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Ottawa, Dec, 4, 1906.

Sir,-

With reference to your letter of the 10th ult., I have to say that the erection of fences on each side of the roads passing through the common at Oka appears to be a matter with which the Municipality and the owners of the Common should deal with. The Indians of Oka have been frequently informed, through the Indian Agent, that as far as the question has been looked into, it appears that the Seminary of St. Sulpice are the holders in fee of the lands referred to, and therefore, this Department cannot see its way ~~at all~~ to interfere in this matter.

Your obedient servant

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