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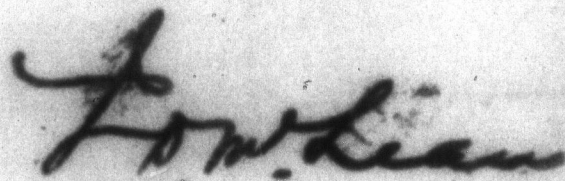
Reverend Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 31st ultimo, in which you state that you have received applications for the discharge of John Hall, Thomas Lohache and Mary Stacey.

In reply I beg to say that the Department agrees with you that it will benefit these children to remain longer in your school.

In reference to the applications for the discharge of these and other Caughnawaga pupils, I wish to advise you definitely, not to discharge any of the Caughnawaga children from your school this year. If you have received tickets for any children you will be good enough to immediately return these tickets to the parties who sent them.

Your obedient servant



Assistant Deputy and Secretary

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