoni Chapel	$15 " " " "
Jim Peck (Truant Officer)	Nyanza	$25 " " " "
Pierre Googoo (Janitor)	Nyanza	$45 " " " "
John Prosper (Janitor & Truant Officer)	Afton	$75 " " " "

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List of Indian Agents in Nova Scotia

Agency	Name and Address	Classification			Annual Salary
Annapolis Co.	Arthur A. Nicholl, Lequille, N.S.	Indian Agent,		Grade 1	$200.
Antigonish and Guysboro Cos.	W. J. Cameron, Heatherton, N.S.	"	"	Grade 2	$200.
Cape Breton Co. (Eskasoni)	Rev. A. R. McDonald, Christmas Island, N.S.	"	"	Grade 2	$200.
Cape Breton Co. (Sydney)	Joseph MacKinnon, Sydney, N.S.	"	"	Grade 1	$200.
Colchester Co.	R. H. Kennedy, Hilden, N.S.	"	"	Grade 2	$200.
Cumberland Co.	C. H. Cameron, Parrsboro, N.S.	"	"	Grade 1	$200.
Digby Co.	F. C. Harris, Bear River, N.S.	"	"	Grade 2	$200.
Halifax Co.	R. B. Henley, Sheet Harbour, N.S.	"	"	Grade 2	$200.
Hants County	W. H. A. MacDonald, Shubenacadie, N.S.	"	"	Grade 1	$200.
Hants County (Windsor)	A. W. MacDonald, Three Mils Plains, N.S.	"	"	Grade 1	$150.
Inverness Co.	Rev. Angus MacNeil, Glendale, N.S.	"	"	Grade 2	$200.
Kings Co.	E. M. Williams, Kentville, N.S.	"	"	Grade 2	$200.
Lunenburg Co.	Dr. S. P. Young, New Germany, N.S.	"	"	Grade 2	$200.
Pictou, Co.	Rev. A. A. Johnston, Pictou, N.S.	"	"	Grade 2	$200.
Queen's Co.	C. A. Brown, Milton, N.S.	"	"	Grade 1	$100.
Richmond Co.	J. A. Currie, St. Peters, N.S.	"	"	Grade 2	$200.
Shelburne Co.	D. Williams, Shelburne, N.S.	"	"	Grade 1	$100.
Victoria Co.	Rev. D. J. Rankin, Iona, N.S.	"	"	Grade 2	$200.
Yarmouth Co.	G. L. Cann, Yarmouth, N.S.	"	"	Grade 1	$150.

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DOCTORS ON ACCOUNTS IN NOVA SCOTIA.

County or Agency	Name, address & Band attended.
Annapolis County	Dr. L. Braine, Annapolis. Indians near Annapolis & Lequille.
Antigonish "	No Doctor.
Digby "	Dr. Edward Duvernet, Digby. Indians in Digby County.
Halifax "	Dr. M.A.B. Smith, Dartmouth, Indians near Halifax.
	Dr. D. McMillan, Sheet Harbour. Indians at that place.
Kings "	Dr. R. O. Bethune, Berwick. Indians of Berwick & Kentville.
	Dr. M. R. Elliott, Wolfville. Indians of Horton.
	Dr. M. E. Devine, Kingston. A few local Indians.
Lunenburg "	Dr. D.W.N. Zwicker, Chester. Indians near that place.
Queens "	Dr. T. R. Ford, Liverpool. Indians of Queens County, Milton & vicinity.

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Doctors on Accounts in Nova Scotia, cont'd:

County or Agency	Name, Address & Band attended.
Shelburne County	Dr. J. D. Densmore, Port Clyde, Indians near that place.
	Dr. L. O. Fuller, Shelburne. Indians at Shelburne.
Victoria "	Dr. R. G. Gillis, Baddeck. Indians at Middle River.
Yarmouth "	Dr. N. L. Blackadar, Port Maitland. Indians of North Yarmouth County.
	Dr. G.W.T. Farish, Yarmouth. Vicinity of Yarmouth.
	Dr. C. J. Fox, Pubnico. A few local Indians.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

PHYSICIANS, (PART TIME), NOVA SCOTIA,
EXEMPT FROM CIVIL SERVICE ACT.

AGENCY	NAME	TITLE	SALARY	ADDRESS
Annapolis Co.,	Dr. H.E.Kelley	Physician,(P.T.)	$200.00	Middleton,N.S.
Cape Breton (Eskasoni)	Dr. W.T.McKeough,	" "	$200.00	Sydney Mines "
Cumberland Co.,	Dr. C.S.Henderson	" "	$100.00	Parrsboro, "
Cumberland Co.,	Dr. D.Drury	" "	$100.00	Maccan "
Cumberland Co.,	Dr. R.R.Withrow	" "	$100.00	Springhill, "
Digby Co.,	Dr. H.J.Melanson	" "	$100.00	Weymouth "
* Hants Co., Windsor,	Dr. C.H.Morris	" "	$150.00	Windsor "
Halifax,Co.,	Dr. D.F.MacInnes	" "	$200.00	Shubenacadie "
Inverness Co.,	Dr. M. G. McLeod	" "	$200.00	Whycocomagh "
Kings Co.,	Dr. R.O.Bethune	" "	$200.00	Berwick "
Lunenburg Co.,	Dr. W.N.Rehfuss	" "	$100.00	Bridgewater "
Lunenburg Co.,	Dr. S.P.Young	" "	$ 50.00	New Germany "

CONSTABLES,(PART TIME), NOVA SCOTIA,
EXEMPT FROM CIVIL SERVICE ACT.

Inverness Co.,	Levi Poulett	Constable (P.T.).	$ 20.00	Whycocomagh,N.S.
Richmond Co.,	Tom Marshall	" "	$ 75.00	Barra Head, "
Victoria Co.,	Francis Pierre	" "	$ 60.00	Nyanza, "

* Permanent and contributor to Retirement Fund.

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Immediate

1 Dr Stone to attach duplicate, please.

2. Schools to attach duplicate, please.

3. Mr McKenna

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November 13, 1933.

Memorandum.

The Honourable the Superintendent General.

On the 10th instant I forwarded to you a statement of Indian Agents exempt from the Civil Service Act in Nova Scotia.

I append hereto similar statements with regard to Physicians, (Part Time), Constables, (Part Time), Day School Teachers, Janitors and Truant Officers and Doctors on accounts, each in duplicate.

H. Howard

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Ottawa, January 29, 1934.

Gentlemen:

Replying to your letter of the 23rd instant, I have to say that the following is a list of the Indian schools in the Battleford agency, with the name and address of the Principal:-

Day Schools:			Address
Little Pines,	Miss A.L. Cunningham, Miss Edith F. Jones,	Principal, Assistant,	Paynton
Red Pheasant,	Henry Reynolds,	Principal,	Red Pheasant
Thunderchild, (C. E.)	Rev. J. L. Ball,	Principal,	Turtleford,

Residential School:

Thunderchild, (R. C.)	Rev. O. Allard, O.M.I.	Principal,	Delmas.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. Sutherland,
Acting Supt. of Indian Education.

Robinson, Little & Co., Ltd.,
Winnipeg,
Man.

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Name	Address
Dr. Kenny, F.W.	Rexton, N.Brunswick
Dr. Jacobs, J.H.	Caughnawaga, Quebec
Dr. McGuire, J.A.	Cornwall, Ontario
Dr. Reeves, Jas.	Eganville, Ontario
Dr. Boyce, H.A.	Deseronto, Ontario
Dr. Eckhardt, H.E.	Shannonville, Ontario
Dr. Davis, W.E.	(Ohsweken, Ontario, (Department Indian Affairs
Dr. McLeod, T.R.	Muncey, Ontario
Dr. Rowland, C.E.	Wallaceburg, Ontario
Dr. Harvie, H.H.	Espanola, Ontario
Dr. Brown, H.A.	Cochrane, Ontario
Dr. Mitchell, H.K.	Sioux Lookout, Ontario
Dr. Ferguson, A.D.	Kenora, Ontario
Dr. Gillie, J.J.	Fort William, Ontario
Dr. Turpel, W.N.	Norway House, Dept. Indian Affairs, Manitoba.
Dr. Simpson, C.C.	Portage la Prairie, Man.
Dr. Atkinson, L.E.	Selkirk, Manitoba
Dr. Head, P.W.	Birtle, Manitoba
Dr. Walkin, F.	Ashern, Manitoba
Dr. Simes, A.B.	(Fort Qu'Appelle, Sask. (Dept. Indian Affairs
Dr. Duncan, J.D.	Leask, Saskatchewan
Dr. Chisholm, J.S.	Prince Albert, Saskatchewan
Dr. Craig, C.H.	Broadview, Saskatchewan
Dr. Stapleford, G.H.	Carlyle, Saskatchewan
Dr. Conroy, E.	Edmonton, Alberta
Dr. Hill, J.T.	Dept. Indian Affairs, Union Lake, Alberta
Dr. Windsor, Evelyn	Dept. Indian Affairs, Gleichen, Alberta
Dr. Murray, Thomas F.	Dept. Indian Affairs, Calgary, Alberta
Dr. Murray, W. Barr	Dept. Indian Affairs, Morley, Alberta

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Name	Address
Dr. Mulloy, J.K.	Cardston, Alberta
Dr. McColgan, A.S.	Wetaskiwin, Alberta
Dr. Tennant, P.S.	Dept. Indian Affairs, Kamloops, British Columbia
Dr. McQuarrie, A.L.	Dept. Indian Affairs, Vancouver, British Columbia
Dr. Ellis, J.P.	Lytton, British Columbia
Dr. Ployart, Claude H.	Lillooet, British Columbia
Dr. Wrinch, H.C.	Hazelton, British Columbia
Dr. Thomas, M.W.	Victoria, British Columbia
Dr. Bissett, G.W.	Duncan, British Columbia

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30th March, 1914.

The Superintendent General of Indian Affairs,
Department of the Interior,
O t t a w a, Ont.

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Dear Sirs:-

We wish to obtain certain information from you as to the Indian reservation at Caughnawaga, otherwise known as Sault St. Louis, other than what is contained in the Indian Act (R.S.C. cap. 81) and amendments thereto.

In the first place, under what class do the Caughnawaga Indians fall, i.e., are they just "Indians" or are they "non-treaty Indians"? We are unable to find out anything on this point.

How could we get at the status of an Indian or Indians living at Caughnawaga? We are continually having dealings with them through the Dominion Bridge Co., Limited. This Company is a client of ours and employs a large number of Indians. In the ordinary course of their work with the Dominion Bridge Co. these Indians are either hurt or killed and we then have to adjust their claims under the Workmen's Compensation Act of this Province. We find that in some

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cases these Caughnawaga Indians are very amenable but in other cases they give a great deal of trouble and we wish, if possible, to be in a position to protect the interests of the Dominion Bridge Company.

We have a case in point at present in which a man and his wife are suing the Dominion Bridge Co. for $2,000, alleging that their son who was working for the Dominion Bridge Co. and who was recently killed while in the ordinary course of his employment, was their sole support. We find it hard to believe their story inasmuch as the father is an able-bodied man and in addition to that has three sons who are living with him and who are all working. While the Dominion Bridge Co. wishes to be fair in all its dealings with its employees, you can readily see that as a matter of principle it cannot afford to be duped by the Indians in this manner. If the father and mother in the present case were successful in their action without just cause they would undoubtedly spread the ~~cause~~ news of their success among the other Indians on the reservation and thus give rise to many unfounded actions.

We notice that section 171 of the Indian Act, as amended by section 3 of 1-2 Geo. V, cap. 14, provides for certain

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certain annuities that are payable to Indians in pursuance of the conditions of any treaty entered into by His Majesty and for the payment of which the Government of Canada is responsible. Would you be good enough to advise whether the Indians in the Caughnawaga reservation are in receipt of any such annuity or whether any interest from appropriated funds is payable to the Indians, whether male or female, of the Caughnawaga Reservation.

At the same time you might also inform us as to the correct manner of referring to these Indians. Are they all members of one tribe or are they members of various tribes who have simply collected at Caughnawaga.

As we have to plead to the action which was taken against the Dominion Bridge Co. within a short delay, we would greatly appreciate your preferred attention in the premises.

Yours truly,

Brown Montgomery McMichael

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Ottawa, April 1st, 1914.

Sirs,-

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your favour of the 30th ultimo, asking for information with respect to the status of the Caughnawaga Indians and as to whether they participate in any funds as referred to in Section 171 of the Indian Act.

In reply I beg to say that under sub-sections (d) and (f) of Section 2, Chapter 81, R.S.C., the Indians of Caughnawaga come within the definition "Indians" and not "non-treaty Indians".

With respect to the "status" of an Indian living at Caughnawaga, I beg to say that speaking generally these Indians, as well as other bands are incapacitated or restricted only so far as expressly defined under the Indian Act, but in all other respects, so far as the Department is aware the Indians have the same status as white persons. You will note that under Section 103 of the Act, Indians have the right to sue in respect of any tort or wrong inflicted upon them.

a.s.w.

There are no funds payable to these Indians in pursuance of treaty conditions as referred

to

Messrs. Brown, Montgomery & McMichael,

Barristers,
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to in Section 171 of the Act. They receive no annuities. They have funds as set forth on page 127 of the Auditor

Encl. General's Report 1912-13 enclosed herein, which funds they have derived from the sale of lands, timber, stone etc. This report shows how these funds are disbursed . These Indians are properly referred to as "The Iroquois of Caughnawaga" and are practically all of one tribe.

It is hoped that this information may meet your requirements.

Your obedient servant,

Duncan Campbell Scott

Deputy Superintendent General.

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Department of Indian Affairs.

April 1914

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Walpole Island

Sundry Accts. March 31. 1914.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To John McKonah

DATE		Pottawattimies	AMOUNT	
April	7	Authorized by Dept. Letter No. ..... dated		cts
		For one Pump		75

Lieut.-Capitaine 7/14

5 Feb 5-13

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

Thos. A. McCallum
Agent.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Andrew Isaac

DATE		Pottawattimes	AMOUNT	
April	7	Authorized by Dept. Letter No. ..... dated		
		For Groceries supplied for Susan Moses	$5	00

Due - April 27/19

512

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

Thos. A. McCallum
Agent.

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Pottawattemies of Walpole Island
Accounts for March Quarter 1914

Acct To Munroe + Gavitz for furnishings for Council Chamber. 2.62

To Wm Peters for pulling up High bank Scow. 1.33

The Planet for Ad. Tenders for new ferry Scows. .67

To Edward Jackson for repairing ferry Scow. 50

To Geo. Isaac for keeping Bulls + getting them a Wallaceburg. 1½ Cords Dry wood 14.50

To Andrew Isaac for Grocies supplied by him for Susan Moses. 5.00

To John Mokonah for pump. 75

$25.37

Moved by John Colwell and seconded by Levi White. that the above amount be paid.
Carried.

Council Chamber
April 6th 1914
Geo Isaac
Sec.

Joseph Sampson
Levi White
John Colwell

I hereby certify these accounts correct
Thos H McCallum Indian Agt

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Monroe & Bavitz

DATE		Pottawattemies	AMOUNT	
April	7	Authorized by Dept. Letter No. ..... dated		
		Monroe & Bavitz		
		furnishings for Council Chamber	2	62

Lett. April 27/.4

5-11

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

Thos. A. McCallum
Agent.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs, To Monroe & Gavitz Wallaceburg

DATE		Chippewas	AMOUNT	
April	7	Authorized by Dept. Letter No. ..... dated		
		Supplies for Council house	$ 7	85

Due-April 27/14

5-11-1047

GMC

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Thos S McCallum
Agent.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Peter Willis Walpole Isle

DATE			AMOUNT	
		Chippewas		
April	7	Authorized by Dept. Letter No. ..... dated		
		Repairing Ferry Leaves	$ ~~8~~	~~00~~
			6	00

Rec. April 27/.9

5-10 GMb

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

Thos. A. McCallum
Agent.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Sarnia General Hospital

DATE			AMOUNT	
		C. Chippewas		
April	7	Authorized by Dept. Letter No. ..... dated		
		Medical Attendance P.W. Thomas	$ 3	40

Sent - April 27/14

509

G.M.

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Thos. A. McCallum
Agent.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Chippewa & Simpson

DATE		Chippewas Walpole Isl	AMOUNT	
April	7	Authorized by Dept. Letter No. ..... dated		
		Coffin & Co	$31	25

508

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Wm E H McCallum
Agent.

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THE LARGEST STOCK OF FURNITURE IN WESTERN ONTARIO AT THE LOWEST PRICES. FI' 'SH AND QUALIT[redacted]E BEST

Parlor Cabinets
Parlor Tables
Odd Parlor Pieces
Parlor Suites
Sideboards
Buffets

BUSINESS PHONES 241. 74a

L. N. Phippen — THE BIG STORE — J. W. Simpson

Sarnia, Ont., Mar 28-1914 ..... *191*

*M*The Department of Indian Affairs

Re the burial of the late Peter Thomas

In Account with

Phippen & Simpson

FURNITURE DEALERS

FUNERAL DIRECTORS AND EMBALMERS

Interest Charged on Overdue Accounts

Extension Tables
Leather Diners
China Cabinets
Bedroom Suites
Springs & Mattresses
Kitchen Cabinets
Kitchen Furniture
Library Furniture
Den Furniture
Hall Furniture

UNDERTAKING PROMPTLY ATTENDED TO, DAY OR NIGHT. CHARGES MODERATE

RESIDENCES 74b, 385b, Night Calls

Mar 12	To Coffin and Box	18.00 5.00		
	" Embalming			$23.00 ✓
	" Robe			3.00 ✓
				2.50 ✓
				$28.50 ✓
	To Waggon two trips		2 00	
	" amt paid for E.R Ticket		75	2.75 ✓
				$31.25 ✓

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Edward Jackson

DATE		Chippewas Wheeler Inst	AMOUNT	
April	7	Authorized by Dept. Letter No. ..... dated		
		Repairing Lower Ferry	$1.	50

Sent April 27/14

5-07

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

Wm. A. McCallum
Agent.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Edward Jackson

DATE		Pollawattimes Walpole Isd	AMOUNT	
April		Authorized by Dept. Letter No. ..... dated		cts
		For repairing Ferry scow		50

5-07-200
Lull-Capric 27/19

SAG

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

Thos. A. McCallum
Agent.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To D. A. Brandon

DATE		~~Chippewas~~ Pott Walpole Isl	AMOUNT	
April	7	Authorized by Dept. Letter No. ..... dated		cts
		one dozen Slates School No 2		84

Cur. April 27/14

506

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Thos A McCallum

Agent.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Wm Peters

DATE			AMOUNT	
		Chippewas Wolfe Lake		
April	7	Authorized by Dept. Letter No. ..... dated		
		Hauling up Scow	$ ~~2~~	~~67~~
			3	75
		445490		
		Lew - April 27/19		
		505		

I Hereby Certify that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

Geo. A. McCallum
Agent.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Wm Peters

DATE		Pottawattemies Walpole Bld	AMOUNT	
April	7	Authorized by Dept. Letter No. ..... dated		
		For Pulling up High Bank Scow	$ ~~1~~	~~33~~
			1	25

Lwd - April 27/14

5-05 - 5.00

GM

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

Thos A McCallum
Agent.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Geo Isaac

DATE		Pottawattimes Walpole Isd	AMOUNT	
April	7	Authorized by Dept. Letter No. ..... dated		
		For keeping Bulls and getting them at Wallaceburg 1½ cords dry wood	$ ~~14~~	~~50~~
			13	75

Lwe. April 27/14

Sub

504

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

Thos. A. McCallum
Agent.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Geo Isaac

DATE			AMOUNT	
		Chippewas [illegible]		
April	7	Authorized by Dept. Letter No. ..... dated		
		Keeping Bulls bringing them from Wallaceburg ~~and one cord 1/2 dry wood~~	$ ~~43~~	~~50~~
			41	25

Cert. April 27/14

5-04 - 55-00

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

Thos A McCallum
Agent.

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ACCOUNTANTS BRANCH
APR 3 1914

Walpole Island
April 6th 1914

445490

Dear Sir:

The Chippewa Chief & Council has passed the following accounts for March quarter 1914 and request the payment thereon.

Munro & Zavitz	supplies for council Chamber	7.85
Sarnia General Hosp.	Med. att. on P. Thomas	3.40
Phippen & Simpson	Coffin &c for P. Thomas	31.25
Edward Jackson	repairing Lower Ferry	1.50
The Planet	advertizing for tenders for Scows	2.03
Percy Jacobs	wood for Chas Jacobs during Quarantine	13.00
H. W. Waddell	provisions " " "	103.95
Mrs Mary Ann Willis	Milk &c " " "	9.99
Peter Willis	Services " " "	177.00
Andrew Isaac	relief of Jos. Sword	10.00
A. D. Brander	1 Doz Slates for School	84
Peter Willis	repairing upper ferry Scow	6.00
William Peters	Hauling up " " "	3.67
Geo. Isaac	Keeping Bulls &c	43.50
		$413.98
John McKeewenah	pump for ferry	2.25
	Yours	$416.23

D. W. Osahgee
Secretary

I hereby certify these accounts to be correct

Thos H McCallum
Indian Agt

a/c 9 & 31

RECOMMENDED FOR PAYMENT
Accountant.
APPROVED,
D. S. G. of I. A.

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445,490

Ottawa, 27th April, 1914.

With Cheque

Sir,-

I beg to transmit herewith cheque No. 508 for $31.25 in payment of the account which you submitted from Messrs. Phippen & Simpson for the burial expenses of the late Peter Thomas. The fact, that payment of this account is made, is not to be regarded as a precedent, as in future the maximum amount allowed for coffins for adults will be $15.00 and for infants $7.00. If the undertaker exceeds these amounts in any case, he will have to look to the members of the deceased 's family for payment, in excess of the amounts above stated. You should notify the undertaker and the Indians generally to this effect.

I return herewith the account of $10.00 in favor of Andrew Isaac for relief supplies furnished Joseph Sward. The Department should receive an account from Isaac rendered in detail and in duplicate for all the articles which were supplied the Indian. You should be aware of the Department's requirements in this respect.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Thos. A. McCallum, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Walpole Island, Ont.

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No. 446870

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Department of Indian Affairs.

1914

May

Garden River

S.E.O. 1/4 Sec 17 } 1/2 Laird.
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Baird April 30th 1914

A. D. McNabb Esq
Indian Agent
Sault Ste Marie
Ont

Dear Sir:

I Being a resident of the Township of Baird for the past nineteen years, and having cleared most of lot being the South West quarter of Section 17, and not having any hardwood on my farm, and wishing to procure some for firewood. I herewith apply to, and through you for the South half of the North East quarter of Section K of the Township of Baird. East of Algoma. There is hardwood on this lot although the timber is small. The Pine and Hemlock has all been taken off. I am willing to pay 50¢ per acre for it.

Trusting to have an early reply

I am

Yours Respy

P. H. Schoales

Baird

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Laird April 30th 1914

H D McNabb Esq
Indian Agt
Sault Ste Marie
Ont

Dear Sir:

I have resided in the Township of Laird for the past fifteen years, on the West half of the South West quarter of Section F. There is a vacant lot adjoining my present farm. being, the West half of the South West quarter of Section F. There is evergreen scrub timber on this lot of no value. Part of this lot would make rough pasture land, and I wish to procure it for that purpose. Therefore I herewith apply to you for this lot, and am willing to pay as high as fifty cents per acre for it.

Hoping for a reply

I am

Yours truly

John Larocque Sr
Laird. P.O.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
MAY 2 1914

Sault Ste. Marie, Ont.,

April 30th 1914

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No.
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

Sir,—

446870

Enclosed please find two applications for Land in the Township of Laird , as those Lots are not on the list sent me to sell I take the liberty of forwarding them to you for your consideration,

Awaiting your reply,

I have the honor to be Sir,

Your obedient servant,

A D McHugh

Indian Agent,

J, D, Mc Lean Esq,

Asst, Deputy & Secretary,

Dept of Indiam Affairs,

Ottawa,

Ont,

LANDS BRANCH
MAY 2 1914

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446870.

Ottawa, May 4, 1914.

Sir -

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 30th ultimo, submitting two applications for land in the township of Laird, and in reply to say that only the lots which have been placed in your hands for sale in your agency can be disposed of.

I may say that the other lots not specified in the list sent you in the different townships of your agency are not at present in the market, as they are covered by timber licenses, and having been reported unfit for settlement are not saleable under settlement conditions and cannot be sold under section six.during the currency of the timber license.

Your obedient Servant,

W. A. Orr.

In Charge Lands & Timber Branch.

A. D. McNabb, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Sault Ste. Marie, Ont.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
MAR 5 1920
RECORDS

Sault Ste Marie, Ont,

March 3rd 19 20

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No.....
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

33702

Sir,—

I beg to say that John Lareque of the Township of Laird, the owner of the E½ S, E ¼ section lettered F in the said Township of Laird makes applicayion for the W½ of said Quarter sec section, He has 4 acres cleared and cultivated on this W½ of said ¼section,he has on his on Let . about 20 acres cleared Frnced and under Cultivation for the past 16 years,and he wants this ether Quarter section as it joins his own property,and by having the Whole Quarter section it will give him about 40 acres of Tillable land,

LANDS BRANCH
MAR 6 1920

I knew that at the time Mr Montgomery valuated the Lands in Laird Township that he told me that Mr Lareque should be allowed t to purchase this let,

Another reason for him wanting this let is that it gives him acces to the water on Lake George, at present he has to Pump water for his cattle and Horses.

Kindly let me knew at your earliest opportunity if he can have this Let.

I have the honor to be Sir,
Your obedient servant,

D D McHale
Indian Agent

J, D, Mc Leam Esq,
Asstn, Deputy Secretary,
Dept, of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa,
Ont,

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446,870.

Ottawa, March 8, 1920.

Sir,-

In reply to your letter of the 3rd instant, in regard to desire of John Laroque to purchase the W. ½ of the S. E. ¼ of sec. F, Laird, I beg to say that the S. E. ¼ of this section was sold many years ago

It is possible that you refer to the S. W. ¼ of this section, and if so, upon advising the matter will be given attention.

Your obedient Servant,

WAO

W. A. O.

In Charge Lands & Timber Branch.

A. D. McNabb, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Sault Ste. Marie, Ont.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
MAR 11 1920
RECORDS

Sault Ste Marie, Ont,

March 10th 1920.

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No.....
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

537343

Sir,—

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 8th Instant No 446870, in reference to land applied for b by John Laroque, I beg to saythat it is the west half of the South West quarter of Section F, in the Township of Laird that Mr Laroque wants, he is the owner of the East half of this quarter Section and when he made his application we must have made the error, hoping you will give this application your best considerati

I have the honor to be Sir,

Your obedient servant,

J D McLachlan

Indian Agent,

J, D, Mc Lean Esq,

Asst, Deputy & Secretary,

Dept, of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa,

Ont,

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446,870.

Ottawa, March 12, 1920.

Sir,-

In reply to your letter of the 10th instant, in regard to application of John Laroque for the W. ½ of the S. W. ¼ of sec. F, Laird, I beg to say that, as this land is situate within the limits of the timber license covering the unsold land in the township of Laird, the Department is not in a position to take action to sell the same until after the termination of the license, which takes place on the 30th of April next.

You will be good enough to renew the application after that date.

Your obedient Servant,

W. A. Orr

In Charge Lands & Timber Branch.

A. D. McNabb, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Sault Ste. Marie, Ont.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
MAY 2 1923
RECORDS

Sault Ste Marie, Ont,

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No.....
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

Maylist 1923 19

583642

Sir,—

I beg to advise that Mr John Laroque of the Twp of Laird in the District of Algoma has made application to me for the purchase of the W,½ of the S, W, ¼ Section F Laird. Mr Laroque owns the East half of this quarter Section ahd he has cleared and fenced on this portion he wants to purchase about 5 acres fully fenced with wire and have been cultivating it for a about 14 years,

I made an application for Mr Laroque for this piec of Land on the 10th of March 1920 , and received an answer from the late Mr Orr,on Mardh 12th 1920 File 446,870 stating that the License was to be cancelled on the 30th of april that year and as asking me to renew the application after that date.
I consider that this man is entitled to be allowed to purchase th this land, .When Mr Montgomery was putting a valuation on the unsold Lands in Laird he recommended that this certaim piece of Land be sold to Mr Laroque.

Hoping you will give this matter your very best consideration.

LANDS BRANCH
MAY 3 1923

I have the honor to be Sir,
Your obedient servant,

A D McNabb
Indian Agent,

J, D, Mc Lean Esq.
Asst, Deputy & Secretary,
Dept, of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa,
Ont,

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No.....
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

Sault Ste Marie, Ont.,

September 17th 1924

Sir,—

I beg to make application for John Laroque of the Township of Laird Farmer for the West half W½ of the South west Quarter S. W. ¼ of Section F in the Township of Laird.
Mr Laroque owns the East half of this Quarter Section and he has cleared about 5 Acres on the half he is applying for and has cropped it for the past 15 years.

I made application for this man for this Lot some 3 or 4 years ago and he was promised that as soon as the License was cancelled he would be sold the lot.
Mr Laroque is a good farmer and has good buildings on the E½ of this quarter section and he needs this to give him an outlet to the water.

Hoping you will grant the request .

I have the honor to be Sir,
Your obedient servant.

A D McTavish
Indian Agent.

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J, D, Mc Lean Esq,
Asst, Deputy & Secretary,
Dept, of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa,
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DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
OCT 25 1924
RECORDS

Ottawa, October 24th, 1924.

Sir:-

I have your letter of the 17th ultimo with reference to File 446,870 and particularly to the West 1/2 of the S. W. 1/4 of Section "F", in Laird Township.

We have had a diligent search made for the said file, but have been unsuccessful in locating it.

May I ask you to kindly forward copies of letters on your file relating to this half lot in order that we may be in a position to deal with Mr. Larocque's application.

Your obedient servant,

J. C. Caldwell
In Charge Land & Timber Branch.

A. D. McNabb, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Sault Ste. Marie,
Ontario.

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- C O P Y - F.446,870

Ottawa, March 8, 1920.

Sir:-

In reply to your letter of the 3rd instant in regard to desire of John Laroque to purchase the W. ½ of the S. E. 1/4 of Sec. F, Laird, I beg to say that the S. E. ¼ of this section was sold many years ago.

It is possible that you refer to the S.W. ¼ of this section, and if so, upon advising the matter will be given attention.

Your obedient servant,

W. A. Orr.
In Charge Lands & Timber Branch.

A. D. McNabb, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Sault Ste. Marie,
Ontario

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- C O P Y -

F. 446,870

Ottawa, March 12, 1920:

Sir,-

In reply to your letter of the 10th instant, in regard to application of John Laroque for the W. ½ of the S. W. ¼ of Sec. F, Laird, I beg to say that, as this land is situate within the limits of the timber license covering the unsold land in the township of Laird, the Department is not in a position to take action to sell the same until after the termination of the license, which takes place on the 30th of April next.

You will be good enough to renew the application after that date.

Your obedient servant,

W. A. Orr.
In Charge Lands & Timber Branch.

A. D. McNabb, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Sault Ste. Marie,
Ontario.

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DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
NOV 19 1924
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At Sault Ste Marie, Ont.

November 14th 19.24.

Sir;

In reply to your letter of Oct 24th /24 No 446,870 in reference to W½ of the S, W¼ Section F Laird. I beg to inclos the original letters received from the Late Mr Orr. Will you kindly return them .

You will see by the letter of the 12th of March 1920 that Mr Laroque was promised his application would be considered after the 30th of April in that year. Mr Laroqu should be allowed to purchase this lot as he has alread made considerable improvements on it.

Hoping you will give this matter your favorable consideration.

I have the honor to be Sir,
Your obedient servant.

A D McNabb
Indian Agent.

J, D, Mc Lean Esq.
Asst, Deputy & Secretary,
Dept, of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa,
Ont,

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File No. 446,870

Department of Indian Affairs

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Canada

Lands and Timber Branch

Ottawa, November 19th, 1924

Memo.

Deputy Superintendent General:-

Approved

Agent McNabb advises that Mr. John Laroque, Farmer, of Laird Township, has applied to purchase the West 1/2 of the S. W.1/4 of Section "F", Laird.

This half lot has not been disposed of and contains seventy-six acres valued at sixty-five (65¢) cents an acre, totaling forty-nine dollars and forty ($49.40) cents.

The applicant owns the East 1/2 of this quarter section and has had for a number of years five acres of the West half of the lot cropped.

The Agent is desirous that Mr. Laroque secures the land and I would recommend, subject to your approval, that the land be sold to the applicant for cash under Section Six of the Land Regulations.

Entered Sale 500

Officer in Charge.

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446,870

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Ottawa, November 24th, 1924.

Sir:-

I have your letter of the 14th instant with reference to Mr. John Laroque's application to purchase the West 1/2 of the S. W. 1/4 of Section "F" in Laird Township.

The Department has approved of your recommendation and this letter, therefore, is your authority to carry out a sale of him for cash under Section Six of the Land Regulations.

The area of this half lot is seventy-six (76) acres and valued at sixty-five (65¢) cents an acre makes a total purchased price of forty-nine dollars and forty ($49.40) cents.

Your obedient servant,

J. C. Caldwell
In Charge Land & Timber Branch.

A. D. McNabb, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Sault Ste. Marie,
Ontario.

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INDIAN OFFICE

At Sault Ste Marie, Ont,

December 2nd 19 24

Sale 5-00

Sir;

Inclosed please find Bank of Commerce Draft No32 for $49.60 from John Larocqu of the Township of Laird for the purchase of the w½ S, W½ Section F, Township of Laird 76 Acres @ 65 ¢ per Acre as per your letter of Nov 24th NO 446,870

I have the honor to be Sir,
Your obedient servant.

D D McKenzie

Indian Agent.

J, D, Mc Lean Esq,
Asst, Deputy & Secretary.
Dept, of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa,
Ont,

Entered Sale 5-00 Gordon River

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Received from A D McNabb

on account of Land Sale - Laird

the sum of Forty nine 40/100 dollars

which amount will appear at the RECEIVER GENERAL'S credit with this Bank.

Signed in Triplicate,

12 23 7105

Ent'd. L. L. Davy

H H Macarthur

Pro. Manager.

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EXTRACT.
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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
MAY 9 1914

Indian Agent's Office, Brantford,

April 30th, 1914.

Sir,-

I beg to enclose the Minutes of Council held on the 7th of April and subsequent dates and to report thereon as follows:-

x x x

No. 23.

The Council decided that Philip Miller shall pay Catherine Johnson $20.00 before he sows on the seven acres he has plowed on her farm. This is in satisfaction of a debt owing Catherine Johnson. I beg to recommend your approval of this decision.

x x x

Gordon J. Smith.

Supt.

The Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa.

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Ohsweken Council House,

April 14th,1914.

The adjourned Council of the Six Nations opened in due form by Chief David John one of the Fire Keepers.

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No.23.

Philip Miller shall pay Catherine Johnson.

The Council decided that Philip Miller shall pay Catherine Johnson $20.00 before he shall be allowed to sow on the seven acres he has ploughed on the farm she purchased from George Aaron a portion of the north half of lot No. 19, Con. 2, Tus., 15 acres.

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I herebt certify that the above is a true copy from my Minute Book.

Joshia Hill,

Secy S.N.C.

Read and approved,

J. S. Johnson,

Deputy Speaker,S.N.C.

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447,276.

Ottawa, May 12, 1914.

Sir,-

Replying to the portion of your letter of the 30th ultimo, dealing with resolution No. 23 of the Six Nations Council, as to payment by Philip Miller to Catherine Johnson, I beg to say that the action of the Council meets with approval.

Your obedient Servant,

D. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Gordon J. Smith, Esq.,
Indian Superintendent,
Brantford, Ont.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
MAY 14 1914

Indian Office, Brantford,
May 13th., 1914.

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Sir,-

I beg to advise you that since writing you on the 30th ultimo regarding ~~a~~ resolution No. 23 of the Six Nations council as to payment by Philip Miller to Catherine Johnson , I have received further information in regard to the matter. It appears that these two parties ~~xk~~ have been living together for a number of years ~~xxx~~ as husband and wife. The land in question belong to Mrs. Johnson and while theyx were still living together she leased it to Miller upon the usual Share division. Miller went on with his fall plowing and during the winter trouble arose and they separated. She now claims money rent payable in advance instead of on shares and that is the amount provided for by the council's decision. From the information I have received I am of opinion that Miller should be permitted to seed the land subject to a settlement of their differences at a future time, or else the original agreement between the parties should be carried out, in any event it ~~appear~~ appears unreasonable that Miller should loose the benefit of his fall plowing.

LANDS BRANCH
MAY 16 1914

Your obedient Servant,

Supt.

The Secretary-
Dept. of Indian Affairs-
Ottawa.

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447,733-1	KENORA AGENCY - APPLICATION OF GREATER WINNIPEG WATER SUPPLY TO PURCHASE GRAVEL AND SAND AND TO BE GIVEN PERMISSION TO ERECT BUILDINGS ON THE SHOAL LAKE RESERVE NO. 40 (PLANS, BLUEPRINTS, SURRENDER)	1913-1919
447,733-1A	KENORA AGENCY - THE GREATER WINNIPEG WATER SUPPLY PURCHASING THIRTY-TWO ACRES OF LAND ON THE SHOAL LAKE RESERVE NO. 40 (BLUEPRINTS)	1919-1937
448,157	TEMISCAMINGUE AGENCY - SURRENDER AND SALE OF LOT 32, QUINZE RIVER FRONT, TEMISCAMINGUE RESERVE. AGREEMENT OF SALE BETWEEN THOMAS McBRIDE AND J.O. DUPUIS	1914-1931
449,628-1	CAUGHNAWAGA AGENCY - CORRESPONDENCE REGARDING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A RESIDENCE FOR THE SISTERS WHO ARE TO BE IN CHARGE OF THE CAUGHNAWAGA SCHOOLS (PLANS)	1897-1917

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Ottawa, Oct. 23, 1913.

Theo. A. Hunt, Esq.,

Winnipeg, Man.

Permission hereby given to enter upon Indian Reserve Num
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Ottawa, Oct. 27, 1913.

Sir,

I beg to say the Greater Winnipeg Water District Commission has made application through Theo. A. Hunt, Solicitor of Winnipeg, for permission to erect a camp and to do survey work on Indian Reserve No. 40 at Indian Bay on Shoal Lake, close to the mouth of Falcon River and in reply the following telegram has been sent Mr. Hunt:-

"Permission hereby given to enter upon Indian "Reserve Number Forty Shoal Lake for necessary survey "Winnipeg Water Supply all consequent damage to be paid "for at Department's valuation."

I beg to say this survey appears to be in connection with the supply of water for the city of Winnipeg which they propose to bring from Shoal Lake.

Your obedient servant,

Asst. S Stewart

Assistant Secretary.

R. S. McKenzie, Esq.,

Indian Agent,

Kenora, Ont.

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October 28, 1913.

Memorandum,-

Hon. Dr. Roche.

With reference to letter of the Hon. Mr. Rogers, dated the 25th instant, herewith returned, and its inclosure from Mr. Hunt, I have pleasure in stating that on the 23rd instant we gave permission by wire to the Winnipeg Water Supply Company to enter upon Indian Reserve No. 40, Shoal Lake, to do preliminary survey work.

Deputy Superintendent General.

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Ottawa, November 5, 1913.

My dear Sir,-

In reply to your letter of the 30th ultimo I have to inform you that on the 23rd of October the Deputy Superintendent General of Indian Affairs wired to Mr. Theo. A. Hunt, Solicitor for the Greater Winnipeg Water District, giving permission for the surveyors to enter upon Indian reserve No. 40, Shoal Lake, for the necessary survey of the Winnipeg Water Supply stations, all consequent damages to be paid for at the Department's valuation. I have pleasure in confirming this permission and granting the Board power to use and occupy part of the reserve for camp buildings and yards. As is usual in such cases, it is understood that compensation will be made for damages and for the occupancy of the site of the buildings, if the reserve is to be used for a long period.

With kind regards,

Yours faithfully,

Thos. R. Deacon, Esq.,
Mayor & Chairman, Winnipeg,
Winnipeg, Man.

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November 5, 1913.

Memorandum,-

Hon. Dr. Roche. H.A.D.

With reference to the attached letter from the Mayor of Winnipeg, I beg to report that I sent the following telegram on the 23rd ultimo : -

" Permission hereby given to enter upon
" Indian reserve Number Forty Shoal Lake for necessary
" survey Winnipeg Water Supply all consequent damage to
" be paid for at Department's valuation. "

I attach herewith a letter for your signature, which may be forwarded if you think it advisable.

Duncan C. Scott

Deputy Superintendent General.

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INDIAN AGENTS OFFICE. KENORA. ONT:-

No.132-9:-

November. 29th. 1913:-

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Sir:-

I beg leave to inform you that Mr. A. E. Allison.Contractor of Winnipeg, has just called on me, regarding the building of the Greater Winnipeg Water works Buildings at Shoal Lake?

Mr Allison informs me that he has the contract for this work, and he will require a large quantity of sand and gravel in his business. and as there is an unlimited quantity on reserve No. 40. he is desirious of having the privelage of taking what he will be in need off, for use in his operations,

He has already got the Consent of Chief Redsky and Band to do so. provided you will approve of this, He has already paid the Band some $30.00. on account as a Royalty. and agrees to pay them the sum of 3¢ per cubic yard pit measurment. for all he requires.

I will be pleased to have your views on this matter, and if he will require a license to do so or not, .as this sand and gravel is of no benifit to the Indians, and will not do any harm to the reserve. should it meet with your approval. I would beg leave to recommend that he be given the privelage asked for, a reply will obluge, as Mr Allison' is anxious to start operations, and has all his material on the ground, for the winters work.

I have the honour to be

Sir

Your obedient servant.-

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R. S. MacKenzie

Indian Agent.-

The Secretary:-

Dept of Indian Affairs.

Ottawa. Ont:-

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447,733.

Ottawa, December 5, 1913.

E.A.D.

Sir,-

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 29th ultimo, in regard to application of Mr. A. E. Allison to obtain sand and gravel from Indian reserve No. 40, and in reply to say that no disposition of sand or gravel on a reserve can be made without surrender by the Indians, and in view of the fact that this reserve has not been confirmed as such by the Ontario Government. the Department is not in a position to take any action in the matter.

Your obedient Servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

R. S. McKenzie, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Kenora, Ont

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December 13th, 1913.

MEMORANDUM -

The Hon. Dr. Roche -

With reference to the purchase of gravel and sand on the Shoal Lake Reserve, No. 40, by Mr. Andrew E. Allison, who has the contract for the greater Winnipeg Water Works Buildingsat Shoal Lake, I beg to say that this matter was brought before the Department on the 2nd instant by the Indian Agent, who was instructed that no disposition of the sand and gravel could be made without a surrender, as the Reserve had not been confirmed by the Ontario Government, the Department was not in a position to take action. However, in view of the settlement that has been agreed upon between the Dominion and the Provincial Governments which embraces this particular Reserve, action will be taken at once to obtain a surrender.

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F. 447,733.

(Draft)

Know all Men by these Presents

THAT WE, the undersigned Chief and Principal men of

The Shoal Lake Band of Indians

resident on our Reserve No. 40, on the shore of Shoal Lake,

of Ontario, _____ in the Province and Dominion of Canada, for and acting on behalf of the whole people of our said Band in Council assembled, Do hereby release, remise, surrender, quit claim and yield up unto OUR SOVEREIGN LORD THE KING, his Heirs and Successors forever, ALL AND SINGULAR, ~~that certain parcel or tract of land and premises, situate, lying and being in the in the County of and Province of containing by admeasurement~~

~~be the same more or less and being composed of~~

the sand and gravel on Indian Reserve No. 40

Form No. 65.

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TO HAVE AND TO HOLD the same unto His said Majesty THE KING, his Heirs and Successors forever, in trust to sell

the same to such person or persons, and upon such terms as the Government of the Dominion of Canada may deem most conducive to our welfare and that of our people.

AND upon the further condition that all moneys received from the sale thereof, shall, ~~after deducting the amount appropriated for expenses of management~~, be placed to our credit and interest thereon paid to us, in the usual way.

AND WE, the said Chief and Principal men of the said

TheShoal Lake Band of Indians do on behalf of our people and for ourselves, hereby ratify and confirm, and promise to ratify and confirm, whatever the said Government may do, or cause to be lawfully done, in connection with the sale of the said sand and gravel and the disposition of the moneys derived therefrom.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands and affixed our seals this day of
in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and

Signed, Sealed and Delivered,
IN THE PRESENCE OF

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447,333.

Ottawa, December 15, 1913.

Sir,-

I beg to inclose form of surrender, in duplicate, covering the sand and gravel on Indian Reserve No. 40 which you are hereby authorized to submit to the Shoal Lake Band of Indians under and in accordance with the provisions of the Indian Act. Notice of meeting for the purpose of considering the surrender should be given in accordance with the rules of the Band, and you should make sure that all voting members of the Band receive notice.

If the surrender is assented to, you should fill in the date in each document and have same signed by a number of the Indians in your presence, and an affidavit of execution should be made on the forms attached by yourself and the Chief and a Principal Man. before a stipendiary magistrate or a justice of the peace.

When returning surrender, you will be good enough to advise as to the exact number of voting male members of the Band over the age of twenty-one years, residing on or near the reserve, the number present at the meeting, the number voting for the surrender and the number voting against

As regards the royalty to be paid on the sand or gravel, you will be good enough to advise as to whether you consider three cents per cubic yard sufficient, as the Department considers that this is a low rate.

Your obedient Servant,

Duncan C. Scott

Deputy Superintendent General
of Indian Affairs.

R. S. McKenzie, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Kenora, Ont.

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DEC 20 1913

601 Spence St., Winnipeg,

15th December, 1913.

The Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, Ont.

451598

Sir,-

I find it necessary to obtain sand and gravel building purposes on a point on Indian Bay in the Province of Manitoba on or near the intake of the Winnipeg Water Works. This I understand is in that part of Indian Reserve No. 40 which lies inside the Boundary of Manitoba. In order to obtain this it will be necessary for a surrender to be taken from the Indians and I would ask the Department to do so under conditions favourable to the Indians. All I want is a lease of the sand bar and gravel ridge on the basis of a royalty per yard and any reasonable conditions that the Department would wish to impose will be satisfactory to me. I would be glad if action is taken in this matter at earliest possible convenience as I have to get to work at whatever point the sand is obtainable. Again I wish to point out that while that Reserve is partly in Manitoba and partly in Ontario the place ~~xx~~ I wish to operate is inside Manitoba about three (3) miles. I ran the line lately myself and it is very distinct.

Yours sincerely,

A. E. Allison

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447,733.

Ottawa, December 23, 1913.

Sir,-

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 15th instant, in regard to obtaining sand and gravel from Indian reserve No. 40, and in reply to say that the local Indian agent at Kenora has been instructed to submit a surrender of this sand and gravel to the Indians, as required by the provisions of the Indian Act, to enable disposition thereof to be made in their interest.

Your obedient Servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

A. E. Wilson, Esq.,
601 Spence Street,
Winnipeg, Man.

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CECILIA JEFFREY
BOARDING SCHOOL.

Dec. 7, 1913

H. S. McKenzie, Esq.
Indian Agent,
Kenora, Ont.

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Dear Sir:—

Mr. McLean, who is in charge of the survey camps at the head of Indian Bay in connection with the Greater Winnipeg Water works, wishes to get some wood cut on the reserve for the use of the camps. I write to ask you if they ~~will~~ can get permission to cut some green wood, or if the Indians will be allowed to cut it for them, on the reserve where their camps is situated, And if so, upon what terms? ~~How~~ much per cord and what amount, if any, would go to the Department,

Has the Greater Winnipeg Water Commission made any arrangement about occupying any part of the reserve or about taking sand, gravel or timber from it, We look to you to care for the interests of the Indians in this matter,

Yours truly
Red Sky
Chief, Band No. 40

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
DEC 22 1913

INDIAN AGENTS OFFICE. KENORA. ONT:-

No.132-9:- December. 19th. 1913:-

451696

Sir:-

The enclosed letter from Chief Red Sky. Band NO.40. although apparently written on the 9th Instant, only reached me on the 17th. This letter speaks for it self,

I may say that on receipt of the letter in question, I at once wrote the chief, As per instructions contained in your Letter of Oct' 27th. 1913. No.447,733. as follows,

Permission is hereby given to enter upon Indian Reserve Number Forty Shoal Lake for necessary survey,"Winnipeg Water Supply, all consequent damage to be paid for at Department's valuation."

I further told him that no green timber could be cut under any circumstances. But that if he and the Indians wished to take out a quantity of Cord-wood, from dead and fallen timber, that I had no doubt but the Department would give them a permit to do so. by paying Crown Dues. but that no sand or gravel could be sold in the manner they had arranged to do so, with Mr. A. E. Allison.and that until permission was obtained from the Department, they were not to allow any such to be removed. I trust this will be found satisfactory. A reply will oblige.

I have the honour to be

Sir

Your obedient servant.

R. S. McKenzie

Indian Agent.

The Secretary:-

Dept of Indian Affairs.-

Ottawa. Ont:-

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MINISTER OF INDIAN AFFAIRS DEC 23 1913

INDIAN AGENTS OFFICE. KENORA. ONT:-

No.132-9:- December. 20th. 1913:-

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS, DEC 26 1913 SURVEYS.

IXH 451721

Sir.-

.In reply to your letter of the 15th. inst. No.447,333.- Re the surrender of sand and gravel on reserve No. 40. by the Band. which I received yesterday.

I beg leave to point out that it will cost quite an amount to make the trip out to Shoal Lake at present. besides having to bring in the Chief and one Councillor. to declare to the surrender , if they will decide to give the same.

I have there-fore written to the Chief asking him if they are all agreeable to sign the surrender, and if so that I will go out and have the same taken. when I receive his reply will be in a better position to know just what to do,

At the present time. the ice is not in a state to drive out. and should I have to go just now, the only way I could get there, would be to go to Ingolf. and walk in from there a distance of 20 miles, but just as soon as I find out what the Indians are willing to do, will let you know,

As to the price 3¢ per cubic yard pit measurment, I am of the openion it is rather low. but if the Indians get the work of taking it out, they could make a good living by so doing, will give you a more definate reply, when I find out all particulars.

LANDS BRANCH DEC 24 1913

I have the honour to be

Sir

Your obedient servant.

Duncan C. Scott. Esq:-

Deputy Superintendent General.-

Dept of Indian Affairs.-

Ottawa.-

R. S. MacKenzie

Indian Agent.

Indian Affairs. (RG 10, Volume 3178, File 447,733-1)

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CANADA

447,733.

Ottawa, Jan. 13, 1914.

Sir,

In reply to your letter of the 7th instant, I beg to state that the boundaries of the Indian Reserves Nos. 39 and 40, adjacent to Shoal Lake were retraced in 1911-12 by J. W. FitzGerald, O.L.S. Mr. FitzGerald was not instructed and did not make any re-survey of the edge of the water, he simply retraced the straight boundaries. A copy of his plan will be prepared and forwarded to you.

S.B.

Your obedient servant,

Asst Deputy and Secretary.

The Chief Engineer,

Greater Winnipeg Water District,

Winnipeg, Man.

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CANADA

January 13th, 1914.

MEMORANDUM -

Hon. Dr. Roche -

With regard to communication from Mr. Reynolds, Chairman of the Commissioners of the Greater Winnipeg Water District, I beg to say that it was represented to the Department that Mr. A. E. Allison had the contract for the buildings to be erected by the Commissioners at Shoal Lake and that he had already made an advance payment to the Indians on account of royalty.

A general surrender has been submitted to the Indians in the usual way and I shall make a note of Mr. Reynold's statements and when the time comes will see that none of the sand and gravel is disposed of to Mr. Allison, without further consideration.

Deputy Superintendent General.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS CANADA

OFFICE OF THE DEPUTY SUPERINTENDENT GENERAL
OTTAWA

January 15th, 1914.

Mr. Orr

Re - application of Mr. A. E. Allison for
Sand and Gravel, Shoal Lake Reserve.

Please note that no ~~further~~ concessions should be given to Mr. A. E. Allison without further consideration.

