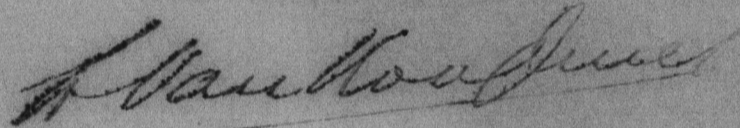


December 11th,

Sir,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 26th ultimo, enclosing copy of a letter from Mr. Agent Springett, of the Piegan Agency, tendering his resignation; and in reply I have to inform you that the Department concurs in your views with regard to a successor to Mr. Springett, whose management of the Indians has certainly been very successful, as evidenced by their present condition, and also by the progress made by them.

Your obedient servant,



Deputy Supt General of
Indian Affairs.

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Manitoba and the N. W. Territories,
Regina, N. W. T.

