

funds for distribution among  
 members of that Community.  
 He has, however, directed me  
 to enclose Cheque No 8578 for  
 the amount payable to the  
 Six Nations on account  
 of annuity and interest to  
 the 31<sup>st</sup> March. By advancing  
 their money to them thus  
 early, cause of actual distress  
 can be met without further  
 embarrassing the funds of  
 the Six Nations, by a special  
 loan, such as that suggested  
 by the Chiefs in Council.

I am to say that  
 there will be no objection to  
 your deducting 25 per cent  
 of the amount now remitted,  
 and depositing the same  
 in the Bank with a view

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