Duncan Campbell Scott

D. S. G. I. A.

INDIAN BRANCH JAN 15 1914

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CANADA

Shoal Lake.- January· 7th. 1914:-

Report of a Council Meeting held at Shoal Lake on above date, of the Shoal Lake Band No.40. before Indian Agent R. S. McKenzie. and Record of all Voting Members, of said band over 21 Years, for the purpose of surendring there rights to all the sand and gravel on said reserve, to The Department·

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" 15.	Red Sky. (Chief.)	1	-	-
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" 18.	Pas-qua-quan-dep.	1	-	-
" 19.	Pa-nee-see.	-	-	1
" 20.	Sac-ket-chee-way-ca-bow.	1	-	-
" 22.	Na-mit-che-way-pe-tung.	1	-	-
" 28.	Nah-tah-a-cap-po·	1	-	-
" 30.	Sha-put-che-wa-pe-tung.	1	-	-
" 31.	Alfred Fair.	✓	-	1
" 33.	Isaac Kabastraw.	-	-	1
" 34.	John Kabastraw.	-	-	1
" 35.	Wm Sinclair.	-	-	1
" 39.	Kee-way-tee-no-wininie.	1	-	-
" 40.	Ka-wing-nay-we-tung.	-	-	1
" 41.	George Chee-na.	-	-	1
" 43.	Edward Red Sky.	1	-	-
" 47.	Thos. Ogee-maw-pe-tung.	1	-	-
" 49.	Ka-kah-pay-qua-je-queb.	1	-	---
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There is only 21 voting members in this band. the result is as above, Chief Redsky. and Councillor informs me that all the absentees. if present would vote for. as they had spoken to them about this matter. and had a satisfactory reply.

R. S. McKenzie

Indian Agent.

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CANADA

447,333

453497

INDIAN AGENTS OFFICE. KENORA. ONT:-

No.132-9.- January. 14th. 1914:-

Sir.-

Referring to your letter of No.447,333, December. 15. 1913: Re the surrender by Shoal Lake Band No.40. of sand and gravel on their reserve, to the Department.-

I beg to say that on the 7th Instant. I went out to Shoal Lake. Arriving there at 2.45. P. M. seen the Chief. and he went out and notified the Indians to attend a council meeting that evening. at 8. P. M. which they did, the result is shown on the list attached to the surrender. which is forwarded here with, I am only returning you one copy. as I wish to hold one in this office. I trust that will be in order. and that I have got the Surrender properly made out, I was obliged to have the chief come in here to Declair to the documents, and had to pay his passage to and from Ingolf. and here.

I may add that I have suceeded in getting Mr Allison, to agree to pay the sum of 5¢ per cubic yard pit measure. and he is prepared to give the Department. a bond satisfactory to the Department.for the promt payment of all money due, as soon as measured. He has further agreed to give all Indians wanting to work, employment,which will be a great benifit to them,

If the foregoing is approved by you, I would recommend that Mr Alleson be given the sand and gravel, as I think 5¢ per yard a very good price. and it would be better this way than to have several parties working there in small lots. which would only result in trouble, every way. I trust this will be found satisfae ctory. and I will be pleased to hear from you on this subject.

I have the honour to be

Sir

Your obedient servant.

The Secretary:-

Dept of Indian Affairs.-

Ottawa.Ont:-

R. S. McKenzie

Indian Agent.

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CANADA

447,733.

Ottawa, January 23, 1914.

Sir,-

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 14th instant, inclosing surrender by the Shoal Lake Band of sand and gravel on their reserve, and in connection therewith beg to say that it will be necessary to forward the duplicate copy of this surrender to the Department, as the same is required for filing in the office of the Privy Council.

Your obedient Servant,

WAD

(sgd) W. A. Orr.

In Charge Lands & Timber Branch.

R. S. McKenzie, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Kenora, Ont.

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INDIAN AGENTS OFFICE. KENORA. ONT:-

No.132-9:- January. 21st. 1914:-

453898

Sir:-

With further refrence to the surrender of the Gravel & sand on Reserve No.40. Shoal Lake. I beg to inform you that the greater part of the operations of the Greater Winipeg Water supply, Will be on reserve No.40. and they are asking me as well as Mr Allison who is the Contractor. for permission to erect what buildings they require at that point. so they can have them insured, Which cannot be done without. Permission from the Department.

I would recommend that they be given this authority, as it is sure they will have to get it in time. and delay will put them to considerable expens. and further I am of openion it will be quite a benifit to the Indians.

I trust you will take this matter into your consideration and grant the authority asked fro, I will be pleased to receive your decission on this case.

I have the honour to be

Sir

Your obedient servant.

LANDS BRANCH JAN 26 1914

R. S. McKenzie

Indian Agent.

The Secretary:-

Dept of Indian Affairs:-

Ottawa. Ont.-

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447,733.

D.X.H

Ottawa, January 26, 1914.

Sir,-

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 21st instant, No. 132-9, in connection with application of the Greater Winnipeg Water supply to be given permission to erect buildings on Indian Reserve 40 A, and in reply to say that full information in connection with this application should be furnished the Department.
You should advise as to the area of land desired for erection of buildings, the nature of the buildings to be erected, and the time for which the permission is desired.
I may say, however, that pending acceptance of surrender which has been granted, the Department is not disposed to grant the permission asked for, and in any case permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Department could be granted without surrender of the land required for buildings.

Your obedient Servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

R. S. McKenzie, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Kenora Ont.

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CANADA

F. 447,733.

(Duplicate)

Know all Men by these Presents

THAT WE, the undersigned Chief and Principal men of

The Shoal Lake Band of Indians

resident on our Reserve No. 40, on the shore of Shoal Lake,

in the Province of Ontario and Dominion of Canada, for and acting on behalf of the whole people of our said Band in Council assembled, Do hereby release, remise, surrender, quit claim and yield up unto OUR SOVEREIGN LORD THE KING, his Heirs and Successors forever, ALL AND SINGULAR, ~~that certain parcel or tract of land and premises, situate, lying and being in the in the County of and Province of containing by admeasurement be the same more or less and being composed of~~

the sand and gravel on Indian Reserve No. 40

Form No. 65.

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CANADA

TO HAVE AND TO HOLD the same unto His said Majesty THE KING, his Heirs and Successors forever, in trust to sell

the same to such person or persons, and upon such terms as the Government of the Dominion of Canada may deem most conducive to our welfare and that of our people.

AND upon the further condition that all moneys received from the sale thereof, shall, ~~after deducting the usual proportion for expenses of management,~~ be placed to our credit and interest thereon paid to us, in the usual way

AND WE, the said Chief and Principal men of the said

The Shoal Lake Band of Indians do on behalf of our people and for ourselves, hereby ratify and confirm, and promise to ratify and confirm, whatever the said Government may do, or cause to be lawfully done, in connection with the sale of the said sand and gravel and the disposition of the moneys derived therefrom.

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CANADA

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands and affixed our seals this seventh day of January in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.

Signed, Sealed and Delivered,
IN THE PRESENCE OF

R S MacKenzie
Indian Agent.

F. E. Dodds

A. Hansen
Constable

Chief Red Sky his X mark

Councillor Osha saw awop his X mark

Councillor Sae Ket-chee way ca pow. his X mark

Noh tah a cap po. his X mark

Na, mit-che way pe tung his X mark

Pas gwa gwon dep. his X mark

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Edward Red Sky his X mark

Thomas Oge maw pe tung his X mark

Ka Kah pay gwa je gueb. his X mark

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DOMINION OF CANADA,

Province of Ontario

County of

To Wit:

Personally appeared before me,

R. S. MacKenzie of Indian Agent-

the Town of Kenora

in the Province of Ontario.

and "Chief Red Sky."

Chief of the said Band of Indians.

AND the said R. S. MacKenzie for himself saith :—

That the annexed release or surrender was assented to by a majority of the male members of the said Band of Indians of the Indian Reserve No. 40 of the full age of twenty-one years then present.

That such assent was given at a meeting or council of the said Band summoned for that purpose and according to its Rules.

That he was present at such meeting or council and heard such assent given.

That he was duly authorized to attend such council or meeting by the Superintendent General of Indian affairs.

That no Indian was present or voted at said council or meeting who was not a member of the Band or interested in the land mentioned in the said Release or Surrender.

And the said Chief Red Sky. says :

That the annexed Release or Surrender was assented to by him and a majority of the male members of the said Band of Indians of the full age of twenty-one years then present.

That such assent was given at a meeting or council of the said Band of Indians summoned for that purpose, according to its Rules, and held in the presence of the said Chief Red Sky. & R. S. MacKenzie

That no Indian was present or voted at such council or meeting who was not an habitual resident on the Reserve of the said Band of Indians or interested in the land mentioned in the said Release or Surrender.

That he is a Chief of the said Band of Indians and entitled to vote at the said meeting or council.

SWORN before me by the Deponents at the Town of Kenora in the ~~County~~ Province of Ontario this 12th day of January A.D., 1914.

R. S. MacKenzie

Red Sky, his X mark

C. W. Belyea J.P.

For the District of Kenora.

Form No. 66.

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CANADA

Dated 1913.

THE SHOAL LAKE
BAND OF INDIANS

-to-

THE KING.

S U R R E N D E R

-of-

Sand and gravel on
Indian Reserve No. 40.

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(Original)

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Form No. 65.

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the same to such person or persons, and upon such terms as the Government of the Dominion of Canada may deem most conducive to our welfare and that of our people.

AND upon the further condition that all moneys received from the sale thereof, shall, ~~after deducting the usual proportion for expenses of management~~, be placed to our credit and interest thereon paid to us, in the usual way.

AND WE, the said Chief and Principal men of the said

The Shoal Lake Band of Indians do on behalf of our people and for ourselves, hereby ratify and confirm, and promise to ratify and confirm, whatever the said Government may do, or cause to be lawfully done, in connection with the sale of the said sand and gravel and the disposition of the moneys derived therefrom.

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CANADA

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands and affixed our seals this Seventh day of January. in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.

Signed, Sealed and Delivered,

IN THE PRESENCE OF

R. S. McKenzie
Indian agent

F. T. Dodds

H. Hansen
Constable

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DOMINION OF CANADA,

Province of Ontario

County of

To Wit:

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Chief of the said Band of Indians.

AND the said R S McKenzie for himself saith :—

That the annexed release or surrender was assented to by a majority of the male members of the said Band of Indians of the Indian Reserve No. 40 of the full age of twenty-one years then present.

That such assent was given at a meeting or council of the said Band summoned for that purpose and according to its rules.

That he was present at such meeting or council and heard such assent given.

That he was duly authorized to attend such council or meeting by the Superintendent General of Indian Affairs.

That no Indian was present or voted at said council or meeting who was not a member of the Band or interested in the land mentioned in the said Release or Surrender.

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SWORN before me by the Deponents at the Town of Kenora in the Province of Ontario this 12th day of January. A.D., 1914.

R. S. McKenzie.

Red Sky. his X mark

Form No. 66.

C. W. Belyea J.P.

For the District of Kenora.

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Dated 1913.

THE SHOAL LAKE
BAND OF INDIANS

-to-

THE KING

S U R R E N D E R

-of-

Sand and gravel on
Indian Reserve No. 40.

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454168

Shoal Lake.- January 7th. 1914:-

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R. S. McKenzie

Indian Agent

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INDIAN AGENTS OFFICE. KENORA. ONT:-

No·132-9:-

January· 26th. 1914:-

454168

Sir:-

I beg to acknpwledge the receipt of your letter of the 23rd. Instant· No.447,733· Re the surrender by the Shoal Lake Band of sand and gravel on their reserve,

And as requested I am now enclosing you the Duplicate Copy of surrender, and trust this will be found in order.

I have the honour to be

Sir

Ypur obedient servant

R. S. McKenzie

Indian Agt

The Secretary:-

Dept of Indian Affairs:-

Ottawa. Ont·

LANDS BRANCH JAN 29 1914

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CANADA

February 3, 1914.

Sir,-

In connection with permission given your Company to erect a camp and do survey work on Indian Reserve No. 40, at Indian Bay, on Shoal Lake, I have to request that you will kindly advise the Department fully as to your plans in connection with carrying on operations on this reserve, as you are aware no rights can be granted without the consent of the Indians.

If your plans are sufficiently developed, the Department would be pleased to be furnished with full information as to proposed erection of buildings, the nature thereof and the time for which permission to use the land for buildings would be desired. It might also be stated what would be the probable estimated quantity of sand or gravel which the Company would require to take out.

I might point out that a surrender of the sand and gravel on this reserve has been granted by the Indians, which the Department would be able to dispose of for their benefit.

Yours very truly,

Duncan C. Scott

Deputy Superintendent General.

S. H. Reynolds, Esq.,
Chairman,
Commissioners Greater Winnipeg
Water District,
Winnipeg, Man

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COMMISSIONERS
S.H. REYNOLDS C.E. CHAIRMAN
J.H. ASHDOWN

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
FEB 12 1914

GREATER WINNIPEG WATER DISTRICT

OFFICE OF THE

COMMISSIONERS

Our File No. 37. **WINNIPEG** 9th Feby. 1914.

Duncan E. Scott, Esq.,
Deputy Superintendent General,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

455132

Dear Sir:-

I have your letter of the 3rd. inst., re. our occupancy of a portion of Indian Reserve No. 40 at Indian Bay, Shoal Lake. I beg to advise you that our plans are not yet sufficiently developed to submit to the Department the information you require. There is a vast amount of engineering work required in locating our aqueduct, which leads from Indian Bay, such as testing the ground for depths of rock and so forth.

The choosing of the best location is not at all an easy matter, but this work is nearing completion and we hope to have, within a short time all the data to complete our plans. We shall then be in a position to indicate to your Department just actually what our desires are.

LANDS BRANCH
FEB12 1914

I note that a surrender of the sand and gravel on the Reserve has been granted by the Indians. I wrote the Hon. Dr. Roche on this subject on the 8th January, and received a reply from him in reference to this matter dated 19th January in which it is evident that he had taken the matter up with you. We, therefore, trust that the Department will not permit this matter of the sale of the gravel to parties other than ourselves to go any further until such time as we have had an opportunity to submit to you just what it is the District requires, which will be done at the earliest possible moment.

Yours very truly,

S H Reynolds

SHR.JB. CHAIRMAN OF COMMISSIONERS.

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CANADA

447,733.

Ottawa, February 13, 1914.

Sir,-

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 9th instant, in regard to disposition of sand and gravel on the Indian Reserve No. 40, at Indian Bay, Shoal Lake, and in reply to say that the Department will be pleased to meet your wishes in this matter, and make no disposition of this sand or gravel until your proposition has been submitted.

Your obedient Servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

S. H. Reynolds, Esq., C.E.,
Greater Winnipeg Water District,
Winnipeg, Man.

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Winnipeg Man Feb 14th 14

Duncan Scott,

Deputy Sup Gen. Indan Affairs,

Ottaw Ont. 455320

Re your letter third to Mr. Reynolds will you kindly reserve all the gravel on Indian~~xxxxxxxxxx xxxxxx~~ reserve forty shoal Lake, as we will require it all and still be short This implements Mr. Reynolds letter of nineth I will be in Ottawa about end of month and explain matter fully

T R Deacon

635pm

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GREATER WINNIPEG WATER DISTRICT

OFFICE OF THE

COMMISSIONERS

File No. 37. **WINNIPEG** 16th Feby. 1914.

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DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,
FEB 20 1914
SURVEYS

J. D. McLean, Esq.,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

453378

Dear Sir:-

I have your letter of the 13th inst., your file No. 447,733, in which you state you will be pleased to meet our wishes in the matter of sand and gravel on Indian Reserve No. 40, Indian Bay, Shoal Lake. We wish to thank you for the attention you have given this matter.

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
FEB 20 1914
SURVEYS.

I expect that Mayor Deacon, who is Chairman of the Administration Board of the Greater Winnipeg Water District will be in Ottawa between now and the first of next month and will personally explain to you our position and furnish you with information which will indicate to you just what our desires are in this respect.

LANDS BRANCH
FEB 20 1914

In the meantime I remain,

Yours truly,

J K Russell

SHR.JB. CHAIRMAN OF COMMISSIONERS.

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LAKE OF THE WOODS SHEET

EAST OF PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN

Sectional Map

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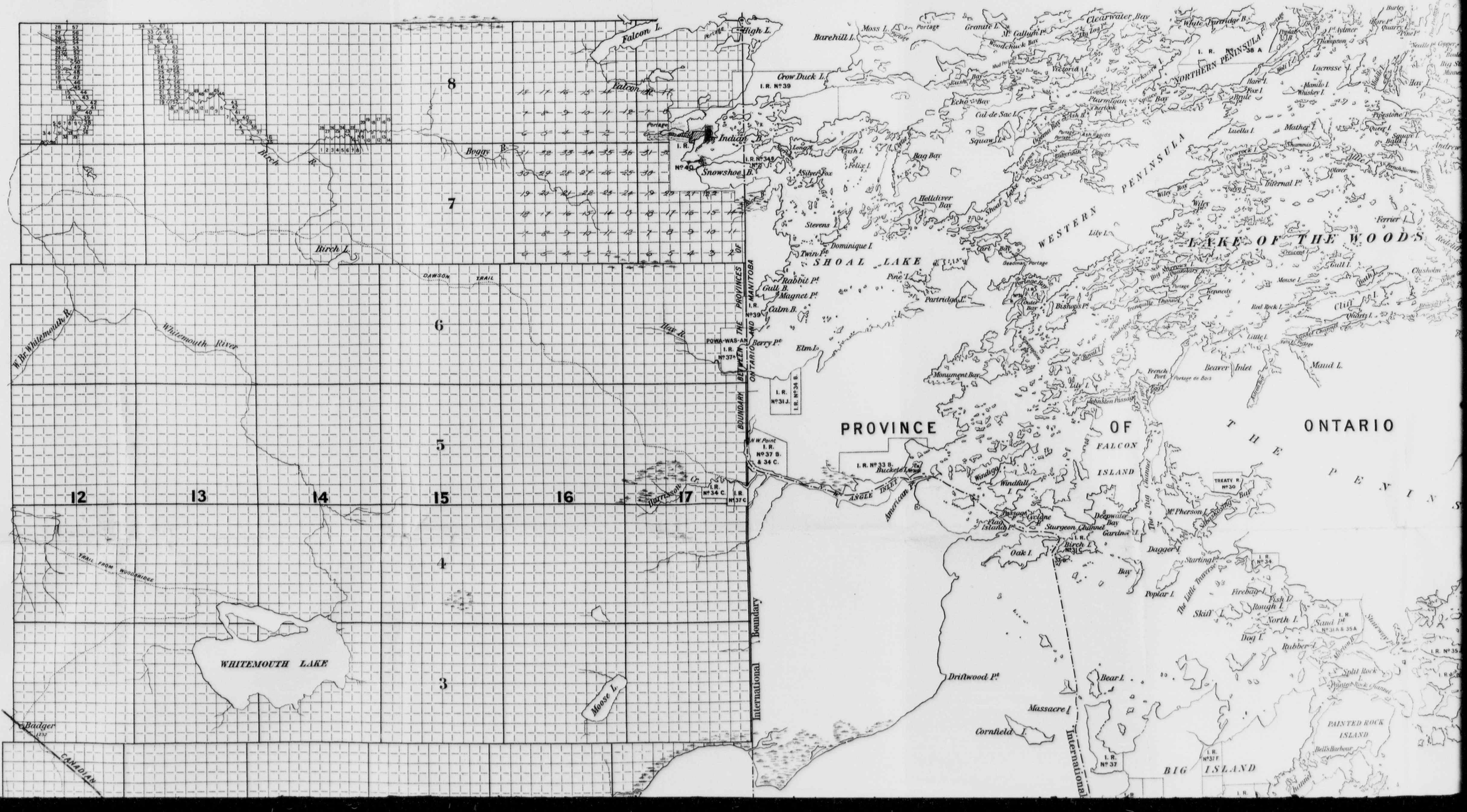

MANITOBA

LAKE OF THE WOODS SHEET

EAST OF PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN

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Revised to the 7th March, 1912

PROVINCE OF ONTARIO

LAKE OF THE WOODS

WESTERN PENINSULA

EASTERN PENINSULA

NORTHERN PENINSULA

THE PENINSULA

SHOAL LAKE

FALCON ISLAND

BIG ISLAND

PAINTED ROCK ISLAND

International Boundary

BOUNDARY BETWEEN THE PROVINCES OF MANITOBA AND ONTARIO

Falcon L. · High L. · Barehill L. · Moss L. · Clearwater Bay · Granite L. · Mc Cullough Pt · Woodchuck Bay · White Partridge R. · Crow Duck L. I.R. Nº39 · Victoria · Echo Bay · Cul-de-Sac L. · Corkscrew L. · Ptarmigan · Spruce Bay · Cherlook · Ash R. · Squaw L. · Ash Rapids · Indian I.R. Nº40 · Snowshoe B. · Longeau · Cash L. · Felix L. · Silver Fox · Bag Bay · Helldiver Bay · Shoal Lake · Sterens · Dominique I. · Twin Pt · Rabbit Pt · Gull B. · Magnet Pt · Calm B. · Pine I. · Partridge L. · Portage · Beaudoin Portage · Lily L. · Bay · Wiley · Oliver I. · Crowrock I. · Luella I. · Mather I. · Shamnis I. · Pipestone Pt · Quey I. · Savage Bay · Andrew Bay · Witch Bay · Infernal Pt · Ferrier I. · Redcliff Bay · Rat L. · Rapids · Falls · Black R. · I.R. Nº32B · Yellow Girl Bay · Yellow Girl Pt · Chisholm I. · Gull I. · Mouse I. · Cliff I. · Oldery I. · Red Rock I. · Bishops Pt · Kennedy · Portage No 1 · Portage No 2 · Portage No 3 · Portage No 4 · Bay · Boundary Pt · Fronquilly Channel · Little I. · Monument Bay · French Port · Portage de Bois · Johnston Passage · Bearer Inlet · Maud L. · Long Point · Rendezvous L. · Berry L. · Bogtooth L. · Calvert L. · Canoe Route to Eagle Lake · Blindfold L. · Hollow L. · Oblong L. · Islet L. · Gold L. · Gear L. · Loadstone L. · Magnet L. · End L. · Rapids · Adams R. · Hay L. · Lacrosse L. · Manito I. · Whiskey I. · Hare I. · Fox I. · Eagle · Thompson · 1st Sylmer · Burke · Bare Pt · Quarry · Pine Pt · Needle Pt · Copper Boulder · Big Stone · Minnesaba I. · Bay · Thunder R. · Portage Falls · Boulder · Charm R. · Portage · Hayter Peninsula · Steamboat I. · Channel · Fire I. · Singer Pt · Dominion L. · Bride Bay · Knucklebacker Inlet · Traverse · Bayou · Regina Bay · White Pt · Cat Pt · Russell I. · Turtle Pt · Ellis Peninsula · Bell I. · Timber · Boot Bay · Ferdus · Pelican Pt · Camp Bay · Girard L. · Devils Bay · Miles Bay · Stairway Pt · Split Rock · Narrow L. · Kawakumik · Turtle L. · Portage · I.R. Nº35 · I.R. Nº35B · I.R. Nº35C · I.R. Nº35H · I.R. Nº32C · I.R. Nº32A · I.R. Nº34A · Sand Pt I.R. Nº31A & 35A · North I. · Rough I. · Fish I. · Fireban I. · Skiff · Dog I. · Rubber I. · Poplar I. · Dagger I. · Starling Pt · Oak I. · Birch I. I.R. Nº31 · Sturgeon Channel · Gardiner · Dogwater Bay · Flag Island Pt · Pascoe · Cyclone · Windigo · Windfall I. · Bucket L. I.R. Nº33B · N.W. Angle Inlet · American Pt · The Big Channel · The Little Traverse · Mc Pherson I. · Shoalwater Bay · TREATY R. Nº30 · Bay · Driftwood Pt · Bear I. · Massacre I. · Cornfield L. · Moose L. · Harrison Cr. · N.W. Point I.R. Nº37B. & 34C. · I.R. Nº34C · I.R. Nº37C · I.R. Nº34B · I.R. Nº31J. · I.R. Nº37A · POWA-WAS-AN I.R. Nº37A · Elm I. · Berry Pt · Hay R. · Portage · Bogey R. · DAWSON TRAIL · I.R. Nº37 · I.R. Nº37F · Bells Harbour · Channel · Kaboshkung Bay · Portage · 8 · 7 · 6 · 5 · 4 · 3 · 15 · 16 · 17

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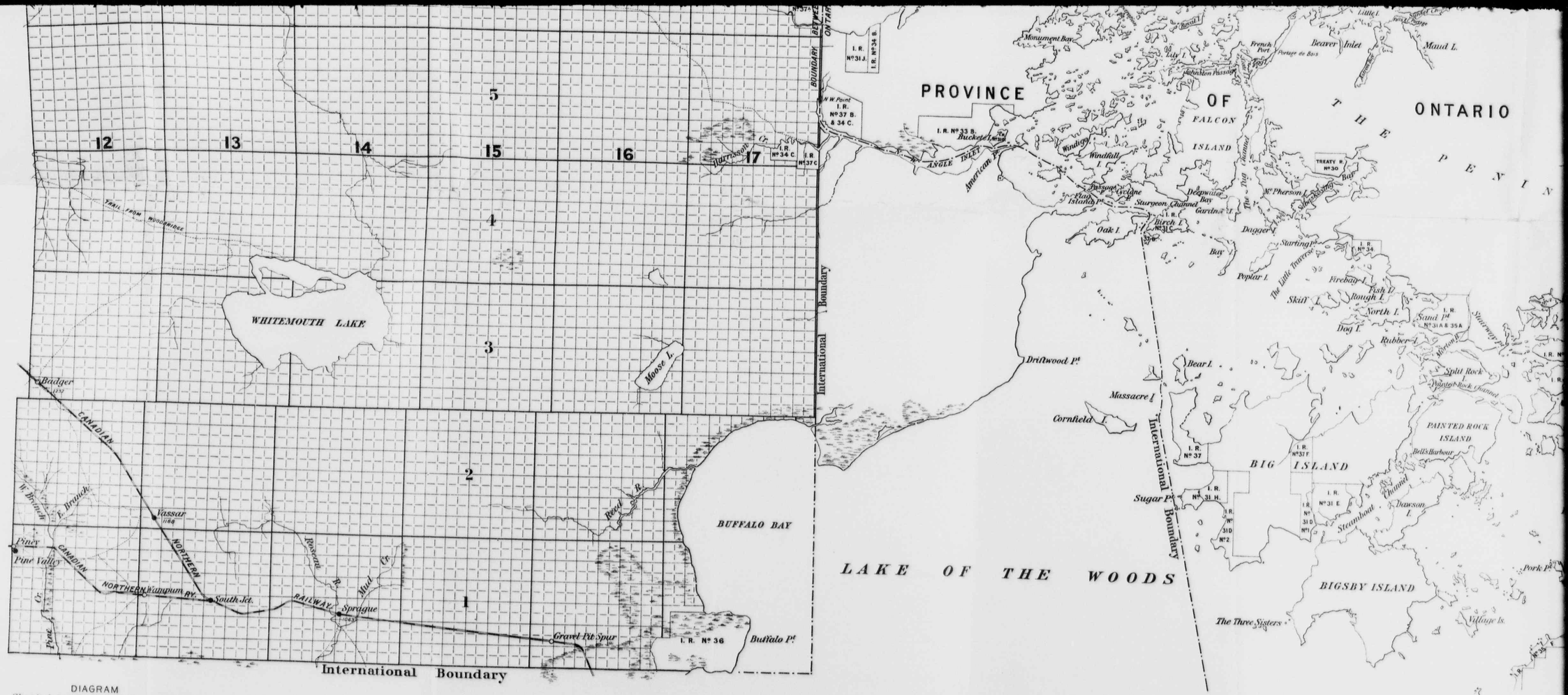

DIAGRAM
Shewing Subdivision of Townships

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Spence, Street

The McLaren
ABSOLUTELY FIREPROOF
McLAREN BROS.
PROPRIETORS



MAIN & RUPERT STS
WINNIPEG, CANADA

THE McLAREN

FEB 26 1914

Feby 22. 8d. 1914

J. D. McLean Esq
Dpt & Sect. Indian Affairs Ottawa

455978

Dear Mr. McLean

I received a letter from you sometime ago. Re the surrender of Sand & Gravel on Res. No 40 Indian Bay from the Indians to your department

That was obtained from them by your agent Mr McKenzie of Kenora ont.

I made a Proposition to the Chief Red Sky and His Band on the Royalty basis which they accepted subject to the approval of your Department. would you kindly advise me what has been done & how the Matter stands

I am your very truly

A E Allison

Adress 601 Spence Street
Winnipeg

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INDIAN AGENTS OFFICE. KENORA. ONT.-

No.132-9:- February. 23rd. 1914:-

459959

Sir:-

With refrence to your letter of the 26th Ultimo. No.447,733. Re- the application of the Greater Winnipeg Water supply. for the permission to erect buildings and construct a Railway on part of Reserve. NO.40. Shoal Lake.

I beg leave to inform you that on the 13th. instant, as I had to go to Shoal Lake. in connection with otherm matters. I drove up to Indian Bay. I seen the Resident Engineer Mr. McLean, and went over the part of the reserve. they require. They have two very fine buildings already erected on the reserve. and will require quite a number of others. and quite a large piece of the corner of the reserve. but as yet it is not definately known just how much they will require or for how long, As the intake is on the reserve they will have to put up a perminant building there. and run the Rail Road right on to it,

I got a map and had the approximate area. traced on the back and on the face marked in red ink. and am forwarding it to you by even mail. but until the place is surveyed and a definate estimate is made nothing can be done. I may however say that there whole operations, will be on the Reserve. which is in the Province of manitoba. and I suppose that sooner or later they will be given the privelage asked for. as there is no other way they can make an enterance to the Lake, I had a council meeting with the band, and they are all willing to surrender what land is wanted to the Indian Department. to be sold for there benifit.

I have the honour to be

Sir.

Your obedient servant.

The Secretary:-

Dept of Indian Affairs.-

Ottawa. Ont.

R. S. MacKenzie

Indian Agent.

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PACIFIC GREAT EASTERN RAILWAY

CABLE ADDRESS:
"PAGERY, VICTORIA"

D'ARCY TATE, K.C.
VICE-PRESIDENT

VICTORIA, B.C.
CANADA

June 30, 1913.

J. G. H. Bergeron, Esq., K. C.,

Secretary and Solicitor,
Royal Commission on Indian Affairs for the Province of B. C.,

Victoria, B. C.

Dear Sir: Indian Reserves at Newport.

Referring to my attendance upon the Board this morning I herewith enclose blue print of plan showing the Indian Reserves applied for at Newport for railway terminal purposes on which is shown in red the portion of said reserves required for railway purposes comprising an area of 674.98 acres. This amount of land is necessary for the reasonable requirements of the Company for depots, yards, shops, round houses, freight sheds, elevators and other structures incidental to the traffic of the railway at this point where the line first strikes tide water. As explained to the Board this morning, all freight traffic other than that intended for Vancouver will be handled here, such as that destined for Victoria, Seattle, Portland, via Panama Canal or for China or Japan. I might add that the Railway Company will require considerably more land than that comprised in these Reserves for terminal purposes, as may be demonstrated by a comparison of the extent of lands acquired at similar points by other Railway Companies.

Yours truly,

D'A.T./M.

D'Arcy Tate
Vice-President.

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PACIFIC GREAT EASTERN RAILWAY
PLAN OF INDIAN RESERVES
SKWAMISH B.C.

Scale 1" = 20 Chains

Vice President





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HENRY JUDD
36 Ac.

HENRY JUDD
10 Ac.

E.B. MADILL
152 Ac.

Indian Co. Land

JOHN McINTOSH
130 Ac.

ALLEN RAE
193 Ac.

THOMAS READ
150 Ac.

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ROAD.

Indian Rd.

A.D. ROBERTSON
118 Ac.

ROBERT C. WOOD.
190 Ac.

YEKWAUPSUM
I.R. No 18.
54 Ac.

LOT 609
134 Ac.

CAMPBELL A. McINTOSH
149 Ac.

LOT 1305
ALEX. T. McINTOSH
200 Ac.

LOT 759
127 Ac.

LOT 610
180 Ac.

LOT 760
CHAS. GORDON

LOT 1305
ALEX. T. McINTOSH
200 Ac.

LOT 769
127 Ac.

LOT 760
CHAS. GORDON
165 Ac.

LOT 610
180 Ac.

RIVER

MAMAQUUM
ISLAND
I.R. № 20. 13½ Ac.

AHTSAM I.R. № 23.
229 Ac.

RIVER

SQUAMISH

SQUAMISH ISLAND I.R. № 21.
416.5 Ac.

SKUWLWAILUM I.R. 22
188.22 Ac.

(West Branch) SQUAMISH

(Middle Branch) SQUAMISH

North Boundary D.L. 486

E.

D.L. 486

RIVER

NEW PORT

FORESHO

SKUWLWAILUM I.R. 22
188.22 Ac.

(West Branch) SQUAMISH

(Middle Branch) SQUAMISH

FORESHORE APPLD FOR
166.0 Ac.

G.F. & J. GALT'S LEASE

North Boundary D.L. 486

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NEW ROAD

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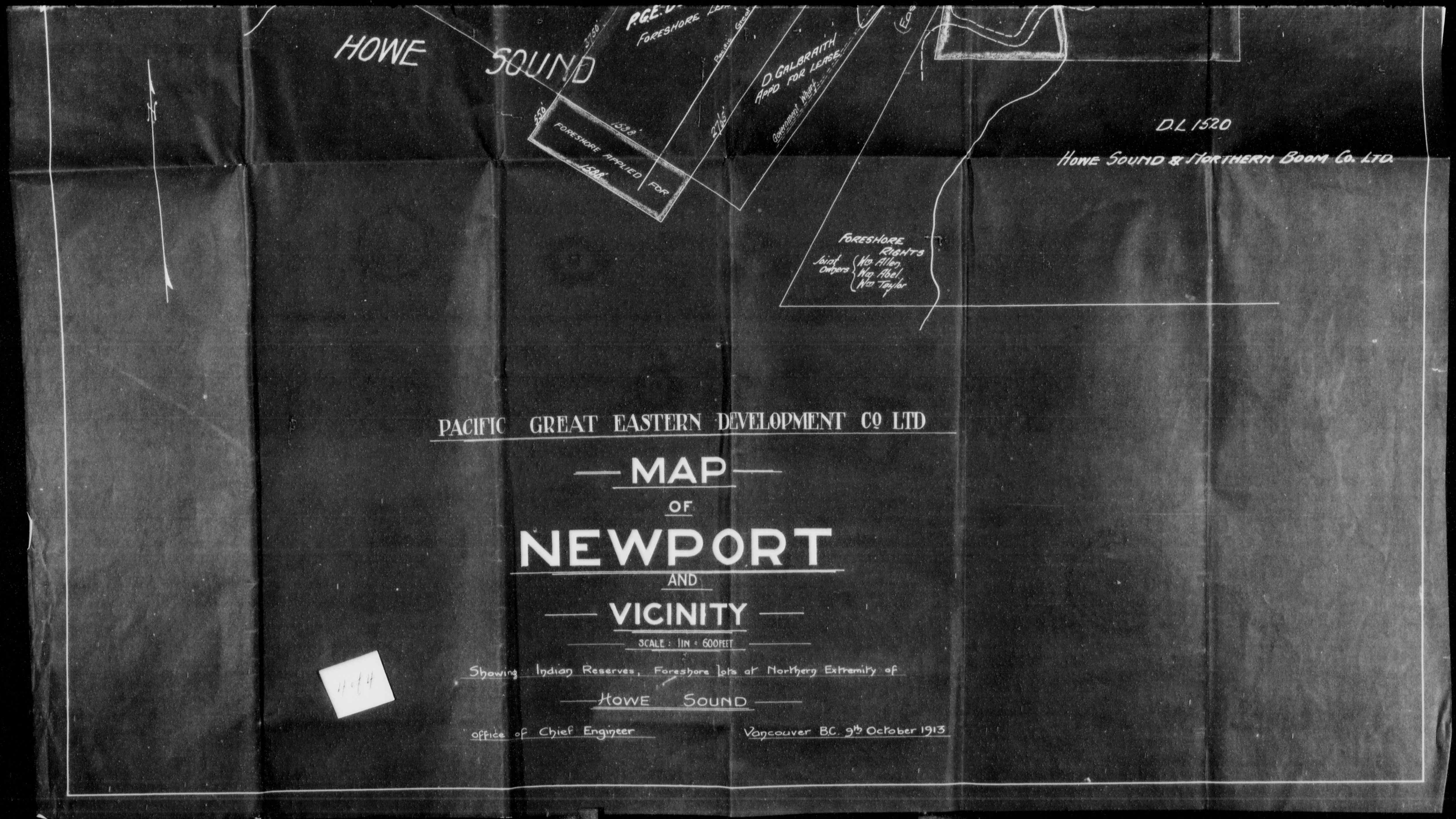

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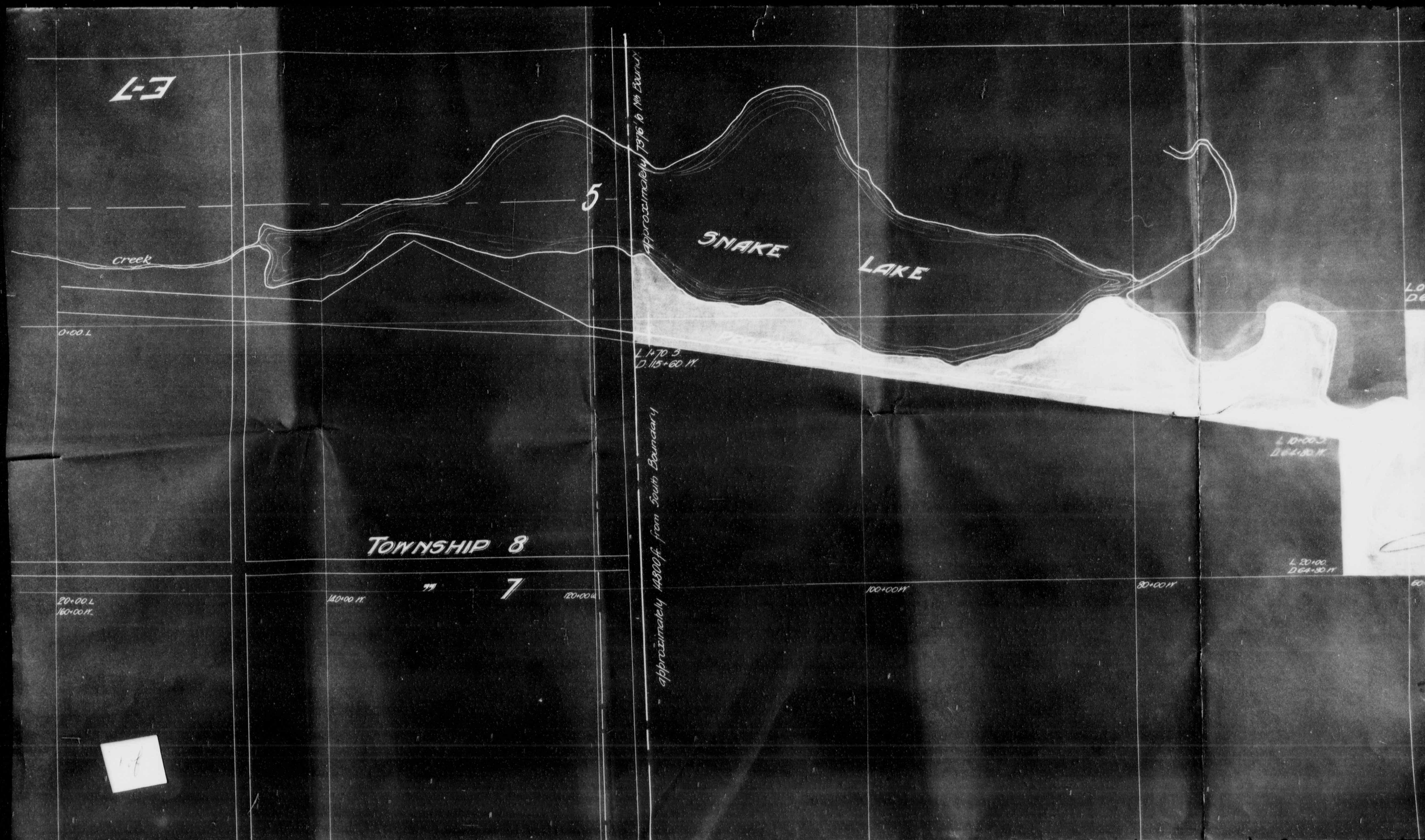
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LAKE
approximately 7976' to Mt Boundary
approximately 14800 ft. from South Boundary
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D.64+80 W.
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LAKE

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D 60+00 W

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D 24+00 W

L 16+00 N.
D 8+00 W.

INDIAN SHACKS

INDIAN CEMETERY

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D 8+00 W.

L 4+00 N.
D 1+70 W.

0+00 L.
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L 10+00 S.
D 64+80 W.

L 20+00
D 64+80 W.

HOUSING

INTAKE

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20+00 W

20+00 L

40+00 L

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RANGE 17

WEST BOUNDARY INDIAN RESERVE

60+00 L.

80+00 L.

29

LAND REQUIRED BY DISTRICT LIES WITHIN COLORED POR

Traced by F.S.A.
Checked by O.R.D.

Duncan
Chairman Admin
Ottawa Feb 26

60+00 L

80+00 L

RANGE 17

WEST BOUNDARY INDIAN RESERVE

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LAND REQUIRED BY DISTRICT LIES WITHIN COLORED POR

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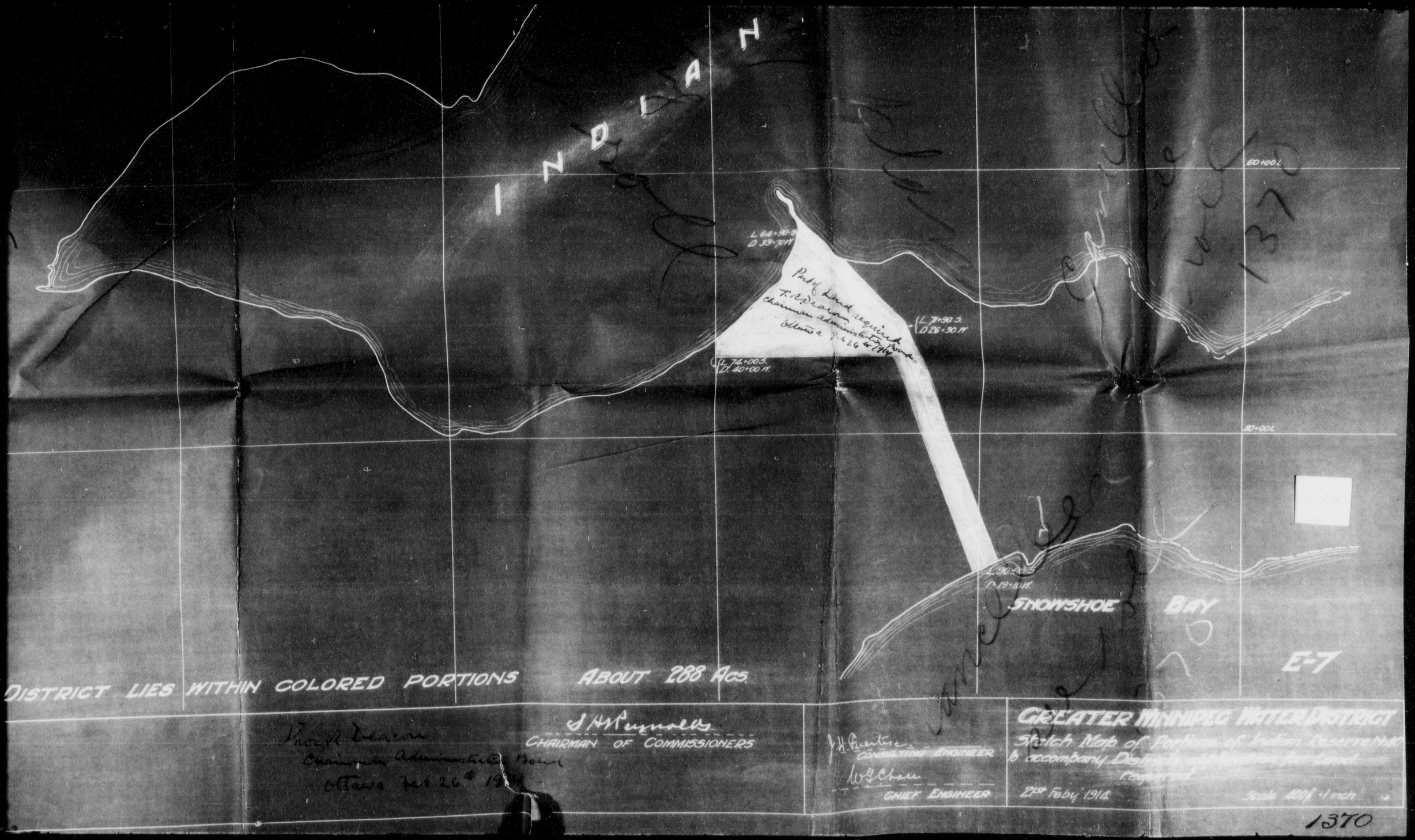
Ottawa Feb 26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SNOWSHOE BAY
E-7
DISTRICT LIES WITHIN COLORED PORTIONS ABOUT 288 Acs.
Part of Land required
T. R. Deacon
Chairman Administration Board
Ottawa Feb 26th 1914
S H Reynolds
CHAIRMAN OF COMMISSIONERS
J. H. Fuertes
CONSULTING ENGINEER
W G Chase
CHIEF ENGINEER
GREATER WINNIPEG WATER DISTRICT
Sketch Map of Portions of Indian Reserve No 40
to accompany District
required
21st Feby 1914
Scale 400 ft = 1 inch
1370

E.10

NOTES

indicates Gravel Deposits
Hatched Sections show Lands required to be reserved

ST. ANDREWS
Red River
CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY
ST. PAUL
WINNIPEG BEACH
C.P.R. WINNIPEG ELECTRIC R.R.
ELDONAN
ST. JAMES
WINNIPEG
ST. CHARLES
Assiniboine River
C.P.R.
G.T.P.
C.N.R.
VITAL
Seine River
Norbert
Cooks Creek
Red River
Scurry
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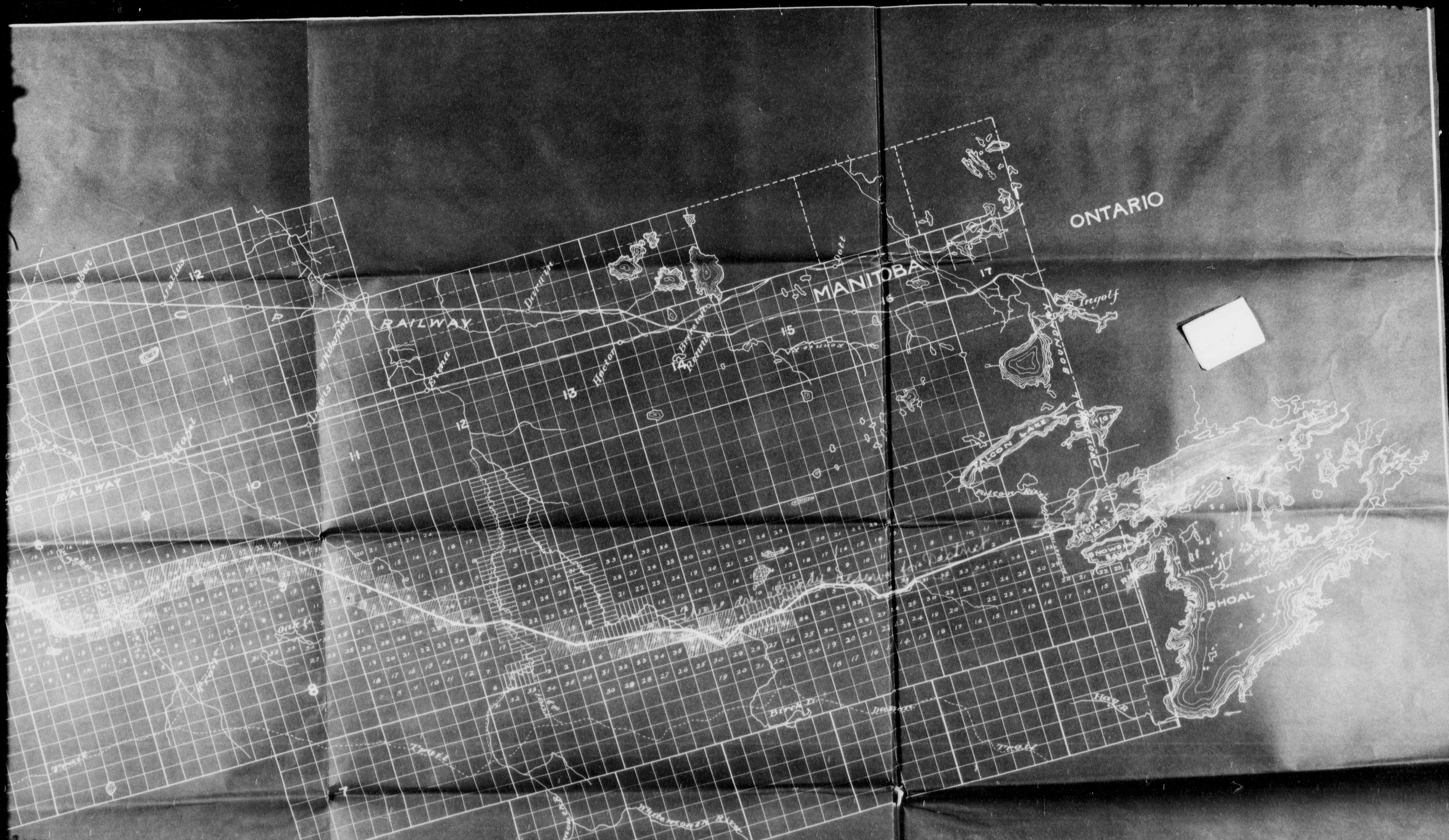
ONTARIO
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RAILWAY
Ingolf
FALCON LAKE
SHOAL LAKE
Trail
Birch R.
Hay R.
Whitemouth River

ST. ANDREWS
ST. PAUL'S
ST. JAMES
ST. CHARLES
ST. ANNE
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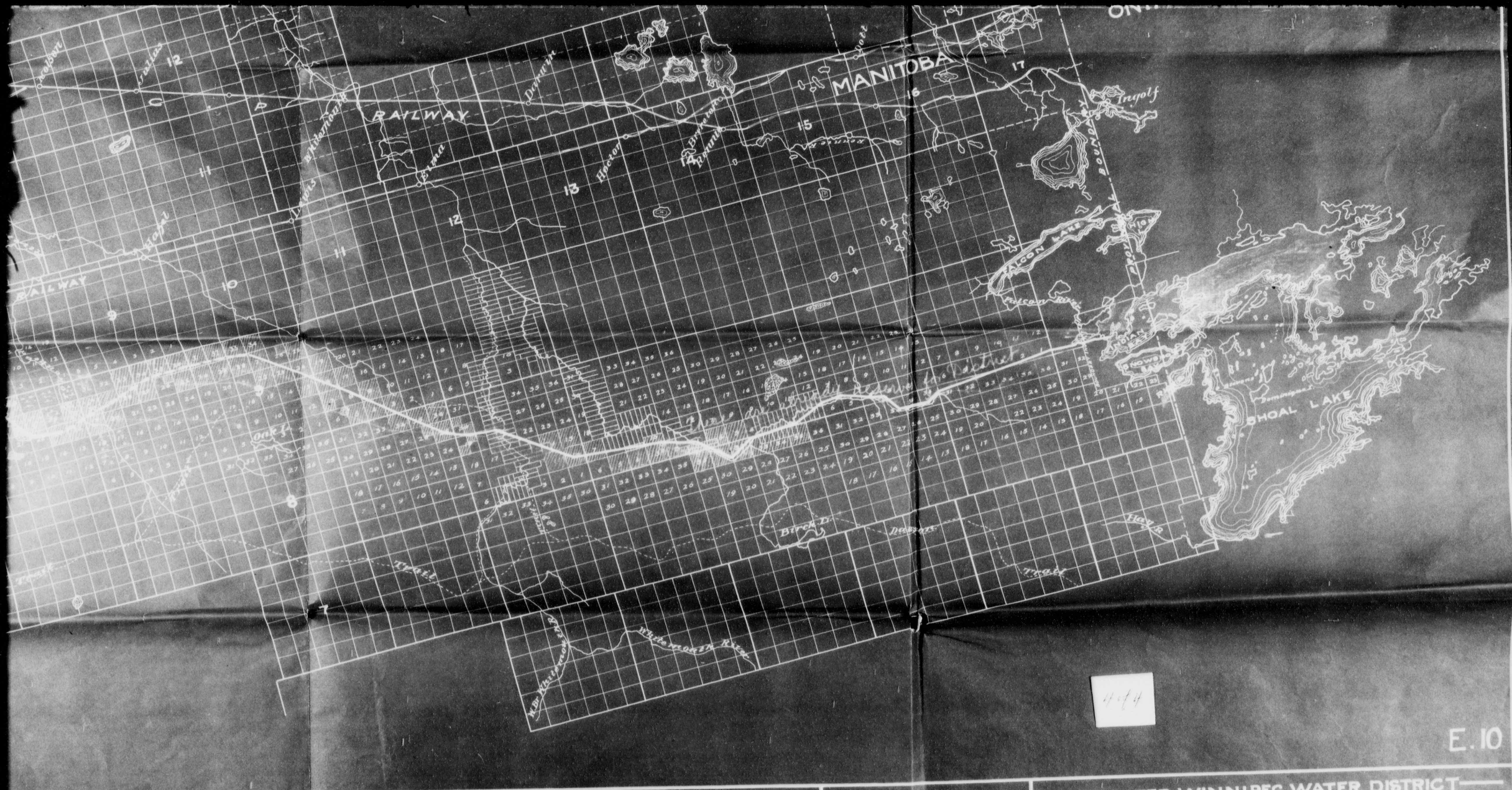

Thos. R. Deacon
Chairman Administrative Board
Feb 26th 1914

S. H. Reynolds
Chairman of the Commission

James C. Fuertes
Consulting Engineer

W. G. Chase
Chief Engineer

GREATER WINNIPEG WATER DISTRICT
MAP
WINNIPEG TO SHOAL LAKE
Showing Vicinity of Line of Proposed Acqueduct
SCALE, 3 MILES = 1 INCH

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E-7
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creek
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approximately 7376'.6 Mts Boundy
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This is the area applied for
for the use of the Greater Winnipeg Water District
Thos. Rideacon
Chairman administration Board
Ottawa Feb 26th 1914

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D 24·00 W

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D 8·00 W

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INDIAN CEMETERY

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D 60·00 W

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INTAKE

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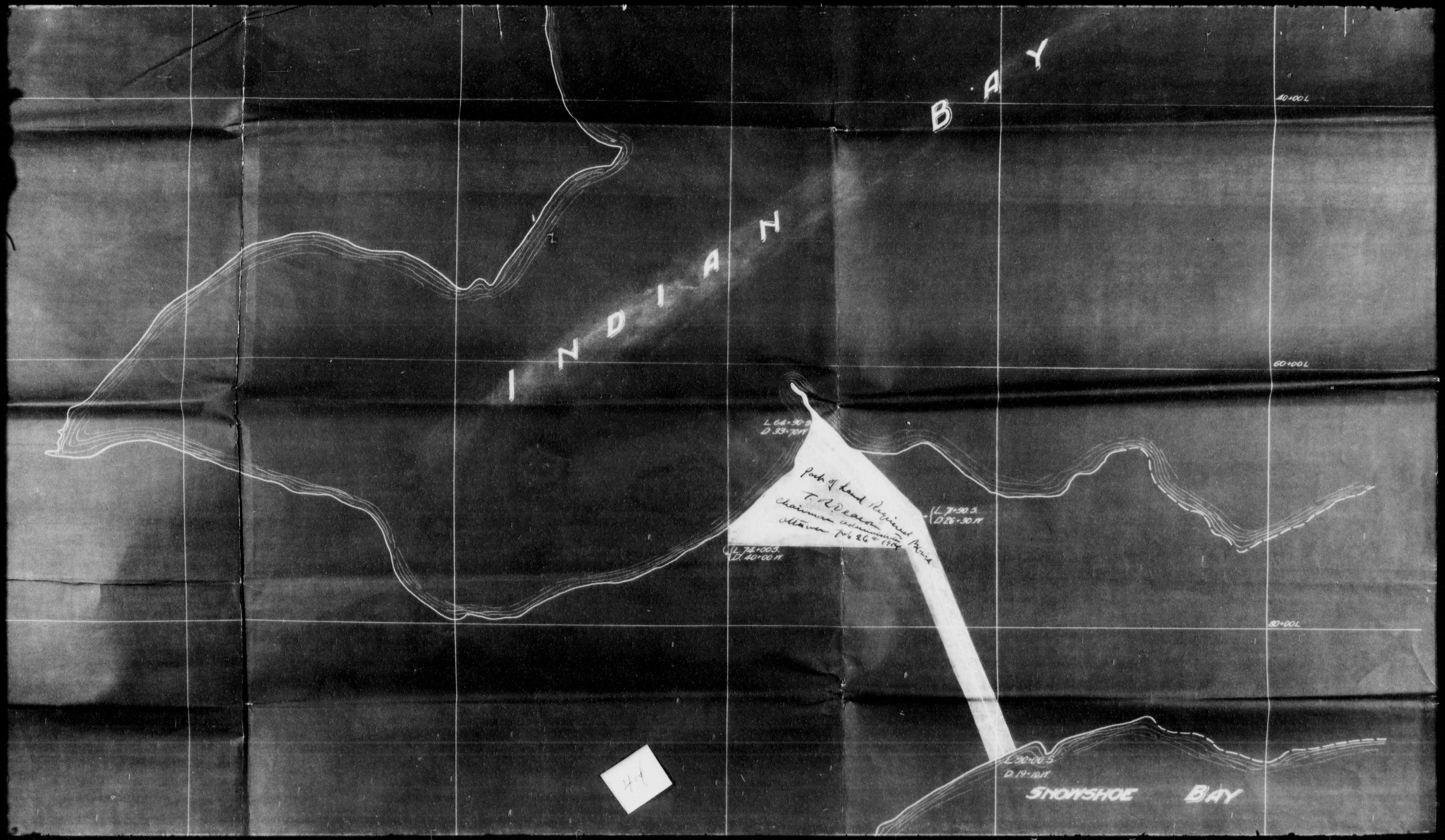
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SNOWSHOE BAY
Path of Land Required
T. R. Deacon
Chairman Administrative Board
Ottawa Feb 26th 1904
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60+00 L.

