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X RALPH M. SHANE
X Joseph PAETINEAU

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February 17, 1954

Hon. Joseph Paetineau, Jr.
Elbowoods
North Dakota

Dear Joseph:

This will acknowledge and thank you for your kind letter which has arrived.

It was good to hear from you and I note your desire to have Mr. Ralph M. Shane appointed Superintendent of your Reservation in place of Mr. Ben Reifel who has recently been transferred. I have taken this up with the officials, and you will be hearing from me again shortly.

With kind regards and best wishes, I am

Sincerely,

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