

No. 510.

Office of the
 Indian Commissioner,
 North-West Territories,
 Regina, 23 December, 1886.

Circular.

Sir,

I have the honor to inform you that it has frequently happened that information about Indian matters, which could only have been divulged by Officials of this Department, has found its way into the public Press; and I have, therefore, to request that you will exercise the utmost caution with regard to imparting to newspapermen, or others, any such information, however unimportant the same may appear to you to be, unless authorized by the Department to do so; since such a proceeding cannot be permitted.

Kindly instruct all employes under you to the same effect.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

Hastie Reed
 Asst. Commissioner.

Indian Agent

Peace Hills

Hollbrook p.o.

via Calgary

Alta