80+00 L.

RANGE 17

WEST BOUNDARY INDIAN RESERVE

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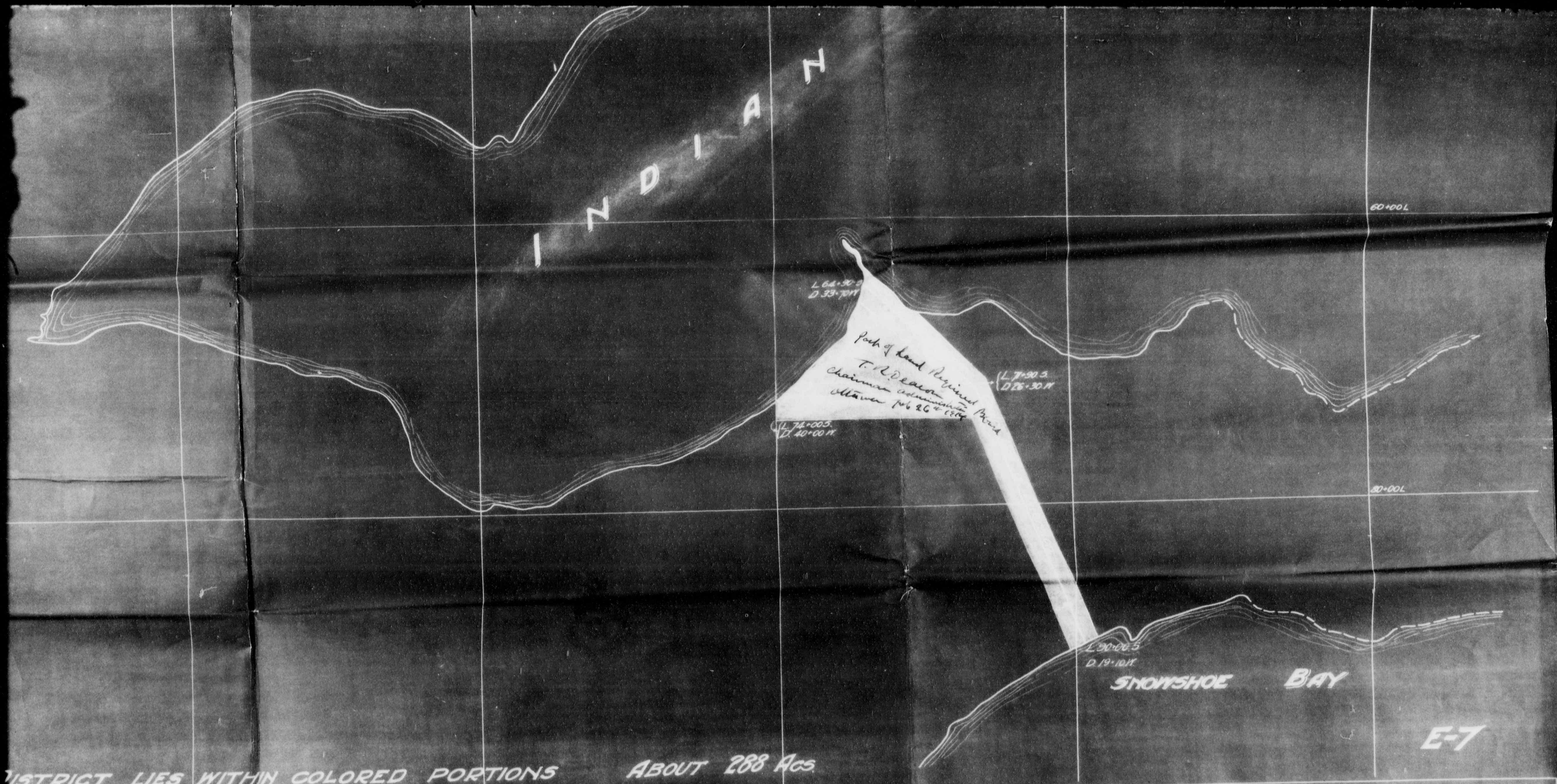
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SNOWSHOE BAY
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Park of Land Required
T. R. Deacon
Chairman Administration Board
Ottawa Feb 26th 1914
DISTRICT LIES WITHIN COLORED PORTIONS ABOUT 288 Acs.
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GREATER WINNIPEG WATER DISTRICT
Sketch Map of Portions of Indian Reserve No 40
to accompany District's application for Land
required
21st Feby 1914
Scale 400 ft = 1 inch

W. G. GHACE, B.A.Sc
CHIEF ENGINEER

COPY

JAMES H. FUERTES,
CONSULTING ENGINEER

GREATER WINNIPEG WATER DISTRICT

OFFICE OF THE

ENGINEER'S DEPARTMENT

WINNIPEG February 20, 1914.

Chairman of Commissioners,
Greater Winnipeg Water District,
OFFICE.

45043

Dear Sir,-

Re Lands in Indian Reserve.

Attached, please find original and one white print, colored, of our Drawing No. E-7, sdale of 400 feet equal one inch, being "Sketch Map of Portions of Indian Reserve No. 40."

The areas colored shew the lands which it is desirable that the District should own within the Reserve,- about 288 acres. These areas are delimited on the map by latitude and departure from the zero chosen by Mr. McLean of Party No. 3. This will provide intake and Aqueduct Right-of-Way; as also Right-of-Way for the diversion canal to accommodate the Falcon River; the bed of soil and gravel desirable for construction of the dyke for the Falcon River Diversion, as well as the gravel which may be found within the same deposit suitable for concrete; sufficient area for terminal yards and for contractor's camps; and such rights over the Falcon River as will permit access to Snake Lake for purposes of Aqueduct construction.

We have to recommend that this land be obtained from the Department of Indian Affairs.

Attached hereto, please find letter from Mr. McLean, dated February 15th, relative to a visit by the Kenora representative of the Indian ~~Agent~~ Dept.

Yours very truly,

(sgd) James H. Fuertes.

CONSULTING ENGINEER.

(sgd) W. G. Chace,

CHIEF ENGINEER.

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Ottawa, February 26, 1914.

Dear Sir,-

456436

As Mayor of the City of Winnipeg and Chairman of the Corporation of the Greater Winnipeg Water District, a corporation created by special act of the Manitoba Legislature and of the Dominion Parliament for the purpose of supplying the City of Winnipeg and contiguous communities with an adequate supply of pure water, I am instructed by the Administration board having charge of this matter to make application to the Department of Indian Affairs for permission to purchase that portion of Indian Reserve No. 40, surrounding Indian Bay, shown white on the blue print herewith and which I have signed this date, containing approximately 288 acres, this to cover our requirements for terminals, gravel pit and right of way of the pipe line. We recognize that the Indians are entitled to reasonable compensation for this and we are prepared to pay what the Department would think just.

Incl.

D. C. Scott, Esq., F.R.S.C.,
Deputy Superintendent General
of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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If title could be arranged for this at an early date we could forward cheque at any time and the surveys could be completed sometime during the summer of 1914.

Incl. I inclose herewith duplicate copies of the plan, also general plan of the proposed aqueduct to Winnipeg.

Thanking you in anticipation for an early disposition of this matter, I have the honour to be,

Your obedient servant,

Thos. R. Deacon

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Ottawa, Feb. 26, 1914.

Sir,

With reference to your favour of the 26th instant and accompanying blue prints showing the lands in Shoal Lake Indian Reserve No.40 required in connection with the Greater Winnipeg Water Supply, I have to request you to be good enough to forward a plan on tracing cloth showing the said lands. This plan should show the distances and courses of the several boundaries as well as connection with the boundary of the Indian Reserve and should be accompanied by a description sufficient to identify the land without having a plan attached thereto. It should be signed and dated by the surveyor as well as by a responsible officer of your commission.

Since the above lands may be acquired under Section 46 of the Indian Act a surrender from the Band will not be necessary. The valuation has been placed at $3.00 per acre in addition to a charge of 5¢ per cubic yard for the sand and gravel. in the first.

Please be good enough to submit plans, profiles and estimates showing the quantity of sand and gravel included within the areas which you have decided to expropriate.

Your obedient servant,

Asst J. McLean

Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

Thos. R. Deacon, Esq.,
Mayor,
Winnipeg, Man.

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Ottawa, 4th March, 1914.

Sir,-

With reference to your favour of the 23rd ultimo, regarding the lands required for the Greater Winnipeg Water Supply at Shoal Lake, I beg to say these lands are being taken under Section 46 of the Indian Act, hence a surrender will not be required from the Band. The Department is pleased to note however, that the members of the Band appear to be quite willing to part with these lands. The Department is endeavouring to arrive at a satisfactory conclusion of this matter with the authorities at Winnipeg.

Your obedient servant,

(Sgd) J. D. McLean

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

R. S. McKenzie, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Kenora, Ont.

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FEB 28 1914

INDIAN AGENTS OFFICE. KENORA. ONT:-

No. 132-9:- February' 25th. 1914:-

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Sir:-

Referring to my letter of even number. of Feb, 23rd. 1914:- I beg leave to inform you, that I am just in receipt of a letter and Copy of blue print.plan. NoE.7. of the ground required by the Greater Winnipeg Water District. out of Indian Reserve, No·40. and stating they are submitting this plan to your Department·

I will keep this plan here as refrence. as you will be ~~xxppxi~~ supplied with the one they state they are sending you with the application for the lands required.

I have the honour to be

Sir.

Your obedient servant.

R. S. McKenzie

Indian Agent.

The Secretary:-

Dept of Indian Affairs.-

Ottawa. Ont:-

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Ottawa, March 9, 1914.

Sir,

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 22nd. ult. in regard to sand and gravel on the Shoal Lake Indian Reserve, and in reply to say that the Department is not in a position at present to give favorable consideration to your application.

Your obedient Servant,

D. D. McLean

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

A. E. Allison, Esq.,
601 Spence St.,
WINNIPEG,
MAN.

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T. R. DEACON
MAYOR

MAYOR'S OFFICE
COMMERCE PRUDENCE INDUSTRY
WINNIPEG, CANADA.

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
MAR 12 1914

File No. 100(6) March 7th. 1914

J. D. McLean, Esq.,
Assistant Deputy and Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,
MAR 18 1914
SURVEYS.

Dear Sir: -

-Re Your File No. 447,733-

I have your favor of the 26th. February, File No. 447,733, re lands required by the Greater Winnipeg Water District in Shoal Lake Indian Reserve #40, and I am greatly surprised to find that a charge of 5¢ per cubic yard for the sand and gravel has been added to the price of the land as I distinctly understood from Mr. Scott, when I was in Ottawa last week and took this matter up with him that the price was definitely settled at $3.00 per acre to cover everything and I think that Mr. Scott fully understood that as well. If there had been any intimation or suggestion that a charge of 5¢ per cubic yard in place for the gravel was to be made in addition to this, I most certainly would have taken it up with Mr. Scott, as that is what I went to Ottawa for, as I consider this price altogether excessive particularly when we are paying a much higher price per acre for the land than is charged for the adjacent Crown Lands of Ontario.

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MAYOR

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COMMERCE PRUDENCE INDUSTRY
WINNIPEG, CANADA.

File No. 100(6)

March 7th. 1914.

J. D. McL .....

We do not require the larger part of the lands applied for except for the sand and gravel and if we are to be charged for the gravel in addition to the price per acre, it will bring the price per acre very high. I distinctly understood from Mr. Scott, that the matter was settled at $3.00 per acre but if the charge per yard of gravel is to be in addition to that I do not think it should exceed at the most one or two cents per cubic yard in place particularly when it is in such a remote place and is only to be reached by our line which ~~is to be~~ being purely constructed as a public service work.

I should be very greatly obliged if you would take this matter up again with Mr. Scott and advise me so that I would receive your letter before next Friday morning as the Administration Board meets on Friday afternoon and I wish to make a full report to them on that day.

Regarding the boundaries and the descriptions by metes and bounds, we will have that done if possible, within the next three months.

Yours very truly,

T. R. Deacon

MAYOR.

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JAS. KENT, Manager Telegraphs

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SURVEYS

Send the following night lettergram, without repeating, subject to the terms and conditions printed on the back hereof, which are hereby agreed to.

Ottawa, March 12, 1914.

T. R. Deacon,
Mayor of Winnipeg,
Winnipeg, Man.

I hereby confirm our understanding with reference to land and gravel on the Shoal Lake Indian reserve; the price is to be $3.00 per acre to cover everything.

Duncan C. Scott.

Chge. D.I.A.

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MAYOR'S OFFICE
COMMERCE PRUDENCE INDUSTRY
WINNIPEG, CANADA.

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MAR 26 1914

March 23rd 1914

Put by

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Deputy Superintendent General.
Indian Affairs,
Ottawa. Canada.

Dear Sir:-

Your wire of the 12th inst confirming arrangement made with Mr Scott while in Ottawa was duly received and for which I am very greatly obliged.

A survey of the portions of land required will be made as soon as possible and the amount of the purchase money paid in, in full.

Yours very truly

Thos. R. Deacon

Mayor.

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8415 Ac.
CROW DUCK LAKE
SOUTH AST. 204.63
East Ast. 256.08
North Ast. 140.58
INTERPROVINCIAL BOUNDARY LINE
INDIAN BAY
MANITOBA
ONTARIO
SHOAL LAKE
INDIAN RESERVE 40
6759 Ac.
SNAKE LAKE
Greater Winnipeg Water Supply
NORTH AST. 336.22
INDIAN RESERVE 34 B.2.
332 ac.
SNOW SHOE BAY
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Deputy Superintendent General of Indian Affairs
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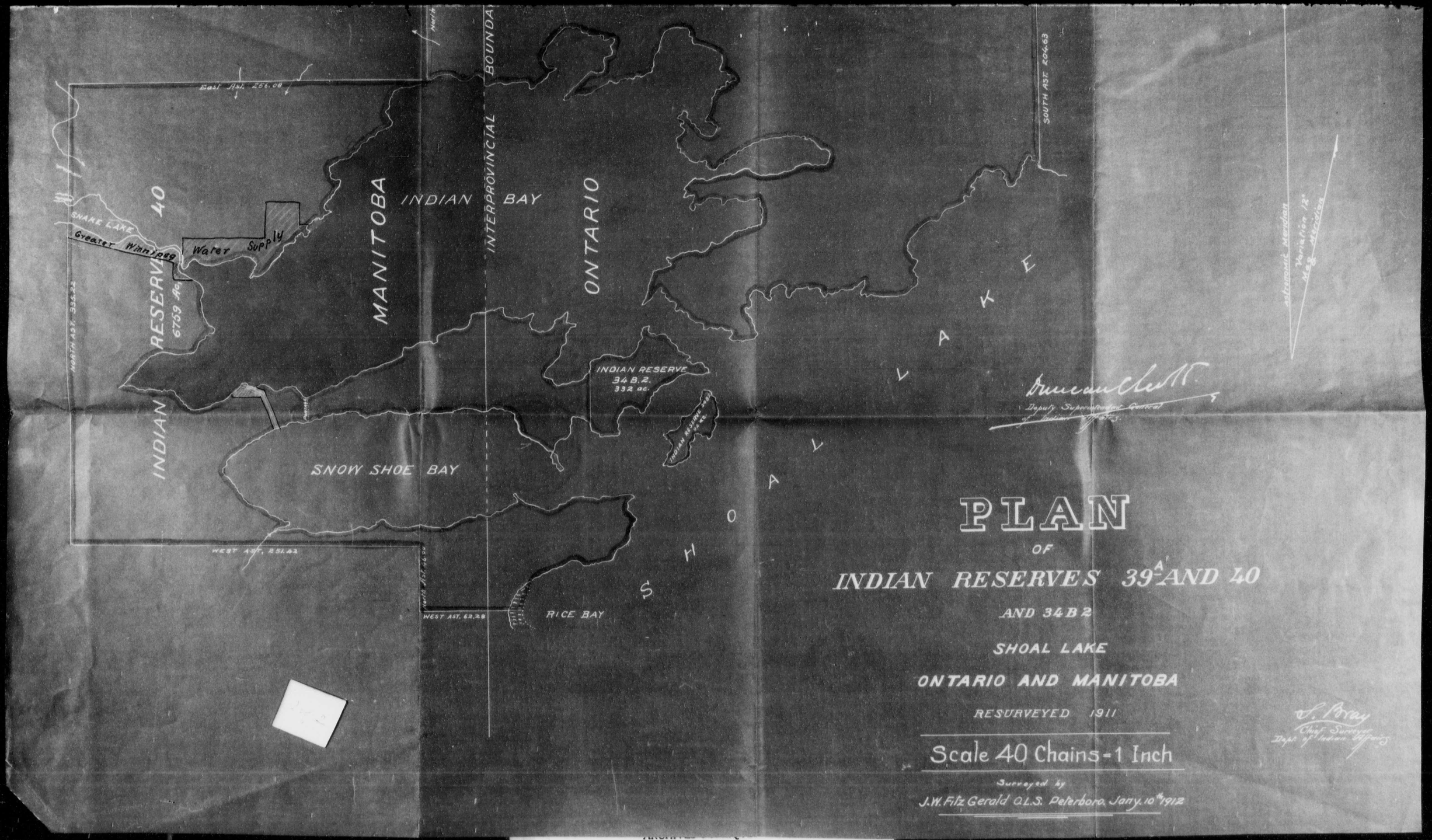

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MEM.

COPY File 42568 ML & Y

Ottawa, Dec. 18th, 1909.

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Sir:

In reply to your letter of the 13th inst. No. 42568 ML & Y respecting the ownership of gravel and sand in the submerged beds of rivers in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta and within the Railway Belt of British Columbia, I have the honour to state that except in so far as the beds of these rivers have been granted they belong to Canada and can be administered by your Department. I am to point out however that as was disclosed in connection with the enquiries into the title of the bed of the Bow River at Calgary and the Saskatchewan River at Edmonton, the grants issued by your Department have not been uniform in the past with respect to the boundaries of lands upon the banks of the river. In some cases the descriptions are such that they have conveyed parts of the beds of the rivers and in others the bed has been carefully excluded. Great care will therefore have to be taken in issuing any licenses or leases for the taking gravel or sand out of the river beds.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

(Sgd.) E.L.Newcombe,

Deputy Minister.

The Secretary,

Department of the Interior,

Ottawa.

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MEM. COPY File 42568 ML & Y

Ottawa December 13th, 1909.

Copy for file 27,431 ML & Y

Sir :

I beg to refer you to your letter dated the 23rd of August, 1907, Ref.F. 1050-1907, having reference to the removal of gravel for construction purposes from the bed and banks of the river Bow at Calgary. In this communication you stated that so far as the bed and banks of this river are Crown property, they are Dominion lands and belong to the Dominion: and that this Department would, therefore, appear to be the proper one to take action.

Applications have been submitted to the Department for permission to remove sand and gravel from the submerged beds of rivers in Manitoba, Alberta, Saskatchewan, and within the Railway Belt in the Province of British Columbia. These applications chiefly affect rivers and lakes in the immediate vicinity of centres of population, and it appeared to be advisable owing to the scarcity of building sand and gravel in that part of the country, to enact regulations for the issue of permits to remove sand, stone and gravel, the property of the Crown, from the submerged beds of rivers and lakes in the above Provinces, provided the opinion expressed by you in your communication of the 23rd of August 1907 applies with equal effect to all other rivers and lakes in Manitoba, Saskatchewan, Alberta

E.L.Newcombe, Esq., K.C.,

Deputy Minister of Justice,

Ottawa.

and

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and within the Railway Belt in the Province of British Columbia.

I am to request you therefore, to be so good as to furnish this Department with an expression of your opinion as to whether or not there would be any objection to preparing Regulations for the removal of sand, stone and gravel, the property of the Crown, from the submerged beds of rivers and lakes in the above Provinces, such removal, of course not to interfere in any way with the banks of the river or lake, or with the structures erected therein. Suitable provision would be made in the permit that no damage or obstruction should be caused by the operations of the permittees.

As a large number of applications for the right to remove sand, stone and gravel from such rivers and lakes are now pending, I am to request you to be good enough to advise this Department in the premises at as early a date as possible.

Your obedient servant,

(Sgd.) Perley G. Keyes,

Secty.

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Ref. 385,459 on 375,868.

Extract from a Report of the Committee of the Honourable the Privy Council, approved by His Excellency on the 13th July, 1895.

P. C. No. 1432.

On a report dated the 6th May, 1895, from the Minister of the Interior, stating that under Section 1 of 47 Victoria, Chapter 16, being an Act to further amend the Act respecting the Public Works of Canada (31 Victoria, Chapter 12), it is provided amongst other things that any portion of the shore or bed of any public harbour vested in Her Majesty, as represented by the Government of Canada, not required for public purposes, may, on the joint recommendation of the Minister of Public Works and of Marine and Fisheries, be leased or sold under the authority of the Governor in Council. The provision quoted subsequently became Section 19 of Chapter 39 of the Revised Statutes of Canada, respecting the expropriation of lands.

The Minister further states that there does not appear to have been any action taken upon applications for foreshore lands between the years 1884 and 1886, a fact due, no doubt, to the uncertainty which existed at the time as to which Department should take the initiative in dealing with cases of that nature. To remedy that state of affairs, an Order in Council was passed on the 12th May, 1886, placing the management of foreshore lands under the control of the Minister of the Interior, subject, however, as required by the Statute in that behalf, to the concurrence of the Minister of Public Works and of Marine and Fisheries.

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The Minister further states that there is no statutory provision for the administration of these lands by the Department of the Interior, and he desires to point out that the existing arrangement, which requires action by three Departments in every case, as stated above, has been very unsatisfactory. Water lots applied for are, in nearly every instance, situated at places where there is no agent of the Department of the Interior, from whom a report upon the merits of the case can be obtained, and the consequence has been that the Department of the Interior has been compelled to assume the responsibility of issuing patents without as full information as it was entitled to.

The Minister therefore recommends that the arrangement made by the Order in Council of the 12th May, 1886, be reconsidered with a view to placing the conduct of foreshore lands in one Department, preferably either the Department of Public Works or of Marine and Fisheries, both of which possess resident agents at all the public harbours in which such lands are situate, and that patents therefor be issued by the Secretary of State of Canada, under the authority of the Governor in Council, upon the recommendation of the Minister to whose Department the business may be regulated.

The Committee, concurring in the report of the Minister of the Interior, advise that the conduct of foreshore lands be placed under the control of the Department of Marine and Fisheries, and that patents therefor shall, in future, be issued by the Secretary of State of Canada under the authority of the Governor in Council, upon the recommendation of the Minister of Marine and Fisheries.

The Committee submit the foregoing for Your Excellency's approval.

(Signed) JOHN J. McGEE,
Clerk of the Privy Council.

To the Honourable
The Minister of the Interior.

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H. C. HARVEY, K.C.

GREATER WINNIPEG WATER DISTRICT

SOLICITORS OFFICE

408 Garry Bldg.

WINNIPEG

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
MAY 6 1914

March 30, 1914.

Honorable W. J. Roche,
Minister of the Interior,
Ottawa.

460872

Dear Sir:-

Re Greater Winnipeg Water District.

I am instructed by the Administration Board of the Greater Winnipeg Water District to make application to you on behalf of the District for a grant of that part of Indian Bay situate in the Province of Manitoba.

It is necessary that the District should have title to and control over the bed of that part of Indian Bay for two reasons,-

1. As it is the site of their "Intake Works" which will be extended out into Indian Bay almost to the boundaries of the Province of Ontario.

2. In order to prevent pollution of the source of water supply they must be entitled to clear and keep clear of weeds or other pollution the bed of Indian Bay at that point, which may render necessary the gravelling of a considerable portion of the bed of Indian Bay or treating it in such other manner as may be found necessary.

I do not think I need enlarge upon the above arguments, as I am sure they will appeal to you as rendering it necessary for the District to obtain title as mentioned.

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J. G. HARVEY, K.C.

GREATER WINNIPEG WATER DISTRICT

SOLICITORS OFFICE

WINNIPEG

If you are favorably disposed in this matter I could have the necessary maps, or drawings and descriptions sent to you for insertion in the Grant.

Trusting to receive a favorably reply I remain,

Yours truly,

J.G. Harvey

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DEPT OF IND. AFFAIRS MAY 6 1914

May 5th, 1914.

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Dear Mr Scott,

I am sending under separate cover copy of the Opinion and Order of Approval of the Commission, with Hearings and Arguments, in the matter of the Application of the Greater Winnipeg Water District for authority to divert water from Shoal Lake.

Yours faithfully,

Lawrence J. Burpee
S.
Secretary

Duncan C Scott Esq.,
Deputy Superintendent-General of
Indian Affairs,
Ottawa

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Ottawa, April 3, 1914.

Memorandum for the Deputy Superintendent General:-

With reference to the application hereunder from Mr. J. G. Harvey, K.C., in behalf of the Greater Winnipeg Water District, for control over the bed of that part of Indian Bay situated within the Province of Manitoba I beg to state that the said Bay is practically land locked and surrounded on all sides by Indian Reserves Nos. 39A, 40 and 34-B2. That part of the Bay in Manitoba is nearly surrounded by Reserve No. 40. The Indians are entitled to those Islands in the Bay on which they have or have had gardens. Some of these islands are situated within the limits of the Province of Manitoba.

I presume it will be advisable for the applicants to pay some certain sum for the Indian interest, whatever it may be, in the bed of the bay. The Indians, however, have only riparian rights which do not include the deep waters of a navigable lake like the one in question.

It is to be noted that it may be impossible to police the waters of the bay unless the lands surrounding it are under proper control. It may be advisable that the applicants should apply for all that part of Indian

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Indian Reserve No. 40 situated in the Province of Manitoba. They will thus have control of all of Indian Bay within the limits of that Province except a small portion of 39A at the North, and of Snowshoe Bay which is to be connected by a canal with Indian Bay.

The area of the reserve within the limits of the Province is 5725 acres. If purchased the riparian rights will go with the land and the applicants can then acquire further control of the bed of the Bay from the Province.

I am not aware how many Indians reside on the Indian Reserve No. 40 or in what manner they may be affected if they should be compelled to sell their reserve. The Agent reports on the Shoal Lake bands Nos. 39 and 40 together.

A plan showing Indian Bay is attached herewith.

O. Bray

Chief Surveyor.

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May 2nd. 1914.

Dear Sir,

I regret that I have not been able to deal finally with your application of March 30th. before this; the matter is receiving attention.

I have looked into the question of how we can effectively grant you the bed of that portion of Indian Bay situate in the Province of Manitoba, and while we are considering this I would be glad if you would send me the maps, drawings and descriptions which you mention in your letter of March 30th. I am quite disposed to deal favourably with this proposition if the Department has the power to act in the matter at all.

Yours very truly,

Duncan C. Scott

Deputy Superintendent General.

J. G. Harvey, Esq., K.C.,
Solicitor,
Greater Winnipeg
Water District,
Winnipeg, Man.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS CANADA.

Ottawa, 11th May, 1914.

Memorandum:

Mr. Scott,

With respect to the question as to whether this Department can deal with the application of the Greater Winnipeg Water District Corporation for the bed of Indian Bay in the Province of Manitoba as set forth in the letter of the Corporation Solicitor hereunder, dated the 30th March last, I beg to say that I have discussed the matter with the Department of Justice and that it is the opinion of that Department that the bed of the said Indian Bay is a part of the reserve which surrounds it, and accordingly that the Department of Indian Affairs could properly deal with the said application.

A.S. Williams

Law Clerk.

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J. G. HARVEY, K.C.

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MAY 9 1914

GREATER WINNIPEG WATER DISTRICT

SOLICITORS OFFICE

408 Garry Bldg.

WINNIPEG

May 6, 1914.

Duncan C. Scott, Esq.,
Deputy Superintendent-General,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

461043

Dear Sir:-

Re Application of the Greater Winnipeg Water District, Re bed of Indian Bay.

I beg to acknowledge receipt of your favor of the 2nd. inst., and note that this matter is apparently being considered as part of the Indian Affairs.

Is it the opinion of your Department that the bed of Indian Bay is part of any Indian Reserve? I had not considered it as such.

With regard to the Maps,Drawings,and Description referred to I will obtain these as soon as possible and forward same to you.

In the meantime would you kindly advise me as to whether you consider the bed of Indian Bay part of any Indina Reserve and if so,of what reserve?

I am obliged to you for your expression of being favorably disposed to the District in regard to the matter.

Yours truly,

JGH/ J.G. Harvey

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May 12th. 1914.

Sir,

In reply to your letter of May 6th. I have to inform you that I have taken advice on the question of the ownership of the bed of Indian Bay and I am told that it is part of the Indian Reserve No. 40. Before taking further action it will be necessary for me to have your maps, drawings and descriptions, to which we previously referred.

Yours very truly.

Deputy Superintendent General.

J. C. Harvey, Esq., K.C.,
Solicitor,
Greater Winnipeg Water District,
Winnipeg, Man.

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May 15th. 1914.

All that portion of the bed of Indian Bay in Shoal Lake which lies within the Province of Manitoba and being more particularly bounded as follows:-

Commencing at the point where the boundary line between the Province of Manitoba and the Province of Ontario intersects the north shore of Indian Bay aforesaid; thence in a general southwesterly direction following the shore line of said Indian Bay to the mouth of Falcon River; thence southerly across the mouth of said Falcon River to the west shore of said Indian Bay; thence in a general southeasterly direction, following the shore line of said Indian Bay to the point where the aforesaid boundary line between the Province of Manitoba and the Province of Ontario intersects the south shore of said Indian Bay and thence due north along said boundary line between the Province of Manitoba and the Province of Ontario to point of commencement.

" G. B. McColl."

O.K. L.B. 27 May 1914

To be amended L.B

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GREATER WINNIPEG WATER DISTRICT

MAY 23 1914

SOLICITORS OFFICE

408 Garry Bldg.

WINNIPEG

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May 18, 1914.

Duncan C. Scott, Esq.,

Deputy Superintendent General,

Ottawa.

Dear Sir:-

Re Bed of Indian Bay.

I beg to acknowledge receipt of your favor of the 12th, inst.,

Enclosed herewith I beg to forward you Blue Print, showing by red hatching that portion of Indian Bay which the District is asking for and also a Surveyor's description covering same.

Kindly let me know if the enclosures are sufficient for your purposes.

Yours truly,

J.G. Harvey

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Ottawa, May 26, 1914.

File 447,733.

Memorandum for the Deputy Superintendent General:-

Referring to Mr. William's memorandum of the 11th instant, I beg to state that I have initialled as being correct the description signed by Mr. J. B. McColl of that part of the bed of Indian Bay being a part of Shoal Lake lying within the Province of Manitoba.

It is to be noted that according to a quotation from Mr. Dawson's report in the Schedule of Indian Reserves published by the Department of the Interior in 1877 that only those islands in Shoal Lake on which the Indians had gardens appear to have been allotted to them. I presume that it is not to be assumed that all the islands in Indian Bay are the property of the Indians because they are situated in the Bay which is nearly surrounded by their reserve.

O. Bray

Chief Surveyor.

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File 447,733.

Ottawa, June 1, 1914.

Memorandum for the Deputy Superintendent General.

I discussed the matter of the valuation of the bed of Indian Bay, lying within the limits of the Province of Manitoba, with Mr. Orr. We are of the opinion that 50¢ per acre, including the islands and parts of islands in that part of the Bay, would appear to be a reasonable sum to demand from the applicants. The total area is approximately 3000 acres. The sum to be demanded is therefore $1500.00. If the applicants object to paying this sum we would suggest that a special valuator be appointed.

E. Bray

Chief Surveyor.

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June 4, 1914.

Dear Sir:-

With reference to your application of March 30, last, for a grant of that part of the bed of Indian Bay, situated in the Province of Manitoba, and subsequent correspondence, I beg to inform you this matter has been taken into consideration and to say that the total area in the Bay, within the limits of Manitoba, including the Islands and parts of Islands, situated in the said portion of the Bay, is approximately 3000 acres and that $1500.00, being at the rate of 50¢ per acre, appears to be a reasonable sum to demand in payment for the said bed of the Bay and including as stated the Islands and parts of Islands situated therein. If you ~~concur and~~ will forward the said sum to this Department an Order in Council will be applied for, transferring the bed of the Bay and the Islands and parts of Islands referred to, to such corporation as you may direct. ~~If you object to paying this sum it is intended to appoint a special valuator to arrive at what~~

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J. G. Harvey, Esq.,
Solicitor's Office,
Greater Winnipeg Water District,
408 Garry Building,
WINNIPEG, Man.

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what may be considered to be a reasonable sum to pay for the premises in question.

Yours very truly,

Sgt H. C. Scott.

Deputy Superintendent General.

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June 9, 1914.

Duncan, C. Scott, Esq.,
Deputy Superintendent General,
of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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Dear Sir:-

I have the honor to acknowledge receipt of your favor of the 5th, inst., referring to my Application of March 30th, last, for a grant of that part of the bed of Indian Bay situate in the Province of Manitoba. I am forwarding your letterto the Administration Board of the Greater Winnipeg Water District for action in regard thereto.

I think that the Board will highly appreciate the information contained in it.

Yours truly,

J G Harvey

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June 25, 1914.

Duncan C. Scott, Esq.,
Deputy Superintendent General
of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

Dear Sir:-

I beg to advise you that the Administration Board of the Greater Winnipeg Water District at their last meeting have accepted your offer to transfer to the District all that part of the bed of Indian Bay situated in the Province of Manitoba including all the Islands and parts of Islands, (in all approximately 3,000 acres,) for the sum of $1500.00.

Will you kindly send me the description of the property such as you propose to have included in the grant?

Yours truly,

J G Harvey

JGH/

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July 7, 1914.

J. D. McLean, Esq.,
Assistant Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

Dear Sir:-

I beg to acknowledge receipt of your favor of the 3rd. inst., enclosing description proposed to be inserted in the Patent that is to be issued to the Greater Winnipeg Water District for part of the bed of Indian Bay.

Yours truly,

J G Harvey

JGH/

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July 9, 1914.

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J. D. McLean, Esq.,
Assistant Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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Dear Sir:-

Re Indian Bay.

I beg to advise you that the description proposed to be inserted in the Patent that is to be issued to the Greater Winnipeg Water District for part of the bed of Indian Bay, which I received from you a few days ago, has been checked over by the officials of the District and is accepted and satisfactory.

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The Administration Board of the Geeater Winnipeg Water District has also formally passed a resolution accepting your offer.

Some months ago a sketch of certain other land along the shore of the bay and extending back some distance there-from was deposited in some department at Ottawa. I do not know whether it was in your department or not. However it had reference to the land which was being obtained by the District on account of the gravel deposits there.

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With reference to this land I beg to advise you that our surveying party expects to have a proper surveyor's description of this land prepared within the next month, when same will be forwarded.

Will you kindly look into this matter and let me know if it is being handled through your department or if not, through what department?

It is the wish of the District to settle for both the bed of Indian Bay and this other parcel at the same time; I presume that there is no necessity of forwarding the $1500.00 for the bed of Indian Bay immediately.

Yours truly,

J.G. Harvey

JGH/

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Ex'd.

Ottawa, July 17, 1914.

Sir,

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 9th instant and to inform you that there is no immediate necessity to forward the sum of $1500.00 for the bed of Indian Bay. The said sum may be forwarded together with the amount due for the areas required on the mainland. The necessary Order in Council will not be applied for until the said sums are received. The case is being dealt with entirely by this Department.

Your obedient servant,

Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

J. G. Harvey, Esq.,
Solicitor, Greater Winnipeg Water District,
408 Garry Building,
WINNIPEG, Man.

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INDIAN AGENTS OFFICE. KENORA. ONT:-

No.132-9.-

July. 20th. 1914:-

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Sir:-

While on treaty Payments, and recently when out to Shoal Lake the Indians was very much excited about the work of the Grater Winnipeg Water works, and requested me to tell them what right they had to operate on their Reserve, and demanded to know what they were to get for the land taken up. and what quantity is taken from them,

As I have not received any Official report on this matter, I was not in a position to give them any definate reply, and they are now pressing me for a definate reply, I would therefore ask if you will kindly give me the information they ask for, and in any case I think it would be well to have the boundries of what is given to the Winnipeg Water works, Surveyed by Mr Gillon. so the Indians will know just where they are at. A reply will oblige.

I have the honour to be

Sir

Your obedient servant.

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W. S. McKenzie

Indian Agent.

The Secretary;-

Dept of Indian Affairs:-

Ottawa Ont.,

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Ottawa, July 27,1914.

Sir,-

In reply to your favour of the 20th inst. I beg to say that the Greater Winnipeg Water District has made application for two portions of Indian reserve No.40 coloured red on the plan herewith containing approximately two hundred and eighty-eight(288) acres. They have also applied for Indian Bay including the islands therein shown coloured green on the inclosed blueprint.

The Corporation of the city of Winnipeg has the power to expropriate the lands required, but you may assure the Indians that their rights will be safeguarded by the Department.

Your obedient servant,

p.s. J.D. McLean

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

R.S.McKenzie,Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Kenora, Ont.

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Ottawa, Dec. 23, 1914.

Asst. D.M. for O.C. - authorizing this sale. S.B. +

Sir,

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 14th instant and of cheque for $1500.00, being payment for the grant of that part of the bed of Indian Bay, Shoal Lake, lying within the Province of Manitoba, together with all Islands therein.

You state that you forwarded the plans of the lands required in the Indian Reserve, to Ottawa and that for some reason they have not been returned approved by the Surveyor General. I have to say that the tracts required being situated in Indian Reserves do not require the approval of the Surveyor General. ~~The plans should be forwarded to this Department with as little delay as may be possible.~~ Will you therefore ~~have the Kindness~~ be kind enough to have the plans forwarded ~~to~~ to this Dept. at your earliest convenience.

Your obedient servant,

Sgd. J. D. McLean

Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

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J. G. Harvey, Esq., K.C.,
Greater Winnipeg Water District,
Solicitors Office,
WINNIPEG, Man.

+ Law Clerk
The Greater Winnipeg Water District has the requisite statutory authority as referred to in Sec. 46 of the Indian Act as amended by S.1, Ch. 14, 1-2 Ed. V. for taking and using land without the consent of the owner?
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OK — A.S.W.

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Ottawa, December 5, 1914

Sir,-

I beg to refer to my letter to you of the 17th July last in reply to your letter of the 9th of that month in which you stated that your surveying party expected to have proper plans and description of the lands you desire to acquire in the Indian reserve on the main land within a short time and I have to request that you will be good enough to forward at your earliest convenience the plans and description referred to, and at the same time that you will kindly forward the sum of $1500.00 for the bed of Indian Bay to-gether with the sum for areas on the reserve.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

J.G. Harvey, Esq.,
Solicitor, Greater Winnipeg Water District,
408 Carry Building,
Winnipeg, Man.

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December 10,1914.

Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

Dear Sir:-

Re Reference No. 447733.

I beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 5th, inst., enquirying as to Plans and description of lands required by the Greater Winnipeg Water District on Indian Reserve No. 40.

I have forwarded this letter to the Commissioners of the District requesting them to attend to it at once.

Yours truly,

J.G. Hawes

JGH/

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December 14, 1914.

Superintendent-General of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa.

Dear Sir:-

Enclosed herewith I beg to forward to you Greater Winnipeg Water District cheque for $1500.00 being in payment for the grant from the Dominion Government of all that part of the Bed of Indian Bay lying within the Province of Manitoba together with all Islands therein, containing approximately three thousand (3000) acres.

With regard to the lands required bythe District on the Reserve, I am in receipt of a letter from the Chairman of the Board of Commissioners of the District, stating that these plans had been filed in Ottawa some months ago and for some reason or other have not been returned approved by the Surveyor-General.

I am not certain that the Price that was to be paid for lands on the Reserve has been agreed upon between the Department and the District. I have no recollection of such an Agreement having been come to. Will you

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kindly let me hear from you with regard to this point and oblige?

Yours truly,

J G Harvey

JGH/

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Superintendent-General,

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa.

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Dear Sir:-

Re Greater Winnipeg Water District.

As requested in your favor of the 23rd. ult., I herewith beg to forward you, in duplicate, Plan of the lands required by the Greater Winnipeg Water District in Indian Reserve No. 40.

Will you kindly advise me further in this connection as soon as possible?

Yours truly,

J G Harvey

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Plans received and recorded as rcd plan 1370. DW. J.B.

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1 Dy. Minister
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Ottawa, 3rd February 1915.

Sir,-

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 13th ultimo, and of the plans therein referred to showing the lands required by the Greater Winnipeg Water District in Indian Reserve, No.40. The two areas shown on the plan contain together 355 acres. In accordance with previous understanding the rate to be paid for this land ~~is~~ $3.00 per acre. The sum of $1065.00 should be forwarded to the Department and on its receipt the necessary Order in Council will be applied for, When the Order in Council has been passed the patent will issue in due course.

S.B. Smt

Your obedient servant,

(sgd) J D. McLean

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

J.C.Harvey Esq.,
Solicitor etc.,
408 Garry Building,
Winnipeg, Man.

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February 17, 1915.

Superintendent-General,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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Dear Sir:-

Enclosed herewith find cheque for $1065.00 in full of lands required from Dominion Government Indian Reserve No. 40, as per Plan filed in your office showing acreage required 355 acres.

Yours truly,

J G Harvey

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Ottawa, 25th February 1915.

DESCRIPTION FOR ORDER IN COUNCIL

A parcel of land of varying width extending along part of the north-westerly shore of Shoal Lake, along the Falcon River and the south shore of Snake Lake to the west limits of Indian Reserve number forty (40) containing three hundred and ten acres more or less and a narrow strip or parcel of land extending from the south shore of Shoal Lake ~~and right of way two hundred (200) feet wide from this parcel~~ to the north shore of Snowshoe Bay, ~~together~~ containing forty-five (45) acres more or less, these parcels being shown on plan recorded under number 1370 in the Surveys Branch of the Department of Indian Affairs.

S.B.

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Ottawa, February 26, 1915.

His Royal Highness

The Governor General in Council.

The undersigned has the honour to state that the Solicitor for the Greater Winnipeg Water District has applied to the Department of Indian Affairs for that part of the bed of Indian Bay, in Shoal Lake Indian reserve, No. 40, together with the islands therein situated within the province of Manitoba and comprising three thousand acres, more or less, and for two parcels of land on the mainland of the said reserve comprising together three hundred and fifty-five acres, more or less, situated within the said province of Manitoba.

The part applied for covering the bed of the bay and the islands therein - which has been paid for in full by the District Corporation at the Department's valuation of 50¢ per acre for the three thousand acres concerned - may be described as follows:-

"All the islands, parts of islands, "and all the land covered by water in that portion "of Indian Bay, being a part of Shoal Lake, situated "within the limits of the Province of Manitoba, "containing approximately three thousand acres and "described as follows:- Commencing at the intersec- "tion of the interprovincial boundary with the water's edge

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"edge of Indian Reserve No. 39a; thence westerly, south-
"westerly and easterly following the water's edge of Indian
"Bay in the said Indian reserve No. 39a and Indian reserve
"No. 40, to the interprovincial boundary; thence north
"approximately one hundred and sixty chains along the
"said interprovincial boundary to the point of commence-
"ment."

The two parcels on the main land - which have been paid for in full by the district corporation at the Department's valuation of $3.00 per acre - may be described as follows:-

"A parcel of land of varying width extending
"along part of the north-westerly shore of Shoal lake,
"along the Falcon river and the south shore of Snake lake
"to the west limits of Indian reserve No. 40, containing
"three hundred and ten acres more or less, and a narrow
"strip or parcel of land extending from the south shore
"of Shoal lake to the north shore of Snowshoe bay, con-
"taining forty-five acres, more or less, these parcels
"being shown on a plan recorded under No. 1370 in the
"Survey branch of the Department of Indian Affairs."

These areas are required by the Greater Winnipeg Water District in connection with the diversion of the waters of Shoal lake and the Lake of the Woods for use by the inhabitants of the said district for domestic and sanitary purposes.

The undersigned would recommend that, under section 1 of Chap. 14, 1-2 Geo. V, authority be given for the sale by the Department of Indian Affairs of the said

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said three thousand three hundred and fifty-five acres, more or less, to the Greater Winnipeg Water District for the purposes above mentioned.

W. J. Roche

Superintendent General
of Indian Affairs.

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Certified copy of a Report of the Committee of the Privy Council, approved by His Royal Highness the Governor General on the 3rd March, 1915.

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The Committee of the Privy Council have had before them a Report, dated 26th. February, 1915, from the Superintendent General of Indian Affairs, submitting that the Solicitor for the Greater Winnipeg Water District has applied to the Department of Indian Affairs for that part of the bed of Indian Bay, in Shoal Lake Indian Reserve, No 40 together with the islands therein, situated within the province of Manitoba and comprising three thousand acres, more or less, and for two parcels of land on the mainland of the said reserve comprising together three hundred and fifty-five acres, more or less, situated within the said province of Manitoba.

The Minister states that the part applied for covering the bed of the bay and the islands therein - which has been paid for in full by the District Corporation at the Department's valuation of 50¢ per acre for the three thousand acres concerned - may be described as follows:-

"All the islands, parts of islands, and all the land "covered by water in that portion of Indian Bay, being a "part of Shoal Lake, situated within the limits of the "Province of Manitoba, containing approximately three "thousand acres and described as follows: Commencing "at the intersection of the interprovincial boundary with "the water's edge of Indian Reserve No 39a; thence west-"erly, southwesterly and easterly following the water's "edge of Indian Bay in the said Indian reserve No 39a and "Indian reserve No 40, to the interprovincial boundary; "thence north approximately one hundred and sixty chains "along the said interprovincial boundary to the point of "commencement."

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The two parcels on the main land - which have been paid for in full by the District Corporation at the Department's valuation of $3. per acre - may be described as follows:-

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The Honourable
The Superintendent General of Indian Affairs.

