

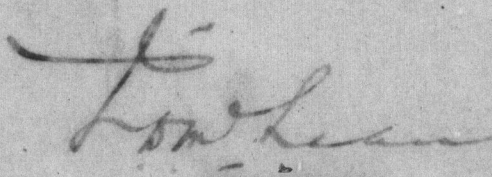
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Ottawa ,19th January, 1909.

Sir,

In reply to your letter in which you state that certain Indians of your ~~XXXXXX~~ Superintendency require blankets, and in which you ask what amount is available for relief, I beg to say that owing to the large expenditure in connection with the different outbreaks of small-pox the Appropriation for relief has already been expended. But if any of the Indians referred to are in actual need of blankets you may furnish them with what are required, But you should when ~~xxxxx~~ writing have given the names of the Indians referred to and state the circumstance of each individual.

Your obedient servant.



Secretary.

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