

Indian Department
Quebec 22nd Feby 1865

Sir,

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I have the honor to acknowledge
the receipt of your letter of the 26th Inst^o
on the 15th Inst^o - forwarding Paylists (in part)
of the Lake Huron Indians in acknowledgment
for part of their annuities for the year ended
31st March 1863 + for the year ended 31st
March 1864 -

And with reference to your
suggestion that the money for distribution
be sent early in the Spring I have to request
that you will report early the amounts
to be deducted in consequence of aid in
provisions furnished those Indians this
Winter & last Autumn. Upon receipt of
these particulars the annuity money will
be sent as soon in the Spring as it
can

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