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"A parcel of land of varying width extending along
"part of the north-westerly shore of Shoal Lake, along
"the Falcon river and the south shore of Snake lake to
"the west limits of Indian reserve No 40, containing three
"hundred and ten acres more or less, and a narrow strip
"or parcel of land extending from the south shore of Shoal
"lake to the north shore of Snowshoe bay, containing
"forty-five acres, more or less, these parcels being
"shown on a plan recorded under No 1370 in the Survey
"Branch of the Department of Indian Affairs."

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These areas are required by the Greater Winnipeg Water District in connection with the diversion of the waters of Shoal lake and the Lake of the Woods for use by the inhabitants of the said district for domestic and sanitary purposes.

The Minister recommends that, under Section 1 of Chapter 14, 1-2 George V, authority be given for the sale by the Department of Indian Affairs of the said three thousand three hundred and fifty-five acres, more or less, to the Greater Winnipeg Water District for the purposes above mentioned.

The Committee submit the same for approval.

W. B. Lee Edwards

Clerk of the Privy Council.

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Ottawa, 11th March 1915.

Sir,-

I beg to draw your attention to my letter to you of December 5th last, asking that a description be forwarded as well as a plan. Kindly forward this description in order that the patent may be prepared.

I am forwarding to you to day under separate cover by registered mail, your plan of the land required at Shoal Lake.

Kindly have the I.P.stone M., to which the survey is tied, definitely located, as for instance, I.P.stone M. ¼ section corner, N.boundary, section 32, Tp.7, R.17, E.P.M., if such is correct The plan states Tp.8. If possible the chainage of your traverse line where it crosses the west boundary of I.R.No.40, should be shown.

Please make these corrections as well as any other additions which may be found necessary in making the description, as the plan will be referred to in our patent, returning the plan with description at your earliest convenience.

Your obedient servant,

Sgd J D McLean

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

C.H.Harvey Esq.,
Solicitor,
Greater Winnipeg, District
408 Garry Bldg.,
Winnipeg, Man.

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All those portions of Indian Reserve No. 40 described as follows; firstly, commencing at a point in the west boundary of said Indian Reserve, distant northerly thereon 1533 feet from the north boundary of section 32, in township 7, Range 17 east of the Principal Meridian in Manitoba; thence south 79° 48' east 2564 feet; thence south 83°01' East 2585.6 feet; thence due south 900 feet; thence due East 1330 feet more or less to the west shore of Indian Bay; thence north easterly following said west shore to its intersection with a line drawn north of, parallel with and 2380 feet perpendicularly distant from the last mentioned course; thence due west 637.9 feet; thence due north 1200 feet, thence due west 1600 feet; thence due south 1100 feet, thence due west 1600 feet; thence due south 500 feet; thence due west 2586 feet more or less to its intersection with the north bank of the Falcon River; thence westerly, following the north bank of the Falcon River to Snake Lake; thence westerly along the south shore of Snake Lake to its intersection with said west boundary of Indian Reserve; thence southerly along said west boundary to point of commencement.

Secondly, commencing at an iron post on the north shore of Snowshoe Bay; perpendicularly distant easterly 100 feet from the centre line of the Canal Cut of the Greater Winnipeg Water District; thence north 21° 17' west 1687 feet; thence south 89° 55' east 1200 feet; thence north 0° 05' east 558.7 feet; to the south shore of Indian Bay; thence in a westerly direction following the south shore of said Indian Bay to a point where the production in a straight line westerly of the second described course intersects said shore line; thence south 89° 55' east 1500 feet

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more or less to a point perpendicularly distant westerly 200 feet from the first described course; thence south 21° 17' east 1765 feet more or less to the shore line of Snowshoe Bay; thence easterly along said shore of Snowshoe Bay to the point of commencement.

The bearings used in this description are Astronomic, and are referred to the meridian through the centre of Range 17 east.

The above descriptions are intended to cover all those portions of Indian Reserve No. 40, taken by the Greater Winnipeg Water District, as shown on a plan of survey registered in the Winnipeg Land Titles Office as No. 2365.

S.E. McColl
D.L.S.

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J.G. HARVEY, K.C.

GREATER WINNIPEG WATER DISTRICT

SOLICITORS OFFICE

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408 GARRY BUILDING

WINNIPEG

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
MAR 23 1915

March 20, 1915.

Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

Dear Sir:-

Re Greater Winnipeg Water District
and Indian Reserve No. 40.

In accordance with your letter of the 11th. instant we have had the Surveyor make the suggested corrections on the Plan and we are herewith returning the Plan to you together with a Surveyor's Description of the lands purchased by the District.

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MAR 24 1915
SURVEYS

Yours truly,
J.G. Harvey

JGH/

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Also all the Islands,parts of Islands,and all the land covered by water in that portion of Indian Bay,being a part of Shoal Lake,situated within the limits of .the Province of Manitoba,containing approximately three thousand acres,and described as follows;- COMMENCING at the intersection of the Interprovincial boundary with the water's edge of Indian Reserve No.39A.;thence Westerly, South Westerly and Easterly,following the water's edge of Indian Bay,in the said Indian Reserve,No. 39A. and Indian Reserve No.40,to the Interprovincial boundary,thence North approximately one hundred and sixty chains along the said Interprovincial boundary,to the point of commencement.

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F.447733 Ottawa, 26th March 1915.

DESCRIPTION FOR PATENT

~~All those parcels of land situate in the Shoal Lake Indian Reserve No. 40 in the Province of Manitoba, Dominion of Canada~~ X

containing together by admeasurement three hundred and fifty-five acres more or less, more particularly described as follows,-

FIRSTLY all that part of the said Indian Reserve containing three hundred and ten acres more or less and which may be more particularly described as follows,-

COMMENCING at a point on the west boundary of said Indian Reserve distant three hundred and twenty-one feet and four-tenths of a foot easterly and fifteen hundred and thirty-three feet northerly from the I.P.M. at the quarter section corner on the north boundary of Section 32, Township seven, Range seventeen, East of the Principal Meridian; thence south seventy-nine degrees and forty-eight minutes east twenty-five hundred and sixty-six feet; thence south eighty-three degrees and one minute east twenty-five hundred and eighty-five feet and six-tenths of a foot; thence due south nine hundred feet; thence due east thirteen hundred and thirty feet more or less to the west shore of Indian Bay; thence northerly and easterly following the said west shore to its intersection with a line drawn north of, parallel with and twenty-three hundred and eighty feet perpendicularly distant from the last mentioned course; thence due west six hundred and thirty-seven feet and nine-tenths of a foot; thence due north twelve hundred feet; thence due west sixteen hundred feet; thence due south eleven hundred feet; thence due west sixteen hundred feet; thence due south five hundred feet; thence due west twenty-five hundred and eighty-six feet more or less to its intersection with the north bank of the Falcon River; thence westerly, following the north bank of the Falcon River to Snake Lake;

thence

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thence westerly along the south shore of Snake Lake to its intersection with said west boundary of Indian Reserve; thence southerly along the said west boundary to point of commencement.

SECONDLY all that part of said Indian Reserve containing forty-five acres more or less, which may be more particularly described as follows,-

COMMENCING at an iron post on the north shore of Snowshoe Bay; perpendicularly distant easterly one hundred feet from the centre line of the Canal Cut of the Greater Winnipeg Water District; thence north twenty-one degrees and seventeen minutes west sixteen hundred and eighty-seven feet; thence south eighty-nine degrees and fifty-five minutes east twelve hundred feet; thence north five minutes east five hundred and fifty-eight feet and seven tenths of a foot, more or less, to the south shore of Indian Bay; thence in a westerly direction following the south shore of said Indian Bay to a point where the production in a straight line westerly of the second described course intersects said shore line; thence south eighty-nine degrees and fifty-five minutes east fifteen hundred feet more or less, to a point perpendicularly distant westerly two hundred feet from the first described course; thence south twenty-one degrees and seventeen minutes east seventeen hundred and sixty-five feet, more or less to the shore line of Snowshoe Bay; thence easterly along said shore of Snowshoe Bay to the point of commencement, as said parcels of alnd are shown tinted red on plan of record in the Surveys Branch of the Department of Indian Affairs under number 1370.

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Donald J. Robertson

See over

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GREATER WINNIPEG WATER DISTRICT

SOLICITORS OFFICE

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WINNIPEG

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
MAY 1915

May, 17, 1915.

Duncan C. Scott, Esq.,
Superintendent General of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

Dear Sir:-

479598

Re Greater Winnipeg Water District
and Indian Reserve No. 40.

Will you kindly send me a certified copy of the Plan of Record in your Department as No. 1370; a Certified Blue Print will be sufficient? If you will let me know your charges for same, I will at once remit?

Kindly let me have the certified copy as soon as possible, as the District Registrar here wequires it before granting a Certificate of Title to the District for the land included in your Grant to the District, dated April 7th. 1915, Ref. No. 17481.

Yours truly,

J G Harvey

JGH/

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Ottawa, 26th May 1915.

Sir,-

In accordance with your request of the 17th instant I beg to enclose herewith certified blue print copy of plan No.1370 showing the lands required by the Greater Winnipeg Water District in the Indian Reserve No.40 at Shoal Lake, Man.

Your obedient servant,

Sgd' J. D. McLean

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

J.G.Harvey Esq.,
Solicitor, Greater Winnipeg Water District,
408 Garry Building,
Winnipeg, Man.

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GREATER WINNIPEG WATER DISTRICT

SOLICITORS OFFICE

WINNIPEG

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May 31. 1915.

Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

47938

Dear Sir:-

I beg to acknowledge receipt of your favor of the 26th. instant enclosing certified Blue Print copy of Plan No. 1370 showing the lands required by the Greater Winnipeg Water District in Indian Reserve No. 40 at Shoal Lake Manitoba.

Yours truly,
J G Harvey

JGH/

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Thoal Lake
Ingolf Ont,

Dec 19/18

R. S. MacKenzie! —

This is asking the Gavernment for the Paty for the Reserve. The place was the best part of our Reserve. This part is what the "The ~~Winnipeg~~ Water district" are working at, The Said is very good for Farming. Good timber, Good Hay Land. We are now very anxious for "The district" to Pay for our Land, and if ~~they~~ are not wibling to pay for our Land, I think they had better Hand it back. I think it is time for you to fix up with us. I will come over and see you myself I will Start from here on 5-th of April, I am going with the Interpiter, John James Sinclater, We are all willing for our chief to go over and see you.

Yours Truly.
Chief Redsky

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INDIAN AGENTS OFFICE. KENORA. ONT:-

December 31st. 1918:-

Closed

Sir:

The enclosed letter has been received here from Chief Redsky. of Shoal Lake Band No.40. And I submit the same for your consideration and advice as to what reply to give the Chief, as he will be asking for one shortly.

As it will be rather difficult for you to understand this letter, I may explain just what the Chief and Band wants, or at least a part of their wants. They want to know just how much they are to get for the Land taken by the Water District, and what they will get at once. The Chief and band wants the Chief to go to Ottawa to have an enterview with you on this and some other matters which he has not explained to me as yet, when he was last here he asked me if J. J. Linklater could go down with him also if I would go.

I told him I thought they could get all the satisfaction without his going down, and that I could not say any thing as J. J. Linklater or my self going down, I told him that would rest all together with your openion.

They are quite disatisfied with this and he is bound to go down as he states he has many things to talk over with you, besides the land matter,

The Chief of Whitefish Bay is also asking for privelage to go down to see you, and states the expence could be charged up to their trust account.

I have the honour to be
Sir.
Your obedient servant.

R. S. McKenzie

Indian Agent.

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Ottawa. Ont.-

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447,733.

Ottawa, January 10, 1919.

Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 31st ultimo, No. 132-9, in regard to disposition of land on Shoal Lake.

In reply I would say that the Greater Winnipeg Water District acquired under the provisions of section 46 of the Indian Act, on the 3rd of March, 1915, property on the Shoal Lake Indian reserve, comprising 3,000 acres of islands and land covered by water in Indian Bay, and 355 acres of land on the reserve. The property was duly valued and the purchaser paid in accordance with valuation placed thereon the sum of $1500 for the land covered by water and $1065 for the land on the reserve, making a total of $2,565, which amount was duly placed to the credit of the Band funds.

You will be good enough to explain the above to the Chief, at the same time advising him that of course the Band is entitled to be paid interest on the above purchase money.

As to desire of the Chief of Whitefish Bay, to come to the Department, I beg to say that you should advise him to furnish you with a request for any information that he may desire, and upon submitting same to the Department, full information will be given, and you will be advised as to whether it will then be considered necessary for the Chief to come to the Department.

Your obedient Servant,

J. D. McLean

Assistant Deputy & Secretary.

R. S. McKenzie, Esq., Indian Agent, Kenora, Ont.

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447733. No.132-9:-

INDIAN AGENTS OFFICE, KENORA, ONT:-

February. 18th. 1919:-

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
FEB 21 1919
RECORDS

519699

Sir:-

In reply to your letter No.447,733. January, 10th 1919.- Regarding Chief Redsky's request to visit you at Ottawa, and the information given in your letter above quoted,

I have had the Chief in here and fully explained the full contents of your letter to him, and while he states that it is fairly satisfactory, yet it was not altogether this matter he wished to see you personaly about, there is many other things he wishes to discuss with you face to face, which could not be done by letter, which is for the benifit of the Department & Indians,

Both the Chief and Band are very desirous that the Chief, Interpreter and my self should go down to see you, and have all their grevinces settled up,and will not be satisfied untill their request is granted.

They further state that they expect the Department to pay their expenses, but if not they would be willing to have the cost of their trip charged up to their Trust Account,

So far as I am concerned I am not looking for the trip, but I know they will not be ever satisfied, except they make the trip down to see you with my Interpreter and my self, And they trust your will authorize the trip at once.

I may further say that the Chief of Whitefish Bay Band is very anxious for a reply to their request to go down to see you. as asked for in their letter of 16th Jan, 1919, forwarded under cover of my letter Feb 7th1919. No.132-12.

I have the honour to be
Sir.
Your obedient servant.

Asst, Deputy & Secretary:-
Dept of Indian Affairs:-
Ottawa, Ont.,

R. S. MacKenzie

Indian Agent.

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Ottawa, February 26, 1919.

Sir,-

In reply to your letter of the 18th instant regarding Chief Redsky's request to visit Ottawa with yourself and an interpreter, I beg to state that owing to sessional and other duties it will be useless for the delegation to visit Ottawa during the session, and there appears to be no reason why the Indians should not submit their requests through yourself or Mr. Inspector Semmens and upon their receipt the same will receive proper consideration. You will kindly advise the Indians accordingly.

As to the request of the Chief of the Whitefish Bay band, you were informed in regard to this in my letter of the 17th February, No.152054.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

R. S. McKenzie, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Kenora, Ont.

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Sale of land in Shoal Lake Reserve No-40 to Greater Winnipeg Water District realized $ 2,565.00

50% the equity of the Indians = $ 1282.50

Interest to 31st March 1919 = 465.70

1748.20

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447,733.

Ottawa, April 28th., 1919.

Sir,-

In further reference to the money realized from the sale of land in Shoal Lake Reserve No. 40, to the Greater Winnipeg Water District, I beg to state that the Department has decided to distribute to the members of the band 50 per cent of the money received together with the accrued interest to the 31st March last. A cheque for the following amount will be sent you and you should make the distribution on the basis of $15.00 per head, viz:-

One half of $2,565.00 -	$ 1,282.50	
Interest	465.70	$ 1,748.20

Should there be a surplus after making the distribution of $15.00 per head, you should return it to the Department to be placed to the interest account of the Band for future use.

Blank forms of pay list are being sent under separate cover.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

R. S. McKenzie Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Kenora, Ont.

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MAY 5 1919
RECORDS

INDIAN AGENTS OFFICE, KENORA, ONT:-

May. 2nd. 1919:-

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MAY
KENORA

Sir:- 522526

I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 28th Ultimo. No.447,733. also the blank forms of pay lists named there in.

And in reply to say your instructions will be carried out. May I ask that in the case of orphant children, under the age of 16 years should the money be paid to them, or funded to their credit with the Department, In the usual way of children at the Schools.

I have the honour to be

Sir.

Your obedient servant.

R. S. McKenzie

Indian Agent.

Asst, Deputy & Secretary:-

Dept of Indian Affairs.-

Ottawa, Ont.,

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447,733.

116B.

Ottawa, 6th May, 1919. EXD.

Sir,-

Referring to your letter of the 2nd instant, relative to the distribution of land money to the Shoal Lake Band No.40, I beg to state with regard to the share due the orphan children that the Department is of the opinion that the money should be paid to the guardians who look after them. In the case of Orphans attending Boarding Schools, if you do not think the guardians are entitled to this money, it should be returned to the Department and the amount entered in the column headed "Amount returned to Department for Absentees". The name of the child and the reason for returning the money should be given in the column for remarks. The money for all other absentees should also be returned in the same manner, and payment will be made later by cheques on receipt of vouchers when the absentees return or the children leave school.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

R. S. McKenzie Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Kenora, Ont.

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INDIAN AGENTS OFFICE, KENORA, ONT.,

ACCOUNTANT
JUN 18 1919
BRANCH

June. 12th. 1919:-

524140

Sir:-

With further refrence to your letter of April 28th 1919. No.447,733.In refrence to the land in Shoal Lake Reserve No.40. and the amount which was realized from the Greater Winnipeg water district,

In which you stated that a cheque would be sent me for the sum of $1748.20. to pay over to the Indians of that Band, I told the Chief this would be done at the payments,as that is the only time it can be done properly.

On my arriaval home as no cheque had arrived, I wired you to day as follows. Ref Letter April 28.No.447,733, Money for Shoal Lake Band not here yet wating, Wire Imperial Bank to gave me the money.(Rush.) I trust this will be found in order, as I am all ready to leave on the morning of the 13th. and if the money is not here, it will be a great disapointment to the Indians, and will cause me a lot of trouble.

I have enough of the treaty money to pay them but I do not feel justified in making use of it in this way, and trust the money will be here in the morning.

I have the honour to be

Sir.

Your obedient servant.

R.S. McKenzie

Indian Agent,

Asst, Deputy & Secretary:-

Dept of Indian Affairs.-

Ottawa, Ont.,

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COMMISSIONERS:
R. D. WAUGH, CHAIRMAN
J. H. ASHDOWN

W. G. CHACE, B.A.Sc.
CHIEF ENGINEER

GREATER WINNIPEG WATER DISTRICT

WINNIPEG, 3rd October, 1919

The Rev. John Semmens,
Indian Agent,
Winnipeg Man.

Dear Sir:

I beg to enclose herewith blue print of drawing A.523 showing additional lands which would provide for the District control of the approach to and the area covered by the sandy beach at Indian Bay. There is approximately 20 acres in the portion shaded. You will note that we have excluded the Indian Cemetery.

My object in writing you is to obtain your suggestions as to the best method of dealing with this matter. We have no desire to further encroach on the Indian reserve but as visitors are going down continuously during the summer to Indian Bay we feel that from the standpoint of protecting our water supply we should have some jurisdiction or control over the bathing beach and that at the same time everything in reason ought to be done to protect the Indian cemetery from destruction. We are, of course, willing to co-operate with your Department in any plan which would be mutually agreeable.

Yours truly,

R D Waugh

RDW/H. Chairman of Commissioners

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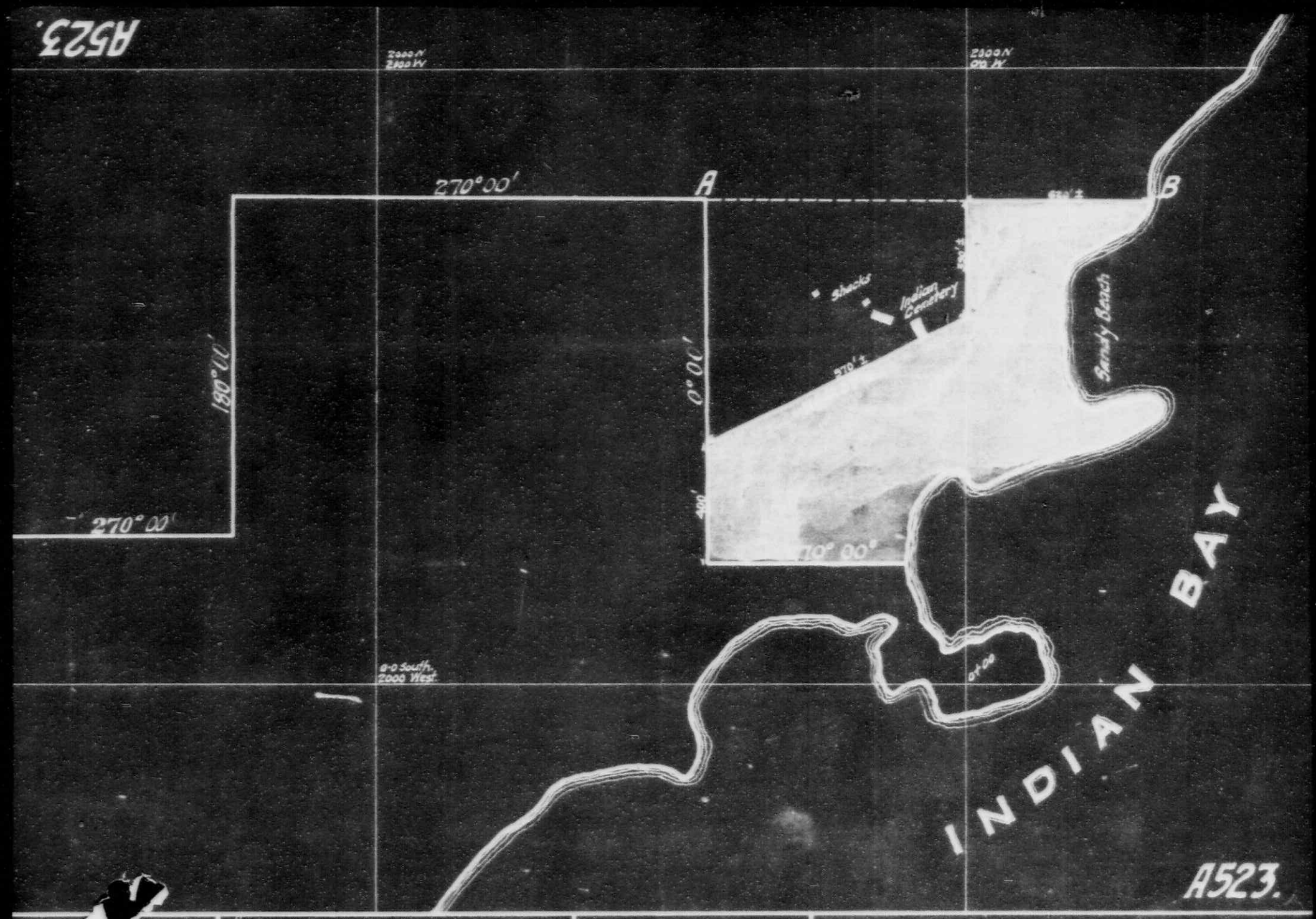

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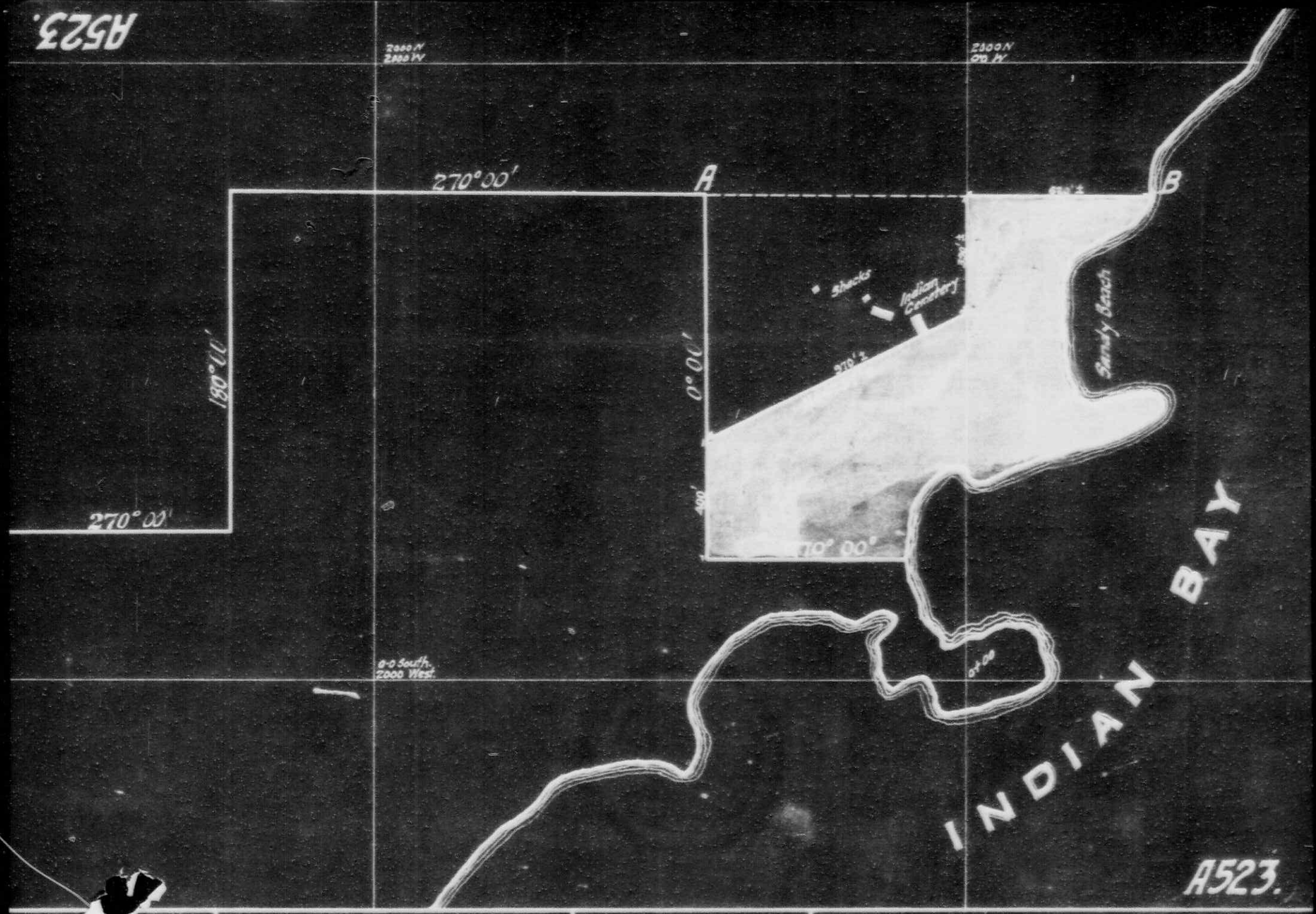
Chief Engineer.

GREATER WINNIPEG WATER DISTRICT.
Plan of Proposed Additional Land
26/9/19 at Indian Bay. Scale 1" = 400 ft.



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OFFICE OF THE
INSPECTOR OF INDIAN AGENCIES
LAKE OF THE WOODS INSPECTORATE

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Winnipeg, Man., October 7th, *1919.*

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OCT 11 1919
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The Assistant Deputy & Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario.

528052

Sir,-

The Chairman of Commissioners, Greater Winnipeg Water District has written me several times asking about the possibility of their obtaining about twenty acres more of the Indian Reserve at Shoal Lake No. 40.

At my request they have submitted a plan which I now enclose indicating by the shaded portion just what they would like to have.

The object which they have in view is to obtain control of the sandy beach marked on the plan. Heretofore bathers from excursion parties have been making use of this sandy beach without any formal right thereto, and the Commissioners have looked upon the privilege taken as somewhat of a trespass on Reserve Rights. If it were purchased by them this idea of trespass would be avoided and the Water District would feel that they could control this matter much to their own advantage.

I submit the request to the Department for consideration and for such action as may be deemed best under the circumstances.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,

Inspector of Indian Agencies.

LANDS BRANCH
OCT 10 1919

D. H. G.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

CANADA

Ottawa, October 15th 1919.

Memorandum

Deputy Minister,-

With reference to the letter hereunder of the 7th instant from Mr. Inspector Semmens, I beg to state that the tract of land containing about twenty acres in the Shoal Lake Indian reserve No. 40, applied for by the Commissioners of the Greater Winnipeg Water District in order that they may be able to control the waters of the lake in front, appears to be a necessary provision to keep the water supply for the city of Winnipeg as pure as possible.

I beg to recommend that Mr. Semmens be instructed to place a fair valuation on the said tract of land and to inform the Indians that it is intended to dispose of the land under the provisions of section 46 of the Indian Act. Demand will then be made on the Commissioners for payment of the compensation and the necessary Order-in-Council may be applied for,

A correct plan of survey of the property will be required showing also that no portion of the Indian cemetery and no Indian improvements are included.

I may add that the land already in the possession of the Greater Winnipeg Water District was granted in a similar manner to the foregoing.

S. Bray

Chief Surveyor.

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Ottawa, 21st October 1919.

Sir,-

Referring to your letter of the 7th instant relating to the proposal submitted to you by the Commissioners of the Greater Winnipeg Water District that they be permitted to acquire a tract of twenty acres in the Shoal Lake Indian reserve, you are requested to forward to the Department a report showing what you consider to be a fair valuation of the land in question, and if any portion of the tract is occupied by Indian improvements of any kind, in which case your report should contain a separate valuation of the improvements of each individual Indian.

Kindly request the Commissioners to forward to this Department for the purpose of record, a proper plan of survey of the tract required. This plan should be signed by a Provincial Land Surveyor as well as one of the Commissioners or their representative.

Your obedient servant,

Sgd. J.D. Soudeau.

Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

John Semmens Esq.,
Inspector of Indian Agencies,
Winnipeg, Man.

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OFFICE OF THE
INSPECTOR OF INDIAN AGENCIES
LAKE OF THE WOODS INSPECTORATE

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
DEC 19 1919
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Winnipeg, Man., December 9th, 1919. -

The Assistant Deputy & Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
DEC 15 1919
SURVEYS

Sir,-

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J. H[illegible]ASHDOWN

W. G. CHACE, B.A.Sc.
CHIEF ENGINEER

GREATER WINNIPEG WATER DISTRICT

WINNIPEG,

March 6th, 1920.

Mr. John Semmens,
403 Breadalbane Apts.,
Winnipeg, Man.

Re Land at Intake.

Dear Sir,-

The acreage which the District will require is about 32; a Provincial land surveyor is now being engaged to make the necessary plan for your purposes.

Will you be good enough to advise at what rate per acre land can be obtained.

Yours truly,
W G Chace
CHIEF ENGINEER.

WGC/D.

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Waugh, Man. Feb. 20th. 1920.

Dear Mr. Semmens:-

I have this day had opportunity to speak to Cheif Redsky, re the matter of land, saught to be purchased from Band 40, by the Greater Winnipeg Water District, and he advises that there is no person living on the part of the land wanted, at this time there was a party living there, who built a house on the land by name of No cha wa-betung.

He further advises that the band wishes to clean the land before selling, and that they will do this in the spring.

Hoping that this is the information you was seeking, and that if there is any further way that I may serve that you will feel free to call on me, I am,

Yours very sincerely,

P. T. Martin

P.S. The cheif wishes me to advise that Edward received his two checks that he was telephoning you about, that he received them last night, and wishes to thank you very much for your help in the matter.

P.T.M.

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CHIEF ENGINEER

GREATER WINNIPEG WATER DISTRICT

WINNIPEG, 20th February, 1920

The Rev. John Semmens,
Inspector of Indian Agencies,
Chambers of Commerce Building,
Winnipeg Man.

Dear Mr. Semmens;

I beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 19th instant re land taken from Indians at the Lake. I think this will now close that matter.

Yours truly,

R D Waugh

RDW/H

Chairman of Commissioners

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January 26th, 1920.

Chief Redsky Band No. 40

Shoal Lake-- Ontario.

My dear Chief,-

I have now found out all the circumstances of the deal which the Winnipeg Water District and the Department of Indian Affairs and the Indians of Band 40 entered into in regard to the land etc adjacent to the "Intake" at Indian Bay.

Five Hundred Acres were purchased by the G.W.W.D. and the price paid was 2,565,00, two thousand five hundred and sixty five dollars.

Half of this was to be given to the Indians with interest. Half would be 1,282.50.

Interest amounted to 465.70, altogether 1748.20. Of this amount 1710.00 were paid out to the Band June 14th, 1919 at the rate of 15.00 per head. The balance remains in Ottawa at interest, I hope this is plain and clear.

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So far as we know that matter ended there, for the Water District have taken all the filling that they have used from the land which they bought and paid for. Because the land was bought and paid for, they had the right to use their own property without reference to anybody.

Hoping that this will be satisfactory to you and your Band I remain yours

Very Sincerely,

John Semmens

Inspector of Indian Agencies.

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Indian Office, Winnipeg,
February 19th, 1920.

R.D. Waugh, Esq.,
Chairman of Commissioners,
GReater Winnipeg Water District,
CITY.

Dear Mr. Waugh,-

I have your letter of the 18th instant enclosing copy of a letter from Chief Redsky dated January 20th, 1920, both of which have reference to land transfered from Band No. 40 Shoal Lake, Ontario to your district.

For your information and in reply to your letter above quoted I now enclose a copy of my own letter to Chief Redsky, dated January 26th.

So far as I see this should close the whole matter in question as the information given to the Chief is full and explicit.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,

John Semmens
Inspector of Indian Agencies.

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CECELIA JEFFREY SCHOOL

Jan.20/20

R. D. Waugh,
Chairman of Commissioners

Dear Sir:

Received your letter dated January 3rd, 1920.

I would be very pleased if you would let me know the cost of the whole works here at my reserve½ The value if the sale of sand and gravel. Both the acres of land. I would like you to let me know soon as possible because all my indians are anxious to know the cost of everything what we sold to the District. Our Indian Agent doesn't really know exactly what it cost.

Yours truly

Chief Redsky

Indian

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W. G. CHACE, B.A.Sc.
CHIEF ENGINEER

GREATER WINNIPEG WATER DISTRICT

WINNIPEG, 18th February, 1920

The Rev. John Semmens,
Indian Agent,
Chambers of Commerce Building,
Winnipeg Man.

Dear Sir:

I am enclosing you copy of a letter which I have received from Chief Redsky. I have not answered it because I do not know what he wants. For instance he wants to know "the cost of the whole works here at my reserve". He also says that his Indians are anxious to know the cost of everything that they sold to the District. You can readily understand that this is a very large order if it means that we have to go back over our books for the past five years and pick out all the items relative to our dealings with the Indians. We can readily say what we paid for the land but beyond that I do not see that they are concerned in any way with the cost of the whole work on the reserve. As a matter of fact there is none of our work on the Indian Reserve as it now exists and we bought and paid for the land which was originally included in the Indian Reserve but which is now the property of the District.

Yours truly,

R D Waugh

RDW/H.

Chairman of Commissioners

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OFFICE OF THE

Chief Inspector of Indian Agencies,

WINNIPEG, January 26 th 1920

Dear Mr Mc Kenzie,-

I have your letter of the 24 th inst in regard to the "Sand and Gravel" row that Chief Redsky has been raising. He is away off in regard to the matter for Commissioner Waugh informs me that all the filling used was taken from the property of the District. This will end this contentious question I should think.

I am glad to get the figures you were good enough to send me as I am now in a position to show the Chief that no injustice has been done him or his Band. He will be disappointed to find that there is no cause for alarum or anxiety for I think they really enjoy making a fuss about something or other .

There is nothing new here at present except that three or four of Dr Grains family are down with Influenza or "Grippe" Poor Dr he has just come out of hospital and is not quite well after his operation so this trouble just makes so much extra trouble for him.

Cold and stormy to day but you seem to have your full share of this down your way so there is nothing new to you in such an announcement.

Again thanking you for the information sent and with very kind regards to you all I remain

Sincerely Yours

John Semmens

R.S.Mc Kenzie Esq
Kenora Ont

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No.300:-

INDIAN AGENTS OFFICE, KENORA, ONT:-

January. 24th. 1920:-

Rev, John Semmens.-

I. S. of I. A.

Winnipeg, Man.-

Dear Mr Semmens.-

I have yours of the 23rd. Inst, with a copy of a letter from Chief Redsky and a number of his band, as I see this is the Chiefs original letter do you want me to send it back to you or not, of course it would be on file here for future use.

In reply to say that I remember the meeting spoken of, what was said at the time, Was this they told me they could get 3¢ per yard for the sand and garvell, I told them they should get 5¢ per yard, but that in no case could they sell it, without authority fro the Department, and that the Dept would look after their intrest, this was all that was said at that time. Later on the G.W.W.D. Exapropriated the Land, and the following is what the Department sent me last April 28th. 1919:-as follows sale of Land to G. W.W.Distric

$2,565.00		
one half of this.	$1,282.50.	
Intrest on above.	465,70.	
	$1,748.20.	

Of this amount $1710.00 was paid out to the band on June 14th 1919. at the rate of $15.00 per head. and so far as I know they have no further claim for the land which the G. W. W. District has paid for. or for any sand or gravel that they are harping about. as no direct promis was ever made to them by me. further than what is herein stated.

I trust this will be satisfactory, No I cannot see why Bury. should interfere in our business, it makes things harder for me, & it is none of his business anay way.

Yours sincerely.-

R. S. McKenzie

Indian Agent.-

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OFFICE OF THE

Chief Inspector of Indian Agencies,

WINNIPEG, January 23 rd 1910

Dear Mr Mc Kenzie,-

I have a letter from Redsky re the Sand and gravel of which I spoke when you were here last. He is still confident that you were party to an arrangement whereby the Indians were to receive five cents per yard for any of this commodity used by the G.W.W.D. railway

Commissioner Waugh claims that he has only used filling from the land purchased by the District which was not the property of the Indians after the purchase was completed.

I am sending you a copy of the Chief's last letter which explains itself. They seem to be worked up over itand are anxious to know just what was paid for and how much stands to their credit on the deal. So far as I know 500 acres were sold. I am not sure of the price paid per acre nor do I know what arrangement was made about the disposition of the funds accruing from said sale. I suppose that the amount was as usual credited to the Capital account of the Band .

I cannot see why Drury should dip into this thing and promise a yoke of Oxen to Redsky . Nor does it appear plain why there was no money as D. says to the credit of the Band. There is some apparent difficulty that requires explanation. No doubt you will be able to give information which will put matters in a clearer light.

I shall be glad if you will give me a reply as soon as convenient as the Water District are anxious to secure more land as I indicated to you and I am sure <u>they</u> will not consent to further negotiations until the dispute in question is cleared up.

With Kindest regards to all down your way

Yours Sincerely

John Semmens

I.I.A.

R.S.Mc Kenzie Esquire

Indian Agent

Kenora

Ontario

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Cecilia Jeffrey School
Care G.W.W.District
Waugh Ontario Man

Dear Sir
John Semmens
Inspector Indian Agencies

In answer to your letter dated January 18 th 1920 about the sand and gravel . We remember holding a meeting at my house with Mr Mc Kenzie and Mr Furgusonwas there and Mr Charles Fraser. Chief Kesick was interpreter at that time. Mr Mc Kenzie heard that this sand and gravel was to be bought from the Indian Reserve and Mr Mc Kenzie came to Shoal Lake and held a meeting at my house (Indian Joe Councillor) . We all agree to depend on you to see to this matter for us.Weall know that we held a meeting here about the sand a gravel. Please kindly give your strength to find this out for us.

Chief Redsky says Mr Mc Kenzie only paid us on acres of land of Indian Reserve .He said that we are receiving payment of 500 acres of Indian Reserve.

Last summer I spoke to the timber Inspector about getting a team of oxen He said to mehe will see the Department about it and he would send them right away, and later I received a letter from him . He said we have not sufficient account to buy the oxen. And thats where I happen to know where all the money have gone to, on the "Sand and Gravel" Will you kindly ask the Commissioner R.D.Waugh the amount of everything and sand and gravel, t the whole property of Indian Bayand let us know the cost of the Reserve which we are sold to the G.W.W.District

P.S.

The first agreement about making sale of sand and gravel . They offered they offered us three cents per square yard and Mr Mc Kenzie said we could leave it to Government to make sale for five cents per square yard. So we all agree to leave it to the Government to make the sale of sand and gravel

We are all very anxious to give us your strength to look after this matter.

Indian Signatures

Chief Redsky	X	His mark	
Oshashenahco	X	His Mark	Councillor
Bald-head	X	His Mark	Councillor
Cheenah	X	His Mark	
Nahwahchewapetung	X	His mark	
Jim Cheenah	X	His Mark	
Peter Redsky	X	His Mark	
Opahshusk	X	His Mark	
Okeshe koona	X	His Mark	

Witnesses to Signatures

Kayshe an a quash X His Mark
E. Redsky X His Mark

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Wishing you the very best of help from you we all greet you very much

Yours Sincerely

Chief Redsky. X His Mark.

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Indian Office, Winnipeg,
January 6th, 1920.

Chief Redsky,
Reserve No. 40,
Shoal Lake, Ont.

Dear Chief,-

I am herewith enclosing a copy of a letter received today from Commissioner Waugh of the Greater Winnipeg Water District, in respect to the sand and gravel of which you made mention in your letter to me, of the 20th of December, 1919.

Commissioner Waugh's letter explains itself and we should be glad if you can give us more definite information on the question under consideration.

I may say that I have consulted Mr. Agent McKenzie in regard to the sand and gravel question, and he informs me that he knows nothing about it and does not remember presiding at any meeting where the subject was discussed.

Awaiting your further reply, I am

Yours sincerely,

John Semmens

Inspector of Indian Agencies.

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CHIEF ENGINEER

GREATER WINNIPEG WATER DISTRICT

WINNIPEG, 3rd January, 1920

The Rev. John Semmens,
Inspector of Indian Agencies,
Winnipeg Man.

Dear Sir: Your Ref. No. 500

I beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter of January 2nd enclosing copy of letter dated December 20th signed by Chief Redsky. I have made inquiry from Mr. Chace, our Chief Engineer, as to the statements of the Indians that they were to be paid five cents a yard for sand and gravel. Mr. Chace tells me that this is the first intimation that he has ever had of any such claim and during my connection with the Water District I have never heard it even referred to before. As you are no doubt aware, all the material that was taken for the building of the dyke was taken from our own property and all the small test pits are also on the property which the Water District bought from the Indians. Perhaps you can obtain further information from the Indians as to what sand and gravel they refer to, where it was taken from and what official of the District made the arrangement which they claim was made, as to payment of five cents per yard.

Yours truly,

R D Waugh

RDW/H Chairman of Commissioners

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OFFICE OF THE

Chief Inspector of Indian Agencies,

WINNIPEG, January 5th, 1920.

Chief Redsky,
Reserve No. 40,
Shoal Lake, Ont.

Dear Chief,-

I have your letter of recent date in regard to the sale of land from your Reserve to the Greater Winnipeg Water District, and am seeking further information from Commissioner Waugh in regard to this matter.

I am also enclosing copy of a letter just received from the Medical Superintendent, showing the condition of Benjamin Mah-ma-koo-we-kes-ik-wa-pe, concerning whom inquiry was made during my last visit to Shoal Lake.

When I have further word from Commissioner Waugh, I will write to you again.

Very sincerely yours,

John Semmens

Inspector of Indian Agencies.

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January 2nd, 20.

R.D. Waugh, Esq.,
Commissioner, G.W.W.D.,
CITY.

Dear sir,-

I am enclosing a letter just received from the Indians of Reserve No. 40, Shoal Lake, Ontario signed by Chief Redsky, which is interesting and self-explanatory.

It would appear that some arrangement had been made between yourself and the Indians in regard to the purchase of a certain quantity of sand. You promising to pay five cents per yard for the quantity taken. Personally I know nothing of this, but the Indians are expecting a statement and wish to know whether the price has been turned in to the Department. As settlement of this question appears to be required by them before they will agree to sell more land. I shall be glad to hear from you in regard to this.

You will also note what they have to say in regard to the price of additional land required for Park purposes.

Very sincerely yours,

John Semmens

Inspector of Indian Agencies.

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Decika Jeffrey School.
c/o Waugh Manitoba.

Dear Sir:- Dec. 20/19

Mr. Simons Inspector

We would like to find out about the sand & gravel first what they have done about it, we would like to find out the amount of that sand & gravel; "They offered us five cents per "yd" of the Reserve." We only received payment of 500 acres of Indian Reserve and what about the sand & gravel.. "about the sand & gravel we were all agree to sell the sand & gravel. "Before we could make any arrangments of selling another piece of Land at the Reserve, we would like to find out about the gravel; "We made a little meeting here with Mr McKenzie Indian agent about the sand & gravel.

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"We cant let it go for twenty Dollars per acre. "If it could be done to raise the price." Because it is needed for Exibition ground".
all my Indians here gathered to gether here today for the perpose.. please kindly give me further information.

Yours Truly

Chief Redsky.

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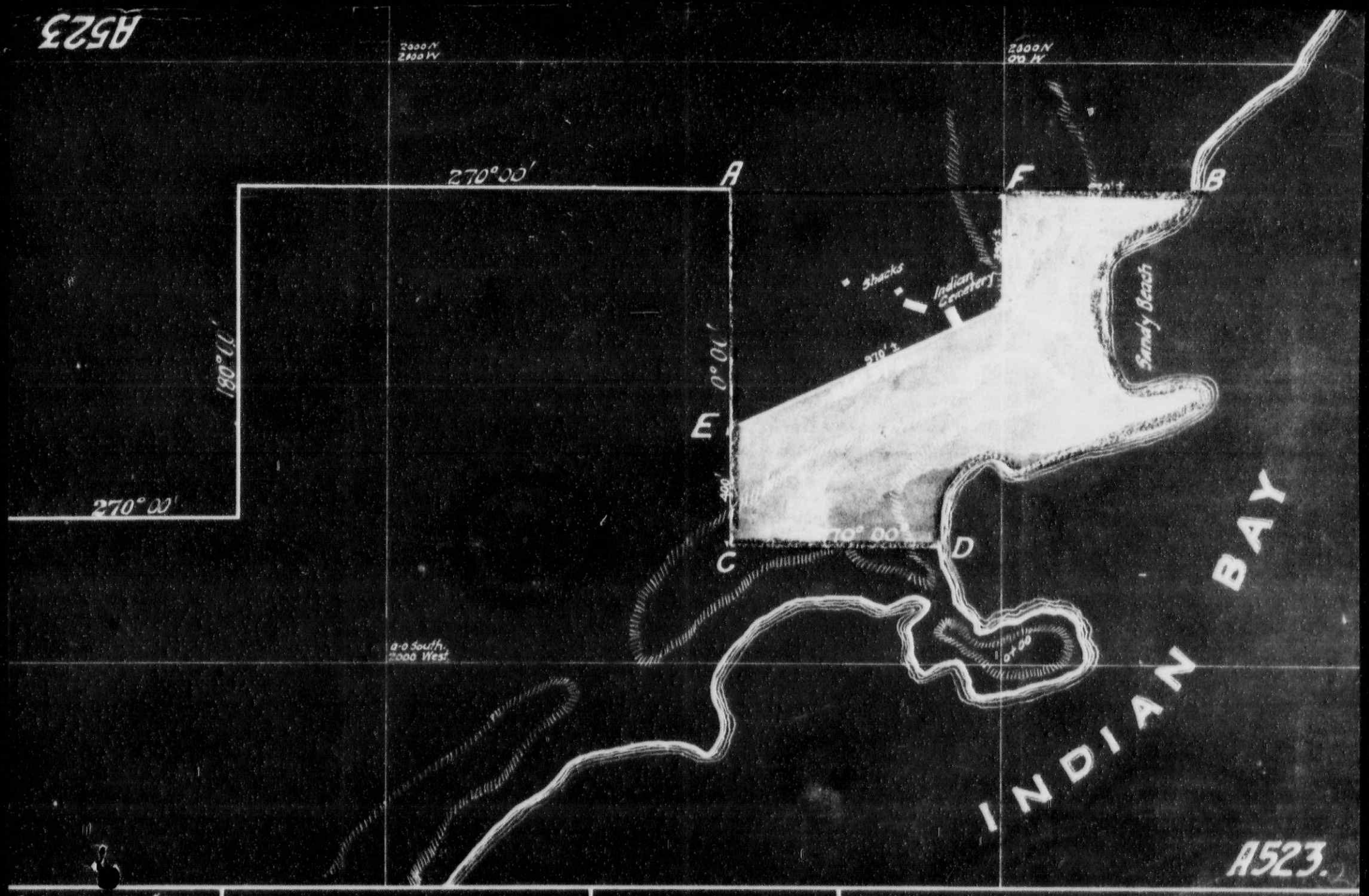

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Chief Engineer

GREATER WINNIPEG WATER DISTRICT.
Plan of Proposed Additional Land
26/9/19 at Indian Bay. Scale 1" = 400ft.

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GREATER WINNIPEG WATER DISTRICT

OFFICE OF THE

COMMISSIONERS

WINNIPEG

Dec 10/19

Memo for Mr Simmons.

Land proposed to be acquired consist of all within the Red line &.

I am sending you Blue print 4/0 enable you to locate the land and to enable you to determine whether or not you would be willing to recommend the sale to the District of two additional

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December 9th, 9. -

The Assistant Deputy & Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

Sir,-

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Sir,
Your obedient servant,
John Semmens
Inspector of Indian Agencies.

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November 5th, 9.

R.D. Waugh, Esq.,
Chairman, Board of Commissioners,
Greater Winnipeg Water District,
CITY.

Dear Sir,-

Referring to previous correspondence in regard to the surrender of twenty acres in the Shoal Lake Indian Reserve, I beg to enclose copy of a letter just received from the Department of Indian Affairs, Ottawa, which is self explanatory.

I should very much like to have a brief interview with you at any time that you will be convenient to yourself, so that I may be able to carry out the instructions received in the letter, which I now enclose.

My phone is Garry 988.

Very sincerely yours,

John Semmens

Inspector of Indian Agencies.

D.E.G.

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ADDRESS REPLY TO THE
SECRETARY, DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,
OTTAWA.

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 447733-1A
ALSO TO THE DATE OF THIS LETTER.
PLEASE WRITE ON ONLY ONE SUBJECT
IN EACH LETTER.

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA

Ottawa, 21st October 1919.

Sir,-

Referring to your letter of the 7th instant relating to the proposal submitted to you by the Commissioners of the Greater Winnipeg Water District that they be permitted to acquire a tract of twenty acres in the Shoal Lake Indian reserve,you are requested to forward to the Department a report showing what you consider to be a fair valuation of the land in question,and if any portion of the tract is occupied by Indian improvements of any kind,in which case your report should contain a separate valuation of the improvements of each individual Indian.

Kindly request the Commissioners to forward to this Department for the purpose of record,a proper plan of survey of the tract required. This plan should be signed by a Provincial Land Surveyor, as well as one of the Commissioners or their representative.

Your obedient servant,

D. M. Leans

Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

John Semmens Esq.,
Inspector of Indian Agencies,
Winnipeg, Man.

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GREATER WINNIPEG WATER DISTRICT.

Winnipeg 3rd October, 1919.

The Rev. John Semmens,
Indian Agent,
Winnipeg, Man.

Dear Sir:

I beg to enclose herewith blue print of drawing A.523 showing additional lands which would provide for the District control of the approach to and the area covered by the sandy beach at Indian Bay. There is approximately 20 acres in the portion shaded. You will note that we have excluded the Indian Cemetery.

My object in writing you is to obtain your suggestions as to the best method of dealing with this matter. We have no desire to further encroach on the Indian reserve but as visitors are going down continuously during the summer to Indian Bay we feel that from the standpoint of procting our water supply we should have some jurisdiction or control over the bathing beach and that at the same time everything in reason ought to be done to protect the Indian cemetery from destruction. We are, of course, willing to co-operate with your Department in any plan which would be mutually agreeable.

Yours truly,

(sgd) R.D. Waugh,

Chairman of Commissioners.

RDW/H

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October 7th, 9.

The Assistant Deputy & Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario.

Sir,-

The Chairman of Commissioners, Greater Winnipeg Water District has written me several times asking about the possibility of their obtaining about twenty acres more of the Indian Reserve at Shoal Lake No. 40.

At my request they have submitted a plan which I now enclose indicating by the shaded portion just what they would like to have.

The object which they have in view is to obtain control of the sandy beach marked on the plan. Heretofore bathers from excursion parties have been making use of this sandy beach without any formal right thereto, and the Commissioners have looked upon the privilege taken as somewhat of a trespass on Reserve Rights. If it were purchased by them this idea of trespass would be avoided and the Water District would feel that they could control this matter much to their own advantage.

