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Ottawa, 10th June, 1920.

Sir,-

I beg to say that Mr A.D. McNabb, Indian Agent, at Sault Ste Marie, has reported to this Department that a serious case of small-pox has developed on the Garden River Reserve, in his Agency. The patient is an Indian named Nolan, who was working it is said in one of the Bishop Lumber company's camps, and took ill, and therefore returned to his home on the reserve, where the nature of his illness became apparent. The patient, Mr McNabb states is being attended by Dr McCallis, and the house is quarantined. It has been thought advisable to inform you as above, as you may consider it advisable to send a doctor to the lumber camp, to take steps to prevent further spread of the disease.

Your obedient servant.

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