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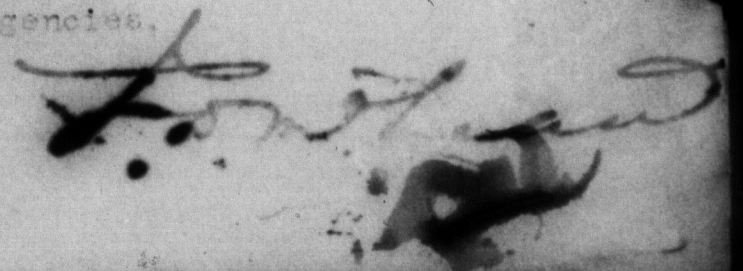
Sir,

In reply to your letter of the 30th ultimo, regarding the application of the Department of Militia and Defence, to use a portion of the Sarcee Reserve, lying in the North East angle thereof, for purpose of camping and training troops during parts of June and July next, I beg to say that the Deputy Minister of Militia and Defence points out that the Section of the Indian Act to which you refer, would appear to have no special application to the present request, since the sale of intoxicating liquors is prohibited in camps of the Militia. It is also pointed out by the Deputy Minister of Militia that the particular area required, comprises upwards of 1,000 Acres, without a house or fence upon it, while nearly all the enclosures and houses within the Reserve, are located in the immediate vicinity of the Agency, about six miles away.

In view of the above, you will be good enough to take this matter up with the Indians, and if they are agreeable, obtain a Resolution specifying terms on which request may be granted.

Your obedient servant,

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Inspector of Indian Agencies.



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