I submit the request to the Department for consideration and for such action as may be deemed best under the circumstances.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,

John Semmens

Inspector of Indian Agencies.

D.E.C.

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August 20 th 9

Chairman of
Greater Winnipeg Waterways Commission
Tribune Building
City

Dear Sir,-

Some time ago you wrote me in regard to the right to use or lease a Sandy Bay adjacent to the intake at Kaugh Ontario.

My Department would be glad to receive a map showing the precise location of the property in question with measurements depth of lot and length of shore line so an application for lease of the same may be intelligently presented to the Indians and a surrender asked for.

I have the honor to be

Your Obedient Servant

John Semmens

Inspector of Indian Agencies
And Indian Schools.

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July 18th, 9.

R.D. Waugh, Esquire,
Chairman of Commissioners,
Greater Winnipeg Water District,
CITY.

Dear Sir,-

I have been absent from the city since the 29th of May last on a treaty paying trip, so that your favor of the 21st of June did not come to my notice until my return to my office on the 16th of the present month. I regret the delay which as you will see was unavoidable.

With reference to the use of the Sandy Bay at or near the intake of the Greater Winnipeg Water District system, I cannot think that the Indians will raise any objection to the present exercise of the privilege of bathing on the part of the excursionists visiting the locality.

To secure the permanent right to do so would necessitate some definite action looking to the lease of the property, so that the question of trespassing on the reserve might be overcome. This would have to be taken up with the Indian Department at Ottawa, and must be agreed to by the Indians interested.

It would, I am sure, be agreeable to the parties concerned if you were to place a neat fence around the graveyard so as to prevent any desecration of the graves of the Band.

I will at once communicate with the Secretary of our Department and ask that the terms of a lease may be drawn up which may be agreed to by the Indians and this would of course involve some slight financial contribution to the funds of the Band.

With regret for delay in responding to your kind letter and in hope that a satisfactory arrangement may be speedily made to secure to you and your commissioners the right desired.

Very respectfully yours,

John Sanmarez

Inspector of Indian Agencies.

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Re Land at the Waugh Station W.G.W.D. Fyle 500

COMMISSIONERS:
R. D. WAUGH, CHAIRMAN
J. H. ASHDOWN

W. G. CHACE, B.A.Sc.
CHIEF ENGINEER

GREATER WINNIPEG WATER DISTRICT

Please Return this Fyle
J.S.

WINNIPEG, 21st June, 1919

The Rev. John Semmens,
Indian Department,
Chambers of Commerce Building
Winnipeg Man.

Dear Sir:

There is a very nice small sand beach on the Indian Reserve property just a short distance north east of the boundary of the property owned by the Greater Winnipeg Water District at Indian Bay. The Water District have been running excursions to the Lake to permit the people of Winnipeg and the Winnipeg District to see the source of their water supply and to promote business over the railway. We have a considerable number of picnics in prospect during the summer and have inaugurated a Saturday train going and returning the same day. Anyone using this sand beach for bathing purposes is, of course, trespassing on the Indian Reserve and we do not wish to encourage that but, at the same time, we feel it would be a great acquisition to our attractions if we could make some arrangement with the Indian Department to have the privilege of using the beach. Possibly you can give us the necessary authority to use it or direct us how to proceed. It is of course not used by the Indians in any way as their village is not in this part of the Lake. I would be glad if you would let me know at the earliest possible moment what you can do for us in this connection.

I may also say that in this neighbourhood there is a small Indian Graveyard which is a source of great interest to the visitors. This graveyard is of course on the Indian Reserve. If you think it desirable I will be glad to give instructions to have the small spot, where the graves are, suitably fenced to keep the public from disturbing the graves.

Yours truly,

R D Waugh
Chairman of Commissioners

RDW/H

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MAY 17 1920
RECORDS

Indian Office, Winnipeg,

~~337564~~ May 12th, 1920.

The Assistant Deputy & Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
MAY 17 1920
SURVEYS

Sir,-

For about a year past the Greater Winnipeg Water District have been asking for the possession of a piece of land, twenty acres more or less from Reserve No. 40 Shoal Lake, Ontario in addition to the five hundred acres, which was originally purchased for Intake purposes. This portion of land is shown in the shaded part of the plan herewith submitted.

This twenty acres has been found on further investigation to be too small and the request has been renewed this time to include thirty two acres. This latter amount is included in the red line shown on the blue print.

The reasons why this land is required are as follows:- (1) To secure an enlargement to their present park and also (2) to obtain the sandy beach on the lake shore for bathing purposes, when the excursion season arrives.

The Indians are willing even anxious to sell, provided that a sufficient price can be obtained, and provided also that the amount of money realized by the sale is to be divided among them on a pro-rata basis.

LANDS BRANCH
MAY 17 1920

The Department has requested me to place a valuation on the land and to estimate the amount of money which should go to those who have built shacks on the property under consideration.

In reply to this I beg to say that I think $15.00 per acre is a sufficient remuneration or value for unimproved land. and thirty two acres at this valuation would amount to

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[redacted]o $480.00.

There are two shacks on the property, but no one lived there when I last visited the place. I think if those who built the shacks are still alive, they should receive $20.00 each as compensation, and that the dirty,filthy places should be burned down as quickly as possible.

There are Indian graves in the property enclosed in the red line in the plan. These are in two groups and I think they should be protected and inclosed by a neat fence to prevent possible desecration which would be resented by the native people.

I have repeatedly visited the offices of the G.W.W.D. and have personally requested Commissioner Waugh and Chief Engineer Chase to have a Provincial Land Surveyor sign the blue print as well as the resident Engineer, but they have shown no disposition to hurry and at this writing I am still minus the required signature,though it is promised for tomorrow and will be forwarded as soon as received.

Engineer Chace gives the boundaries of the property desired as follows:- Apparently Shoal Lake

North 1450 feet west
West 1200 " South
South 637-9 " East
East Lake Front North

SEE PLAN INCLOSED

I now recommend that a form of Surrender be drafted and that the whole matter be referred to Agent R.S.McKenzie of Kenora,so that he may present the case to the Indians at the forthcoming Treaty Payments and obtain their formal surrender of the land in question.

In order that you may intelligently understand the whole case I am forwarding my Fyle No. 500 showing every movement in this matter and shall be glad to have this returned at your convenience.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

John Semmens

Inspector of Indian Agencies.

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CANADA

Ottawa, 18th May 1920.

Description for Surrender

All that parcel of land in the Shoal Lake Indian reserve Number Forty, in the Province of Manitoba and Dominion of Canada, containing thirty-two acres more or less which may be more particularly described as follows,-

COMMENCING at the point where the North boundary of that parcel sold to the Greater Winnipeg Water District in 1915, intersects the shore line of Indian Bay in Shoal Lake; thence westerly along said North boundary six hundred and thirty-seven feet and nine-tenths of a foot; thence northerly along an easterly boundary of said previously conveyed tract twelve hundred feet; thence east fourteen hundred and fifty feet more or less to the shore of said Indian Bay; thence southerly following the windings and turnings of the said shore line to the place of beginning.

S.B.

LANDS BRANCH MAY 18 1920

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(Triplicate)

Know all Men by these Presents

THAT WE, the undersigned Chief and Principal men of

The Shoal Lake Band of Indians,

resident on our Reserve West of Shoal Lake,

in the Province of Ontario and Manitoba, ~~_____~~ and Dominion of Canada, for and acting on behalf of the whole people of our said Band in Council assembled, Do hereby release, remise, surrender, quit claim and yield up unto OUR SOVEREIGN LORD THE KING, his Heirs and Successors forever, ALL AND SINGULAR, that certain parcel or tract of land and premises, situate, lying and being in the Shoal Lake Indian Reserve No. 40, in the ~~County of~~ ~~_____~~ and Province of Manitoba, ~~_____~~ containing by admeasurement thirty-two acres ~~_____~~ be the same more or less and being composed of which may be more particularly described as follows,-

Commencing at the point where the north boundary of that parcel sold to the Greater Winnipeg Water District in 1915, intersects the shore line of Indian Bay in Shoal Lake; thence westerly along said north boundary six hundred and thirty-seven feet and nine-tenths of a foot; thence northerly along an easterly boundary of said previously conveyed tract twelve hundred feet; thence east fourteen hundred and fifty feet more or less to the shore of said Indian Bay; thence southerly following the windings and turnings of the said shore line to the place of beginning.

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TO HAVE AND TO HOLD the same unto His said Majesty THE KING, his Heirs and Successors forever, in trust to sell _____

the same to such person or persons, and upon such terms as the Government of the Dominion of Canada may deem most conducive to our Welfare and that of our people

AND upon the further condition that all moneys received from the sale _____ thereof, shall, after ~~deducting the usual proportion for expenses of management, be~~ payment of compensation for improvements thereon, be placed to our credit and interest thereon paid to us, in the usual way.

AND WE, the said Chief and Principal men of the said

The Shoal Lake Band of Indians _____ do on behalf of our people and for ourselves, hereby ratify and confirm, and promise to ratify and confirm, whatever the said Government may do, or cause to be lawfully done, in connection with the sale of the said land and the disposition of the moneys derived therefrom.

This surrender is granted on the distinct understanding that the Indian graves situate thereon shall be inclosed by a neat fence, and properly protected so as to prevent interference therewith.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands and affixed our seals this day of
in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twenty.

Signed, Sealed and Delivered,
IN THE PRESENCE OF

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File 447,733/1A.

May 19, 1920.

Sir,-

I beg to inclose form of surrender, in duplicate, covering 32 acres of land on the Shoal Lake Indian Reserve No. 40, which the Greater Winnipeg Water District are desirous of purchasing, and have to say that you are hereby authorized to submit the surrender to the Indians under and in accordance with the provisions of the Indian Act.

I am inclosing form of instructions for your guidance in taking surrender and have to request compliance with the requirements thereof, especially so in regard to furnishing a voters' list and certifying as to the number of Indians present at the meeting, the number voting for the surrender and the number voting against.

For your information I am also inclosing copy of a communication received from the Rev. John Semmens, Inspector of Indian Agencies, Winnipeg, and in connection with the request by the Indians for payment of the purchase price I may say that, under the Indian Act not more than 50% of the purchase price can be paid over to the Indians.

Your obedient Servant,

J. D. McLean

Acting Deputy Superintendent General.

R. S. McKenzie, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Kenora, Ont.

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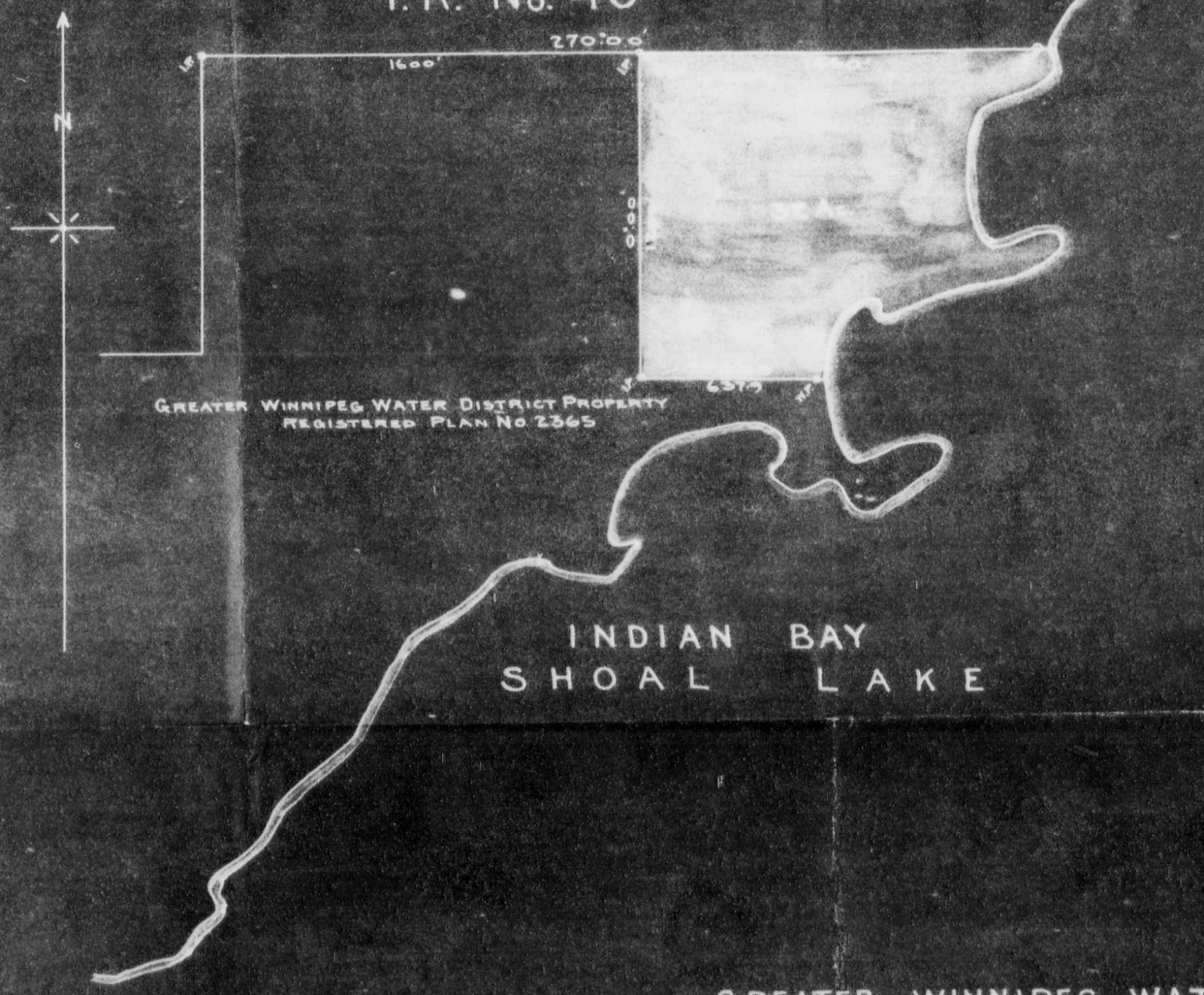
I. R. No. 40



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GREATER WINNIPEG WATER DISTRICT

PLAN SHEWING ADDITIONAL LAND REQUIRED AT INDIAN BAY

BEING PART OF INDIAN RESERVE No. 40

MANITOBA.

Scale 1 inch = 400 ft.

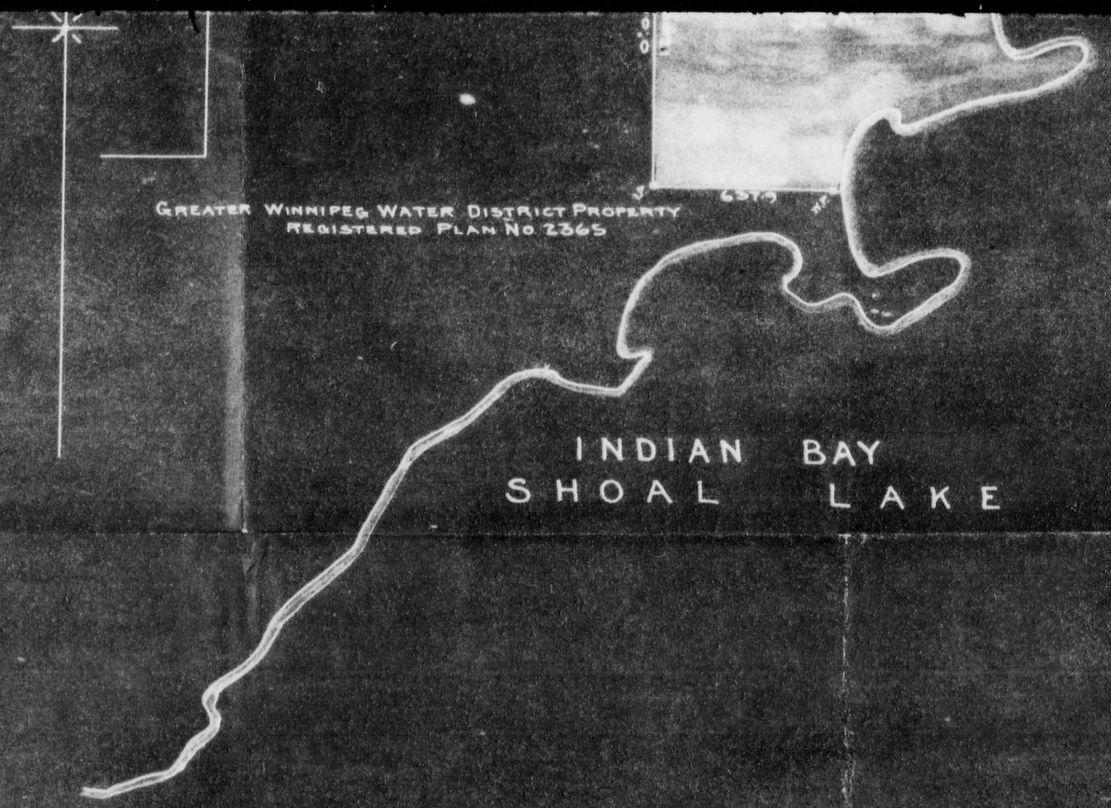
NOTES.

Surveyed lines and measured distances are in vermilion.
Previous surveys are in black.
Bearings are astronomical and expressed in degrees and minutes.
The bearings of this survey are obtained from previous surveys and are referred to the central meridian of Township 8, Range 17 E. P.M.
Distances are in feet and tenths.
The shore line of Indian Bay is identical with the shore line as shewn on Registered Plan No. 2423

I Samuel Ebenezer McCall of the City of Winnipeg, Manitoba Land Surveyor affirm and say that I was present at and did personally superintend the survey represented by this plan and that the survey and plan are correct, and that said survey was made by me on the ground on the 16th. day of March 1920.

Affirmed before me at Winnipeg this 18th day of March, A.D. 1920.

S. E. McCall
M.L.S.



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Distances are in feet and tenths.
The shore line of Indian Bay is identical with the shore line as shown on Registered Plan No. 2422
Additional land required is shown colored orange.
Iron pipe 2" in diameter by 36" long driven at point marked thus ⊙ I.P.

I Samuel Ebenezer McColl of the City of Winnipeg, Manitoba Land Surveyor affirm and say that I was present at and did personally superintend the survey represented by this plan and that the survey and plan are correct, and that said survey was made by me on the ground on the 16th. day of March 1920.
Affirmed before me at Winnipeg }
this 18th day of March, A.D. 1920. } S.E. McColl M.L.S.

A Commr. in B.R.

I Samuel Ebenezer McColl of the City of Winnipeg in the Province of Manitoba Dominion Land Surveyor affirm and say that I have in my own proper person according to law and the instructions of the Surveyor General faithfully and correctly executed the survey shown by this plan and that the said plan is correct and true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
Affirmed before me at Winnipeg, in the Province of Manitoba }
this 18th day of March, A. D. 1920. } S.E. McColl M.L.S.

A Commr. in B.R.

Approved for the Greater Winnipeg Water District.

Chairman of Administration Board.

Acting Chairman of the Commissioners.

Clerk of the Corporation.

Chief Engineer.

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Ref. No. 500

OFFICE OF THE
INSPECTOR OF INDIAN AGENCIES
LAKE OF THE WOODS INSPECTORATE

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
MAY 20 1920
SURVEYS

Winnipeg, Man., May 17th, 1920.

The Assistant Deputy & Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
MAY 21 1920
SURVEYS

Sir,-

I have just received and am enclosing without delay a blue print, showing the area of land 32 acres, which the Greater Winnipeg Water District desires to obtain from Reserve No. 40, Shoal Lake, Ontario.

The Indians think that the amount asked for per acre should be more than $20.00 per acre.

My own estimate as shown in my letter of May 12th, 1920 was $15.00 per acre.

The Water District are of the opinion that they should not pay more than they paid for the 500 acre purchase, which was $5.00 per acre.

It remains for the Department, knowing the varying opinions, to decide what is just and right.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,-
Your obedient servant,
John Semmens
Inspector of Indian Agencies.

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DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
MAY 25 1920
RECORDS

INDIAN AGENTS OFFICE, KENORA, ONT:-

May. 22nd. 1920:-

538104

Sir:-

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 19th Instant, No.447,733/1A. Re surrender of a certain part of Reserve No.40. Shoal Lake.

In reply to say that I will do my best to carry out your instructions, and obtain the surrender, But may say that I do not think the Indians will give the same, at the price now stated, they have been talking to me about this matter and The Chief and several of the band, told me they would not let this piece of their Reserve go for less than $25.00. per acre. as it was the best pice of land on the Reserve,

I however think if they got $20.00. per acre they might be agreable to let it go, My own openion is that it is worth that amount. if not more. I will however do my best, and I hope to have a reply before I go to that Reserve. on the 4th of June, next.-

I have the honour to be

Sir.

Your obedient servant.

LANDS BRANCH
MAY 28 1920

R. S. MacKenzie

Indian Agent.

Asst, Deputy & Secretary:-

Dept of Indian Affairs.-

Ottawa, Ont.,

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VOTE OF SHOAL LAKE BAND NO.40. TAKEN FOR THE SURRENDER OF A PART OF THEIR RESERVE TO THE DEPARTMENT. FOR SALE TO THE GREATER WINNIPEG WATER DISTRICT. JUNE 4th 1920.

		NAMES	FOR	AGAINST.	ABSENT.	
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"	8.	Osha saw aw go --------	/	--	----	
"	15.	Redsky. ----------	/	--	----	
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"	28.	Nah tah a cap po. -------	/	--	----	
"	30.	Sha put che way pe tung.-	/	--	----	
"	31.	Alfred Fair. ----------	/	--	----	
"	33.	Isaac Kabastraw.---------	-	--	----	absent.
"	39.	Keewayteenowininie.------	/	--	----	
"	40.	Kawingwaywetung.---------	-	--	----	absent
"	41.	George Cheena.----------	/	--	----	
"	43.	Edward Redsky. ---------	/	--	----	
"	49.	Kakahpayquajequep.-------	/	--	----	
"	51.	Kahbewaywaybeness.-------	/	--	----	
"	52.	Jim Redsky. ----------	-	--	----	absent
"	53.	Keegahpaynooininie.------	-	--	----	"
"	55.	Neichkahgekeejick. ------	-	--	----	"
"	57.	Na ta we pe tung. -------	/	--	----	
"	62.	Herbert Kee Jick. -------	-	--	----	absent
"	63.	Nananeequaweetung.-------	/	--	----	
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Certified a correct statement of all Indians present and who cast their vote this date. In my presence.-

R. S. McKenzie

Shoal Lake Reserve No. 40.

4th June. 1920.

Indian Agent.

Frank Edwards.
Clerk.

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" 33.	Isaac Thunderstraw.-------	-	--	----	absent
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" 40.	Kawingwaywetung.--------	-	--	----	absent
" 41.	George Cheena.----------	/	--	----	
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Certified a correct statement of all Indians present and who cast their vote this date. In my presence.-

R. S. McKenzie

Shoal Lake Reserve No. 40.

4th June. 1920.

Indian Agent.

Frank Edwards.
Clerk.

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Shoal Lake Reserve No 40.

June 4th 1920.

This is to certify that we, Chief, Head men and Band have surrendered to the Department of Indian Affairs that certain parcel of land named in the surrender paper to be sold to the Greater Winnipeg Water District, always provided that we must receive at least Twenty dollars ($20 00/100) per acre, otherwise the surrender papers so signed will become null and void

Chief Red sky. his X mark.

Head man. Oska saw aw go: his X mark

Head man. Pas qua quon dep: his X mark

Witness.

R. S. MacKenzie
Indian Agent.

Frank Edwards.
Clerk.

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DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
JUN 17 1920
RECORDS

INDIAN AGENTS OFFICE,,KENORA, ONT:-

June. 14th. 1920.

539104

Sir:-

Referring to your letter No. 447,733/1A. of May 19. 1920 Re the surrender of certain parcel of land on Reserve No.40.

I now beg leave to enclose for your consideration, the Surrender asked for, with a proviso, from the Band. that this land must not be sold for less than $20.00. per acre.

The Indians demand is attached to the surrender, and I trust this will be found satisfactory:

I have the honour to be
Sir.
Your obedient servant.

R.S.McKenzie

Indian Agent,

LANDS BRANCH
JUN 18 1920

Asst, Deputy and Secretary:-
Dept of Indian Affairs.-
Ottawa, Ont.,

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447,733/1A.

Ottawa, June 18, 1920.

Sir,-

Referring to your letter of the 12th ultimo and accompanying communication, from Mr. R. D. Waugh, Chairman of Commissioners of the Greater Winnipeg Water District, in regard to purchase of a portion of the Shoal Lake Indian Reserve No. 40, I beg to say that the Shoal Lake Band of Indians have surrendered 32 acres of this reserve to be disposed of for their benefit, on the express condition, however, that the land shall not be sold for less than $20 per acre.

Before taking action in regard to submission of surrender to His Excellency in Council for approval, I have to request that you will be good enough to ascertain and advise whether the Greater Winnipeg Water Commissioners are willing to pay the sum of $20 per acre for the 32 acres in question, ~~as if not, the Department is not disposed to recommend the surrender for acceptance.~~

Your obedient Servant,

J. D. McLean

Assistant Deputy & Secretary.

John Semmens,
Inspector of Indian Agencies,
Winnipeg, Man.

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J. G. HARVEY, K.C.

GREATER WINNIPEG WATER DISTRICT

SOLICITORS OFFICE

410 SOMERSET BUILDING **WINNIPEG**

Sept. 16, 1920.

J. R. Bunn, Esq.,
Department of Indian Affairs,
208 Chambers of Commerce,
City.

Dear Sir:-

Re Greater Winnipeg Water District
and Indian Reserve No. 40.

Enclosed herewith find Plan shewing the additional land required by the Greater Winnipeg Water District at Indian Bay, being part of Indian Reserve No. 40. (This Plan has been duly registered in the Winnipeg Land Titles Office as No. 2644) in order that you may have it approved of by your Department.

Yours truly,
J.G.Harvey,
per

Plan recorded under No. Irr 1370-A.
21. 18/12/1920

JGH/
Encl.

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SEP 20 1920
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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

CANADA

51,2669

Ref. No.....

Lake Winnipeg Inspectorate
Inspector's Office

Winnipeg.....17th....September,..1920.

The Assistant Deputy & Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
SEP 18 1920
SURVEYS

Sir,-

The inclosed communiaation and Plan, the same having reference to Indian Reserve #40, was handed on to me yesterday, to be forwarded to The Department at Ottawa.

There has been previous correspondence in this connection, through Mr Inspector Semmens who is unwell just now and unable to give the matter attention.

The letter explains itself, and the notes on the plan with the letter attached, gives necessary information as to what the Greater Winnipeg Water District management want.

I have the honor to be,
your obedient servant,

Inspector of Indian Agencies.

Enclosures.

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Ottawa, September 24, 1920.

Sir,-

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 17th instant and to inform you that it is proposed to approve of the plan you have forwarded showing the block of thirty-two acres in the Indian Reserve No. 40 at Shoal Lake, but, before taking any further action in this matter, a reply is desired to letter of the 18th of June, last, to the Inspector, Rev. John Semmens, in which he was requested to ascertain and advise whether the Greater Winnipeg Water Commissioners are willing to pay the sum of $20.00 per acre for the thirty-two acres in question.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie
For Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

J. R. Bunn, Esq.,
Inspector of Indian Agencies,
595 Broadway St.,
Winnipeg, Man.

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Ottawa, 3rd November 1920.

Sir,-

Referring to letter to you of the 24th September last I have to say that a reply has not yet been received from the Inspector, the Rev. John Semmens, to the letter to him of the 18th June last. I shall be obliged if you will ascertain and advise whether the Greater Winnipeg Water Commissioners are willing to pay the sum of $20.00 per acre for the extra area of 32 acres they require in the Shoal Lake Indian reserve No. 40.

Your obedient servant,

A. S. Williams

For Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

S. B.
A.S.W.

J.R.Bunn Esq.,
Inspector of Indian Agencies,
595 Broadway St.
Winnipeg, Man.

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Ref. No. Surveys

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Lake Winnipeg Inspectorate
Inspector's Office

Winnipeg 6th November, 1920.

The Assistant Deputy & Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.-

Sir,-

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
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I have your letter #447733-1A dated the 3rd instant.

I made inquiry in response to your letter of the 24th September last, #447733/1A, and was informed that action was being taken. This action was taken by the Board of the Greater Water Works of Winnipeg on the 10th October, this action authorised the purchase of the Indian Lands in Reserve #40, Shoal Lake, 32 acres at $20.00 per acre, by some oversight advice was not sent to the Department. I got this information this morning when I called at the office of the G.W.Works. The Chairman informed me that they would issue a cheque to cover this amount at any time it was called for.

Mr. Semmens asked for this information on June 28th, 1920, I beg to say. I have the honor to be
your obedient servant,

W. R. Byers

Inspector of Indian Agencies.

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Ottawa, 12th November 1920.

Sir,-

Referring to your letter of the 6th instant, be good enough to inform the Chairman of the Greater Winnipeg Water District that he should forward to this Department the sum of $640.00 in payment for the 32 acres of land required in the Shoal Lake Indian reserve No.40, being at the rate of $20.00 per acre. On the receipt of the said sum an Order in Council will be applied for accepting the surrender made by the Indians and authorizing the sale of the tract to the Greater Winnipeg Water District.

With reference to the request of the solicitors of the said Greater Winnipeg Water District of the 16th September last that the tracing forwarded with the letter should be approved by this Department, I have to say that we have no precedent for this procedure.

A certified copy of the registered plan should be forwarded to the Department and the patent when issued will then refer to the said plan; no approval appears to be necessary. If there is a copy deposited with the Registrar of the plan above mentioned, the one forwarded here will be retained, if not, it will be returned and a certified copy should be forwarded without delay.

Your obedient servant,

A. Mackenzie

For Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

J.R.Bunn Esq.,
Inspector of Indian Agencies,
595 Broadway,
Winnipeg, Man.

Recorded under No. Irr. 1370-A.
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Lake Winnipeg Inspectorate
Inspector's Office

Winnipeg 23rd November, 1920.

The Assistant Deputy & Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.-

Sir,-

I have your letter #447733-1A, dated the 12th instant.

I called on the Chairman of the Greater Winnipeg Water District the day this letter came to hand, and I asked him for the cheque to cover 32 acres of Indian Reserce # 40 at the rate of $20.00 per acre, total $640.00. I was propmptly promised this as soon as it could be prepared. Today I called and received the cheque, it had just come to hand completed.

I asked the Bank of Montreal to make it negotiatable without charge at Ottawa.

I have the honor to be,
your obedient servant,

Ina. R. Bunn

Inspector of Indian Agencies.

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Enclosure.

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RBM/LS 447733-1A

Ottawa, December 1, 1920.

His Excellency

The Governor General in Council.

The undersigned begs to submit herewith a surrender, in duplicate, given on the 4th day of June, 1920, by the Shoal Lake band of Indians, of the 32 acres therein described, in the Shoal Lake Indian reserve, No.40, in the provinces of Ontario and Manitoba; the said surrender having been given in order that the area covered thereby may be sold for the benefit of the band.

The surrender has been duly authorized, executed and attested in the manner required by the 49th Section of the Indian Act, and the undersigned would recommend that the same be accepted by Your Excellency in Council under the said Section; the original surrender to be returned to the Department of Indian Affairs and the duplicate thereof to be kept of record in the Privy Council Office.

Superintendent General
of Indian Affairs.

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P.C. 3 "

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Herewith is a report to Council recommending that the surrender attached thereto be accepted, covering 32 acres of the Shoal Lake Indian reserve.

Under authority of an O.C. of 3rd March, 1915, 3355 acres of this reserve were sold at $5.00 per acre to the Greater Winnipeg Water District. The additional 32 acres covered by this surrender are required by the G.W.W.D. authorities in order that they may be in a position to protect the Winnipeg water supply by having control of the bathing beach on the lake shore.

The G.W.W.District authorities felt that the valuation of $5.00 per acre which they paid in 1915 would be sufficient as regards the 32 acres now desired. Inspector Semmens considered $15.00 per acre a fair valuation. Indian Agent R.S.McKenzie was instructed to take a surrender of the land, which he did on the 4th June last, when the Indians stipulated that the surrender was given on the understanding that they receive at least $20.00 per acre. Agent McKenzie stated that his views were in accord

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accord with this stipulation. The G.W.W.District has paid in full for the 32 acres at this rate, making $640 in all.

The poll submitted by the Indian Agent shows that there were 22 Indians entitled to vote, that 16 were present at the meeting and that all present voted in favour of surrender.

Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, December 1, 1920.

R.D.W.

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Certified copy of a Report of the Committee of the Privy Council, approved by His Excellency the Governor General on the 8TH DECEMBER 1920

PRIVY COUNCIL CANADA

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The Committee of the Privy Council have had before them a Report, dated 1st December, 1920, from the Superintendent General of Indian Affairs, submitting a surrender, in duplicate, given on the 4th day of June, 1920, by the Shoal Lake band of Indians, of the 32 acres therein described, in the Shoal Lake Indian reserve, No. 40, in the provinces of Ontario and Manitoba; the said surrender having been given in order that the area covered thereby may be sold for the benefit of the band.

The Minister recommends, as the surrender has been duly authorized, executed and attested in the manner required by the 49th Section of the Indian Act, that the same be accepted by Your Excellency in Council under the said Section; the original surrender to be returned to the Department of Indian Affairs and the duplicate thereof to be kept of record in the Privy Council Office.

Copies to

The Committee concur in the foregoing recommendation and submit the same for approval.

Plan Recorded under No. Ins. 1370-A
Recorded in Land titles Office Winnipeg under No. 2644

Clerk of the Privy Council.

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The Honourable

,The Superintendent General of Indian Affairs.

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Ottawa, December 15, 1920.

Sir,-

I have the honour to inclose herewith for registration in your Department a surrender made by the Shoal Lake Band of Indians of a portion of land on the Shoal Lake Indian Reserve, with a view to disposal of same for the benefit of the Band, which surrender was accepted by His Excellency the Governor General in Council on the 8th inst.

Be good enough to return the instrument to this Department with a Certificate of registration endorsed thereon.

Your obedient Servant,

W. A. Orr.

In Charge Lands & Timber Branch.
(W. A. Orr)

Thomas Mulvey, Esq., B.A., K.C.,
Under-Secretary of State,
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Ottawa, 20th December 1920.

~~Description for patent~~

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~~All that parcel of land in the Shoal Lake Indian reserve Number Forty in the Province of Manitoba and Dominion of Canada~~, containing thirty-two acres more or less. The said parcel is shown on a plan of survey by S.E.McColl, Dominion Land Surveyor, dated 16th March 1920 and recorded in the Land Titles Office at Winnipeg under Number 2644, a copy of which is recorded in the Surveys Branch of the Department of Indian Affairs under Number IRR.1370-A.

W.R.W.

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Department of Indian Affairs,

1st Surveys Ottawa, 17th Dec. 1920.

Please prepare description for patent for additional land on Shole Lake Res. 40 as per O. C. etc. under.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE

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Ottawa, 28th December, 1920.

Sir:-

In compliance with the request contained in your letter of the 15th instant, I beg to return to you, herewith the same having been duly registered in this Department as requested, Surrender by the Shoal Lake Band of Indians.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

P. Pelletier

Assistant Under-Secretary of State.

W.A.Orr, Esq.,

Lands & Timber Branch,

Dept. of Indian Affairs,

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Re your file 447-733/1A. 447733 132-9

Indian Agents Office.
Kenora, Ont.
11th May 1921.

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Sir,

The Indians from Shoal Lake #40 have been in to see me in reference to a surrender they made last June of 32 acres of land On their Reserve to the Greater Winnipeg Water District.

The Indians want to know if the deal was put through, and if so, what was the price obtained? They signed the transfer which was made with the condition that they were to receive not less than $20.00 ~~fmx xhm~~ per acre for the land.

They Indians want to know if they will be receiving any of this money at Treaty time, and I have promised to write to the Department for them. They do not appear to really need the money at the present time.

I shall be glad to hear from you as to this, so that I shall have some information to give them at Treaty time.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

Frank Edwards.

Acting Indian Agent.

Asst Deputy & Secy,
Dept of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa. Ont.

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Ottawa, May 16, 1921.

Sir,-

In reply to your letter of the 11th instant, in regard to the 32 acres of land on the Shoal Lake Reserve No. 40, surrendered by the Indians some time ago to be disposed of to the Greater Winnipeg Water District, I beg to say that this land was sold to the applicants at the upset price of $20 per acre, in all $640, which has been paid and placed to the credit of Band funds, and the interest on which will be distributed to the Indians in due course.

Your obedient Servant,

WAO

W. A. Orr

(W. A. Orr)
In Charge Lands & Timber Branch.

Frank Edwards, Esq.,
Acting Indian Agent,
Kenora, Ont.

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Report on Bands in Kenora and Savanne Agencies
July, 1921.

Shoal Lake No. 40 Band. Chief claims that 10 years ago about 500 acres of land at the Intake of the Greater Winnipeg Water District was sold to the G.W.W.D., and the Indians received $15.00 a head at the time and were promised some more of this money later on, which they have not as yet received. They want to know when they will receive another moiety.

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Frank Edwards,
Acting Indian Agent.

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Ottawa, 16th August, 1921.

Sir:-

With reference to your report for the month of July and previous correspondence, I have to inform you that the Indians of the Shoal Lake Band No. 40 received payment of all the purchase money to which they are entitled in connection with the sale to the Greater Winnipeg Water district of about 500 acres of land, which sale took place some ten years ago. The Indian Act, I may say provides for payment to the Indians of 50% of the ~~actual~~ money, which payment was made.

I may say that a further payment of $320.00 can be made to the Indians in question, being half of the amount obtained from the sale of 32 acres of land, which sale was effected last fall. The Department is prepared to send a cheque to you for the amount mentioned at such time as you think it can be expended to the most advantage on the Indians' behalf. Kindly let me hear from you in this connection.

Your obedient servant,

Frank Edwards Esq.,
Acting Indian Agent,
Kenora, Ont.

A.F.MacKenzie
Acting Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE

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.....Kenora.....Ont.....

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 132-9
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

.....9th September, 19 21.

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Sir,—

Reference your letter No 447733 of 16th August last re 500 acres of land sold to the Greater Winnipeg Water District by the Shoal Lake No 40 Band.

I have read your letter to the Chief and they cannot believe that they got 50 per cent of the purchase price

Will you therefore let me know what amount was received for the property and how much was given to the Indians so that I can satisfy them on this point.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Ypur obedient servant

Jack Edwards

Acting Indian Agent.

Assistant Deputy and Secretary
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa. Ont.

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Ottawa, September 13th, 1921.

Sir:-

Referring to letter to you of the 16 ultimo, and your reply of the 9th instant, regarding enquiries made by an Indians of Shoal Lake Band number 40 with respect to money realized from the sale of land to the Greater Winnipeg Water District, I beg to submit herewith statement of the amount of money which the Department received. The statement shows the distribution made of 50% of the money received, namely:-

Amount of money realized from sale made in 1915	$ 2565.00
Distribution in 1919 at $15.00 per capita 50% of $2565.00	1282.50
Interest	465.70
	$ 1748.20

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie.
Acting Assistant Deputy & Secretary.

Frank Edwards, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
KENORA, Ont.

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[redacted] Lake No 40

in 1915 Sale amounted to $2565.00

Distribution in 1919 at 15 per head

50% of 2565.00 =	1282.50
& Interest	465.70
	$ 1748.20

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GREATER WINNIPEG WATER DISTRICT.

Winnipeg, Man.,
Feb. 15/34.

Chief Redsky,
Indian Reserve No.40.,
Indian Bay P.O.
Shoal Lake, Man.

Dear Sir:-

Confirming conversation of the 14th. inst., I now give you a list of the lands purchased by the Greater Winnipeg Water District from the Indian Department, namely:-

April 4th, 1916	Acres	Amount paid
Indian Bay, land under water and islands Manitoba title #270221	2,904	$1,500.00
Indian Reserve No. 40, right of way and intake site Manitoba title #270222	310	930.00
Indian Reserve No. 40. Strip of land for Snow Shoe Bay channel Manitoba Title #	45	135.00
		$2,565.00
February 26/21.		
Indian Reserve No. 40. Additional piece of land for intake site Manitoba title #323717	32	640.00
	3,219	$ 3,205.00

Yours truly

Sgd. W.M. Scott

Chairman of Commissioners.

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DEPARTMENT OF
MINES AND RESOURCES

CANADA

FILE No. .....

INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

TREASURY OFFICE

October 16th., 1937.

MEMORANDUM:

Shoal Lake No. 40 Band Account was credited with $2,565.00 from Sale of Land in 1914-15.

A further payment of $640.00 from the sale of land was credited the Band Account in 1920-21.

These credits correspond with the figures in copy of letter of February 15, 1934, hereunder.

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EX'D

, October 16th, 1937.

Dear Mr. McKinnon,-

In reply to your enquiry regarding the monies received from the Greater Winnipeg Water District for certain concessions granted them on Lake of the Woods Indian Reserve No. 40, the following is a statement of the account.

The capital account of the Shoal Lake Band was credited $2,565.00 during the year 1914-15 and a further $640.00 during the year 1920-21. These credits correspond with the figures supplied to Chief Redsky by W. M. Scott, Chairman of Commissioners, Greater Winnipeg Water District.

In 1919, a distribution of 50% of the first mentioned payment was made to the Indians. This amounted to $15.00 per capita. The remainder of these funds are deposited in the capital account of the Band and a semi-annual distribution of the interest thereon is paid to the Band. I may say that this information was given to the Indians in 1921 in a letter written to their Indian Agent, Mr. Frank Edwards, Kenora.

The statement of the Greater Winnipeg Water District which you left with the Department is returned herewith.

Yours very truly,

T.R.L. MacInnes,
Secretary.

H. B. McKinnon, Esq., M.P.,
House of Commons,
Ottawa.

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RED SKY - SUMMARY FOR MRS. YOUNG

H.Y'D.

:0, Shoal Lake #40 band of Indians surrendered 32
f land on their reserve to Greater Winnipeg Water District.
pted by Governor General in Council on 8th December 1920.

l, 1927, Petition of the people of the Shoal Lake Bands #'s
d 40 to the Superintendent General. Several complaints are
e against Chief Red Sky - an old man of 70 or 75 years who gets
nk continually - not interested in welfare of band - fights with
s wife. etc.

July 16to 17, 1928. In conference of Chiefs and Councillors - Kenora, Chief Redsky enquires re his band's land sale to Greater Winnipeg Water District Railway - statement of band's funds given chief. Chief asks payment made to band, is offered $5 a head and later accepts this offer.

Feb. 15, 1934. Indians knew deal put through re surrendered 32 acres but wanted to know about distribution of money and talked to Chairman of Commissioners of Greater Winnipeg Water District. The Chairman wrote to Chief Redsky - (chief of Shoal Lake #40) on this date showing list of lands purchased by Greater Winnipeg Water District from Indian Reserve - Kenora.

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Department of Indian Affairs.

May 1914

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Sale of portion of Lot 32 Quinze River Front. by Thos. McPhee to J.O. Dufresne

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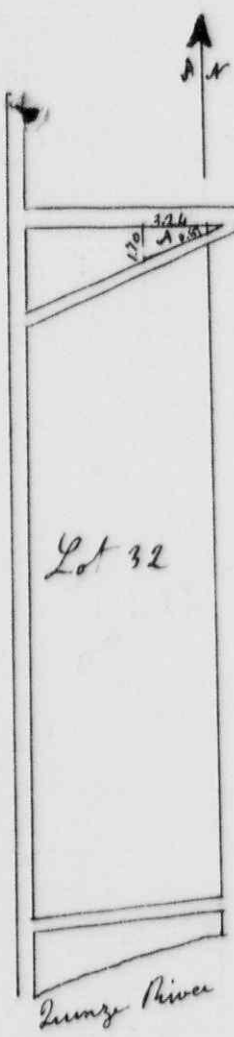

Plan

Part of Lot 32 Quinze river front

Sold by Thos. McBride to Jos. A. Dupuis marqued A.

Scale 10 chs - 1"

May 25th 1914

By H. H. Robertson D.L.S.

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Agreement passed between Thomas McBride a member of the Lunskanning and Joseph Chover Dupuis former of North Lunskanning.

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For and in consideration of the sum of Twenty Dollars of lawful money of Canada the said Thos McBride agrees to sell to the said J. O. Dupuis all that certain parcel or tract of land and premises situate lying and being in the Lunskanning Indian Reserve, containing by admeasurement 0.366 of an Acre and being a portion of Lot No. 32 Bunze River Front. The said agreement to be submitted to the Department for approbation.

Dated at North Lunskanning this 18th day of May 1914.

Signed in presence of J. A. Renaud, Ind. Agt.

Thomas McBride
J. O. Dupuis

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North Temiskaming May 25. 1914

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Description of Parcel of lot 32 Quinze River Front, Temiskaming Indian Reserve Sold by Thomas McBride to Jos. A. Dupuis called A on Plan.

Beginning at the N.E. corner of Lot 32 going South a distance of 0.56 chs. links to S.E. corner, thence South Westerly a distance of 3.50 chs. to S.W. corner, thence North 1.70 chs. to N.W corner, thence East 3.24 chs East to N.E. corner point of begining. Containing 0.366 of 1 acre more or less.

H. H. Robertson
D.L.S.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

North Lumskanning

May 25/14 191

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No.
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS MAY 28 1914

Sir,—

Enclosed please find an agreement passed between Chas. McBride and J O Dupuis, for a portion of lot 32 Quinze River Front containing 0.366 of an acre as shown by the enclosed plan made by H H Robertson L.L.S.

I am Sir,
your obedient Servant
J. A. Renaud
Ind Agt

The Secretary,
Dept. Ind Affairs
Ottawa,

Mr. Kelly
as to value

LANDS BRANCH MAY 28 1914

Mr. Orr.
I saw the part of Lot 32 and consider the price fair.
8th June 1914.
G.H.C.

Surrender necessary?

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F. 448,157.

(Draft)

Know all Men by these Presents

THAT WE, the undersigned Chief and Principal men of

The Timiskaming Band of Indians

resident on our Reserve at North Timiskaming

in the County of Pontiac _____ in the Province of Quebec _____ and Dominion of Canada, for and acting on behalf of the whole people of our said Band in Council assembled, Do hereby release, remise, surrender, quit claim and yield up unto OUR SOVEREIGN LORD THE KING, his Heirs and Successors forever, ALL AND SINGULAR, that certain parcel ~~or tract of land and premises, situate, lying and being in the in the County of and Province of containing by admeasurement be the same more or less and being composed of.~~

of lot thirty-two, Quinze River Front, Temiscamingue Indian reserve, described as follows:- Beginning at the northeast corner of lot thirty-two going south a distance of 0.56 links to the southeast corner, thence southwesterly a distance of 3.50 chains to the southwest corner, thence north 1.70 chains to the northwest corner, thence east 3.24 chains ~~east~~ to the northeast corner, the point of beginning, containing three hundred and sixty-six thousandths of an acre more or less.

Form No. 65.

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TO HAVE AND TO HOLD the same unto His said Majesty THE KING, his Heirs and Successors forever, in trust to sell _____

the same to such person or persons, and upon such terms as the Government of the Dominion of Canada may deem most conducive to our welfare and that of our people.

AND upon the further condition that all moneys received from the sale _____ thereof, shall, ~~after deducting the usual proportion for expenses of management~~, be placed to our credit and interest thereon paid to us, in the usual way.

AND WE, the said Chief and Principal men of the said

The Timiskaming Band of Indians _____ do on behalf of our people and for ourselves, hereby ratify and confirm, and promise to ratify and confirm, whatever the said Government may do, or cause to be lawfully done, in connection with the sale of the said land and the disposition of the moneys derived therefrom.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands and affixed our seals this day of
in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.

Signed, Sealed and Delivered,
IN THE PRESENCE OF

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448,157.

Ottawa, June 17, 1914.

H.X.D.

Sir,-

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 25th ultimo, in connection with application of Mr. J. O. Dupuis for a portion of lot 32, Quinze River front, and in reply have to inclose form of surrender, in duplicate, which you are hereby authorized to submit to the Indians under and in accordance with the provisions of the Indian Act.

I am inclosing a copy of instructions to agents, which you will be good enough to strictly follow in connection with taking of surrender.

Your obedient Servant,

J. D. McLean

Acting Deputy Superintendent General of Indian Affairs.

J. A. Renaud, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
North Temiscamingue, Que.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

453467

North Lunenburg

Aug 17/14, 191

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 448157
ALSO June 17/14
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS SEP 1 1914

Sir,

I have on Aug 17/14 held a meeting of the Lunenburg Band of Indians summoned according to the rules of the Band for the purpose of taking the surrender of pt of lot No 32 Fungi River Front.

The voters list recorded 39 voting members.

24 voting members were present at meeting.

22 members voted in favor of the surrender of pt of lot 32 Fungi River Front.

1 member voted against the surrender.

1 member interested in the surrender not entitled to vote.

The surrender was assented to by a majority of 21 votes.

I am Sir
Your obedient servant.

J W Renaud
Ind. Agt

The Secretary
Dept. Ind Affairs
Ottawa.

LAND BRANCH SEP 2 1914

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2. Sept. 14

Dm Submission of Surrender to Council for approval & obtaining authority to sell as Dept may deem best in interest of Indians

W A Dee

Mr Moffatt
OK. DCS

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1st Dec.

Ottawa, ~~Sept., 5~~, 1914.

Draft Rec

His Royal Highness

The Governor General in Council.

The undersigned has the honour to submit herewith a surrender, in duplicate, made on the 12th day of August, 1914, by the Timiskaming band of Indians, of ,366 of an acre of land in the Timiskaming Indian reserve, in the county of Pontiac, in the province of Quebec, the said surrender having been made in order that the land covered thereby may be sold for the benefit of the band.

The surrender has been duly authorized, executed and attested in the manner required by the 49th section of the Indian Act, and the undersigned would recommend that, under the said section, the same be accepted by Your Royal Highness in Council and that authority be given for the sale of the land covered thereby as the Superintendent General may deem best in the interests of the Indians; the original surrender to be returned to the Department of Indian Affairs and the Duplicate thereof to be kept of record in the Privy Council Office.

Sec 327 Rod.
P.S.J. ~~4~~
LB 4 Dec.
PC 4 "

st M. J. Roche

~~For~~ Superintendent General
of Indian Affairs.

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Timiskaming Surrender.

The member of the Timiskaming band in whose holding this small area is situated, has agreed to sell it to a neighboring white farmer for $20.00, which price the Department considers is fair. The surrender is necessary in order to permit of the sale being made.

The provisions of section 49 of the Indian Act have been observed as regards the taking of the surrender: the Indian Agent reports that there are 39 voting members in the band; that 22 were present at the meeting and 22 voted in favour of the surrender.

Department of Indian Affairs,
~~Sept., 8~~, 1914.
1st Dec.

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Lands

INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

North Temiskaming,

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 448,157 June 17th/14
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

~~Nov. 16th /14~~ 191

458340

Sir,—

Mr. Dupuis has requested me to write Indian Department, and find out in connection with the application he made to purchase a portion of lot 32, Quinze River front, Timiskaming Reserve.

The surrender was taken August 12th /14.

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
NOV 18 1914

I am Sir,

Your Obedient Servant,

J. A. Renaud

Indian Agent.

The Secretary,

Dept. Indian Affairs,

Ottawa.

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P. C. 3063

Certified copy of a Report of the Committee of the Privy Council, approved by His Royal Highness the Governor General on the 7th December, 1914.

PRIVY COUNCIL
CANADA.

459578

The Committee of the Privy Council have had before them a report, dated 1st December, 1914, from the Superintendent General of Indian Affairs, submitting herewith a surrender, in duplicate, made on the 12th day of August, 1914, by the Timiskaming band of Indians, of .366 of an acre of land in the Timiskaming Indian reserve, in the county of Pontiac, in the province of Quebec, the said surrender having been made in order that the land covered thereby may be sold for the benefit of the band.

The Minister recommends, as the surrender has been duly authorized, executed and attested in the manner required by the 49th section of the Indian Act, that the same be accepted by Your Royal Highness in Council and that authority be given for the sale of the land covered thereby as the Superintendent General may deem best in the interests of the Indians; the original surrender to be returned to the Department of Indian Affairs and the Duplicate thereof to be kept of record in the Privy Council Office.

