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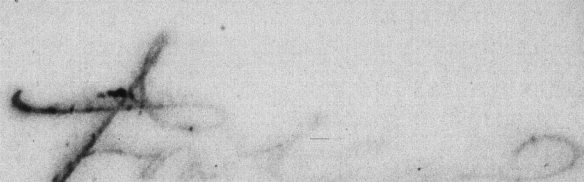
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Ottawa, 30th February, 1912.

Sir:-

In reply to your letter of the 25th instant, in which you report that there is a case of smallpox within a few miles of Skidegate Indian Reserve, I beg to say that you may authorise Dr. A. Ross Fraser, Medical Officer for the Massett Band, to obtain vaccine at the nearest available point and vaccinate the Indians. The account for the vaccine should be forwarded to the Department in the usual way for payment.

Your obedient servant,


 Asst. Deputy Secretary.

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