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Ottawa, 24th September, 1903.

Sir:-

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I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of 16th instant calling attention to the unsatisfactory way in which holidays are taken by the different schools and asking that authority be given you to issue instructions by which parents might be prepared not to expect their children at Christmas time or any other time except at that time which is determined by proper authority, and in reply I beg to say that you are hereby authorized to issue such instructions and the Department approves of the suggestion that the whole month of July be selected as a suitable time for granting annual leave to Boarding School pupils.

Your obedient servant,

Acting

Deputy Superintendent General of Indian Affairs.

Hon. David Laird,
Indian Commissioner,
Winnipeg.
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