The Committee concur in the foregoing and submit the same for approval.

Clerk of the Privy Council.

The Honourable
The Superintendent General of Indian Affairs.

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448,157.

Ottawa, December 14, 1914.

Sir,-

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In regard to application of Mr. J. O. Dupuis for a portion of Lot 32, Quinze front, containing .366 of an acre, I beg to say that the surrender granted by the Indians of this land has been duly accepted by His Royal Highness in Council, and you may now make a sale of the land to Mr. Dupuis at the upset price of $20.00, cash.

Your obedient Servant,

J. D. McLean

Assistant Deputy & Secretary.

J. A. Renaud, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
North Temiscamingue, Que.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

North Temiskaming.

Jan. 12th /15 191

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No.
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

461344

Sir,—

Enclosed please find vouchers in favour of Thos McBride for improvements on land sold to J. O. Dupuis as per letter of Dec. 14th 14, no 448157.

I am Sir,

Your Obedient Servant,

J. A. Renaud

Indian Agent.

The Secretary,

Dept. Indian Affairs,

Ottawa.

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
JAN 26 1915
SURVEYS

ACCOUNTANT'S BRANCH
JAN 15 1915

RECOMMENDED FOR PAYMENT
Accountant.
APPROVED,
D. S. G. of I. A.

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No. of account 49

INDIAN TRUST FUND

461344

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Chas McBride

DATE 1915			AMOUNT	
Jan.	12	Authorized by Dept. Letter No. 448157 dated Dec 14/14 For improvements on land sale authorized by letter of Dec. 14/14 No 448157	$ 20	00

noted [illegible]

Sent Jan. 13/15

5277

[illegible]

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

J. A. Renaud
Agent.

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448,157.

Ottawa, March 18, 1931.

Sir,-

I enclose for registration in your Department a surrender, given on the 12th day of August, 1914, by the Timiskaming Band of Indians, of Lot 32, Quinze River Front, Temiscamingue Indian Reserve. The surrender was accepted by Order in Council dated the 7th December, 1914.

Enclosure.

Kindly return the document to this Department with a certificate of registration endorsed thereon.

Your obedient Servant,

A. F. MacKenzie,
Secretary.

Thomas Mulvey, Esq., B.A., K.C.,
Under-Secretary of State,
O t t a w a.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
MAR 28 1931
RECORDS

DS/HW

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Ottawa, March 24, 1931.

Sir,-

Ent'd No. 1118

Referring to your letter of the 18th instant, No. 448.157, I have the honour to return to you, herewith, Surrender dated August 12th, 1914, by the Timiskaming Band of Indians of Lot 32, Quinze River Front, Temiscamingue Indian Reserve, the same having been recorded in this Department.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

Acting Under-Secretary of State.

The Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,

OTTAWA.

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Caughnawaga

Sisters Residence

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Canghnawaga 23 août 1897

Monsieur

Accusant réception de votre lettre en date du 20 courant N° 153.652 à l'égard de l'affranchissement de Mr Omer Plante à la position d'instituteur de l'école des garçons à Canghnawaga dit.

En réponse j'ai l'honneur de vous informer, que j'ai donné avis ce jour à Mr Louis T. Jackson de l'affranchissement de son beau-fils Mr Omer Plante à la position ci-dessus par le Département, que Mr L. T. Jackson désire être autorisé par le Département, de prendre soin de l'école et de demeurer dans le logement de l'institution à la maison d'école, attendu que son beau-fils ~~demeure~~ demeure avec lui et qu'il est trop jeune pour prendre soin à charge de ses batisses.

Je crois que cela est dans l'intérêt de l'école et des batisses.

J'ai l'honneur d'être
Monsieur
Votre Obt. Serviteur
A. Brosseau
Agent

Secrétaire Département
des affaires des Sauvages
Ottawa

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Translation Caughnawaga 23rd Aug. /97

SCH. BRANCH AUG 26 1897

Schools

Sir,

Acknowledging receipt of your letter of 20th Inst. No 153.652. relative to the appointment of Mr Omer Plante to the position of teacher of the boys' school, Caughnawaga, etc.

In reply I have the honor to inform you, that I have this day advised Mr L. F. Jackson of the appointment by the Dept. of his son-in-law Mr. A. P. to the position above mentioned; that Mr L. F. Jackson desires to be authorized by the Dept. to take care of the school, and to live in the teacher's apartment at the school-house, ~~provided that~~ because his son-in-law lives with him, and ~~because~~ he is too young to take care & charge of the buildings.

I consider that it would be in the interest of the school and of the buildings.

(sgd) A. Brosseau
Agent.

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SCH SEP 7 1897

OTTAWA 27th August 1897

Sir,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 23rd instant applying on behalf of Mr L.J.Jackson, whose son-in-law, Mr Omer Plante, has been appointed teacher of the Caughnawaga Indian Boys school, for permission to live in the teachers house and take care of the school buildings, as his son-in-law lives with him; and in reply I beg to say that the Department does not consider that it would be advisable to comply with Mr Jackson's request, but as the house belongs to Mr Plante while he occupies the position of teacher, upon receipt of an application from him to have Mr Jackson live in it with him, the same will receive consideration.

Your obedient servant,

A. N. McNEILL

Assistant Secretary

A.Brosseau, Esq:

Indian Agent

Caughnawaga Que

A.M.S G.

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Caughnawaga
Aug. 30th 1877

Mr. Alexander Brosseau,
Indian Agent,
Caughnawaga,

Dear Sir:-

In view of the fact that the Indian Department has given me sole responsibility as regards the school, I beg you to inform the Department that I am taking my mother and step-father Mr. L. F. Jackson with me to occupy the lodgings.

I am
Dear Sir
Your obedient Servant
C. A. Plante

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OTTAWA 15th September 1897

Sir,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 10th instant enclosing a letter from Mr Omer Plante, the teacher of the Boy's School at Caughnawaga; and in reply I beg to say that the Department has no objection to Mr Plante having his mother and step-father to live with him in the teacher's residence.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Secretary

A. Brossau, Esq:
Indian Agent
Caughnawaga Que

A.M.S.C.

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278,770

Extract :-

EXTRACT.
ORIGINAL ON
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278936

Translation.

153652-5

At a meeting of the Council of the Caughnawaga Reserve held in the Village of the said Reserve, the fifteenth of November, 1904:

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It was proposed by the Chief Councillor seconded by Councillor Michel Daillebout and unanimously resolved:

x x x x x x x x x x

2nd: To make the repairs to the wall of the house occupied by the Teacher of the Boys' School,- which will cost from fifteen to twenty dollars.

x x x x x

his
(Signed) J. Bte. X Daillebout,
mark Chief Coun.

(Signed) J. Blain, Agt.

Agent covering letter dated 17th Nov. 04

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OTTAWA, 25th November, 1904

Sir,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 17th instant covering a Resolution of the Council of the Caughnawaga Band for repairs to the teacher's house connected with the Boys school; and in reply I beg to say that you may have the pointing done at the price given, namely $15.00 to $20.00.

I beg to call your attention to official letter of the 28th September last in which you were authorized to have the platform leading to the boys school-room repaired, and to request that you will be good enough to state whether this work has been attended to and also to state what the cost repairing the platform of the Girls school would amount to.

Your obedient servant,

Secretary

J.Blain, Esq.
Indian Agent,
161 Montana St.
Montreal, Que.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE, 280129

Montreal

28 Dec: 1904

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS. DEC 29 1904

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No.
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

Ref.: Your Letter 190 No.

Sir,

Vous recevrez ci-inclus le Compte de Mr Thomas Raquette Menuisier de Caughnawaga pour reparations faites au logement de l'Instituteur de l'Ecole des garçons a la Reserve de Caughnawaga autorisées par le Departement suivant votre lettre relative dans le Compte.

Avec le Compte ci-joint Mr Raquette voudrait bien toucher aussi le montant du Compte reclamé pour la plateforme qu'il a renouvellée a l'Ecole des garçons qui est entre vos mains.

Votre obeissant serviteur
J. Blain
Agt

Recommended for Payment
Approved
Accountant
R.S.C.

Jws. 17/1/05

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Approved 25 January

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153,652-5

Translation.

Indian Agent's Office,

Montreal, 28th Dec., 1904.

ACCOUNTANT
JAN 5 1905
BRA

Sir :-

Inclosed herewith you will find the account of Mr. Thomas Raquette, carpenter, of Caughnawaga, for repairs made to the dwelling of the Teacher of the Boys' School on the Caughnawaga Reserve, authorized by the Department in its letter mentioned in the account.

With the account herewith Mr. Raquette would also like to receive the amount of the account-claimed for the platform which he renewed at the Boys' School,-which is in your hands.

Your obedient servant,

J. Blain,

Agt.

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OFFICE OF THE INSPECTOR OF INDIAN AGENCIES AND RESERVES.

154172-1

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Department of Indian Affairs.

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS JUL 7 1905

ADDRESS REPLY TO
Inspector of Indian Agencies
OTTAWA.

Ottawa, 4th July, 1905. ~~XXX~~

Quarters for Mistress of Girls' School, Caughnawaga.

Sir,

Mr. Benson spoke to me on this subject. ~~The~~ The house occupied as an office by the Indian Agent is not available. It is not band property, being owned by Joseph Laronde.

This matter had better remain in abeyance. If the hospital project is gone on with, no doubt the school mistress might find comfortable quarters with the nurses, and such an arrangement would save considerable expense.

Your obedient servant,

J. P. Wright

Inspector of Indian Agencies and Reserves.

The Deputy Superintendent General of Indian Affairs.

SCHOOLS JUL 10 1905

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EXTRACT.
ORIGINAL ON
....299,555.....

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Extract :-

299896 Translation.

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
JUL 4 1906

At a meeting of the Caughnawaga Council held on June 8, 1906, in the Council hall, *******

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The council, having already during the course of last year passed a resolution that repairs be made to the lodging of the school teacher in the boys' school-house, was unanimous in asking the Department to express itself in this matter.

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SCHOOLS BRANCH
JUL 5 1906

J. B. Daillebout, ChiefCouncillor.

Attested. J. Blain, Agent.

Copy J. Blain, I. A.

Agents covering letter 18th June

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No. of Account 386

INDIAN TRUST FUND. 416797

Sch vote

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Joseph Barnes,

DATE.		CAUGHNAWAGA	AMOUNT.
1912		Authorized by Dept. Letter No. 153 652-5A dated August 23th '12	
Dec.	24	Coal supply for the five schools of the Caughnawaga Reserve:	
		BOYS'SCHOOL:	
		Sept'21 - 1/2 ton @ 7.65	3.83
		Oct. 18 - 25 " " 7.45	186.25
		Girls'School:	
		Sept. 21 - 1/2 ton @ 7.65	3.83
		Nov. 18 - 25 " " 7.45	186.25
		Protestant School:	
		Oct. 9 - 10 tons of coal @ 7.45	74.50
		St. Isidore Road School:	
		Dec. 17 - 5 tons of coal @ 7.65	38.25
		Bush School:-	
		Dec. 20 - 5 tons of coal @ 7.65	38.25
			$531.15
		Bush School:	
		Oct. 26 - 3 lbs. castille soap @ .15	.45
		" " - 2 brooms @ .35	.70
		" " - 6 bars laundry soap @ .05	.30
		Protestant School:-	
		Nov. 25 - 6 window glasses @.12 1/2 cts.....	.75
		" " - 1 " " "	.35
		" " - 4 lbs. putty @ .05	.20
		" " - 1 pqt. cut tacks	.05
		Bush School:-	
		Dec. 20 - 10 yds towelling @ .15	1.50
			$535.45

ACCOUNTANTS DEC 28 1912 BRANCH

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS DEC 26 1912

Sch vote

Sent Jan 15/13

2147

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

Agent.

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Vote No.
Treaty No

Department of Indian Affairs

To P. J. DeLisle
Teacher Boys school
Caughnawaga.

DATE.		SERVICE.	AMOUNT.	
1912 Dec	31	To rent of house for teacher Boys school. Caughnawaga for quarter ended Dec 31/12	$ 25	00

Letter Dated Oct. 31/12
File No. 153652/1

School Stock

RECOMMENDED FOR PAYMENT
Accountant.
APPROVED.
D. S. G. of I. A.

Handed Mr DeLisle Dec. 30 '12

1994

TOTAL,

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed, and that the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

Thomas Letourneau
Agent.

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Vote No.

Treaty No.

422871

Department of Indian Affairs

Sch vote

To P. J. Delisle
Caughnawaga
Quebec

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS APR 2 1913

1913

DATE.		SERVICE.	AMOUNT.	
March	31	Grant in lieu of rent for Teacher's house, for quarter Ending March 31st 1913	25	00
		TOTAL,		

ACCOUNTANTS APR 2 1913 BRANCH

Sch vote

2922

3/4/13

Sec. Copie 5/13

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed, and that the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

[signature]
Agent.

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School Vote

Vote No. .....
Farm No. .....
Treaty No. .....

Department of Indian Affairs

EXTRA

P. J. DELISLE.
CAUGHNAWAGA
QUE.

DATE.	SERVICE.	AMOUNT.
1913 June 30	To rent of house for Principal of the Caughnawaga Boys School for the quarter ended June 30, 1913 at rate of $100.00 per year	$25. 00
	Handed P. J. DeLisle July 2/13	
	453	
	Prices fair and just and according to agreement.	
	J. D. Sutherland 2. 7. 13	
	TOTAL,	$25 00

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work [illegible]d, and that the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each it[illegible]same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

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School Vote

Vote No. .....
Farm No. .....
Treaty No. .....

Department of Indian Affairs

To P.J.D'LISLE
CAUGHNAWAGA
QUE.

DATE.		SERVICE.	AMOUNT.	
1913				
Sept.	30	To rent of house for Principal of the Caughnawaga Boys School for the quarter ended Sept. 30, 1913. at the rate of $100.00 per year.	$25.	00

Prices fair and just and according to agreement.

J. B. Sutherland

Sup. Dec. 8/13

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TOTAL, $25. 00

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No. of Account 6

INDIAN TRUST FUND

Ad

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To P. J. Delisle

DATE		Caughnawaga Reserve	AMOUNT	
1914		Authorized by Dept. Letter No. 153652/1 dated 31 Oct '12	445139	
March	31	Grant in lieu of rent for quarter Ending Mar. 31st 1914 @ $100.00 per annum.	25	00

Duplicate

3861

Handed Mr Delisle April 9/14

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and th[illegible] item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

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Vote No. .....
Farm No. .....
Treaty No. .....

Department of Indian Affairs

To P. J. DeLisle,
Caughnawaga,
Que.

DATE. 1913.		SERVICE.	AMOUNT.	
Dec.	31	To rent of house for Principal of the Caughnawaga Boys' School for the quarter ended December 31, 1913, at the rate of $100.00 per year	$25	00
		Prices fair and just and according to agreement		
		TOTAL,	$25	00

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed, and that the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

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Vote No. .....

..... Agency .....

Department of Indian Affairs

To P. J. DeLisle,

Caughnawaga,

Que.

DATE 1914		SERVICE.	AMOUNT.	
Mar.	31	To rent of house for Principal of the Caughnawaga Boys' School for the quarter ended March 31, 1914, at the rate of $100.00 per year.	$25	00

Prices fair and just and according to agreement.

H. Sutherland

8/4/14

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TOTAL, $25 00

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work
that the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that
same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

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No. of Account 13

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

ACCOUNTANT JUL 4 1914 BRANCH

The Department of Indian Affairs,

Sch vote

To P. J. Delisle

DATE			AMOUNT	
1914		Caughnawaga		
		Authorized by Dept. Letter No. 449914 dated		
June	30	House rent for teacher Caughnawaga Boy's School for quarter ending June 30th 1914	25	00

Handed Mr Delisle July 8/14

605

Sch vote

RECOMMENDED FOR PAYMENT 404 APPROVED ACCOUNTANT

6/7/14

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work [illegible] and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

J. W. Brosse[illegible]

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS CANADA

OFFICE OF THE DEPUTY SUPERINTENDENT GENERAL
OTTAWA

June 11th, 1914.

MEMORANDUM -

Schools Branch -

Will you please take the necessary steps to purchase from Mrs. Ida Jacques Lot No. 8, on the Caughnawaga Indian Reserve, for school purposes, as a site for the residence of the Sisters. The value placed upon this lot is $500.00.

Duncan C. Scott

D. S. G. I. A.

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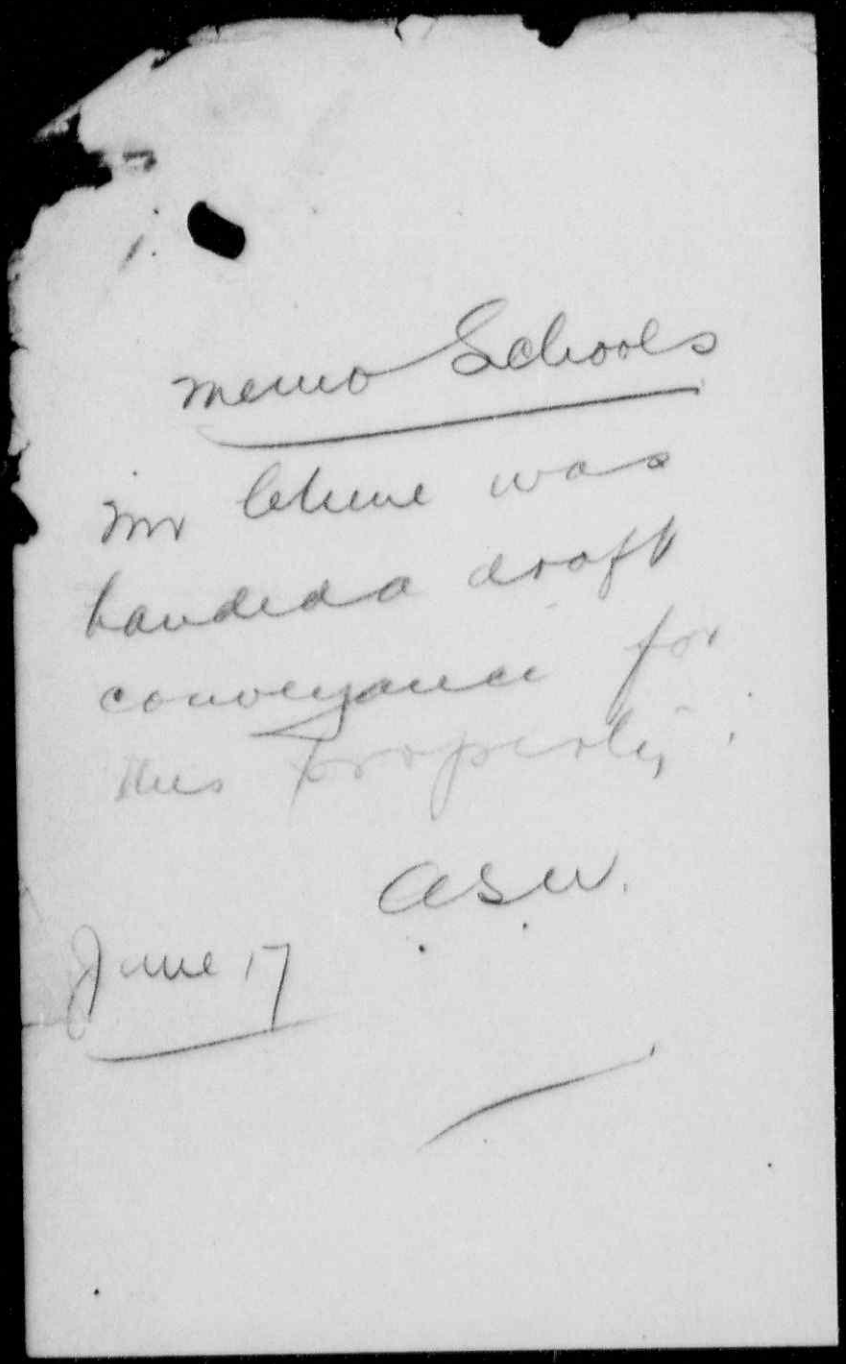

memo Schools

Mr Lehine was handed a draft conveyance for this property.

A.S.W.

June 17

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS CANADA.

Ottawa, March 25, 1914.

Memorandum.

Mr. Scott.-

Re Location of Teacher's Residence, Caughnawaga.

As per instruction, I have made while in Caughnawaga, enquiries as to the possibility of obtaining a suitable site for the purpose of erecting a building for teacher's residence, etc. After examining several lots in the village I beg to recommend for the Department's consideration, two lots situated on the main road on the north side, adjoining the St. Lawrence river.

Lot No.13 shown on the accompanying plan, belonging to Mr. Michel DeLisle, is valued at $400.00. Lot No. 8, belongs to Mrs. Ida Jacques and is valued at $500.00. I consider the latter most advantageous.

Both of these lots are exceptionally well situated close to the school and church and of sufficient area for their proposed use.

D. Scott. D.S.G.

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Ottawa, June 20, 1914.

MEMORANDUM.

Mr McLean,-

I beg to inform the Department that I have succeeded in obtaining an option from Mrs. Joe Blue on lot No. 8 and part of her adjoining property situated on the west side of said lot having a frontage of 33 feet by 177 feet in the village of Caughnawaga. The bargain was made in the presence of her husband, brother and Chief Constable, who all agreed that Mrs. Joe Blue was the sole proprietor of the above mentioned land, for which she asked the payment of $500.00. Consequently the sum of $5.00 was paid for an option on this property, which will end on July the 3rd, 1914.

I consider this offer very reasonable and, therefore, beg to recommend its immediate acceptance.

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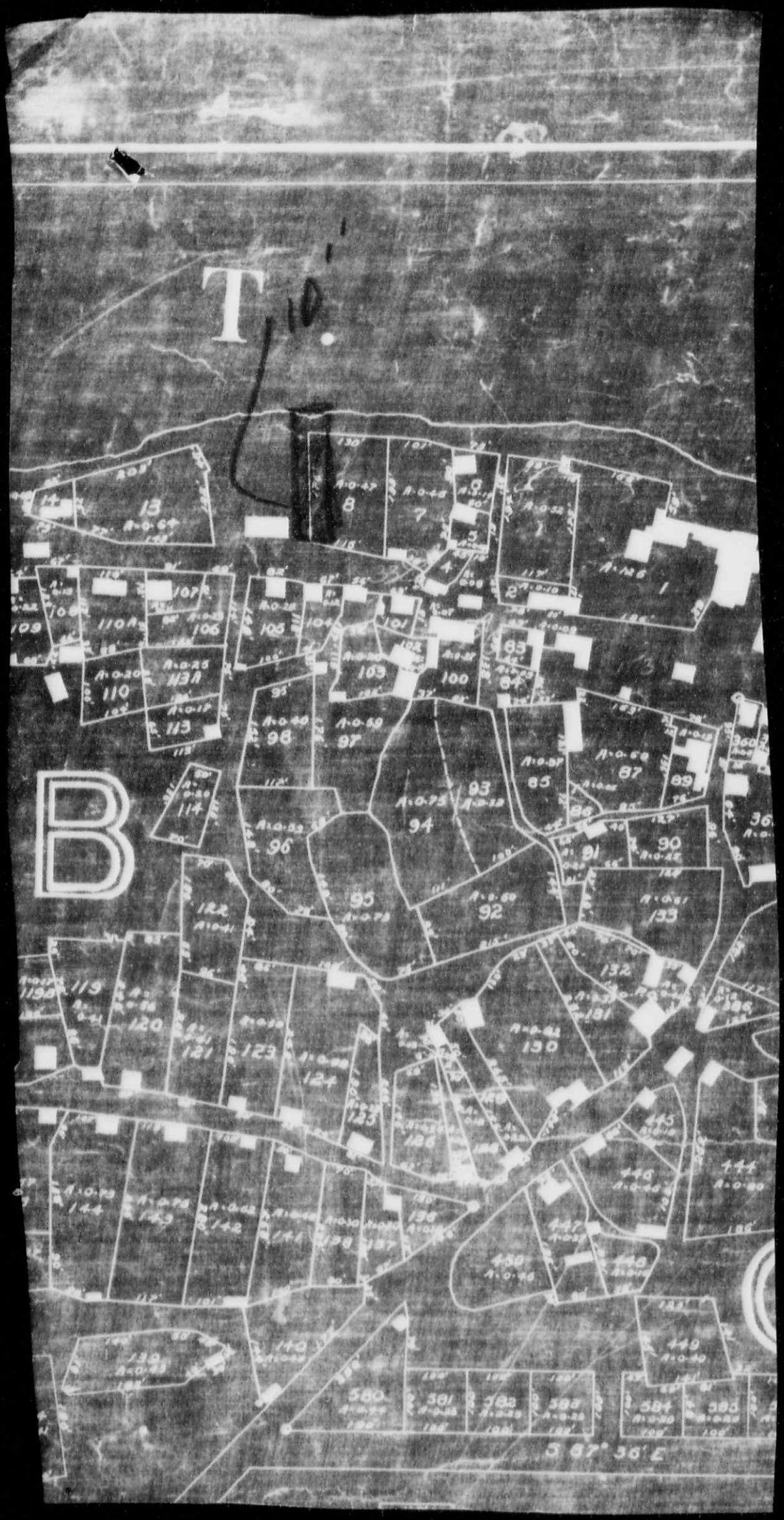

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No. 5 00/100

Caughnawaga June 18th 1914

Received from D Obiene, C E

five x/100 dollars

for an option of my property lot 8 according to ~~Village~~ Caughnawaga Village plan by J. Beaudry plan portion of adjoining property 33 x 177 feet situated on the west side of lot 8 also my property

Witness, Signed in duplicate, Mrs Jos Blue,

The option to end on July 3/1914

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS CANADA

Ottawa, June 23, 1914.

MEMORANDUM.

Mr. Paget,-

Mr. Chene, who is working in Caughnawaga, could take with him the cheque as referred t o in his memorandum of the 20th of this month and conclude this transaction on behalf of this Department .

D. M. Lean

Paid

Schs

$495.00

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Handed Mr Chene June 24/14

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Caughnawaga. June 22. 1914.

J. D. McLean Esq.
Asst Deputy and Secretary.
Department of Indian Affairs.
Ottawa.

$5.00 Jak

Sir,

Urgent 449628

Mr Cheney, an officer of your Department offerred me a proposition, to sell to your Department a peice of land, to wit: a part of the lot bearing number eight (8), situate in the village of Caughnawaga.

The site, I understand, is to be used as a place of residence for the nuns, who are to touch the children of the tribe.

Without thinking carefully in this matter, I accepted five dollars from Cheney, as an earnest money; by these presents, I return you the money.

I cannot sell the property, part of the village lot No 8; the property does not belong to me but to my minor children Therese, Mary Josephine and Joseph. I have the enjoyment of the lot.

And my husband Joseph Tennihatie alias Blue does not want me to commit an illegality, as I would do if I sold the property.

Yours Truly
Mrs. Jos. Blue.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS CANADA

Ottawa, June 30, 1914.

Sir,-

I beg to inform the Department that Mrs. Joe Blue has not accepted the Department's cheque amounting to $495.00 and the $5.00 in money which I have tendered to her last Thursday while in Caughnawaga, in the presence of the Chief Constable and her husband. Mrs. Blue has given as her reason for refusing, that the lot, on which she had given the Department an option, was not her property, but that of her minor children.

I enclose, therefore, the cheque amounting to $495.00.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean, Esq.,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
JUL 6 1914

DUPLICATE, FOR DEPARTMENT.

No 1642

Bank of Montreal,

$ 500.00 *Ottawa,* July 2nd 1914.

RECEIVED from Dept. Sch. Ck. ~~495~~ 464

on account Indian Funds

the sum of Five hundred - - - - - - - - - xx/100 6 *Dollars, which amount will appear at the RECEIVER GENERAL'S credit with this Bank.*

Signed in Triplicate,

Ent'd. B

Pro. Manager.

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ORIGINAL, FOR THE DEPOSITOR.

No. 1642

Bank of Montreal,

$ 500.00 *Ottawa,* July 2nd 1914.

RECEIVED from Dept. Sch. Ck. 495

on account Indian Funds

the sum of Five hundred - - - - - - - - xx/100 *Dollars, which amount will appear at the RECEIVER GENERAL'S credit with this Bank.*

Signed in Triplicate,

Ent'd. D

Pro. Manager.

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St André d'Argenteuil 29 Juin 1914

à l'Honorable Ministère du
~~[illegible]~~ Département des Indiens.

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
JUL 6 1914

Monsieur

450481

J'ai appris que aviez à faire construire a Caughnawaga. Seriez vous assez obligeant de bien vouloir m'envoyer blue print et spécifications quand plans seront prêts. Je vous remercie d'avance et vous prie de me croire avec reconnaissance Votre bien humble

Joseph Lalonde
Entrepreneur

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Ottawa, 7th July, 1914.

Madam,

Mr. Chene of this Department on the 18
ultimo secured from you an option for the purchase o
8 and a portion of the adjoining lot in the Villa
Caughnawaga for the sum of $500, which option was
to the end of July 3rd. The Department exercised its
option on the 25th ultimo. Mr. Chene tendering you t
purchase price. Mr. Chene reports that you refused
accept the tender alleging that the property in
belongs to your minor children and not to y
that consequently you are not in a positi
property. It is intimated that you
the option were advised by some one
property for too small a price and th
the property does not belong to you
escape from the contract that you ente
as it may, I assure you that the Depart
to take this property without paying th
Mr. Chene thought $500 was a fair val
that you thought so as wel
purchase at that price.
sider giving you a bonus o

Mrs. Joe Blue,
Caughnawaga,
Que.

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you dissatisfied in the matter.

I beg to advise you that the claim you now put forward will not prevent the Department from taking the land as the Department is advised that it can ex-propriate the land if necessary. If the lands belong to your minor children then the purchase money to be paid for the land ex-propriated would be deposited in the Department for the benefit of your children until they attain the age of 21 years.

I am writing you for the purpose of ascertaining whether you are, after reconsideration, prepared to take the purchase money agreed upon and convey the property, or whether the lands in question do as a matter of fact belong to your children. I now give you notice that the Department proposes to take the lands in question. If an amicable settlement can be arrived at so much the better, but if not, the Department will have to proceed according to law.

Your obedient servant,

D. McLean

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

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Ottawa, 7th July, 1914.

Sir,

As you have communicated with the Department on behalf of Mrs. Joe Blue with respect to her refusal to carry out her agreement with the Department for the purchase of lot 8 I am enclosing copy of a letter that is being sent to Mrs. Blue setting forth the position which the Department takes in this matter.

ENC.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

asw.

Mr. J.W. Jocks,

Caughnawaga,

Que.

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Caughnawaga July 13. 14.

Urgent.

No 154172-1A.

J. D. McLean Esq.
Asst. Deputy & Secy.
Dept. Indian Affairs.
Ottawa.

Sir,

450864.

Have received your letter of the 7th Instant with respect to the Caughnawaga village lot No 8, of which Mrs Blue refused to carry out the purchase agreement, please inform Mr Obrene of your Department that I have succeeded in what he employed me to do on behalf of your Department.

I have persuaded Mrs Blue to accept your offer contained in your letter of the 7th Instant - but Obrene should write me at once to close the matter, This must at the latest. Needless for me to remind Mr Obrene that I expect some remuneration. Yours Truly.

J. Wariente Jocks.

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154,172-1A.

Ottawa, July 20, 1914.

Sir,-

In reply to your letter dated July 13th I beg to say that Mr. Chene, who will be in Caughnawaga during the course of next week, will call to see you regarding the signing of the Agreement by Mrs. Blue for the purchase by the Department of Lot No. 8 of the Caughnawaga Village.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Mr. J. W. Jocks,

Caughnawaga, Que.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS CANADA.

Ottawa, July 27, 1914

Sir,-

I beg to inform the Department that Mrs. Joe Blue has given her consent to sell her property, Lot No. 8, in the Village of Caughnawaga, as set forth in my memorandum of June 20th, for the sum of $550.00, which I could take over with me this week if it is the wish of the Department to have this matter attended to immediately.

Your obedient servant

D Lehine, O.E.

Secretary

Department of Indian Affairs

Ottawa,

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154,172-1A

Ottawa, August 5th, 1914.

Sir,-

Encl.

I beg to enclose herein a conveyance in duplicate from Mrs. Ida Jacques Blue to His Majesty the King, of land in the Village of Caughnawaga. Mrs. Blue gave the Department an option for the purchase of this property for the sum of $500.00. It appears that Mrs. Blue afterwards regretted her bargain and when the purchase price was tendered she refused to take it alleging that the property belonged to her children. Mr. Chene of this Department interviewed Mrs. Blue at Caughnawaga a few days ago with respect to this matter when she declared in the presence of witnesses that she owned the property herself, rather than her children. While the option for $500.00 can be enforced, the Department prefers that Mrs. Blue should feel satisfied with the transaction and accordingly is willing to pay her $600.00 instead of $500.00. Mr. Chene was unable to close the transaction before leaving Caughnawaga, and as the matter is urgent the Department desires that you proceed to Caughnawaga on receipt of this communication

Sales Vote

1120

Un. Landed Mr. Chene - Aug. 5/14

A.F.M.

asw.

J. M. Brosseau, Esq.,
Asst. Indian Agent,
St. Constant, Que.

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J. M. Brosseau, Esq.,
Asst. Indian Agent,
St. Constant, Que.

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communication and have Mrs. Blue sign the conveyance in duplicate in the presence of a witness. The document should be read over to her so that she may understand it fully; also read over to her the attached declaration as to ownership, fill up the blanks and have her take the declaration before you.

Encl. I am enclosing a cheque for $600.00 to be delivered to her when these papers have been properly executed.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

St Constant

8 Aout 1914

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 154,172-1A
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

Mr Ross
acct

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS AUG 12 1914

PRINTING AND TRANSLATION AUG 13 1914

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~~[illegible]~~ Sir,—

En réponse à la vôtre du 5 courant, je dois vous dire que je me suis transporté chez Madame Ida Jacques Blue le 7 courant dans l'après-midi pour obtenir sa signature aux présents documents ci-inclus. Elle refusa, donnant pour raison qu'elle voulait consulter son frère, Mr John M. Jocks. J'y suis retourné le lendemain en compagnie de son frère, mais elle était partie pour Montréal, et son frère m'a déclaré qu'elle refusait carrément. Alors je vous retourne les dits documents ainsi que le chèque de $600.00

Votre tout dévoué

J. M. Brosseau
Agent des Indiens

Ch. en feuilles

Dept Chq No 1120
G. M. M.
11-8-14

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
AUG 13 1914

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St.Constant, Aug.8,1914.

Sir,-

In reply to your letter of the 5th inst. I beg to say that on the afternoon of the 7th inst. I went to the house of Mrs.Ida Jacques Blue to obtain her signature to the documents inclosed herewith. She refused, giving as her reason that she wished to consult her brother, Mr. John M.Jocks. I returned the next day in company with her brother; but she had left for Montreal, and her brother told me that she refused squarely. So I return you the said documents as well as the cheque for $600.

Your,&c.,

J.M.Brosseau,

I.A.

SCHOOLS BRANCH
SEP 1 1914

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Ottawa, August 31, 1914.

MEMORANDUM.

Mr. Benson,-

After repeated trials I have not succeeded in obtaining the surrender of lot No. 8 of the Caughnawaga Village which I had purchased for the Department. The proprietors of the other two lots on the street along the St. Lawrence river, which might have been available, are also objecting to selling any of their property to the Government under any consideration.

I would, therefore, recommend the purchase of a portion of lot 385 in the village of Caughnawaga containing .60 of an acre in area, all of which is good cultivated land, situated at a distance of 400 feet from the Girls' School and 1450 feet from the Boys' School. Mr. Jos. Daillebout "Aianonni", the proprietor of the above mentioned lot, is willing to sell for the sum of $600.00, which I consider a fair and reasonable price.

1405

Agree and letter should be sent to Rev. Father Geo. the Missionary at Caughnawaga. &c.

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SEP 5 1914
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December 21st. 1914.

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
DEC 23 1914

Dear Madam,

I think it would be well if you could arrange to be in Caughnawaga on Monday, December 28th., when the furniture for the Sisters' home will arrive from Montreal. I hope that the place will be in readiness to receive you, but should it be necessary to postpone the opening of the school for two or three days, there will be no objection.

Yours sincerely,

Duncan C. Scott

Deputy Superintendent General.

Rev. Sister Mary Edward,
Ste. Anne's Convent,
Lachine, Que.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS CANADA.

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS FEB 7 1916

Ottawa, February 2, 1916.

MEMORANDUM.

Mr. Scott,- 478355

With reference to the letter from Sister Mary Edward, Principal of the Roman Catholic schools in the village of Caughnawaga, I beg to say that the house provided for the accommodation of the sisters who are teaching these schools is merely a makeshift and is not at all suitable for a permanent residence. When negotiations were started for securing the services of nuns for these schools about two years ago the Archbishop of Montreal was informed that the Department would furnish comfortable living quarters for them in close proximity to the church and schools and, as a preliminary step to giving effect to this promise, the Department purchased a site in the village. The site secured, though central, is unsuitable for the style of building it was proposed to put up for them, as it would be next to impossible to obtain a proper water supply and drainage and the surroundings are bad. If there is any prospect of obtaining money for a new building it should be started as soon as possible. The river front is the proper place to

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to build and there are vacant lots there which could be expropriated for this purpose.

As to the application of Sister Mary Edwards for a salary of $500.00 as Principal of the two schools I beg to say that when these schools were handed over to the Sisters on the 5th of January, 1915, it was on the understanding that the salaries allowed, would be $500.00 for the principal, $400.00 for the first assistant and $300.00 for the second at each school, it being understood that all would be the holders of professional qualifications. (See letter of December 7, 1914, file 154172/1A). Although the teacher of the senior room in each school is called the Principal, Sister Edward is recognized as supervising principal of the two schools. She is the responsible head and should be entitled to remuneration for her services. At present there are four teachers at the Boys' School paid at the following rates, $500.00 for the first, $400.00 for the second, $300.00 for the third and $300.00 for the fourth, while there are three teachers in the Girls' School who receive $500.00 for the first, $400.00 for the second and $300.00 for the third, making $2700.00 in all. If the claim of Sister Edward for $500.00 is recognized, it will make the total for the

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the teachers' salaries $3200.00 for eight teachers, including herself, an average of $400.00 each. At each of these schools the highest enrolment has been 150 pupils. The yearly average enrolment has been 128 at the Boys' with an average attendance of 110 and at the Girls' 123 with an average of 105.

These sisters have had uphill work, as there was a good deal of opposition to their being placed in charge of the schools and from all I can learn they are gaining the confidence of the Indians. They have had charge of the schools for a year, but the reports received from the Public School Inspector and the Agent give little or no information as to the results of the teaching. Both, however, note a decided improvement in the manners and deportment of the children.

Agnes McSweeney

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noted J.B.

Reports to note

February 5, 1916.

Dear Madam,-

I have read with interest your letter of January 27th and since the matter was brought to my notice I have given it my careful and sympathetic attention and have concluded that it is in the interests of the work and in justice to yourself to allow a salary of $500.00, and I have asked the officers of the Department to begin payment to you at this rate. I hope, however, that the emolument of the staff may now be considered to have been fairly arranged.

This leads me to the other part of your request, that is, that a better building should be provided for your accommodation: it is my desire to accomplish this at as early a date as possible, and, with this end in view, I hope to be able to come to Caughnawaga before long and look over the ground, at that time we will have a conversation upon the needs of the case and the future requirements, which, I hope, will be productive of good.

DCS

Yours very truly,

Duncan C. Scott

Deputy Superintendent General.

Rev. Sister Mary Edward,
Principal,
R.C. Caughnawaga Schools,
Caughnawaga, Que.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
JUL 14 1914

July 10th, 1914.

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Memorandum -

Mr. Mitchell -

Referring to communication herewith from Mr. Patenaude regarding Mr. Joseph Dubuc, I presume that reference is made to the proposed new teachers' residence on the Caughnawaga Reserve.

Tenders will be called for this building in the near future and Mr. Dubuc, who has previously done work for the Department, will have an opportunity of tendering.

(Sd) A.F. Mackenzie

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EXTRACT
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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
APR 28 1916
AS 24172/5

Caughnawaga Council House,

April 17, 1916.

Mr Cheney
Sub Dep to report
Acct

At the Council Meeting:-

No 8.

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,
MAY 1 1916
ARCHITECT

A request is made to complete the cement sidewalk near the Girls' school and to finish the painting of the fence surrounding the same school, opposite the R.C. Church; the work here alluded to was begun last Fall and interrupted by the cold weather.

Also to repair the cement sidewalks which, at many places need replacing etc., and for this purpose the Council suggests that the expenditure to be incurred be met by the $250.00 grant by the Department a year or two ago for public works.

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
APR 29 1916
SURVEYS

J. Wani nte Jocks,

Secretary.

-:- -:- -:- -:- -:-

St. Constant, April 21, 1916.

Resolutions one to eleven (with the exception of ten) meet with my approval.

May 5th 1916
Will report on this matter when returning from Caughnawaga end of month.
D.C.

J. M. Brosseau,

Indian Agent.

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No. of account Sch vote

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Cassidy Ltd

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS FEB 15 1917

DATE		AMOUNT
1917	Caughnawaga Reserve	
	Authorized by Dept. Letter No. 154172-1 dated 29 Sept. 16	
	For a set of dishes bought by Sr Mary Joseph Edward	$21.50
	Sr Edward has paid with her own money an account of $5.00 The cheque shall be prepared for the full amount and the Sr Superior will collect her disbursement from Cassidy.	

Sch vote
Pay
JMB
19/2/17

JMB

3803
sent Feb. 20/17.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

J. M. Brosseau
Agent.

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School Vote

Vote No. .....

Agency .....

Mr. Chine

Department of Indian Affairs

To P. J. Delisle,

Caughnawaga.

DATE. 1915		SERVICE.	AMOUNT.	
Jan.	15	For rent of teacher's residence for quarter ending December 31st, 1914, at $100.00 per annum	25	00
		Expressage on school prizes from Goodwins Limited, Montreal to Adirondack Jct.		63
		Cartage to school		25
		3769 Caughnawaga Boys school Cur. Feb. 6/10		
		TOTAL,	25	88

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed, and that the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

J. B. Sutherland

Agent

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
JUN 2 1919
RECORDS

St Constant

May 30th 1919

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 153652-5
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

524936

Sir,—

Referring to your letter of the 22nd instant with regard to my voucher amounting to $77.89 in favour of Rev. Sister Mary Gabriel for disbursement in connection with Roman Catholic Schools of Caughnawaga, I beg to say that the charge of $5.32 for a payment made to Rev. Father Gaas for a leather strap used for the pump of Nuns' Residence was made with my authorization, because the rubber strap on the pump was out of order and not reparable. As it was during winter and urgent, I gave order to the caretaker, Mr Viau, to renew it. The charge of $25.00 shown in the said voucher is for washing towels at the Girls' & Boys' Schools from September 1918 to July 1919

Your obedient servant.

J. M. Brosseau
Indian Agent

Sch Vote
Pay JWL 2/6/19

J. D. McLean, Esq.
Asst. Deputy & Secretary
Ottawa

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No. of Account Sale Pole

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To La Maison Martin

DATE		Caughnawaga Reserve	AMOUNT	
1919		Authorized by Dept. letter No.....dated.....		
April	7	To 1 Plate 1/4, 21x38-B.		
		for front door of Boys' School	$ 9	88 ✓
"	14	1 gll motor Oil for		
		Nuns' Residence engine	1	00
		2 lbs waste Cotton "		50
May	13	10 " nails 4'		70
		5 " " 3"		35
		6 " cramps		72
		for Nuns' Residence fence		
"	21	4 lbs nails 3"		28
		for Nuns' Residence fence	$ 13	43

310
Sent 10/6/19.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

J M V Brosseau
Agent.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS CANADA

OFFICE OF THE DEPUTY SUPERINTENDENT GENERAL
OTTAWA

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS AUG 29 1914

August 27th, 1914.

Memorandum -

Schools Branch -

Miss Sadie Burke, junior teacher of the Caughnawaga Girls' School, who personally asked for an increase in salary, may be granted an increase of $50.00, making her salary $450.00 per annum from the time of the reopening of the schools.

Duncan C. Scott
D. S. G. I. A.

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Mr. Chêne
Returns to Schools

Ottawa, Sept, 1, 1914.

With cheque. 3

Rev. Sir,-

I beg to enclose herewith a deed, in duplicate, which I have to request that you will be good enough to have executed by Jos. Daillebout. The document covers the piece of land in the village of Caughnawaga which is required for school purposes and was selected by Mr. Chene of this Department, who states that you have kindly offered to close this deal. This document should be signed in your presence and you should affix your name as a witness to its execution. Please return the documents as soon as executed to the Department.

A cheque for the purchase price, $600.00, in favour of Daillebout is enclosed herewith, which you will be good enough to hand to him when he has signed the deed.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Rev. Father Gras,
Caughnawaga, Que.

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Refused to Sch Vote
Pay re sch site
Caughnawaga

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
SEP 3 1914

Jos
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EX'D.

DUPLICATE, FOR DEPARTMENT.

No 3098

Bank of Montreal,

$ 600.00 *Ottawa,* Sept. 2nd 1914.

RECEIVED from Dept. Cheque 1120

on account Indian Funds

the sum of Six hundred - - - - - - - xx/100 *Dollars,*
which amount will appear at the RECEIVER GENERAL'S credit with this Bank.

Signed in Triplicate,

Ent'd. [signature] *Pro. Manager.*

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
SEP 3 1914

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ORIGINAL, FOR THE DEPOSITOR.

No. 3098

Bank of Montreal,

$ 600.00 *Ottawa,* Sept. 2nd 1914.

RECEIVED from Dept. Cheque 1120

on account Indian Funds

the sum of Six hundred - - - - - - - xx/100 *Dollars, which amount will appear at the RECEIVER GENERAL'S credit with this Bank.*

Signed in Triplicate,

[redacted]d.

Pro. Manager.

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THIS INDENTURE made this ..... day of September in the year of Our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fourteen,

B e t w e e n

Joseph Daillebout "Aianonni",

of the First Part.

and

His Majesty King George the Fifth, as represented by the Superintendent General of Indian Affairs of Canada,

of the Second Part.

NOW THIS INDENTURE WITNESSETH that the said party of the first part in consideration of the sum of six hundred dollars to him now paid by the said party of the second part (the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged) doth hereby grant, release and quit claim unto the said party of the second part and his successors, all estate, right, title, interest, claim and demand whatsoever both at law and in equity or otherwise howsoever, and whether in possession or expectancy of him the said partynof the first part, of, into or out of all those parcels of land situate in the Town of Caughnawaga, in the Caughnawaga Indian reserve in the Province of Quebec, containing by admeasurement 0.60 acres, more or less, being composed of:-

All that portion of Lot Three Hundred and Eighty-five in Block C, Village of Caughnawaga, Province of Quebec and Dominion of Canada, containing six-tenths of an acre be the same more or less and described as follows:- Commencing at the northerly angle of Lot Three Hundred and Eighty-six; thence following the limits of Lot Three Hundred and Eighty-five approximately north sixty-two degrees east one hundred and fourteen feet; thence approximately north seventy-two degrees east one hundred and two feet to a point on the northerly limit of the said Lot Three Hundred and Eighty-five; thence approximately south five degrees east

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one hundred and forty feet to the southerly limit of the said Lot Three Hundred and Eighty-five; thence south westerly following the said southerly limit eighty feet to the easterly angle of Lot Three Hundred and Eighty-six; thence westerly following the limit of the said Lot Three Hundred and Eighty-six one hundred and twelve feet to the point of commencement, together with the appurtenances thereto belonging or appertaining.

To hold the said lands and premises with all and singular the appurtenances thereto belonging or appertaining unto and to the use of the said party of the Second part and his successors forever.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF the said parties hereto have hereunto set their hands and seals this day of September, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.

Signed, sealed and delivered in the presence of) Joseph L'Aillebout) Moïse Lefort) J. Gras, S.J. missionary

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THIS INDENTURE made this .Third..... day of September in the year of Our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fourteen,

B e t w e e n

Joseph Daillebout "Aianonni",

of the First Part.

and

His Majesty King George the Fifth, as represented by the Superintendent General of Indian Affairs of Canada,

of the Second Part.

NOW THIS INDENTURE WITNESSETH that the said party of the first part in consideration of the sum of six hundred dollars to him now paid by the said party of the second part (the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged) doth hereby grant, release and quit claim unto the said party of the second part and his successors, all estate, right, title, interest, claim and demand whatsoever both at law and in equity or otherwise howsoever, and whether in possession or expectancy of him the said partynof the first part, of, into or out of all those parcels of land situate in the Town of Caughnawaga, in the Caughnawaga Indian reserve in the Province of Quebec, containing by admeasurement 0.60 acres, more or less, being composed of:-

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To hold the said lands and premises with all and singular the appurtenances thereto belonging or appertaining unto and to the use of the said party of the Second part and his successors forever.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF the said parties hereto have hereunto set their hands and seals this day of September, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.

Signed, sealed and delivered in the presence of) Joseph d'Aillebout
) Moïse Lefort
J. Gras, S.J.
Missionary

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Form 204

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
SEP 8 1914

Caughnawaga Juin 1914

Je consens moyennant la somme de Dix dollars,

à permettre à **La Compagnie Canadienne de Téléphone Bell (à responsabilité limitée)** de planter et maintenir en ordre les poteaux nécessaires et de placer les fils et accessoires voulus pour des lignes téléphoniques entre Montréal et Châteauguay sur la propriété connue sous le cadastre ..... et située dans la Paroisse de Caughnawaga ~~engage à laisser tailler ou couper les arbres sur dite propriété, qui pourraient nuire aux dites lignes téléphoniques~~.

Je consens aussi à signer un arrangement donnant droit de passage pour les dits poteaux, fils, accessoires, &c., sur réception de la somme ci-haut mentionnée, le coût du dit contrat par devant Notaire devant être payé par La Compagnie Canadienne de Téléphone Bell.

Joseph Dailleboust

Témoin

Lap. N. Gauron

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No. _____ Caughnawaga Sept. 3 1914

Received from Rev. J. Gras

the sum of Six hundred 453.486/00 Dollars

for Purchase price of lot for school teachers residence N°

$ 600.xx/00

Granger Frères Limitée

Joseph d'Aillebout

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No Chem will examine this building & report MB

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS CANADA

Ottawa, September 10, 1914.

MEMORANDUM.

Mr. Scott,-

Mr. Frank Jacobs, the Mayor of Caughnawaga, called at the Department today and told me that in case the Department would not be able to find accommodation for the Sisters who are to take charge of the schools after the first of January, next, John Jacko, a Caughnawaga Indian, owns a three story stone house on the main street, which would be suitable for a temporary residence for the Sisters and could be leased for $20.00 a month for six months or until the new teacher's residence is ready for occupation. Mr. Jacobs is acting for John Jacko. If the house is all Mr. Jacobs says it is it seems to me that this offer should be accepted, provided the Sisters would be agreeable.

Duncan Benson

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS CANADA.

Ottawa, September 28, 1914.

MEMORANDUM.

Mr. Scott,-

I gave Mr. Chene a copy of the memorandum I addressed to you on the 10th instant regarding the offer made by Frank Jacobs to rent a three story stone house on the main street as a temporary residence for the Sisters who are to take charge of the Caughnawaga Schools after the first of January. Mr. Chene informs me that the building is in good condition and very suitable for the purpose.

I would suggest that Rev. Father Gras be written to and asked to find out whether the Sisters would be ready to take charge of the schools on that date and if they would be satisfied to use this building until a new house is put up.

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Ottawa, October 1, 1914.

Rev. Sir,-

The Department has had an offer to rent a three story stone house on the main street in the village of Caughnawaga as a temporary residence for the Sisters who are to take charge of the Caughnawaga schools. Mr. Chene of this Department, who examined the houses, states that it is in good condition and would serve for the purpose.

The Department would like you to find out whether the Sisters would be ready to take charge of the schools immediately after the Christmas holidays and also whether they would be satisfied to make use of this building until the proposed new residence is built. The Department would be pleased to have this information as soon as convenient.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Rev. Father Gras,
Missionary,
Caughnawaga, Que.

