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*Cross, Martin*

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October 11, 1947

Hon. Martin Cross  
Elbowoods, North Dakota

Dear Mr. Cross:

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Senator Langer has been away from the office so much of the time since Congress adjourned that he has not had an opportunity to reply to your recent letter. He is now back in North Dakota, and before leaving he asked me to get in touch with you.

As outlined by Senator Gurney in the Congressional Record of July 24th, Congress did authorize an appropriation of more than five million dollars to reimburse the Indians for lands that will be flooded by the construction of Garrison Dam. As you are undoubtedly aware, this question is now being debated by tribes who will be affected. The Senator planned to discuss this matter further with tribal representatives while he is in the State.

If this office can provide you with any additional information or be of any further assistance to you, please let us hear from you again.

With kind regards.

Sincerely,

C. E. VAN HORNE,  
Secretary to Senator Langer

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