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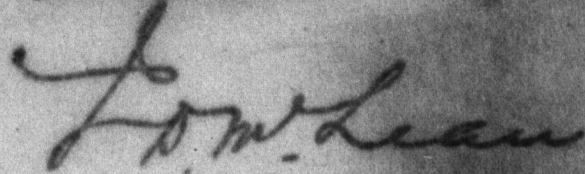
Ottawa, December 7th., 1917.

Sir,-

The Department has received the accounts, nine in number, which you submitted for board and care of Indians in the Lady Minto Hospital, at Cochrane; and in reply I return the same herewith (two copies), and I beg to point out that seemingly the Management of the Hospital has overlooked the statement in the Department's letter of the 6th February to the effect that only emergency cases should be received into the hospital without authority from the Department. In that letter it was also stated that the Department should be at once advised when an emergency case is received and full information with regard thereto should be supplied. I may also say each account should show the date of admission and discharge of the patient. In the absence of explanations the question of the payment of the accounts in question cannot be considered.

It is desired to point out that two account have been presented in the case of Vincent Pootoosh, one for \$9.50 and one for \$8.25. It appears as though a mistake had been made in rendering a second account in this case.

Your obedient servant,



Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

The Secretary,  
Lady Minto Hospital,  
Cochrane, Ont.

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