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FEB 1 1915

THIS INDENTURE made the fourteenth day of December, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen,

Between

John Jacko of the Village of Caughnawaga

of the first part

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and

His Majesty King George the Fifth, as represented by the Superintendent General of Indian Affairs,

of the second part,

WITNESSETH that in consideration of the rents hereinafter reserved and contained on the part of the said party of the second part, and his successors, to be paid, the said party of the first part hath demised and leased and by these presents doth demise and lease unto the said party of the second part and his successors all that messuage or tenement situate, lying and being in the Village of Caughnawaga being composed of a stonehouse and lot together with all houses, outhouses, yards and other appurtenances thereto belonging and usually known as part of the parcel thereof or as belonging thereto and more particularly described as follows:-

Lot 353 of the Village Survey.

To have and to hold the said premises unto the said party of the second part and his successors for and during the term of one month to be computed from the 15th day of December 1914, and from month to

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month thereafter so long as the party of the second part may require the same and until notice is given by the party of the second part of his intention to surrender up the lease which notice shall be given in writing thirty days prior to the termination of the said lease; yielding and paying therefor monthly and every month during the currency of the lease unto the said party of the first part his heirs and assigns the sum of twenty dollars ($20) payable on the 15th day of each month.

F.W.D.J. X

IN WITNESS WHEREOF the parties hereto have hereunto set their hands and seals the day and year first above written.

Signed, sealed and delivered in the presence of

F.W.D. Jacobs.
for John Jacco.

as to signature of
J. McBrosseau
Asst. Ind. Agent

John Jacco

J. D. McLean
Acting Deputy Minister

F.W.D.J. Two
A.F. Mackay
~~Four~~ dollars per month for 2 tables, 4 Stoves, 1 parlor suit 14 curtain poles, 2 clothes presses 1 sideboard, 1 China closet. 1 large rocker.

A.S. Williams
witness as to execution by J.D. McLean.

F.W.D. Jacobs.

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OCT 5 1914
SCHOOLS BRANCH OCT 7 1914

N° 154172/1 Caughnawaga, Oct. 3 1914

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Sir,

In reply to your letter, dated Oct 1 instant, I beg to inform you that the Rev. Sisters of St Ann are ready to take charge of the schools immediately after the Christmas holidays, and also that they are satisfied to make use of the proposed building on the main street in the village as a temporary residence.

This answer was given to me by the Rev. mother substitute of Rev. Mother Superior general, absent for a few days. Though not absolutely final, on account of the absence of the Superior, the present answer may be accepted as practically definitive.

By the occasion, I beg to inform the Department that two additional temporary local teachers could be supplied, if, as chief Jacobs told me, the Department is willing to put two more teachers. The two candidates are Joseph Phillips, former teacher in St Regis and Laura Jacobs.

Yours very truly

J. Cras, missionary

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Mont Sainte-Anne
Lachine, Nov. 21, 1914.

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
DEC 9 1914

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Honorable Duncan C Scott
Deputy Superintendent General.
Ottawa.

Honorable Sir:-

I am pleased to state that the General Administration has accepted the Mission of Caughnawaga so the Sisters will take charge of the schools at the beginning of the second term in January.

I also accept the temporary residence selected for the Sisters, but I know you will have all the necessary repairs made therein and the house furnished as I suggested to Mr Martin Benson.

As it is an inconvenient time, I cannot obtain Sisters without disturbing our other schools, yet I know the sisters appointed will do their best towards the Indian children despite the sacrifices entailed.

Very respectfully yours,
Sœur Marie Célanie,
Supr. gen.

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November 23rd. 1914.

Dear Madam,

I have your communication of the 21st. instant and shall be pleased to give consideration to the same as soon as Mr. Benson returns to the city, as he has not made me acquainted with the arrangements arrived at for temporary accommodation in the Village of Caughnawaga.

Yours very truly.

Duncan C. Scott

Deputy Superintendent General.

Rev. Sister Marie Melanie,
Mont Sainte Anne,
Lachine, Que.

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Ottawa, February 9th, '15.

Sir -

I beg to enclose herewith duplicate of lease of the house in Caughnawaga belonging to John Jacco at present being used as a residence for the Nuns in charge of the schools. Kindly hand this duplicate, which has been duly executed, to Mr. Jacco.

Encl.

You will note that the rental is $22.00 per month, and vouchers for this amount may be submitted monthly.

Yours very truly,

(Sgd) J. D. McLean

Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

J. M. Brosseau, Esqr.,
Indian Agent,
St. Constant, Que.

SCHOOLS BRANCH
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March 11th, 1915.

Sir -

On February 9th you were forwarded the duplicate lease of a house in Caughnawaga rented from Mr. John Jacco for a residence for the Sisters, with a request that it be handed to him, and that in future vouchers for $22.00, being the amount of the rental, should be forwarded monthly. Mr. Jacco is making enquiries about his lease. Kindly see that it is handed to him as soon as possible. He was also disappointed at not receiving his rent for February, and, if you will bear in mind and submit a voucher towards the end of each month, payment will be made regularly.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean

Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

J. M. Brosseau, Esqr.,
Indian Agent,
St. Constant, Que.

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Ottawa, May 31, 1915.

Dear Curotte,-

I must apologize for the delay in answering your phone message about the application you made for the use of the school lot opposite the post office in the village, but Mr. Scott was away all last week and I was unable to lay the matter before him. However, he tells me this morning that he will have no objection to your having the use of the lot for the summer and I would advise you to send in an official application at once applying for the use of lot No. 385 in block C, village of Caughnawaga, and state how much you are prepared to pay as rent. You would only be allowed the use of the lot until you harvested your crop.

Yours sincerely,

Mr. James Curotte,
Caughnawaga, Que.

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CONGRÉGATION
DES SOEURS DE STE ANNE

Mont Sainte-Anne
Lachine

74891
OCT 28 1915
H.C.R.

1° Le nombre des chambres à coucher est insuffisant
2° Serait-il possible d'ajouter un 3ème étage tout à fait semblable au 2ième?
Si la question est inabordable, demander que le second étage soit au moins de la même dimension que le premier: 40×70 pieds. #
3° Dans le soubassement, ajouter 1 séchoir 1 privée, une chambre pr débarras, une cave pour légumes.
4° Pour éclairer les passages, pratiquer des impostes et piquer les portes.
5° Galerie plus grande
6° Petit vestibule à l'entrée de la cuisine, afin que les fournisseurs ne pénètrent pas dans la cuisine.
7° Chutes pour linge sale — pr poussières Armoires —
8 Portes d'arches entre la Communauté et le parloir comme entre la chapelle et l'office

et que cette mesure de 70×40 pds soit prise à l'intérieur de la bâtisse

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Congregation of the Sisters of Ste. Anne

Mont Sainte Anne,

Lachine.

1. The number of the bed-rooms is insufficient.

2. Would it be possible to add a third story exactly similar to the second?

   If the question cannot be considered, ask that the second story be at least of the same dimensions as the first: 40 x 70 feet, and that these measurements--70 x 40 feet--be taken in the inside of the building.

3. In the basement add one drying-room, a water-closet, a lumber-room, and a cellar for vegetables.

4. To light the passages, place imposts and put glass in the doors.

5. Larger gallery.

6. A small porch at the entrance of the kitchen, so that the tradesmen need not go into the kitchen.

7. Chutes for soiled linen--dust cupboards.

8. Doors with arches between the community and the parlor as between the chapel and the office.

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Credit Foncier Franco Canadien Building
35 St. James St.

Montreal February 22nd, 1916.

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Mr Duncan Campbell Scott,
Deputy Superintendant General
Indian Department,
Ottawa,

Dearc Sir:-

Mrs Joseph Laronde of Caughnawaga informs me that the Sisters of Ste Anne of Lachine are looking for a school site at Caughnawaga, and that, may be, her property situated in the centre of the village, might answer the purpose.

She holds the enjoyment of this property by the will of her late husband who bequeathed it in usufruct to her, and, after her death, to her children to revert the full property to the children of the latter.

She would like to have my farm in exchange for this village lot and have all the rights to which the legatees are entitled, transferred on my farm, in such a way that the wishes and stipulations of Joseph Laronde, will be respected, maintained and continued to the grand children as in his will contained.

If the village lot and buildings thereon erected suited the object and that my farm could legally be transferred, as I believed it can be, Mrs Laronde and her children, I understand, would gladly entertain the deal.

By the transaction, the usufructuaries Mrs Laronde and her daughter, Mrs McComber, would have the use of the

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of the farm from which they would be able to derive a revenue and their maintenance, and the grand children would be sure to have the full property at the demise of their parents.

Should you think this proposition advisable, I would be pleased to meet you, at your convenience, and discuss the matter with you for Mrs Laronde and familly, and for myself.

I have the honor to be,

Yours recpecfully,

AEdeL/CC.

A. Edc Lorimier

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February 24th, 1916.

Dear Sir -

I have your communication of the 22nd instant, and in reply would state that the Department has already purchased a property on the Caughnawaga Indian Reserve for the site of theproposed teacher's residence. In any event if I am correctly informed Mrs. Laronde's property is not suitably situated.

GBM

Yours very truly,

Duncan C. Scott

Deputy Superintendent General.

A. E. de Lorimier, Esqr., K.C.,
Messrs. de Lorimier & Godin,
55 St. James St.,
Montreal, Que.

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Caughnawaga, Apr. 14, 1916.

Mr. Benson, Esq.,
Ottawa.

Esteemed Sir:—

In reply to Mr. Chen[illegible] communication regarding the vacant lot destined for our Convent I beg leave to say that I desire to keep it for our own use this year. We will probably use it for first lessons in gardening.

Trusting kind Mr Benson, that you are in the enjoyment of perfect health

I am
With the highest consideration
Sr. M. Edward, Principal

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Ottawa, April 20, 1916.

Madam,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 14th instant stating that you desire to keep for your own use this year the lot which was bought for the teacher's residence in connection with the Caughnawaga Schools.

In reply I beg to say that the Department approves of your using this lot for a garden this summer.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Rev. Sister M. Edward,
Principal,
Caughnawaga R. C. schools,
Caughnawaga, Que.

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2 letters

Ottawa, April 20, 1916.

Sir,-

I beg to inform you that Sister M. Edward, Principal of the Caughnawaga R. C. Schools, has been given permission to use the lot which was purchased for the teacher's residence for a garden this summer.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

J. M. Brosseau, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
St. Constant, Que.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS CANADA

OFFICE OF THE DEPUTY SUPERINTENDENT GENERAL
OTTAWA

May 31st. 1916.

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MEMORANDUM

Secretary, Mr. Chene and Mr. Williams -

It has been decided to erect this year, a residence for the teachers on the Caughnawaga reserve. An even exchange of land is to be arranged between the ecclesiastics and the Department. The two plots of land are, one to the west of the mission buildings, and one in the village opposite the cemetery which we purchased as a site for the residence. An option should be obtained on the houses fronting on the street. The Department will be willing to pay $1,000.00 for this property.

Proper arrangements should be made and papers signed for this exchange and purchase before we begin the work. The building is to be erected as cheaply as possible consistent with comfort. Ask for Tenders as usual.

Duncan C. Scott

D. S. G. I. A.

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May 31st. 1916.

Dear Madam,

I have to inform you that it will be possible to erect the residence this year, and we are taking the necessary preliminary steps.

I enjoyed my day's stay at Caughnawaga very much. I have to leave for British Columbia on Sunday, and am very busy making necessary arrangements.

Yours sincerely,

Duncan C. Scott

Deputy Superintendent General.

Rev. Sister Mary Edward,
Principal, Roman Catholic Indian Schools,
Caughnawaga, Que.

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Caughnawaga June 2, 1916.

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Dear Mr. Scott Esq.
Ottawa.

Most esteemed Sir,

The Sisters join me in thanking you most heartily for the good news contained in your appreciated favor of May 31 regarding our future residence. Your kind reference to your visit to Caughnawaga caused much pleasure to all. I desired very much

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to meet you personally, and I
now feel that I have a friend
and a sincere helper in the Arduous
work committed to my care.
I trust Your trip to British Columbia
will be a most enjoyable one.
Trusting that dear Bro. Scott and
yourself are in the enjoyment
of perfect health,
I remain
With the highest consideration,
Yours most gratefully,
Sister In. Edmund.

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Description of Westerly portion of lot 1 — Block B. in the Village of Caughnawaga.

Commencing at an Iron post at the North westerly corner of lot 1 thence Southerly 194' thence easterly 117' thence northerly 175' thence westerly — 18' thence northerly 12' thence westerly 99' to place of commencement containing by admeasurement 0.52 acres more or less, as shown on plan ~~made from field notes of the~~ survey made by J. A. N. Beaudry. P. L. S. ~~dated Nov. 26 1907~~ of the Village and Common of Caughnawaga dated November 26th 1907 of record in the Department of Indian Affairs.

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386 Teachers Res. lot

Purchase lot 2 option
exchange lot 1 portion
for lot 385-6.

√ Missioners
√ Bishop.
√ Supt Gen.

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THIS INDENTURE made the fifteenth day of June, A.D., 1916,

Between

His Majesty as represented by the Superintendent General of Indian Affairs

of the first part,

and

of

of the second part,

WITNESSETH that the said party of the first part hath given and granted, and by these presents doth give and grant, unto the said parties of the second part all that certain parcel or tract of land situate lying and being in the Village of Caughnawaga, in the Caughnawaga Indian Reserve, in the Province of Quebec, containing by admeasurement 0.60 acres more or less more particularly described as follows:-

All that portion of Lot Three Hundred and Eighty-five in Block C, Village of Caughnawaga, Province of Quebec, and Dominion of Canada, containing six-tenths of an acre be the same more or less and described as follows:-

Commencing at the northerly angle of Lot Three Hundred and Eighty-six; thence following the limits of Lot Three Hundred and Eighty-five approximately north sixty-two degrees east one hundred and fourteen feet; thence approximately north seventy-two degrees east one hundred and two feet to a point on the northerly limit of the said Lot Three Hundred and Eighty-five; thence approximately south five degrees east one hundred and forty feet to the southerly limit of the said Lot Three Hundred and Eighty-five; thence south westerly following the said

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southerly limit eighty feet to the easterly angle of Lot Three Hundred and Eighty-six; thence westerly following the limit of the said Lot Three Hundred and Eighty-six one hundred and twelve feet to the point of commencement, together with the appurtenances thereto belonging or appertaining,

for and in exchange of and for the lands, tenements and hereditaments of the said parties of the second part being the westerly portion of lot No. one, Block B, in the Village of Caughnawaga, more particularly described as follows:-

Commencing at an iron post at the north westerly corner of Lot One thence southerly one hundred and ninety-four feet thence easterly one hundred and seventeen feet thence northerly one hundred and seventy-five feet thence westerly eighteen feet thence northerly twelve feet thence westerly ninety-nine feet to place of commencement containing by admeasurement 0.52 acres more or less, as shown on plan of survey made by J.A.N.Beaudry, P.L.S., of the Village and Common of Caughnawaga dated November 28th, 1907, of record in the Department of Indian Affairs, as shown on tracing attached hereto.

To have and to hold the lands firstly described to the said parties of the second part their heirs, successors, and assigns, forever, for, and in exchange of and for the lands, tenements and hereditaments secondly described.

And the said parties of the second part have likewise, on their part, given and granted, and by these presents do fully, freely, and absolutely give and grant, unto the said party of the first part his successors and assigns, all those lands, tenements, and hereditaments with the appurtenances secondly described, to have and

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to hold the said lands, tenements and hereditaments secondly described to the said party of the first part his successors and assigns, forever, for and in exchange of and for the lands firstly described.

In witness whereof the parties hereto have set their hands and seals.

Signed, sealed and delivered
in the presence of

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Ottawa, 15th June, 1916.

Reverend Sir,

The Deputy Minister before leaving for British Columbia directed that a deed be prepared for an exchange of land between the Ecclesiastics and the Department by which the Department conveys to the Ecclesiastics all that portion of Lot 385 purchased on the 3rd September, 1914, from Joseph Daillebout in exchange for the westerly portion of Lot No.1, Block B in the Village of Caughnawaga.

In accordance with these instructions I am enclosing the deed of exchange in duplicate for execution by the proper officers of the Ecclesiastics There should be attached to this document a declaration by someone in authority setting forth that those who execute the documents are authorized to do so.

Enc.

a.s.w.

Your obedient servant,

Sgd J. D. McLean

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Rev. J.Gras,

Caughnawaga,

Que.

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JUN 1915
R. RECORDS

Canadian Pacific Railway Company's Telegraph

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I AGREE CALL FOR TENDERS AND BUILD ON MISSIONS LOT

DANCAN C SCOTT

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MISSION IROQUOISE
DE ST-FRS-XAVIER

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
JUN 15 1916

CAUGHNAWAGA, QUE 13 juin 1916

Cher Monsieur McKensie,

Selon les instructions que m'avait données M.D.Chéné, j'ai essayé de prendre des options sur les Lots No 2 ,qui masquent en partie le Lot No I,sur lequel le Gouvernement veut bâtir le couvent.Les deux propriétaires consentiraient à vendre,mais à des prix qui ne sont pas raisonnables,le tout monterait à près de $ 4.000.

A ces conditions,je n'ai pas cru devoir prendre d'options. Mais peu importe,il n'est pas absolument indispensable d'avoir ces propriétés;le couvent peut fort bien être construit sans cela sur le No I.Ce sera un peu moins beau,c'est vrai,voilà tout.

De plus,les propriétaires consentiront peut-être à vendre à des conditions plus raisonnables,attendons plus tard.

Vous remerciant de tout l'intérêt que vous portez à l'instruction de nos enfants,je me souscris volontiers.

Votre dévoué serviteur.

J. Gras. miss.

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H.C.Q. June 14.

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JUN 15 1916

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Caughnawaga, Que., June 13, 1916.

Dear Mr.McKenzie,-

In accordance with the instructions given me by Mr.D.Chene I tried to get options on lots No.2, which block the view in part of lot No.1, on which the Government wishes to build the convent. The two owners would agree to sell, but at prices that are not reasonable,--the whole would amount to about $4,000.00.

On those conditions I did not think it right to take options. But it does not matter much, it is not absolutely indispensable to have these properties: the convent can be quite well built without that, on lot No.1. This would be a little less beautiful, it is true, but that is all.

Moreover, the owners will agree, perhaps, to more reasonable terms; let us wait.

Thanking you for all the interest that you take in the education of our children, I subscribe myself

Your faithful servant,

J.Gra[illegible],

Missionary.

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Ottawa, June 14th, 1916.

Duncan C. Scott, Esqr., F.R.S.C.,

The Empress Hotel,

Victoria, B.C.

Can not obtain lot two Caughnawaga from proprietors except at exorbitant figure, four thousand. Sisters and Missionary advise building on mission lot which will give satisfactory accommodation. Ready to call for tenders. Shall we proceed?

J. D. McLean.

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Duncan C Scott,

P F S C, The Empress Hotel; Victoria B.C. 274

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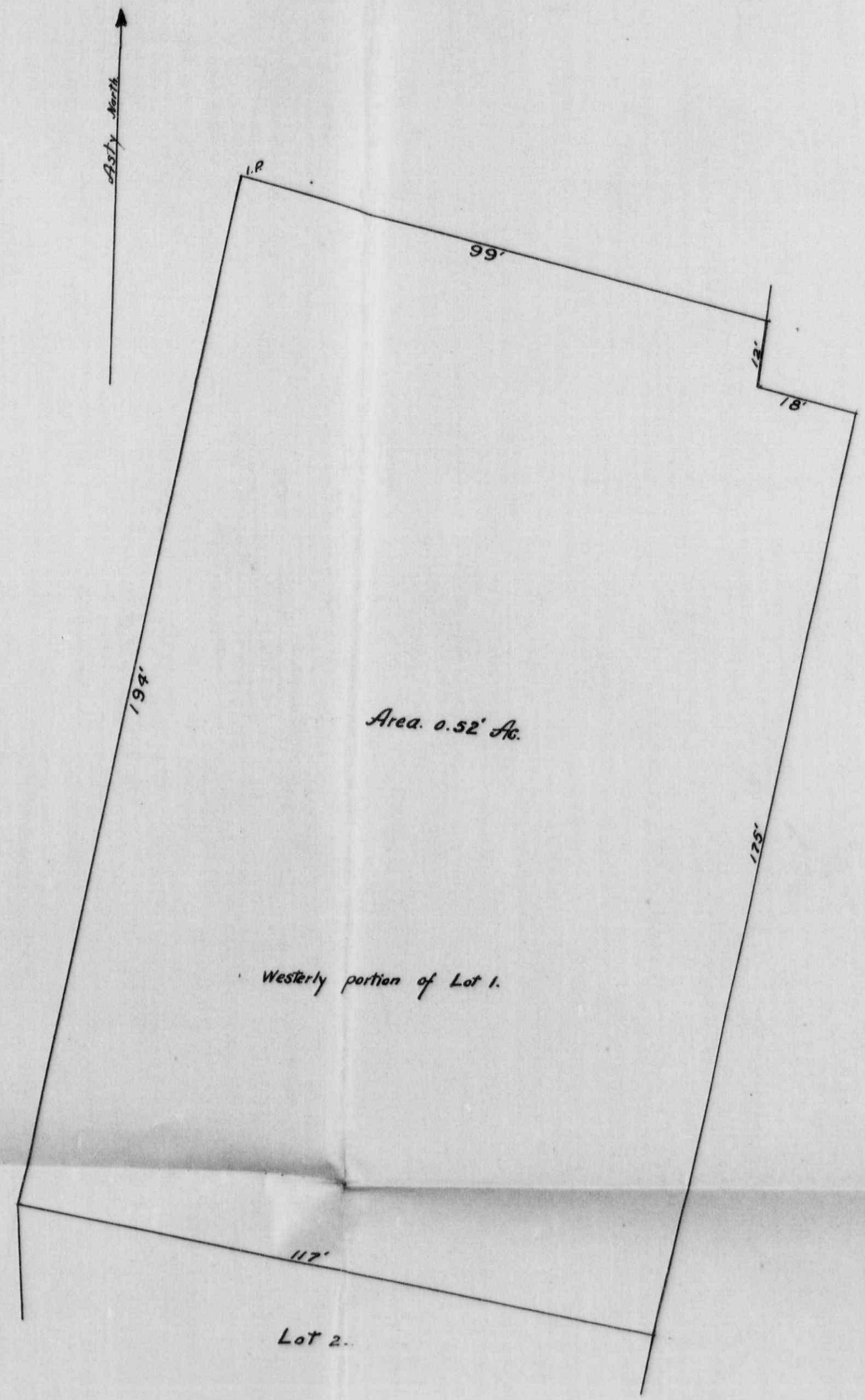

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STATEMENT OF THE LEGAL CONDITION OF THE LAND AND PROPERTIES OF THE R. C. MISSION OF CAUGHNAWAGA.

The Church, the Rectory and its dependencies belong to the Iroquois R. C. Mission of Caughnawaga(Cfr. by decision of General Thomas Gage in I762.) The land upon which the church, the rectory and its dependencies are situate form the Lot One , according to admeasurement in I907.

The said land bounded on the north by the St. Lawrence river, on the south by the main road, or street, and the portion of ground No. Two within the limits of said land; east and west by two lanes leading to the river and belonging also to the Mission by an uninterrupted use of same since the foundation of the Village of Caughnawaga on its present site in I7I6.

In view of the fact that up to this date, Nineteen Hundred and Sixteen, there is no church corporation,nor church wardens in Caughnawaga, the Missionary Father is in reality, the only administrator of the land and property belonging to said Mission, under the control of the Archbishop of Montreal to whom alone he is responsible for his administration of said Mission.

pertaining to buildings, repairs, sales or transactions of any kind on said land, or affecting the land only of said mission, the Archbishop of Montreal as high Administrator of the ecclesiastical estates of his Archdiocese may decide whatsoever he considers right, in conformity however, with the general laws of church corporations and with those of the Caughnawaga Reserve.

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INDIAN TREATIES AND SURRENDERS
##########

General Thomas Gage's Judgement respecting the Seigniory of Sault St. Louis

(From the Ordinances of His EXCELLENCY the Governor of the 22nd March, 1762, Montreal.)

The following decree was registered as follows:

Before His EXCELLENCY THOMAS GAGE, Governor of Montreal, assisted by His Council, to wit, Messers. Frederick Haldimand, Colonel of the 4th Battalion of the Royal American, and William Browning, Major of the 46th Regiment, Herbert Munster, Major of the 4th Battalion of the Royal American, and Gabriel Christie, Major and Quarter—Master of His Majesty's Armies.

Between the Iroquois Indians and other Indians of Sault St. Louis, appearing by Mr, Clauss, their Attorney, Plaintiff on the one part.

And the Reverend Fathers of the Society of Jesus, appearing By the Reverend Father Well, their Attorney, Defendant, on the other part.

(extract)

..... We order besides that the Church, the parsonage called the Seigniorial House with all the other buildings put up by the said R.R. Jesuit Fathers on the said concession or which have been bequeathed to them, be considered as belonging and do belong directly to the Indians, we considering them in regard to that as though they constituted a parish; the said Indians shall thereby find themselves obliged to maintain the said buildings, which shall nevertheless remain for the use of the Missionaries who will live with them. And with regard to the expanses which the R.R. Jesuit Fathers have borne for that purpose we shall consider them sufficiently compensated:
1.-By the revenue which they have recieved up to the present time from the inhabitants whom they have settled on the said concession
2.-By the value of the lands which the Indians, have given up at Laprarie de la Magdalene, and which the R.R. Jesuit Fathers may have grantedto in habitants as soon as Indians have been removed to the Sault.

..... And in order that the Indians may enjoy thier rents the Governor shall be bound to appoint and establish a person to be receiver of the rents and other Seigniorial rights which may proceed from the foregoing concession and we the said receiver to render an account of it to the said Indians on the 2nd of February in each year, Candlemas Day, in presence of the said Governor Or of those persons authorized by him to that effect. The income of said rents shall be used for the keeping of the Church and other buildings of the Sault and the remainder placed in the hands of the Indians so that they may do with it what think fit.

Done and given at the Castle of Montreal on the twenty-second of March, one thousand seven hundred and sixty-two.

(signed) C. Maturin, Secretary.
Panet.

Indian Treaties and Surrenders, Vols.-I-2, pp.303&304.

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THIS INDENTURE made the fifteenth day of June, A.D., 1916,

Between

His Majesty as represented by the Superintendent General of Indian Affairs

of the first part,

and the Archbishop of Montreal

of the second part,

WITNESSETH that the said party of the first part hath given and granted, and by these presents doth give and grant, unto the said parties of the second part all that certain parcel or tract of land situated lying and being in the Village of Caughnawaga, in the Caughnawaga Indian Reserve, in the Province of Quebec, containing by admeadurement 0.60 acres more or less more particularly described as follows:-

All that portion of Lot Three Hundred and Eighty-five in Block C, Village of Caughnawaga, Province of Quebec, and Dominion of Canada, containing six-tenths of an acre be the same more or less and described as follows:-

Commencing at the northerly angle of Lot Three Hundred and Eighty-six; thence following the limits of Lot Three Hundred and Eighty-five approximately north sixty-two degrees east one hundred and fourteen feet; thence approximately north seventy-two degrees east one hundred and two feet to a point on the northerly limit of the said Lot Three Hundred and Eighty-five; thence approximately south five degrees east one hundred and forty feet to the southerly limit of the said Lot Three Hundred and Eighty-five; thence south westerly following the said

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southerly limit eighty feet to the easterly angle of Lot Three Hundred and Eighty-six; thence westerly following the limit of the said Lot Three Hundred and Eighty-six one hundred and twelve feet to the point of commencement, together with the appurtenances thereto belonging or appertaining,

for and in exchange of and for the lands, tenements and hereditaments of the said parties of the second part being the westerly portion of lot No. one, Block B, in the Village of Caughnawaga, more particularly described as follows:-

Commencing at an iron post at the north westerly corner of Lot One thence southerly one hundred and ninety-four feet thence easterly one hundred and seventeen feet thence northerly one hundred and seventy-five feet thence westerly eighteen feet thence northerly twelve feet thence westerly ninety-nine feet to place of commencement containing by admeasurement 0.52 acres more or less, as shown on plan of survey made by J.A.H.Beaudry, P.L.S., of the Village and Common of Caughnawaga dated November 26th, 1907, of record in the Department of Indian Affairs, as shown on tracing attached hereto.

To have and to hold the lands firstly described to the said parties of the second part their heirs, successors and assigns, forever, for, and in exchange of and for the lands, tenements and hereditaments secondly described.

And the said parties of the second part have likewise, on their part, given and granted, and by these presents do fully, freely, and absolutely give and grant, unto the said party of the first part his successors and assigns, all those lands, tenements, and hereditaments with the appurtenances secondly described, to have and

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to hold the said lands, tenements and hereditaments secondly described to the said party of the first part his successors and assigns, forever, for and in exchange of and for the lands firstly described.

Finally, the parties of the second part accept and agree to these presents on the exact and express condition that only a Catholic religious Community shall occupy buildings erected on said land.

In witness whereof the parties hereto have set their hands and seals.

Signed, sealed and delivered in the presence of

+ Paul, Arch. of Montreal

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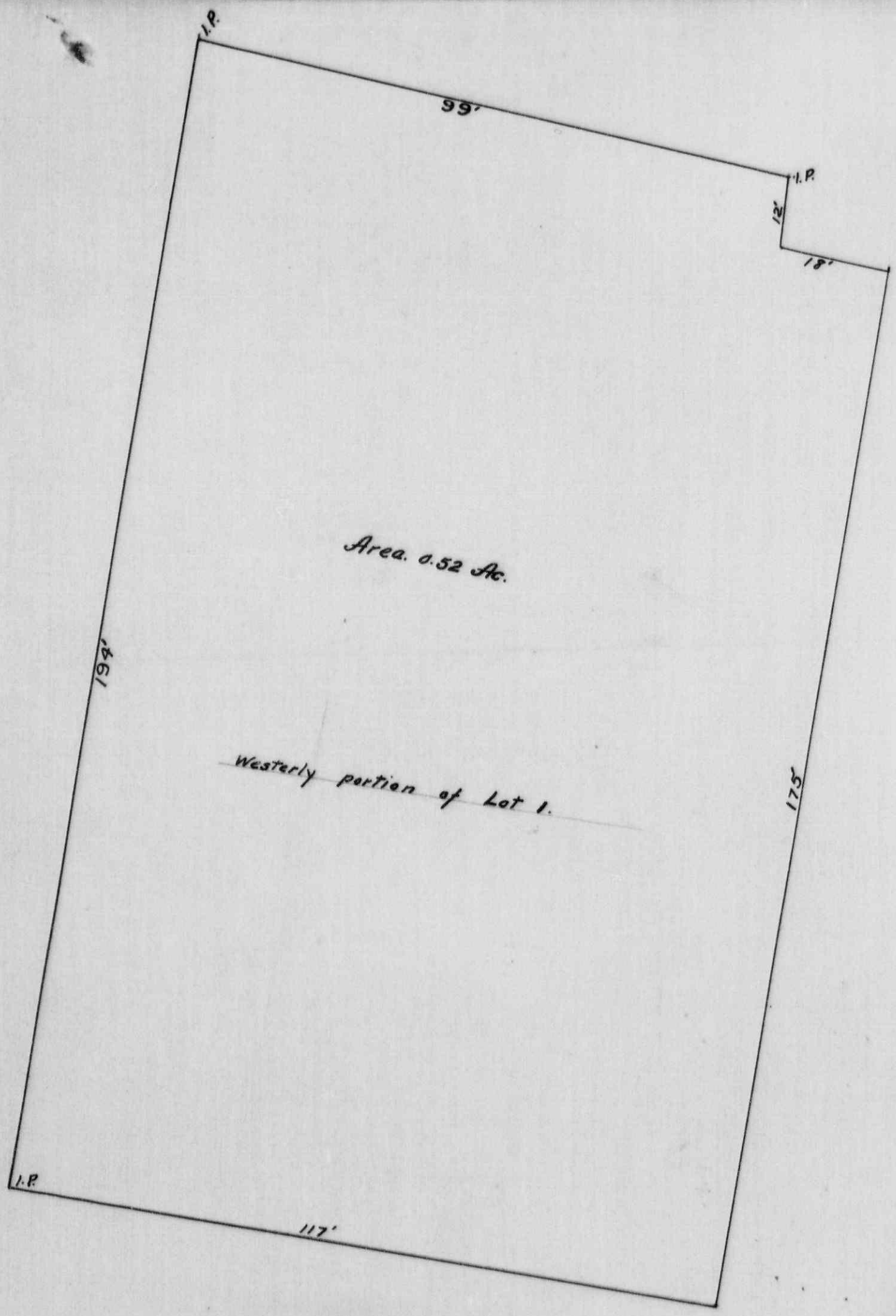

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INDIAN TREATIES AND SURRENDERS

General Thomas Gage's Judgement respecting the Seigniory of Sault St. Louis

(From the Ordinances of His EXCELLENCY the Governor of the 22nd March, 1762, Montreal.)

The following decree was registered as follows:

Before His EXCELLENCY THOMAS GAGE, Governor of Montreal, assisted by His Council, to wit, Messers. Frederick Haldimand, Colonel of the 4th Battalion of the Royal American, and William Browning, Major of the 46th Regiment, Herbert Munster, Major of the 4th Battalion of the Royal American, and Gabriel Christie, Major and Quarter—Master of His Majesty's Armies.

Between the Iroquois Indians and other Indians of Sault St. Louis, appearing by Mr, Clauss, their Attorney, Plaintiff on the one part.

And the Reverend Fathers of the Society of Jesus, appearing by the Reverend Father Vell, their Attorney, Defendant, on the other part.

(extract)

..... We order besides that the Church, the parsonage called the Seigniorial House with all the other buildings put up by the said R.R. Jesuit Fathers on the said concession or which have been bequeathed to them, be considered as belonging and do belong directly to the Indians, we considering them in regard to that as though they constituted a parish; the said Indians shall thereby find themselves obliged to maintain the said buildings, which shall nevertheless remain for the use of the Missionaries who will live with them. And with regard to the expenses which the R.R. Jesuit Fathers have borne for that purpose we shall consider them sufficiently compensated:
I.-By the revenue which they have recieved up to the present time from the inhabitants whom they have settled on the said concession
2.-By the value of the lands which the Indians, have given up at Laprarie de la Magdalene, and which the R.R. Jesuit Fathers may have grantedto in habitants as soon as Indians have been removed to the Sault.

..... And in order that the Indians may enjoy thier rents the Governor shall be bound to appoint and establish a person to be receiver of the rents and other Seigniorial rights which may proceed from the foregoing concession and we the said receiver to render an account of it to the said Indians on the 2nd of February in each year, Candlemas Day, in presence of the said Governor Or of those persons authorized by him to that effect. The income of said rents shall be used for the Keeping of the Church and other buildings of the Sault and the remainder placed in the hands of the Indians so that they may do with it what think fit.

Done and given at the Castle of Montreal on the twenty-second of March, one thousand seven hundred and sixty-two.

(signed) C. Maturin, Secretary.
Panet.

Indian Treaties and Surrenders, Vols.-I-2, pp.303&304.

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STATEMENT OF THE LEGAL CONDITION OF THE LAND AND PROPERTIES OF THE R. C. MISSION OF CAUGHNAWAGA.

The Church, the Rectory and its dependencies belong to the Iroquois R. C. Mission of Caughnawaga(Cfr. by decision of General Thomas Gage in I762.) The land upon which the church, the rectory and its dependencies are situate form the Lot One , according to admeasurement in I907.

The said land bounded on the north by the St. Lawrence river, on the south by the main road, or street, and the portion of ground No. Two within the limits of said land; east and west by two lanes leading to the river and belonging also to the Missiom by an uninterrupted use of same since the foundation of the Village of Caughnawaga on its present site in I7I6.

In view of the fact that up to this date, Nineteen Hundred and Sixteen, there is no church corporation,nor church wardens in Caughnawaga, the Missionary Father is in reality, the only administrator of the land and property belonging to said Mission, under the control of the Archbishop of Montreal to whom alone he is responsible for his administration of said Mission.

pertaining to buildings, repairs, sales or transactions of any kind on said land, or affecting the land only of said mission, the Archbishop of Montreal as high Administrator of the ecclesiastical estates of his Archdiocese may decide whatsoever he considers right, in conformity however, with the general laws of church corporations and with those of the Caughnawaga Reserve.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
JUL 10 1916

THIS INDENTURE made the fifteenth day of June, A.D., 1916, 483646

Between

His Majesty as represented by the Superintendent General of Indian Affairs

of the first part,

and the Archbishop of Montreal

of the second part.

Law clerk

WITNESSETH that the said party of the first part hath given and granted, and by these presents doth give and grant, unto the said parties of the second part all that certain parcel or tract of land situate lying and being in the Village of Caughnawaga, in the Caughnawaga Indian Reserve, in the Province of Quebec, containing by admeasurement 0.60 acres more or less more particularly described as follows:-

All that portion of Lot Three Hundred and Eighty-five in Block C, Village of Caughnawaga, Province of Quebec, and Dominion of Canada, containing six-tenths of an acre be the same more or less and described as follows:-

COMMENCING at the northerly angle of Lot Three Hundred and Eighty-six; thence following the limits of Lot Three Hundred and Eighty-five approximately north sixty-two degrees east one hundred and fourteen feet; thence approximately north seventy-two degrees east one hundred and two feet to a point on the northerly limit of the said Lot Three Hundred and Eighty-five; thence approximately south five degrees east one hundred and forty feet to the southerly limit of the said Lot Three Hundred and Eighty-five; thence south westerly following the said

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southerly limit eighty feet to the easterly angle of Lot Three Hundred and Eighty-six; thence westerly following the limit of the said Lot Three Hundred and Eighty-six one hundred and twelve feet to the point of commencement, together with the appurtenances thereto belonging or appertaining,

for and in exchange of and for the lands, tenements and hereditaments of the said parties of the second part being the westerly portion of lot No. one, Block B, in the Village of Caughnawaga, more particularly described as follows:-

Commencing at an iron post at the north westerly corner of Lot One thence southerly one hundred and ninety-four feet thence easterly one hundred and seventeen feet thence northerly one hundred and seventy-five feet thence westerly eighteen feet thence northerly twelve feet thence westerly ninety-nine feet to place of commencement containing by admeasurement 0.52 acres more or less, as shown on plan of survey made by J.A.N.Beaudry, P.L.S., of the Village and Common of Caughnawaga dated November 26th, 1907, of record in the Department of Indian Affairs, as shown on tracing attached hereto.

To have and to hold the lands firstly described to the said parties of the second part their heirs, successors, and assigns, forever, for, and in exchange of and for the lands, tenements and hereditaments secondly described.

And the said parties of the second part have likewise, on their part, given and granted, and by these presents do fully, freely, and absolutely give and grant, unto the said party of the first part his successors and assigns, all those lands, tenements, and hereditaments with the appurtenances secondly described, to have and

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to hold the said lands, tenements and hereditaments secondly described to the said party of the first part his successors and assigns, forever, for and in exchange of and for the lands firstly described.

Finally, the parties of the second part accept and agree to these presents on the exact and express condition that only a Catholic religious Community shall occupy buildings erected on said land.

In witness whereof the parties hereto have set their hands and seals.

Signed, sealed and delivered
in the presence of

+ Paul, Archb. of Montreal

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
SEP 2 1916

Caughnawaga Que

August 30/16

To the Department of Indian Affairs

Ottawa. 485356

Sirs: The Indians of the Iroquois Band of Caughnawaga Reserve represented by the two undersigned delegates duly appointed for the purpose of formally protesting against the proposed erection of a residence for the use of any community Nuns upon our Reserve, without first having obtained the consent of the majority of the Band. Our Councillors have already questioned the action of the Department in this matter without satisfaction, consequently the Band as a whole has taken up the subject

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with determination, in fact are duty bound to oppose the introduction of any white persons to permanently take up and use any land upon any pretext whatsoever.

The Indians desire the Department to answer the following queries:

(a) Does the Department intend to erect and construct said residence for Nuns notwithstanding the opposition of the Band?

(b) Where does it propose to erect said residence for the Sisters?

c From whom was the land or site acquired?

d Upon what conditions and titles was the said site obtained?

e How many sites have been obtained for said purpose?

Respectfully submitted

J. J. Delisle

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September 1st, 1916.

Dear Mr. Delisle -

Referring to our conversation of this morning, I beg to state that in view of the opposition expressed by a portion of the Caughnawaga Band to the erection of a teachers' residence at the present time on the reserve; and furthermore in view of the need of retrenchment in expenditure owing to the limited funds placed at the disposal of the Department for educational purposes, it has been decided to postpone this work until such time as there has been an opportunity of obtaining the views of the band as to the desirability of carrying out the proposed arrangement for the housing of the teachers engaged in the schools in the Village.

Yours very truly,

Duncan Scott

Deputy Superintendent General.

Oct 4

P. J. Delisle, Esqr.,
Caughnawaga,
Que.

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Ottawa, 18th September, 1916.

Sir,

The Roman Catholic Schools of the Village of Caughnawaga on the Indian Reserve are in charge of the Sisters of St. Anne who require a residence for themselves on the Reserve for the purpose of carrying on the school work. When the Sisters took over these schools at the request of the Department it was stipulated that they should be provided with a suitable residence. The premises in which they have been residing since taking up this work about a year and a half ago have been found to be altogether inadequate and no suitable residence is available. A site has been procured and the Department was proceeding to erect this residence ~~under the provisions of Section 89, Chap.81, R.S.C.~~ from funds voted by Parliament, when objection was made on behalf of a portion of the Indians that this building could not be erected without the consent of the band. I would be glad to be advised as to whether this residence can be erected without the consent of the band.

I would like to be further advised on the general question as to whether a site for a residence for the nuns or other school teachers could be expropriated by Order in Council under the provisions of Section 11A, Chap.81, R.S.C.,

The Deputy Minister of Justice,
Ottawa.

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as enacted by Section 2, Chap.35, 4-5 Geo.V 1914.

In order to secure qualified teachers for Indian schools suitable living quarters have to be provided by the Department as it is impossible to get such quarters among the Indians, and such quarters are being provided from time to time either by separate buildings or in the school buildings themselves where new schools are being built.

I may say that the particular object in view in the enactment of the said Section 11A was to enable the Department to expropriate for the purpose of enlarging the school grounds of a school on the Six Nations Indian Reserve, a parcel of land adjoining the said school which was held by an Indian who refused to sell it to the Department. The general object of the amendment was, however, to provide for the taking of lands for "school purposes" generally. It is thought that this section is broad enough to cover the case of a site for a residence for teachers, but I would be glad to know whether you share this view.

Your obedient servant,

Sgd J D McLean

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
SEP 28 1916

Caughnawaga September 27th 1916

To The Department of Indian
Affairs Ottawa.

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,
OCT 4 19[illegible]
ARCHITECT.

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Dear Sir,

It was understood,May last,that the Department of Indians Affairs was going to take possession of Lot No. I. in July or August,for the erection of the Sisters' Residence. Accordingly,the Missionnary thought it would be useless for him to sow or plant any thing on it.

It was understood too that in exchange of Lot No. I.,the Government would give to the Missionary the Lot No.385. Till today,the Missionary has not been notified of any such exchange,he has lost the use of his Lot No.I,he had not the use of Lot No.385,so he had no land at all go get his annual supply of vegetables.Not only he used to draw from this piece of land his annual supply of vegetables,but,by selling the surplus of the products,he was getting a substantial help,very needed in a place where the priest gets no support from his parishioners.

Consequently,the Missionary claims that he should be indemnified by the Department of Indian Affairs.An indemnity of $ 200.00 does not seem to be excessive when we know that James Curotte,last year,got $ 300.00 from Lot No.385,the equivalent of Lot No.I.

For particulars and references apply to Mr.D.Chéné,who knows every thing about the case.

Yours very truly

J. Gras
Missionary

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS CANADA

Ottawa, October 12, 1916.

MEMORANDUM.

Mr. Scott,-

With reference to the claim of Rev. Father Gras, Missionary at Caughnawaga, for compensation for the loss of the use of the land which has been acquired by the Department as a site for the proposed new teachers' residence on the reserve I beg to say that I do not consider that Father Gras has any claim for compensation. There was not-hing to prevent him from making use of the land, as the exchange between the Department and the church authorities was only consummated on the 10th of July, last.

If Father Gras had put in a crop on this lot and it had been destroyed by building operations he would then have been entitled to compensation, but, as nothing has been done in the way of building, he could have harvested his crop. I have spoken to Mr. Chene about this and he says that, although it is true that Father Gras did not work this land, there was nothing to prevent him from doing so.

OK
DJ

Duncan Campbell Scott

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
OCT 5 1916

PLEASE ADDRESS
THE DEPUTY MINISTER OF JUSTICE
OTTAWA.

Immediate

Ottawa, October 3rd, 1916.

1404/16. 486539

Sir,

I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 18th ultimo asking to be advised as to whether lands of an Indian reserve can be utilized for the purposes of a residence for the sisters engaged in teaching in the ordinary schools on the reserve. It appears that the site for the school has been procured and the Department was proceeding to construct the residence referred to from funds voted by Parliament when some of the Indians protested and declared that the building could not be erected without the consent of the band.

In reply I beg to state that if the lands required for the site are vacant and not held under location ticket or otherwise by an Indian, such lands may be used for the purpose mentioned without the consent of the band of Indians. The Indian Act provides that lands cannot be alienated without a surrender from the Indians, but lands to be used for the erection and maintenance of a residence for the teachers engaged in the schools do not require the consent or authority of the band for that purpose.

The second question which you submit is as to whether a site for the residence of school teachers on a reserve can be expropriated by Order in Council under the provisions of section 11a. chapter 81, R.S.C. 1906, as enacted by section 2, chapter 35, 4-5 George V, 1914. In my opinion the lands can be set aside by Order in Council for the purpose mentioned under the section referred to. I think there is no doubt

The Assistant Deputy & Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
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that a residence erected for the school teachers engaged in the Indian schools on a reserve is "for school purposes" within the meaning of the section just referred to.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

Deputy Minister of Justice.

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No. of account 430

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To John Jaco

DATE		AMOUNT
1916	Caughnawaga Reserve	
	Authorized by Dept. Letter No. ..... dated	
	For rent of Nuns' Residence month of October 1916	$22 00

JWS

2088

sent Oct. 26/16.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

J. M. Brosseau
Agent.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE

St Constant

28th September 1916

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No.....
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

Sir,—

The 22nd October, 1916, I promise to pay to J. M. Brosseau, Indian Agent the sum of $22.00 ~~in~~ in endorsing my monthly cheque of the Nuns' Residence, for value received.

John Jacobs

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE

St Constant

20th October 1916

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No.
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

Sir,—

Enclosed voucher in favour of John Jaco for the Rent of Rens' Residence, month of October 1916. Also a note signed by Jaco in my favor for a loan. Mr Jaco being ~~present~~ to Toronto, will you make the cheque to my order, and you will oblige

Your obedient servant

J.M.V. Brosseau
Ind. Agent

J. D. McLean, Esq.
Asst. Deputy & Secretary
Ottawa

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ACCOUNTANT
25/10/16

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With Cheque

Ottawa, October 26th., 1916.

Sir,-

I am in receipt of your letter of the 20th instant, with which you forwarded a voucher rendered at $22.00 in favor of John Jacko covering rent due him for October for use of the building occupied as a nuns' residence; and in reply I enclose herewith cheque No. 2088 in John Jacko's favor in payment of the said voucher.

It is observed that you asked when sending in the voucher to have payment made in your favor, in view of the fact that John Jacko signed an order agreeing to pay $22.00 to you when he received his rent money. The Department has not complied with your request,as it does not countenance any business transactions between you and any of the Indians of your agency. ~~The cheque should be handed to Jacko.~~

Your obedient servant,

For Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

J. M. Brosseau Esq.,
Indian Agent,
St. Constant, Que.

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Ottawa, October 30, 1916.

Rev. Sir,-

In reply to your letter of the 27th ultimo making a claim for compensation for the loss of the use of the land which has been acquired by the Department for a site for the proposed new teacher's residence on the Caughnawaga Reserve I beg to say that the Department cannot recognize this claim, as there was nothing to prevent you from making use of the land had you desired to do so, as the exchange between the Department and the church authorities was only concluded on the 10th of July, last. Had you put in a crop on this lot and it had been destroyed by building operations you would then have been entitled to compensation, but, as no building operations had been undertaken, there was nothing to prevent you from putting in a crop, which you could have harvested.

Your obedient servant,

D. STEWART

Assistant Secretary.

Rev. J. Gras,
Caughnawaga, Que.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE

St Constant

24 Octobre 1916

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No.
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

Sir,—

Permettez-moi de vous demander quelle décision le Département a prise relativement à la construction d'une résidence pour les institutrices Catholiques de Caughnawaga. Depuis la visite de Thunderwater dans cette réserve, la plupart de nos Indiens sont restés sous l'impression que cette résidence ne se construira pas, et que bientôt les Religieuses seront chassées de notre territoire. De cette impression, il résulte que quelques-uns des petits garçons sont moins dociles à l'école, l'assistance est moins bonne, et mon Truant-Officer a beaucoup à faire à l'égard des élèves qui font l'école buissonnière dans les rues du village. Si le Gouvernement a décidé cette construction, je recommande que les travaux commencent immédiatement afin que le public sache à quoi s'en tenir sous ce rapport. Ne serait-ce que les fondations pour cet automne. Il en résulterait beaucoup de bien pour l'éducation de nos jeunes Indiens d'une décision prompte de la part du Département.

Votre obéissant serviteur.

J.M.O. Brosseau

Agent.

Duncan Scott. Ecr
Surintendant des Indiens
Ottawa

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Department of Indian Affairs.

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
OCT 26 1916

File returned to H.M. Dept

~~Ottawa~~, St Constant, 191
Oct 24. 1916.

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Sir -

Allow me to ask what the decision of the Department is regarding the construction of a residence for the lady Catholic teachers of Caughnawaga. Since the visit of Thunderwater to this reserve, the greater part of our Indians have remained with the impression that this residence would not be built, and that very soon the Mens will be expelled from the reserve. This impression has resulted in some of the young boys becoming less docile at school, the ~~assistance~~ attendance is less good, and my Truant Office has a great deal to do, on account of the pupils playing truant in the streets of the village. If the Government has decided in

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Ottawa, ... 191 .....

favours of this constitution. I recommend that the work be proceeded with immediately, in order that the public may know what to make of the present report, Even if only the foundations were started this autumn. The result of prompt action on the part of the department will result in much good to the educational work among the young Indians.

Your obedient servant

Jn. Brosseau

Translation
D. A. G.
26/Oct/16

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Caughnawaga,30 janvier 1917

FEB 2 1917

M.Duncan E.Scott,Dep.Supt.
Depart of Ind.Affairs
Ottawa

Cher Monsieur Scott,

Veuillez trouver ci-inclus la copie et la traduction d'un document que j'ai trouvé dernièrement en classifiant les vieux papiers de la voûte.Ce document m'a vivement réjoui,et je ne doute pas qu'il ne vous intéresse beaucoup également.C'est l'acte de vente du terrain que le Gouvernement a acquis l'an passé pour bâtir le couvent des Soeurs,terrain que Pit Delisle prétendait avoir été donné sous condition par une vielle femme.....

Selon la coutume du village,qui a toujours eu force de loi devant les tribunaux,le présent acte de vente n'a pas été fait par devant notaire,mais cela n'en diminue pas la valeur. De plus la vente a été faite avec la connaissance et l'approbation des chefs.

Depuis I846,les droits du missionnaire sur ce terrain n'ont jamais été contestés.Ce seul fait-là suffirait pour dire que le dit terrain appartient bien à la Mission.

Vous verrez par là quelle est l'impudence et la malhonnèteté de Peter Delisle,qui pour tromper le Ministre de l'Intérieur et empêcher la construction du couvent,n'a pas craint de forger des documents !...

J'aimerais avoir une conversation avec vous sur différents petits sujets qui m'intéressent,Je vous serais bien obligé si vous pouviez me dire quel jour et à quelle heure,je pourrais vous rencontrer à votre bureau,à Ottawa,la semaine prochaine.Si vous étiez libre dans l'après-midi,ça ferait mieux mon affaire,vu que je pourrais aller et revenir le même jour.

Veuillez agréer,Monsieur le Député Ministre,l'expression de ma haute considération et de mon dévouement

J. Gras, ptre.

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(translation)

Act showing how the lot No. I, (survey I907) part on west side of Fort St. Louis, was purchased from A. Geo. de Lorimier by Mr. Joseph Marcoux, missiomary, in favor of the Caughnawaga Mission. This said land the Government acquired in I9I6, by exchange, to build the convent for the Sisters of St. Ann.

" Garden of George Oronhiatekha deLorimier, I846.

I, the undersigned, acknowledge having received from Mr. Jos. Marcoux, Missionary of the village, the sum of twenty-five pounds (£)current in complete payment for sale to the Mission of piece of ground joining the wall of the fort , from stone stable by the road-side to edge of the river bank, for length, and width, such as it is presently fenced. I bind myself in future to have said money remitted to the Missionary by the chiefs, as they agreed upon, as soon as they can, before or after one year. In faith of which I signed the following, with Mr. Marcoux, the Ist of May, I846, at the rectory of Sault St. Louis.

(Signed) A. Geo. de Lorimier.

Jos. Marcoux, Ptre.

The 25 pounds (£) were paid by the chiefs in I846, being owed me for wood,

This piece of land will always remain at the free disposal of the Missionary.

(Signed) Jos. Marcoux, Ptre. "

I, the undersigned, Missionary, of the Society of Jesus, certify that the present act of sale is in perfect conformity to the original, kept in the archives of the Mission of Sault St. Louis, Caughnawaga.

J. Gras, S.J.

Caughnawaga, January I8, I9I7.

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Acte montrant comment le terrain No I, (arpentage I907) côté Ouest du fort Saint-Louis, a été acheté de A.Geo. de Lorimier par M.Joseph Marcoux, missionnaire, en faveur de la Mission de Caughnawaga. C'est ce terrain que le Gouvernement a acquis, grâce à un échange, en I9I6, pour y bâtir le couvent des Soeurs de Sainte-Anne.

" Jardin de Georges Oronhiatekha deLorimier, I846

Je soussigné reconnais avoir reçu de Mr Jos.Marcoux, Missionnaire du village, la somme de vingt cinq louis courant pour parfait payement de la vente à la Mission du morceau de terre qui joint le mur du Fort, depuis l'étable en pierre sur le chemin, jusqu'au bord de la côte, pour la longueur, avec la largeur qu'il peut avoir, tel qu'il est clos maintenant; et je m'oblige de m'employer par la suite pour faire rendre au Missionnaire cet argent par les chefs, selon qu'ils en sont convenus, aussitôt qu'ils le pourront, avant ou après une année. En foi de quoi j'ai signé le présent avec Mr Marcoux, le I Mai I846 au presbitère du Sault S.Louis.

(signé) A.Geo.de Lorimier

Jos.Marcoux, Ptre

Les 25 Louis ont été payés par les chefs, en I846, ils me les devaient pour du bois.

Ce morceau de terre sera pour toujours la jouissance du Missionnaire.

(signé) Jos.Marcoux, Ptre. "

Nous soussigné, Missionnaire, de la Compagnie de Jésus, certifions que le présent acte de vente est parfaitement conforme à l'original conservé dans les archives de la Mission du Sault-Saint-Louis, Caughnawaga.

Jos. Gras. S.J.

Caughnawaga, I8 janvier I9I7.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
FEB 9
1917

Caughnawaga, Jan.30, 1917.

Mr.Duncan C.Scott,
Deputy Supt.,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

491351

Dear Mr.Scott,-

You will find inclosed a copy of a translation of a document that I have lately found in classifying the old papers in the vault. This document interest me very much, and I do not doubt that it may interest you very much likewise. It is a deed of sale of the land that the Government acquired last year for building the Sisters' convent, land that Pit Delisle claimed to have been given conditionally by an old woman.

According to the custom of the village, which has always been in accordance with the law, the present deed of sale has not been made out by a notary, but this does not lessen its value. Moreover the sale was made with the knowledge and approval of the chiefs.

Since 1846 the rights of the missionary to this land has never been contested. The fact that it was never contested shows that the land rightly belonged to the mission.

You will see by this that it is impudent and dishonest for Peter Delisle to deceive the Minister of the Interior and hinder the erection of the convent, he not fearing the forging of the documents.

I should like to have a talk with you on some small affairs of interest to me. I would be obliged to you if you could tell me what day and at what hour I might see you at your office at Ottawa next week. If you should be free in the afternoon, it would suit me better, as I might go and return the same day.

Accept, Sir, the expression, etc.

J.Oras, Missionary.

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File return
W A F M

January 31st, 1917.

Dear Father Gras -

Mr. Scott was called from his office this afternoon and he asked me to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 30th instant, with enclosures, and to state that he would be pleased to see you next week. He expects to be in the city all the week and will be in his office at least in the fornoons.

Yours very truly,

A F M

Secretary to the Deputy.

Rev. Father Gras,
Missionary,
Caughnawaga, Que.

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MAR 2
1917

Caughnawaga, Feb. 26, 1917.

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Dear Sir,-

Since my visit to Ottawa, I have thought of writing more than once to thank you for the cordial reception you so kindly gave us. Still I left the place with a sore heart when I considered that no definite answer could be given us.

I understand, Mr. Scott, that you know our position in Caughnawaga, but allow me to say that we feel it more and more. Not that we wish to complain, or intend leaving, - no, we came here because we were asked and we see every day what a large field of labor lies before us.

Still we cannot understand why we are left in such poor, unhealthy quarters, after a promise of building a residence six months after our arrival. If it is a question of war and no funds - why the war began in 1913, and we came here in 1915.

We are all aware that there is only one man at the bottom of this trouble, and why does he get the upperhand over so many on the Reserve? Why should he have access everywhere and anywhere, and why do so many listen to him? These are questions that I care not to answer. After all, Mr. Scott, what improvements has he made for the Reserve? None Whatever. - How kind and generous the Government has been to him - and with all that, how has he acted, and how is he acting? Simply working against every one. If that one man were put in his place, all theothers would cool down, for, after all, they are only cowards, and make more smoke than fire.

I will ask you once more, Mr. Scott, to consider the matter, - not that we want a luxurious home, but a more comfortable and hygienic house. Since three weeks, the water is fall-

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ing through the roof, and dripping on the beds in one of the dormitories. A new roof would be needed, but is it worth it ?

I understand it is very annoying for you to hear so many complaints, but it is neither to complain nor to annoy, - simply to present our needs.You have already been very kind and generous to us, and we are most grateful and appreciate everything you have done and will do in the future. After all, Mr. Scott, to whom should we address ourselves, if not to you, but if you tell me of others who can do more, I will go forward. Still, I hardly believe so.

Trusting to receive a reply, and thanking you again for the interest you are taking in our Caughnawaga Schools,

I am, dear Sir,

Respectfully and gratefully yours,

Sr. M. Joseph Edmond, Supr.

Mr. D. C. Scott,

Deputy Superintendent,

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, Ont.

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March 2nd, 1917.

Rev. and dear Sister -

I have your letter of February 26th, with reference to the great desire you have for the building of a new residence at Caughnawaga.

I was discussing the matter with the Minister the other day but did not make very much progress. He does not seem inclined to spend the money just now. He promised the Indians that nothing would be done until they were consulted, and he wants me to go down and meet them some time when the weather is a little better, and I may be able to do so.

I have asked Mr. Chené who is going to Caughnawaga next Tuesday to look into the question of coal and wood, and also the employment of Mr. Viau the caretaker.

Yours very truly,

Duncan C. Scott

Deputy Superintendent General.

Rev. Sister M. Joseph Edward,
Caughnawaga,
Que.

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Caughnawaga, Feb. 24, 1917.

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Dear Sir,

I have to write you concerning our new janitor, Mr. Viau. He was engaged the 8th of February, and up to the present time gives entire satisfaction. All winter, we have had trouble with the furnace in the boys' school, but since he is heating, all the coils in each class give sufficient w warmth and the thermometers never mark below 70degrees. He is an engineer and knows his business. We would not want him to be changed, for it is hard enough to live among Indians, that at least, we should be served by a white man.

I am speaking so, for I heard that the Councillors complained that a white man should do the work when there are Indians as well able as he. - I know positively that four Indians were offered the position and all four declined. We could not remain like that very long, so Reverend Father Gras asked Mr. Viau. The two men named by the councillors are not suitable for the place. Firstly, one is our bitter enemy, and I will never allow him to put his foot either in the school or in the convent. Secondly, the other is so lazy , that he cannot even do his own work. It seems to me we have had trouble enough, that we should endeavor to keep the one we have. We do not interfere in the Councillors' affairs, so let them not meddle in our own personal business.

I hope, Mr. Scott, that you will kindly take into consideration what I have said, and that instead of changing the janitor, you will allow him a salary of $400.00 yearly. He will be able to repair the furnace which is greatly damaged by the little judgment and knowledge which his predecessor had

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in such work. He can repair a great many things which will certainly save the Department much expense , and cause us less anxiety.

Before bringing my letter to a close, I would like very much to know what decision you have taken about the coal and wood. Not that I wish to intrude in the government's business, but if the wood and coal were bought in the spring when the prices are out, it would positively be less expensive. We can store away coal and wood, both for schools and residence in the school cellars.If Reverend Father Cras had not had a good supply of coal, I really do not know what we would have done, for he furnished us with coal during three weeks, until what I bought at Hartt & Adair's arrived.

I also bought different tools for the use of the school, such as , snow and coal shovels, saw, hammer, axes, chisel and wrench.Since Iam here, I have not seeñ any of these tools, nor did I want to buy any while an Indian worked for us. I had a large box made with a padlock, in which all things belonging to the school were carefully put away.

I am sorry to give you so much trouble concerning these janitors, but I feel assured that while Mr. Viau is here, all will be safe and certain.

I am, dear Sir,

Yours respectfully,

Sr. M. Joseph Edward, Supt.

Mr. D. C. Scott,

Deputy Superintendent,

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, Ont.

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DE ST-FRS-XAVIER

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Immediate
W. O. Gilvie

CAUGHNAWAGA, QUE April 13th 1917

Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
MAY 8 1917
ARCHITECT.
493766

Dear Sir,

In a letter dated June 16th 1916, Nº 440.628, the Department promised me to erect a suitable fence around the Lot Nº 385 newly acquired by the Caughnawaga R.C. Mission from the Department in exchange with Lot Nº 1. I come to remind the Government of his promise. I intend to sow that piece of land this year but it must be fenced first. as the frost now is practically out of the ground it would be good to erect the fence as soon as possible.
I would like to have a fence like the one I have in Nº 1. Let the Department authorize me to that effect and I will by the materials and hire the men to do the work in the best posible conditions.
For particulars apply to Mr. D. Chené.

Yours Truly
J. Gras. miss.

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Ottawa, May 10, 1917.

Rev. Sir,-

In reply to your letter of the 13th ultimo regarding the erection of a fence around Lot No. 365 in the Village of Caughnawaga, I beg to inform you that it is not the intention of the Department to fence this property, you should, therefore, make use of Lot No. 1 for agricultural purposes as you have done in the past as it is not intended by the Department to carry out any work on this property this year.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. Mc[illegible]

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Rev. Father Gras,
Missionary,
Caughnawaga,
Que.

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CANADIAN PACIFIC R'Y. CO.'S TELEGRAPH

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The Canadian Pacific R'y Co.'s Telegraph transmits and delivers this night lettergram subject to the terms and conditions printed on the back of this blank.

J. McMILLAN, Manager Telegraphs

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Montreal Q May 9-17

D C Scott,

Indian Dept ottawa 494936

Referring parcel land part holding late Joseph Daillebousť acquired without surrender for nuns residence purpose band respectfully insist prompt official resiliation of sale or agree to test case before competent judicial tribune at montreal not-ify father gras refrain using land .band firmly decided to exert every expedient regardless expense and trouble questioning legality department action eight days allowed to compromise.

Band in Council

537am. Mayor John Daillebousť.

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Return to Records

May 10th. 1917.

Dear Sir,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your night-lettergram of the 9th. instant, and in reply would state that before the receipt of this the Department had prepared a letter for transmission to the Rev. Father Gras informing him that it is not the intention of the Department to fence the Daillebout lot and that he should, therefore, cultivate Lot No. 1.

Yours truly,

Deputy Superintendent General.

John Daillebout, Esq.,
Mayor,
Caughnawaga, Que.

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DEPARTMENT MAY 10 1917

ACCOUNTANTS MAY 12 1917 BRANCH

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Peter Viau

DATE		AMOUNT
1917	Caughnawaga Reserve	
	Authorized by Dept. Letter No. 153652/1 dated Feb 27/17	
	Caretaking of Boys' School & Nuns' Residence from February 8th to May 8th, 1917 at $400.00 per year	$100.00 ✓

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HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed ...es are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the ... just charge against the Government of Canada.

J. W. Brosseau
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Z. A. LASH, PRESIDENT — HEAD OFFICE, TORONTO, ONT. — GEO. D. PERRY, GENERAL MANAGER

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H C SCOTCH ESQ

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DEPUTY SUPT INDIAN DEPT OTTAWA ONT

QUESTIONING LEGALITY PROPERTY PURCHASE WITHOUT SURRENDER FOR NUNS RESIDENCE YOUR ANSWER OF THE TENTH IRRELEVANT TO OUR LETTERGRAM OF NINTH BAND IN COUNCIL DESIROUS AVOIDING UNNECESSARY ACTION RESPECTFULLY REQUEST DEFINITE REPLY TO ONE ALTERNATIVES SUBMITTED

JOHN DAILLEBOUST.

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MISSION IROQUOISE
DE ST-FRS-XAVIER

CAUGHNAWAGA, QUE 10 mai 1917

Monsieur le Secrétaire
Dépt des Aff. sauvages
Ottawa

Monsieur,

Voilà plus d'un mois que j'ai écrit au Département pour le prier de vouloir bien faire faire une clôture convenable dans mon nouveau lot 385, et je n'ai pas même encore reçu un mot de réponse. Je trouve étrange qu'on n'ait pas encore répondu à ma lettre. La chose presse, le temps des semences est arrivé. Le Gouvernement m'a promis par écrit (16 juin 1916, N° 440.628) de me faire faire une bonne clôture, je demande encore une fois que cette clôture soit faite le plus tôt possible. Si le Gouvernement veut m'autoriser à cet effet je me chargerai de tout faire dans les meilleures conditions.

Dans une lettre du Département, 30 octobre 1916, N° 449628, je vois que l'acte d'échange du lot N° 1 et du lot N° 385 a été signé 10 juillet 1916. Comme je suis partie très interessée dans l'affaire, je prie le Départem

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de vouloir bien m[illegible]voyer une copie, dûment certifiée de cet acte d'échange, afin que je puisse, à l'occasion le montrer à ceux qui voudraient contester mes droits.

Comme une des conditions de l'acte d'échange porte que le lot nº 1 ne doit être occupé que par les sœurs, je prierai le Département de vouloir bien autoriser les sœurs à se servir du dit terrain dès cette année, afin qu'elles puissent y aller se reposer un peu en été dans leurs moments de loisir et y trouver un peu de cette tranquillité et de cet air pur dont elles ont si grand besoin et qu'elles n'ont malheureusement pas dans leur résidence actuelle.

Espérant recevoir sous peu une réponse favorable à ces différentes demandes, je demeure

Votre bien dévoué.

J. Gras, miss.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
MAY 15 1917

Iroquois Mission,

St.Francois Xavier.

Caughnawaga, Que., May 10,1917.

The Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs, 494928
Ottawa.

Sir,-

It is more than a month since I wrote to the Department asking it to kindly have a suitable fence built on my new lot 385, and I have as yet not received a word of reply. I consider it strange that there has not yet been any reply to my letter. The matter is pressing. Seeding time has come. The Government promised me by letter of June 16, No.440628 to have a good fence built for me. I ask once more that this fence should be built as soon as possible. If the Government wishes to authorize me to this effect, I shall undertake myself to do everything on the best terms.

By Departmental letter of Oct.30,1916, No.449628, I see that the transfer of lot No.1 and lot No.385 was signed on July 10, 1916. As I am a very much interested person in the matter, I ask the Department to kindly send me a duly certified copy of this transfer, so that I may upon occasion show it to those who wish to contest my rights.

As one of the terms of the transfer stipulated that lot No.1 should only be occupied by the Sisters, I would ask the Department to kindly authorize the Sisters to make use of the said property from this year in order that they may go there to rest a little in summer time during their leisure moments, and find there a little of that tranquillity and pure air of which they have such great need, and which they unfortunately have not in their present residence.

Hoping to receive a favourable reply soon to these different requests,

Yours very truly,
J.Gras, Miss.

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449,628.

May 15th, 1917.

Rev. Sir -

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 10th instant, in reference to lot No. 385 of the Caughnawaga Reserve, and the proposed exchange thereof for lot No. 1. I take this opportunity of correcting your impression that this transfer was consummated. While the indenture was executed by His Grace the Archbishop of Montreal it was not signed by the Superintendent General of Indian Affairs.

Yours very truly,

Deputy Superintendent General.

Rev. Father Gras,
Missionary,
Caughnawaga, Que.

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J. McMILLAN,
Manager Telegraphs, Montreal.

READ THE NOTICE AND AGREEMENT ON THE BACK

Ottawa, May 25th, 1917.

Peter Delisle,
Montreal Post Office,

Montreal, Que.

Will arrive Montreal noon tomorrow. Meet me at Windsor.

(Chg. Dep't I.A.) A. F. MacKenzie.

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STAR: MONDAY, MAY 28, 1917

INDIANS TO VOTE ON QUESTION OF SITE FOR SCHOOL

A. F. MacKenzie, private secretary to Duncan C. Scott, deputy superintendent general of Indian affairs for the Dominion of Canada, arrived in Montreal from Ottawa Saturday to institute an investigation into the trouble at Caughnawaga, which arose out of the Government's proposed action to erect on the reserve, without the consent of the band ,a residence for Sisters teaching in the school there.

On Saturday, the 19th instant, a large number of the Indians demolished the fence enclosing the land originally chosen for the site of the proposed residence.

In addressing the band yesterday morning, Mr. MacKenzie said that it was through a misunderstanding with the Government that the Jesuits had assumed possession of the disputed lot 385, and that they would relinquish its occupancy at once. The question of the residence for the nuns will be decided by a vote of the band and would not be forced upon the reserve contrary to its wishes. Mr. MacKenzie also made the announcement that the Government was considering the extention of the franchise in the near future to every eligible Indian voter in Canada.

HELPING THE SEEDING.

Charles A. Cooke, an Indian, who is chief clerk of Indian Records at Ottawa, and official interpreter for the Department of Indian Affairs, accompanies Mr. MacKenzie on another mission. He will make an enquiry into the extent of assistance necessary from the Crown in furnishing seed gratuitously to those Indian farmers who through poverty or other circumstances, are this year unable to buy such for themselves.

Mr. Cooke was also commissioned by the Government, at the outbreak of the war, to take charge of the recruiting of Indians for overseas service. He stated that 1,500, of which 900 came from Ontario, were now at the front. The Reserves of Haldimand county contributed 300 men and eighty went from Caughnawaga. Commissioned Indian officers on active service number seven, all of whom are Iroquois, and who include two captains and five lieutenants. Mr. Cooke stated that the Indian became an efficient soldier in a very short period of training and possessed great powers of endurance.

WOMEN'S MEETINGS

Tuesday Morning.

Westmount Soldiers' Wives' League, Victoria Hall, 10:30.

Catholic Girls' Club, 311 Mackay street, ladies' executive, 11.

Municipal Chapter, I. O. D. E., Southam Building, 10.

St. George's Red Cross Circle, St. George's Club, 10.

McGill Women's Union, Room 74, New Medical Building, McGill University, members desiring wool, etc., for summer work are requested to apply.

Tuesday Afternoon.

Lady Evelyn Cavendish Chapter, I.O.D.E., Southam Building, 3.

Montreal Technical School, 14 Church street, French conversations, 3 to 5.

St. Luke's Red Cross Circle, Church parlor, 200 Decarie avenue, 2:30.

Y. W. C. A., Fairmount Highway Club, 5:30.

Heavy Brigade Branch, Montreal Soldiers' Wives' League.

Hebrew Young Ladies' Sewing Society, Baron de Hirsch Institute, weekly, 2:30.

Ladies' Aid Society, St. James Methodist Church, room 1, annual, 3:30.

The Ladies' Committee, R.C.H.A., Victoria Hall gymnasium, Westmount, 2:30.

Victoria Rifles Chapter, I.O.D.E., tea for mothers, wives and children of men of 14th Battalion, R.M.R., in Victoria Rifles Armory, Cathcart st.; returned men of 14th invited, 4 to 6.

Tuesday Evening.

Welcome Club for Jewish Working Girls' junior classes, shorthand, typewriting, bookkeeping, fancy needlework, dressmaking, 7:30 to 8:30; social and dance, 8:30 to 9.

Catholic Girls' Club, 311 Mackay street, social.

Y. W. C. A., Central, commercial, English, 7:30; Verdun Branch Bide-a-wee Club, 7:30; Fairmount, commercial, 7:30.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE

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IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
MAY 28 1917

Sir,—

J'arrive de Caughnawaga, et je comprends qu'il est de mon devoir de porter à votre connaissance ce qui s'y passe relativement à l'état d'esprit des Indiens concernant les religieuses institutrices et le missionnaire le Rév. Père Gras. Je suis informé par des personnes dignes de foi que, depuis plusieurs semaines, tous les dimanches à l'issue de la grand'messe, Mr P. J. Delisle, interprète et secrétaire du Conseil, ancien instituteur de l'école des Garçons, harangue ses concitoyens en se servant d'expression tout à fait grossières à l'égard du missionnaire et des religieuses, poussant ainsi les Indiens à se rebeller contre l'autorité établie. Samedi dernier, à six heures du soir, un groupe considérable d'Indiens, admirateurs du démagogue Delisle, se sont rendus sur le lot No 385, propriété du Gouvernement, et ont arraché la clôture entourant ce lot, parce que, disent-ils, le Gouvernement n'avait pas le droit d'acheter ce terrain sans leur consentement. A différentes repri

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Sir,—

j'ai tenté de leur faire comprendre que l'article 11A de la loi des sauvages confère au Gouvernement en Conseil le pouvoir d'exproprier pour des fins scolaires, mais je n'ai jamais été écouté. Le père Gras m'informe qu'il y avait une entente entre lui et le Département pour l'échange du lot No 1, dont le missionnaire a toujours eu la jouissance, pour ce lot No 385. De fait, le Rév. Père Gras avait déjà fait charroyer du fumier sur le lot en question afin de l'ensemencer en patates; mais maintenant que la clôture n'existe plus, beaucoup d'animaux se tiennent dans ce jardin, et il ne lui sera pas possible de le cultiver. Madame Wilbrod Belleffeur qui possède la balance du terrain en question, souffre aussi de cet acte des Chefs, car son terrain ne se trouve plus entouré, et elle demande justice. Si le Département n'agit pas énergiquement immédiatement en rapport avec cet acte révolutionnaire, d'autres actes semblables auront lieu avant longtemps. Je recommande

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Sir,—

recommande donc que le constable Martin Twoaxe soit autorisé à prendre la force nécessaire pour faire replacer cette clôture dans son état primitif, et cela aux frais de la Tribu, car on m'a informé que le Conseiller Chef John T. Baillebout était à la tête de ceux qui ont fait se sabotage. Je suis de plus informé que la même chose doit se répéter cette semaine à l'égard du lot No 1. Je veux de votre part des instructions immédiatement afin que je sache à quoi m'en tenir.

Votre obéissant serviteur

J.M.V. Brosseau
Agent

Duncan Scott, Ecr
Surintendant Général des Indiens
Ottawa

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K. Ward

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St.Constant, May 21,1917.

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS MAY 1917

Sir,-

Upon arriving at Caughnawaga I learned of a matter which I should draw to your attention, namely, the way in which things are going on with regard to the state of mind of the Indians concerning the teaching nuns and Rev.Father Gras, the missionary. I am informed by persons worthy of belief that for several weeks every Sunday, when the people are coming out from High Mass, Mr.P.J.Delisle, interpreter and secretary of the council, and formerly teacher at the boys' school, harangues his fellow citizens, making use of extremely course expressions with regard to the missionary and the nuns, and urging the Indians to rebel against constituted authority. On Saturday last, at 6 o'clock in the evening, a fairly large group of Indian admirers of the demagogue Delisle went to lot 385, which is Government property, and pulled down the fence which inclosed this lot, because as they say, the Government had no right to buy this property without their consent. Upon various repeated occasions I endeavoured to make them understand that section 11A of the Indian Act confers upon the Governor in Council the power to expropriate for school purposes, but I was never listened to. Father Gras informs me that there was an understanding between himself and the Department for the transfer of lot No.1, the use of which has always been enjoyed by the missionary, for this lot No.385. In fact Rev.Father Gras has already had manure brought to the lot in question in order to seed it with potatoes; but now that the fence no longer exists, many animals

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go in this garden, and it will not be possible to cultivate it. Mrs.Wilbrod Bellefleur, who owns the remainder of the land in question, also suffers from this action of the chiefs, for her property is no longer inclosed, and she is asking justice. If the Department does not act vigorously and at once in connection with this revolutionary action, other similar actions will take place before long. I recommend, therefore, that Constable Martin Two-Axe should be authorized to take the necessary measures to have this fence replaced in its original state, and at the expense of the tribe, for I am informed that Chief Councillor John T.Daillebout was at the head of those who did this destruction. I am further informed that the same thing is to be repeated this week in the case of lot No.1. I should like to have instructions from you at once in order that I should know what to do.

Your obedient servant,

J.M.Brosseau,

Indian Agent.

Duncan Scott, Esq.,
Supt.General of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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CONGREGATION
DES SOEURS DE STANNE

Mount St. Ann,
Lachine May 18, 1917.

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
MAY 22 1917

Mr. Duncan S. Scott,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

D.M.

Dear Sir:- 495394

I beg to inform you that a certain Peter Desliele is influencing the Indians of Caughnawaga against our Sisters and their schools. He has been antagonistic to them from the beginning and has taken every opportunity to undermine their authority. Last Sunday week he harangued the people after church services: among other things, he said the Sisters were incompetent and criticised their method of teaching. He even went so far as to say that he would not allow the government to erect the sisters' dwelling-house because he did not want any white people in the village.

If you desire that the sisters remain in Caughnawaga, I know you will find means of silencing this

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Iroquois because it is a constant strain for them to cope with these inconstant and ignorant people.

I hope, too, you will see fit to provide the sisters with a suitable residence for they are presently most inconveniently lodged.

Asking you to kindly consider this matter, I remain,

Yours, very respectfully,

Sam Marie-Mélanie, Sup genl

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
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Caughnawaga, May 24, 1917.

Dear Sir,

I beg to let you know that I find reprehensible and calculated to cause a feeling of unrest in our Reserve, the act of those Indians, who, at the instigation of P. J. Delisle, the dismissed school teacher, tore up the fence around the land acquired by your Department for school purposes in our village.

I have always endeavored to give my sincere opinion in all matters pertaining to the welfare of the Caughnawagas, so in the present circumstance, I make my adhesion to the sentiment contained in a letter being written you by other Indians, who desire to see peace and order exist in Caughnawaga.

I remain, dear Sir,

Yours very truly,

James Beauvette

D. C. Scott, Esq.
Deputy Superintendent,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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THE MONTREAL DAILY STAR: MONDAY, MAY 28, 1917

INDIANS TO VOTE ON QUESTION OF SITE FOR SCHOOL

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A. F. MacKenzie, private secretary to Duncan C. Scott, deputy superintendent general of Indian affairs for the Dominion of Canada, arrived in Montreal from Ottawa Saturday to institute an investigation into the trouble at Caughnawaga, which arose out of the Government's proposed action to erect on the reserve, without the consent of the band ,a residence for Sisters teaching in the school there.

On Saturday, the 19th instant, a large number of the Indians demolished the fence enclosing the land originally chosen for the site of the proposed residence.

In addressing the band yesterday morning, Mr. MacKenzie said that it was through a misunderstanding with the Government that the Jesuits had assumed possession of the disputed lot 385, and that they would relinquish its occupancy at once. The question of the residence for the nuns will be decided by a vote of the band and would not be forced upon the reserve contrary to its wishes. Mr. MacKenzie also made the announcement that the Government was considering the extention of the franchise in the near future to every eligible Indian voter in Canada.

HELPING THE SEEDING.

Charles A. Cooke, an Indian, who is chief clerk of Indian Records at Ottawa, and official interpreter for the Department of Indian Affairs, accompanies Mr. MacKenzie on another mission. He will make an enquiry into the extent of assistance necessary from the Crown in furnishing seed gratuitously to those Indian farmers who through poverty or other circumstances, are this year unable to buy such for themselves.

Mr. Cooke was also commissioned by the Government, at the outbreak of the war, to take charge of the recruiting of Indians for overseas service. He stated that 1,500, of which 900 came from Ontario, were now at the front. The Reserves of Haldimand county contributed 300 men and eighty went from Caughnawaga. Commissioned Indian officers on active service number seven, all of whom are Iroquois, and who include two captains and five lieutenants. Mr. Cooke stated that the Indian became an efficient soldier in a very short period of training and possessed great powers of endurance.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS CANADA.

May 30th, 1917.

MEMORANDUM -

Mr. Scott -

In compliance with instructions I visited Caughnawaga on Saturday, last, to ascertain the truth of the alarming reports appearing during that week in the Montreal press regarding conditions on the Caughnawaga reservation.

I found that the trouble had originated on the previous Saturday, the 19th inst., when a number of Indians, headed by the Chief Councillor, met in the vicinity of lot No. 385, purchased some time ago by the Department for school purposes, and proceeded to take down the fence surrounding this lot. This they did as a protest against the use of the lot by the Rev. Father Gras, who, under misapprehansion that he was the owner, had commenced to cultivate it. I was given to understand also that the Indians had intimated to the Rev. Father that they proposed to take the fence down surrounding lot No. 1, which has been occupied by the Jesuit

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Mission since 1846, as the Indians do not recognize their title to this property. However, they have not done anything in this respect.

I personally had an interview with the Mayor and some of the more prominent Indians, including Mr. Delisle, as well as Rev. Father Gras, and explained fully the status of lot No. 385, which at present stands as the property of the Department. This explanation seemed to satisfy the Indians, and the Mayor has also promised to use his influence to prevent the Indians from attempting to interfere with Rev. Father Gras in the cultivation of lot No. 1. I trust, therefore, that there will be no cause for complaint on the part of the missionary so far as this is concerned.

The reports appearing in the Montreal papers were, no doubt, very much exaggerated, and would give the reading public a false impression of happenings on the reserve.

On the morning of the 26th instant, I spent a couple of hours visiting the schools in the Village, more especially those under the charge of the Sisters. While the attendance on that morning was small, I was very pleased with the class-room work that I was able to

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examine in the short time at my disposal. The contrast in the boys' school since the time of my last visit was very marked. There was also a great improvement in the general cleanliness of the pupils, in their deportment and in the condition of the class-rooms. I am confident also that there was a similar degree of improvement in the class-room work.

Both the Indians and the Sisters in charge of the schools are desirous that a decision should be arrived at regarding the erection of the teachers' residence at an early date. I explained to Father Gras and to the Sisters that the Department had promised the Indians not to take action to erect this building until the band had had an opportunity of expressing their views. The Sisters are quite dissatisfied with their present quarters, with, I must say, a degree of reasonableness. The accommodation is altogether inadequate for the number of persons to be housed, ten in all. They suggested another house that is available which the Department might lease, but this would entail a large expenditure, and the difficulty with the band would still exist.

In view of the promise given the Indians, I think the question of the erection of a teachers' residence and the retention of the Sisters on the reserve should

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be submitted to them at an early date.

One of the officials from the Convent of Ste. Anne intimated that if we propose to make any change they would like to be advised not later than July, so that they can make the necessary arrangements for the disposition of the Sisters now engaged in Caughnawaga.

I would, therefore, suggest that after giving notice on two consecutive Sundays a vote of the band be taken by ballot and the future course of the Department guided by the result.

A. J. Beauregard

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THE SENTINEL, TORONTO, MAY 31, 1917.

NUNS FORCED UPON INDIANS.

Montreal, May 26.—The introduction of nuns as teachers on the Indian Reserve at Caughnawaga is causing trouble. It is said this has been done at the instigation of the Department of Indian Affairs. The Sisters supplanted lay teachers, of whom one, P. J. Delisle, now an employee of the Money Order Department, Canadian Postal Service, heads the campaign against the Sisters and against the Rev. Father Gras, S.J., the resident missionary, who has championed the cause of the newly installed teachers. The tribe has split into two factions in the dispute, by far the larger, some claim, being on the side of Delisle. This stronger faction took time by the forelock last Saturday and tore up some 500 feet of fencing, around land whereon it is planned to erect a residence, or school, for the Sisters—and which land, the antis claim, was illegally transferred to the Jesuits and Sisters for the purpose mentioned.

Course of the Dispute.

Since 1915, correspondence has been exchanged between the Department of Indian Affairs at Ottawa and the two antagonistic factions in Caughnawaga concerning the right of the Government to establish a residence for eight nuns, without first obtaining a surrender of the land upon which to build the residence, such surrender to be obtained by a majority vote of the Indians. The faction opposing the proposed action of the Government is led by P. J. Delisle, Grand Chief of the Council of the Tribes.

The other faction is under F. McDonald Jacobs, an ex-chief of the Iroquois. The question in dispute, it is said, embodies no religious, separate-school, or three-language controversy, but arises out of the progressive program claimed by both factions for the establishing of a modern, efficient, compulsory system of education. They differ seriously as to the method of attaining this end.

Don't Want a Convent.

The ambition of the Deslisle faction is to avoid having a convent, to oust the teaching Nuns and other white people from the reservation, and, instead of the present school curriculum, to have University-trained men-teachers who can instruct in all the modern science as well as the wide range of present-day public school topics. "The modern Indian," says Mr. Delisle, "has taken the war feather from the top of his head and carries it over his ear, this signalizing his transition from the pursuit of scalping to that of scholarship." "We have applied to the Archbishop for other tutors, but he denies our request on the ground that the Jesuits possess seigniorial rights, granted them by Louis XIV."

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OFFICE OF THE DEPUTY SUPERINTENDENT GENERAL

OTTAWA

June 5th. 1917.

MEMORANDUM

Hon. Dr. Roche -

I have pleasure in sending you herewith report of Mr. A. F. MacKenzie on the difficulties which have arisen between a certain section of the Indians of Caughnawaga and their missionary, and dealing also with the present educational question on the reserve. I am disposed to carry out Mr. MacKenzie's recommendations.

Concurred

Duncan C. Scott

Deputy Superintendent General.

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Ottawa, June 22, 1917.

Sir,-

In order to give effect to the promise made to the Indians of Caughnawaga that before undertaking the erection of a teacher's residence on their reserve the band would be given an opportunity of expressing their views, the Department has decided that a vote on this question shall be taken on sunday the 15th of July, next, at their Council House, when all the male members of the band entitled to vote will have the right to cast their ballot for or against the erection of a teacher's residence in he village of Caughnawaga.

I have, therefore, to request that you will take the necessary steps to see that public notice is given on two consecutive sundays (the 1st and 8th of July, next,) that a vote on this question will be taken after mass on the 15th of that month and that the pole will remain open until 5 p.m. on that day.

Your obedient servant,

Deputy Superintendent General
of Indian Affairs.

J. M. Brosseau, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
St. Constant, Que.

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I have, therefore, to request that you will take the necessary steps to see that public notice is given on two consecutive Sundays (the 1st and 8th of July, next,) that a vote on this question will be taken after mass on the 15th of that month and that the pole will remain open until 5 p.m. on that day.

Your obedient servant,

Deputy Superintendent General
of Indian Affairs.

Mr. John T. Daillebout,
Chief Councillor of the Caughnawaga Band,
Caughnawaga, Que.

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Ottawa, June 22, 1917.

Rev. Sir,-

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I have, therefore, to request that you will take the necessary steps to see that public notice is given on two consecutive Sundays (the 1st and 8th of July, next,) that a vote on this question will be taken after mass on the 15th of that month and that the pole will remain open until 5 p.m. on that day.

Your obedient servant,

Deputy Superintendent General
of Indian Affairs.

Rev. J. Gras,
Caughnawaga,
Que.

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June 22nd, 1917.

Dear Madam -

I have the honour to refer to your letter of May 18th, last, with regard to the erection of a residence for the Sisters engaged in school-work on the Caughnawaga Indian Reserve.

The Superintendent General has directed that, after giving notice on two consecutive Sundays, a vote of the band be taken by ballot and that our future course is to be guided by the result. After the result of the meeting is known you will be immediately informed in order that you may have ample time to decide upon your future course.

I have to thank you most cordially for your interest in the welfare of the Caughnawaga children.

Yours very truly,

Duncan C. Scott

Deputy Superintendent General.

Rev. Sister M. Melanie,
Superior General of the Sisters of Ste. Anne,
Mount Ste. Anne,
Lachine, Que.

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June 27th, 1917.

Rev. Sir -

In connection with the taking of the ballot with reference to the erection of the teacher's residence on the Caughnawaga Reserve, will you be kind enough to announce on the first two Sundays in July that the vote will be taken on the 16th of that month instead of the 15th, as intimated in my letter of the 22nd inst. The poll will be open from 3 o'clock in the afternoon till 10 at night. This will give those who are absent from the reserve during the day time an opportunity to cast their votes.

Yours very truly,

Deputy Superintendent General.

Rev. J. Gras,
Caughnawaga, Que.

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June 27th, 1917.

Sir -

Referring to my letter of the 22nd instant, with reference to the erection of a teacher's residence on the Caughnawaga Reserve, kindly make note that it has been decided to take the ballot on Monday the 16th instead of the 15th. The poll will be open from 3 o'clock till 10 p.m. Be good enough to see that proper notification is given.

Yours very truly,

Deputy Superintendent General.

J. M. Bresseau, Esqr.,
Indian Agent,
St. Constant, Que.

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1. Schools
2. Mr Ogilvie
3. Teach

July 11th, 1917.

Dear Sir -

ACCOUNTANTS
JUL 12 1917
BRANCH.

The Department desires that you will be present at Caughnawaga on the 16th instant when the plebiscite is being taken on the question of the erection of the teachers' residence on the reserve.

Yours very truly,

Duncan C. Scott

Deputy Superintendent General.

J. M. Brosseau, Esqr.,
Indian Agent,
St. Constant, Que.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
JUL 12 1917

Caughnawaga, July 9, 1917,

Dear Mr. Scott,

Before taking leave of our mission for a much needed rest, allow me to thank you for all your kindness to us during the year that has just elapsed. Some of our Sisters will leave for Lachine, others have left for the mountains.

I have another favor to ask of you. This year the high cost of living shall not give us the advantage of making both ends meet, so would it be against your usage, if I asked you to advance a couple of hundred dollars on next year's salary in order to give me the advantage of paying our custumers.

Moreover, Mr. Scott, I am obliged to leave for the hospital the latter part of this week, and, you know, kind Sir, what expence that incurs.

If you think the Department would augment our salary next year we would be most grateful. I UNDERSTAND that befire the war broke out we could do live well enough for us, but as it is, next year we will have to live very scantily. If you think my dema demand will be accepted please let me know at an early date.

I ams sorry to be obliged to ask you to advance the money, but you understand my position, and that you will accede to my request.

Thanking you once more for past favor and wishing you a pleasant vacation,

I am, dear Sir,

Ypurs respectfully,

Sister M. Joseph Edward
Supr

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July 12th, 1917.

Dear Madam -

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 9th instant, in which you apply for an advance on your salary for next year as Supervising Principal of the Caughnawaga Schools, and also for an increase in the salaries generally.

With reference to your first request, it is so unusual that I almost hesitate to consider it. You yourself seem to appreciate the difficulties that might lie in my way.

With regard to the proposition for an increase in the salaries, I would like to give further thought to this. At the present time it is incumbent upon us to exercise the strictest economy. Then again I must preserve the scale of salaries in the schools on our different reserves so that there may be no cause for invidious comparisons. However, you will hear from me again in reference to this.

Yours very truly,

Deputy Superintendent General.

Rev. Sister M. Joseph Edward,
Caughnawaga, Que.

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OFFICE OF THE DEPUTY SUPERINTENDENT GENERAL
OTTAWA

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
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July 12th, 1917.

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MEMORANDUM

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Mr. MacKenzie -

You will be good enough to arrange to be in Caughnawaga on Sunday July 15th and Monday July 16th at the time of the taking of the plebiscite on the question of the erection of the teachers'residence on the reserve. You will be good enough to explain to the Indians the reason for and object of taking this plebiscite, and answer in so far as you can any enquiries that the Indians may make. The vote will be taken by ballot in the Council Hall in the usual way.

Should the ballot prove favourable you should make enquiries regarding lot No. 8 which it was intended should be purchased for the site of a residence, and take such initial steps as may be possible towards the purchase in order that there may be no delay in consummating the arrangement, if such action is found necessary.

In this connection you may intimate to the Indians that in the event of the building being erected lot No. 385 formerly purchased by the Department will be turned

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over to the band for some public purpose. You may further intimate to them the intention of the Department to make provision for the institution of a school board on some basis to be mutually agreed upon.

Mr. Cooke may accompany you as interpreter.

Duncan C. Scott

Deputy Superintendent General.

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7 Mitchell Norton
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10 Joseph Diabault.
11 Angus Norton
12 James Alfred
13 Dr. A. O Patton
14 Peter J. Stacey
15 John Deerfoot
16 Angus Diabault
17 Leon Lahache
18 Moses Stacey
19 Frank Sky
20 Joseph Mayo
21 Big John Canadien
22 Thomas R. Jacobs.
23 John S. Stacey
24 Peter J Decaire
25 Lawrence Jacobs
26 John J Delaronier
27 Mitchell Deerhouse
28 Joseph Diabault-
29 Peter Decaire
30 Joseph Roche
31 Lazare White
32 James J. Phillips
33 James A. Phillips
34 Peter Norton
35 Peter Deerfoot
36 Thomas Still
37 Thomas White
38 Joseph J Montour
39 Angus Jacobs
40 Mitchell Phillips
41 Mitchell Diabault
42 John J. Diabault
43 Mitchell Bush
44 John L. Martin
45 Angus K. Montour
46 John J Diabault
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67	William Montour	95	Angus K. Rice
68	Mitchell Diabault	96	James J Delisle
69	Frank J. Johns	97	Louis A. Norton
70	Louis Goodleaf	98	Mitchell K. Phillips
71	Joseph Lazare	99	Frank Hill
72	John McComber	100	Joseph Laborne
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76	Peter Paul	104	Louis J Norton
77	Mitchell Stacke	105	John S. Dionne
78	Mitchell Williams	106	Charles Beauvais
79	James Deer	107	Frank Deer
80	Mitchell Dicaire	108	Louis Okeroskin
81	Peter Morris	109	Peter Canoe
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60	Matthew Lazare	88	Peter Williams
61	David Dicaire	89	Thomas Cuccadian
62	Frank Lunotte.	90	John J Delisle
63	Frank K. Diabault	91	John J Jacobs
64	John Goodleaf	92	Peter Pangnis
65	James Monick.	93	Joseph Ross
66	Joseph T. Phillips	94	Peter K. Jacobs
67	William Montour	95	Angus K. Rice
68	Mitchell Diabault	96	James J Delisle
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71	Joseph Lazare	99	Frank Hill
72	John McComber	100	Joseph Laborne
73	James Diabault	101	Frank Gordon
74	Frank Diabault	102	James J Jacobs.
75	Peter S. Norton	103	Thomas S. Jacobs.
76	Peter Paul	104	Louis J Norton
77	Mitchell Stalk	105	John S. Dione
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79	James Deer	107	Frank Deer
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117	Frank Phillip	145	Mitchell Arquette
118	Louis Daillebout	146	Lawrence Martin
119	Mike McGregor	147	Joseph K. Diabault
120	Angus Cecrole	148	John R. Diabault
121	Angus Delisle	149	Moses Diabault
122	Angus Deer	150	Peter D. Sky.
123	~~Jack~~ Lazarr Zacharie	151	John Gross.
124	John Lee	152	Peter D. Montour
125	Thomas Jacobs	153	Frank S. Diabault
126	Michel Thomas	154	Michael K. Stacy
127	John McCombe	155	Thomas Williams
128	Wm. Montour	156	Angus Standup
129	Frank Nolan	157	Thomas A. Lazare
130	John Beauvais	158	Louis Norton
131	Louis Montour	159	Basil Montour
132	Moise Daillebout	160	Joseph A. Norton
133	Angus Daillebut	161	Peter Sam
134	Peter D. Jacobs.	162	Frank Lazare
135	Stephen Delisle	163	Angus K. Diabault
136	Mitchell Saylor	164	Peter Montour
137	James Norton	165	Mitchell D. Diabault
138	Remy Diabault	166	Louis Delormier
139	Hyacinthe Moses	167	Laurence Regis
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174	Andrew Stalk	202	Angus Phillips
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176	Andrew Delisle	204	Alexander Canadian
177	Michael Sky	205	Thomas Dominick
178	William Paul	206	Francis Delisle
179	John Nolan	207	Joseph O. Montour
180	John L. Canadian	208	Thomas Johnson
181	Alexandra Jacobs	209	Peter K. Lazare
182	Michael Hill	210	Frank S. Diabault
183	Michael Walker	211	Albert Phillips
184	John L. Delormier	212	Paul Paul
185	James Taylor	213	Matthew Stalk
186	James Hill	214	Angus McCombes
187	Michael Morris	215	Thomas Patton
188	Peter K. Montour	216	Thomas K. Diabault
189	Angus L. Jacobs	217	Peter Diabault
190	Joseph Lefebvre	218	Peter Dave
191	Joseph Alfred	219	Angus Dave
192	Peter Deer	220	John L. Canadian
193	John Charley	221	Thomas Sky
194	Emil Diaire	222	Angus Beauvais
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235 James McComber
236 Louis Hemlock
237 Frank A. Deer
238 Alexander Rice
239 Thomas H. Diabault
240 John Phillips
241 Thomas K. Lefebure
242 James J. Taylor
243 Angus Albony
244 Laurence K. Diabault
245 Peter Albany
246 John J. Montour
247 Frank Seymour
248 William Barnes
249 Joseph O. Deer
250 John K. Beauvais
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253 Thomas K. Mayo
254 Dominick J. Diabault
255 John K. Beauvais
256 Angus Dione
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258 Louis K. Diabault
259 John A. Canadian
260 Angus H. Beauvais
261 Joseph A. Deer
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286	Louis White	314	John A. Mecomber
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291	Angus Stacey	319	Peter Captain
292	Joseph Rice	320	Mitchell Beauvais
293	Michael Lefebure	321	Louis Mecomber
294	Mathias Laboone	322	Angus L. Rice
295	Joseph Island	323	Mitchell L. Deer
296	Peter Phillips	324	John Laurence
297	Peter Montour	325	Peter D. White
298	Joseph Robinson	326	William Diabault
299	John B. Stacey	327	Joseph Beauvais
300	Louis Bourdeau	328	
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To Joseph Phillips
Caughnawaga

DATE.		SERVICE.	AMOUNT.	
1917 July	16	To services rendered as Poll Clerk in connection with the voting by the Caughnawaga Indians on the question of teachers' residence on the reserve	3	00
		Total	$ 3	00

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RECOMMENDED FOR PAYMENT
Pay
APPROVED
ACCOUNTANT
1/8/17

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed, and that the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

Chas A Cooke

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS CANADA

Ottawa, July 18th, 1917.

MEMORANDUM -

MR. SCOTT - 497476

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS JUL 23 1917

In compliance with your instructions I was present in Caughnawaga on Monday when the plebiscite was taken on the question of providing permanent quarters for the Sisters of Ste. Anne who have been in charge of their schools from the 1st of January, 1915. The vote was by ballot and 327 ballots were cast; two of these were spoiled, and of the 325 accepted ballots, 14 were cast in favour of the project and 311 against. According to our last public census the voting strength of the Caughnawaga band is 535. You will see from this that the vote was a representative one. It is in fact a larger vote than is usually polled at their annual municipal elections. The number of votes cast against the proposal to erect the building is 60% of the total voting strength of the band.

A. J. MacKenzie

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Caughnawaga, 20 juillet 1917

Cher Monsieur Scott,

Comme le référendum de lundi passé paraît plutôt défavorable à la construction du couvent, j'ai pensé que, en l'absence de la Sœur Supérieure, il me serait permis de porter à votre connaissance une proposition qui pourrait vous être utile dans les circonstances présentes.

La maison où sont maintenant les Sœurs est malsaine et, surtout, il y a tant de tapage dans les environs, surtout la nuit, que les Sœurs ne peuvent reposer. En attendant que les esprits soient un peu calmés et que viennent des temps meilleurs, je viens vous proposer de mettre les Sœurs dans la maison de M. Frank E. Jacobs, al. Kiawentonte. Cette maison se trouve sur le bord de la rivière, elle est aussi grande que celle qu'occupent les Sœurs actuellement, elle a un jardin sur le bord du fleuve, l'eau est dans la maison, les environs sont tranquilles, le loyer serait le même prix que celle où sont actuellement les Sœurs. Je sais que les Sœurs ont déjà

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examiné la maison et qu'elles se contenteraient de cela, en attendant que les esprits soient calmés et que la réaction en leur faveur arrive.

Comme je vous l'ai dit dans ma dernière lettre, les Iroquois, à part un tout petit groupe, ne sont pas contre les Sœurs et leur enseignement. Le maire et des centaines d'autres me l'ont dit, ils devraient voter contre le Gouvernement parce que, disent-ils, le Gouvernement viole leurs droits, parce qu'ils craignent que le Gouvernement ne s'empare peu à peu de leur réserve et finalement ne les expulse. Ils sont trompés, on les a trompés, on les trompe encore, et ils sont si fanatisés, qu'il est impossible de leur faire comprendre raison. D'après les registres de l'église, j'ai calculé que Caughnawaga comptait au delà de 600 voteurs. Je note que la majorité contre le couvent n'est pas très grande.

Je connais, Monsieur Scott, votre désir sincère et ardent de travailler à l'éducation de notre population; je regrette plus que

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personne de voir que nos gens s'entêtent à croire que vous voulez les jouer et doutent de votre bonne volonté à leur égard, j'espère que malgré tout vous saurez continuer l'œuvre que vous avez si bien commencée et les générations futures sauront reconnaître ce que vous faites pour eux, ils vous considèreront toujours pour leur plus grand bienfaiteur.

Veuillez agréer, monsieur Scott, l'expression de ma sincère reconnaissance et de mon entier dévouement.

J. Gras. miss.

M. Duncan C. Scott, Supert Général
Départ. des Aff. Sauv.
Ottawa.

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Caughnawaga, July 20th, 1917.

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
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Dear Mr. Scott -

As the referendum of last Monday appears to be mostly unfavourable towards the construction of the Convent, I have thought that in the absence of the Sister Superior I might be allowed to bring to your attention a proposition which might be useful to you under the present circumstances.

The house in which the Sisters are at present located is insanitary, and moreover there is so much noise in the vicinity, especially at night, that the Sisters cannot rest. Until such time as things become quieter and better times arrive I would like to propose putting the Sisters in the house belonging to Frank E. Jacobs alEiawentonte, This house is situated on the bank of the river. It is as large as at present occupied by the Sisters. There is a garden on the river bank. There is running water in the house. The vicinity is quiet. The rent would be the same as for that in which the Sisters are now located. I know that the Sisters have already looked over the house and would be content with it, until matters become quieter and the reaction in their favour arrives.

As I told you in my last letter the Iroquois, outside of a small group, are not against the Sisters or their teaching. The Mayor and hundreds of others have told me that they intended voting against the Government because they say the Government violates their rights and because they fear the Government will little by

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little take possession of their reserve and finally expel them altogether. They are mislead (imposed upon) , they have been mislead and they are being mislead still, and their imaginations are so inflamed that it is impossible to make them understand reason.

From the register at the church I have calculated that Caughnawaga included more than six hundred voters. Therefore the majority against the convent is not very large.

I know, Sir, your sincere desire to work towards the education of our population and I rggret more than I can say seeing our people making themselves believe that you wish to fool them, and doubting your good will on their behalf.
I trust that in spite of all, you will be able to continue the work which you have so well commenced, and that future generations will be grateful for what you have done for them, and that they shall consider you always their greatest benefactor.

I am, &c.

J. Gras.

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